

## ABBREVIATED CHART OF SIFAAT

WITH OPPOSITE

Sifaat	Description	Letters
Hems همس	Continuation of the breath upon pronunciation of the letter, when it carries a $\overset{\circ}{\text{ـ}}$ sukoon	ف ح ث ه ش خ ص س ك ت
Jahr جَهْر	Stoppage of the breath upon pronunciation of the letter, when it carries a $\overset{\circ}{\text{ـ}}$ sukoon	ء ب ج د ذ ر ز ض ط ظ ع غ ق ل م ن و ي
Shiddah شِدَّة	Stoppage of the <b>sound</b> upon pronunciation of the letter, when it carries a $\overset{\circ}{\text{ـ}}$ sukoon	ء ب ت ج د ط ق ك
Rakhawa رِخَاوَةٌ	Continuation of the sound upon pronunciation of the letter, when it carries a $\overset{\circ}{\text{ـ}}$ sukoon	ي ث ذ ز س ش ص ض غ ف ح خ و ه
Tawassut تَوَاسُطٌ	A sifa between shiddah and rakhawa	ل ن ع م ر
Itbaaq إِطْبَاقٌ	Contact between the back of the tongue and the upper palate of the mouth upon pronunciation of the letter	ص ض ط ظ
Infitaah إِنْفِتَاحٌ	Separation between the back of the tongue and the upper palate upon pronunciation of the letter	ء ت ث ج ح خ د ذ ر ز س ع غ ف ق ك ل م ن ه و ي ش
Ithlaaq إِذْلَاقٌ	The speed with which the letters are pronounced because of the ease of the makhraj	ب ر ف ل م ن
Ismaat إِصْمَاطٌ	To pronounce in a heavy manner	ث خ ح ج د ذ ز س ش ص ط ظ ع غ ق ك ه و ي ء ت ض
Ista'ala / Tafkheem تَفْخِيمٌ	The elevation of the back of the tongue to the back roof of the mouth upon pronunciation of the letter	خ ص ض ط ظ غ ق
Istifaaal تَرْقِيقٌ	The lowering of the back of the tongue away from the roof of the mouth upon pronunciation of the letter	ل م ء ب ت ث ج ح خ د ذ ر ز ن ه و ي س ش ع ف ك

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Safeer صفيير	Buzzing / whistling sound upon pronunciation of the letter when it carries a $\overset{\circ}{\text{ـ}}$ sukoon	ز س ص
Qalqalah قلقلة	Echoing / bouncing sound upon pronunciation of the letter when it carries a $\overset{\circ}{\text{ـ}}$ sukoon	د ق ط ب ج
Leen لين	A manner of articulating that seeks an easy pronunciation	ي و
Inhiraaf انحراف	The leaning of the tongue away from its makhraj until it nears another makhraj	ل ر
Takreer تكرير	To pronounce in a repeated manner	ر
Tafash-shee تفشي	To pronounce a letter with the filling of the mouth with air allowing the sound to spread greatly over the mouth	ش
Istitaala إستطالة	To pronounce a letter in slow and elongated manner	ض