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Islamic Names for Boys

1	Aban	Old Arabic name
2	Abbas	Description of a lion
3	Abbud	Worshipper
4	Abbudin	Worshippers
5	Abdul, Abdel	Servant (of Allah)
6	Abdul Alim	Servant of the Omniscient
7	Abdul Aliyy	Servant of the Most High
8	Abdul Azim	Servant of the Mighty
9	Abdul Aziz	Servant of the Powerful One
10	Abdul Bari	Servant of the Creator
11	Abdul Basit	Servant of the Extender
12	Abdul Fattah	Servant of the Opener (of the gates of sustenance)
13	AbdulGhaffar,	Servant of the Forgiver
14	Abdul Ghafur	Servant of the Forgiver
15	Abdul Hadi	Servant of the Guide
16	Abdul Hafiz	Servant of the Protector
17	Abdul Hakam	Servant of the Arbitrator
18	Abdul Hakim	Servant of the Wise One
19	Abdul Halim	Servant of the Mild, Patient One
20	Abdul Hamid	Servant of the Praised One
21	Abdul Haqq	Servant of the Truth
22	Abdul Hasib	Servant of the Respected, Esteemed
23	Abdul Jabbar	Servant of the Mighty
24	Abdul Jalil	Servant of the Great, Revered One
25	Abdul Karim	Servant of the Noble, Generous One
26	Abdul Khaliq	Servant of the Creator
27	Abdul Latif	Servant of the Kind One
28	Abdul Malik	Servant of the Master (or King)
29	Abdul Majid	Servant of the Glorious One
30	Abdul Matin	Servant of the Firm, Strong
31	AbdulMuhaimin	Servant of the Supervising, the Guardian, the Protector
32	AbdulMu'izz	Servant of the Giver of Might and Glory
33	Abdul Mujib	Servant of the Responder
34	Abdul Muta'al	Servant of the Most High

35	Abdul Nasser	Servant of the Victorious One
36	Abdul Nasir	Servant of the Helper, Protector
37	Abdul Qadir	Servant of the Capable, Powerful
38	Abdul Qahhar	Servant of the Subduer, the Almighty
39	Abdul Quddus	Servant of the Most Holy
40	Abdul Rafi	Servant of the One Who Raises, Elevates (intellect, esteem)
41	Abdul Rahim	Servant of the Most Compassionate One
42	Abdul Rahman	Servant of the Merciful One
43	Abdul Rashid	Servant of the Rightly Guided One
44	Abdul Ra'uf	Servant of the Most Merciful
45	Abdul Razaq	Servant of the Maintainer, the Provider
46	Abdul Sabur	Servant of the Patient
47	Abdul Salam	Servant of the Peace
48	Abdul Samad	Servant of the Eternal
49	Abdul Sami	Servant of the All
50	Abdul Shakur	Servant of the Most Thankful
51	Abdul Tawwab	Servant of the Forgiver
52	Abdul Wadud	Servant of the Loving
53	Abdul Wahhab	Servant of the Giver
54	Abdul Wahid	Servant of the One
55	Abdullah	Servant of God
56	Abu Bakr	Name of one of Muhammad's companions
57	Abu al Khayr	One who does good
58	Adel	Just
59	Adham	Black
60	Adnan	Proper name
61	Afif, Afeef	Chaste, modest
62	Ahmad, Ahmed	Most highly adored, or most praised; variation of the name "Muhammad"
63	Akil	Intelligent, thoughtful, one who uses reason
64	Akram	Most generous

65	Ala'	Nobility
66	Aladdin, Ala' al din	Nobility of faith
67	Ali, Aliyy	The highest, greatest, excellent, noble
68	Alim	Wise or learned
69	Altair	The flying eagle; also refers to a first magnitude star in the constellation Lyra
70	Amid	General
71	Amin, Ameen	Faithful, trustworthy
72	Amir, Ameer	Prince
73	Amjad	More glorious
74	Ammar	Builder, constructor
75	Amr	Old Arabic name
76	Anis	Close friend
77	Anwar	Light
78	Arfan	Gratitude
79	Arif	Corporal; acquainted, knowledgable
80	Asad	Lion
81	Asadel	Most prosperous one
82	Ashraf	Most honorable
83	Asif	Forgiveness
84	Asim	Protector, defender
85	Aswad	Black
86	Ata	Gift
87	Atif	Compassionate, sympathetic
88	Awad	Reward, compensation
89	Ayman	Lucky; on the right
90	Ayyub, Ayoob	A Prophet's name
91	Aza	Comfort
92	Azhar	Most shining, luminous
93	Azeem, Azim	Defender, referring to one of God's ninety nine qualities
94	Azzam	Determined, resolved

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95	Badr	Full moon
96	Badr al Din	Full moon of the faith

97	Baha	Beautiful, magnificent
98	Baha al Din, Bahiy al Din	Magnificence of the faith
99	Bahir	Dazzling, brilliant
100	Barakah	Blessing
101	Bashshar	Bringer of glad tidings
102	Basil	Brave
103	Bassam, Basim	Smiling
104	Bilal	Name of the Prophet's Muezzin
105	Bishr	Joy
106	Burhan	Proof

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107	Dabir	Secretary
108	Da'ud, Dawud	Arabic form of "David", beloved; a Prophet's name
109	Dhul Fiqr	Name of the Prophet's sword
110	Diya al Din	Brightness of the faith

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111	Emir	To command
112	Esam, Essam	Safeguard

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113	Fadi	Redeemer
114	Fadil	Generous, honorable
115	Fahd, Fahad	Lynx
116	Faisal,	Decisive
117	Fakhir	Proud, excellent
118	Fakhiri, Fakhry	Honorary
119	Fakih	Legal expert; one who recites the Qu'ran
120	Farid, Fareed	Unique
121	Fariq, Fareeq	Lieutenant General
122	Faris	Horseman, knight
123	Faruq,	One who distinguishes truth from

	Farooq	falsehood
124	Fath	Victory
125	Fatin, Fateen	Clever, smart
126	Fawwaz	Successful
127	Ferran	Baker
128	Fida	Redemption, sacrifice
129	Firas	Perspicacity
130	Fouad	Heart
131	Fudail	Excellent in character

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132	Gamal, Gamali	Camel
133	Ghalib	Victor
134	Ghassan	Old Arabic name
135	Ghazi	Conqueror
136	Ghiyath	Succorer

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137	Habib	Beloved
138	Hadi	Guiding to the right
139	Hakeem, Hakim	Wise, one of God's ninety
140	Hakem	Ruler, governor
141	Halim	Mild, gentle, patient
142	Hamal	Lamb
143	Hamdan	The praised one; variation of the name "Muhammad"
144	Hamid	The praised one; variation of the name "Muhammad"
145	Hamzah	Lion
146	Hanbal	Purity
147	Hani	Happy, delighted, content
148	Hanif	True believer
149	Harith	Ploughman, cultivator
150	Haroun, Harun	Arabic form of "Aaron"; lofty or exalted; A Prophet's name
151	Hashim	Broker, destroyer of evil; Hashim was a descendent of the Prophet Muhammad (pbuh)
152	Hassan	Beautiful, handsome

153	Hatim	Judge
154	Haytham	Young hawk
155	Hilal	Moon
156	Hilel	The new moon
157	Hisham	Generosity
158	Hud, Houd	A Prophet's name
159	Hudhayfah	Old Arabic name
160	Humam	Courageous, generous
161	Husain, Hussein	Little beauty; Hussein was a descendent of the Prophet Muhammad (pbuh)
162	Husam	Sword
163	Husam al Din	Sword of the faith
164	Husayn	Beautiful

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165	Ibrahim	Father of a multitude; a Prophet's name (Abraham)
166	Idris	A Prophet's name
167	Ihsan	Beneficence
168	Imad	Support, pillar
169	Imad al Din	Pillar of the faith
170	Imran	A Prophet's name
171	Irfan	Thankfulness
172	Isa, Eisa	A Prophet's name (Jesus)
173	Isam, Issam	Safeguard
174	Ishaq	A Prophet's name
175	Isma'il	A Prophet's name
176	Izz al Din	Might of the faith

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177	Jabbar	Mighty
178	Jabir	Consoler, Comforter
179	Jafar	Rivulet
180	Jalal	Glory of the faith
181	Jalil, Jaleel	Great, revered
182	Jamal	Beauty
183	Jamal al Din	Beauty of the faith
184	Jamil, Jameel	Beautiful

185	Jawad	Open
186	Jawhar	Jewel, essence
187	Jibril	Archangel of Allah (Gabriel)
188	Jihad	Struggle, holy war
189	Jumah	Born on Friday

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190	Kadar, Kedar	Powerful
191	Kadeen, Kadin	Friend, companion, confidant
192	Kadeer, Kadir	Green or green crop (connoting freshness and innocence)
193	Kahil	Friend, lover
194	Kaliq	Creative, refersto a qualityofGod
195	Kamal	Beauty, perfection
196	Kamil, Kameel	Perfect; one of the ninety
197	Kardal	Mustard seed
198	Karif, Kareef	Born in Autumn
199	Karim, Kareem	Generous, noble, friendly, precious and distinguished
200	Kasib, Kaseeb	Fertile
201	Kaseem, Kasim	Divided
202	Kateb	Writer
203	Khaldun, Khal doon	Old Arabic name
204	Khalid, Khale d	Eternal
205	Khalil, Khale el, Kalil	Beautiful, good friend
206	Khatib	Religious Minister
207	Khair al Din	The good of the faith
208	Khairy, Khayr i	Charitable, beneficent
209	Khuzaymah	Old Arabic name

L

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210	Labib, Labeeb	Sensible, intelligent
211	Latif	Gentle, kind, pleasant, friendly
212	Luqman	A Prophet's name
213	Lutfi	Kind and friendly

M

214	Mahdi	Guided to the right path
215	Mahir	Skilled
216	Mahmud, Mahmud	The praised one; variation of the name "Muhammad"
217	Maimun	Lucky
218	Majdy	Glorious
219	Majid al Din	Glory of the Faith
220	Majid, Majd	Glorious
221	Makin	Strong, firm
222	Malik	Master, angel, king
223	Mamdouh	One who is commended, praised,
224	Ma'mun	Trustworthy
225	Ma'n	Benefit
226	Mansur	Divinely aided
227	Marid	Rebellious
228	Marzuq	Blessed by God, fortunate
229	Mash'al	Torch
230	Mas'ud	Fortunate, happy, lucky
231	Mazin	Proper name
232	Misbah	Lamp
233	Mohammed	Praised; from "Muhammad", name of the Prophet (pbuh)
234	Mu'adh	Protected
235	Mu'awiyah	Young fox (first Umayyad Kalifah)
236	Mu'ayyad	Supported
237	Mubarak	Happy, blessed
238	Mufid, Mufeed	Useful
239	Muhammad	Praised; the name of the Prophet (pbuh)
240	Muhanned	Sword
241	Muhsin	Beneficent, charitable
242	Muhtadi	Rightly guided
243	Mujahid	Fighter (in the way of Allah)
244	Mukhtar	Chosen
245	Mundhir	Warner, cautioner
246	Munir,	Brilliant, shining

	Muneer	
247	Muntasir	Victorious
248	Murtadi, Murtadhy	Satisfied, content
249	Musa, Moosa	A Prophet's name (Moses)
250	Mus'ad	Unfettered camel
251	Muslim	Submitting oneself to God
252	Mustafa	Chosen one
253	Muta	Obeded
254	Mu'tasim	Adhering (to faith, to God)
255	Mu'tazz	Proud, mighty
256	Muti	Obedient
257	Muwaffaq	Successful

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258	Nabhan,Nabih	Noble, outstanding
259	Nabil,Nabeel	Noble
260	Nadhir	Warner
261	Nadim,Nadeem	Friend
262	Nadir	Dear, rare
263	Naif Na'il	Aquirer, earner
264	Naim	Comfort, ease, tranquility
265	Naji	Safe
266	Najib,Najeeb	Of noble descent
267	Najjar	Carpenter
268	Najm al Din	Star of the faith
269	Nasih	Advisor
270	Nasim	Fresh air
271	Nasir,Nasser	Protector
272	Nasir al Din	Protector of the faith
273	Nasser	Victorious
274	Nawfal	Generous, old Arabic name for the Sea
275	Nazih,Nazeeh	Pure, chaste
276	Nazim,Nazeem	Arranger, adjuster
277	Nuh, Nooh	A Prophet's name
278	Numair	Panther
279	Nu'man	Blood
280	Nur al Din	Brightness of the faith
281	Nuri, Noori	Shining, brightness

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282	Omar	Long life, first son, most high, the Prophet's follower
283	Omran	Solid structure

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284	Qasim	Divider, distributor
285	Qays	Firm
286	Qudamah	Courage
287	Qutaybah, Qutaiba	Irritable, impatient

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288	Rabah	Gainer
289	Rabi	Spring, breeze
290	Rafi	Exalting
291	Rafiq	Kind, friend
292	Raghib, Ragheb	Desirous
293	Rahman	Compassionate, merciful; referring to qualities of God listed in the Qu'ran
294	Ra'id	Leader
295	Rais	Captain
296	Rakin	Respectful
297	Rashad	Integrity of conduct
298	Rashid	One of good council; rightly guided, having true faith
299	Ratib	Arranger
300	Rayhan	avored by God
301	Reda, Rida, Ridha	(In God's) favor; contentment, satisfaction
302	Ridwan	Acceptance, good will; name of the keeper of the gates of Heaven
303	Riyad, Riyadh	Gardens

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304	Sabih, Sabeeh	Beautiful
305	Sabir, Sabeer	Patient
306	Saad	Good luck
307	Sadaqat	Charity

308	Sa'eed, Sa'id	Happy
309	Safiy	Best friend
310	Safwan	Rocks
311	Sahir	Wakeful
312	Sajid	One who worships God
313	Salah	Righteousness
314	Salah al Din	Righteousness of the Faith
315	Saleh, Salih	Good, right
316	Salim, Saleem	Safe, whole, flawless
317	Salman	Safe
318	Sameh	Forgiver
319	Sami	High, lofty, exalted
320	Samir, Sameer	Entertaining companion
321	Samman	Grocer
322	Saqr	Falcon
323	Sariyah	Clouds at night
324	Saud	Fortunate
325	Sayyid	Master
326	Seif, Sayf	Sword (of religion)
327	Seif al Din	Sword of the faith
328	Shadi	Singer
	Shafiq,	Compassionate, tender
329	Shafeeq	
330	Shakir	Thankful
	Sharif,	Honest, noble, distinguished
331	Shareef	
332	Shihab	Flame, blaze
333	Siraj	Lamp, light
334	Sofian	Devoted
335	Subhi	Early morning
	Suhail, Suhayl	Gentle, easy; the name of a star
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337	Suhayb	Of reddish hair or complexion
	Sulaiman,	A Prophet's name (Solomon)
338	Sulayman	
339	Su'ud, Suoud	Good luck

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340	Tahir	Pure, clean
341	Talal	Nice, admirable

342	Talib	Seeker (of truth)
343	Tamir	One who owns date palm trees
344	Tamam	Generous
345	Tarif, Tareef	Rare, uncommon
346	Tariq	Name of a star
347	Tawfiq	Success, reconciliation
348	Taymullah	Servant of God
349	Taysir	Facilitation
350	Tayyib	Good or delicate
351	Thabit	Firm
352	Thaqib	Shooting Star

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353	Ubadah, Ubaida, Ubaydah	Servant of God
354	Ubaid	Faithful
355	Ubayy	Old Arabic name
356	Umar	Name of the second Khalifa
357	Umarah	Old Arabic name
358	Umayr, Umair	Old Arabic name
359	Usama, Usamah	Description of a lion
360	Utbah	Old Arabic name
361	Uthman	One of the companions of the Prophet (pbuh)

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362	Wadi	Calm, peaceful
363	Wafiq, Wafeeq	Successful
364	Wahid	Singular, exclusive, unequalled
365	Wa'il	Coming back (for Shelter)
366	Wajih, Wajeih	Noble
367	Wakil	Lawyer
368	Waleed, Walid	Newborn child
369	Walliyullah	Supporter of God
370	Wasim, Waseem	Graceful, good looking
371	Wazir	Minister

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372	Yahyah	A Prophet's name
373	Yaman	Proper name

374	Ya'qub	Arabic form of "Jacob"
375	Yasar, Yasser	Wealth, ease
376	Yasin, Yaseen	One of Muhammad's names
377	Yasir	Wealthy
378	Yazid, Yazeed	God will increase
379	Youssef, Yusef, Yusuf	Arabic form of "Joseph"; to increase (in power and influence); a Prophet's name
380	Yunus, Yoonus	A Prophet's name
381	Yushua	God saves
382	Yusuf	A Prophet's name (Joseph)

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383	Zafir	Victorious
384	Zahid	Self
385	Zahir	Bright, shining
386	Zaid, Zayd	Increase, growth
387	Zaim	Brigadier General
388	Zakariyya	A Prophet's name

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