

Pre Conditions of Wudu

1. Make niyyah (intention)

2. Say bismillah

3. Begin with the right

4. Wash each part 3 times

5. Rub each body part as its being washed

6. Remember to follow the order

7. Wash each part one after the other so the previous limb doesn't dry

8. Wasting water

9. Talking unnecessarily

Wudu

Start with the tips of the fingers when washing the arms

Wiping a quarter of the head

Wash the mouth and gargle too

Rub the ears

Wash the entire face from the hairline to the chin, from one earlobe to the other

Wash both hands up to the wrist

Wash both feet including the ankles

Wash the arms including the elbows

Use miswāk before rinsing the mouth

Begin with the front of the head and wipe the whole head

Rinse the nasal passage

Wipe the nape (back of the neck)

Run in between the fingers

Ghusl

The Fard Acts

1. Rinsing the mouth
2. Rinsing the nose
3. Pouring water over the entire body

The Sunnah Acts

1. Making niyyah
2. Washing both hands
3. Washing the private parts
4. Removing anything unclean from the body
5. Performing wudu
6. Pouring water over the entire body, 3 times of the head, then right and left should 3 times each

The Makruh Acts

1. Facing the Qibla with no clothes on
2. Wasting water
3. To use too little water
4. To talk without need

An Important note

- Girls don't need to undo plaits but they do have to make sure water reaches the roots of their hair
- Anything that stops water from reaching the skin like nail varnish, glue or paint must be removed
- Any jewellery that prevents water reaching beneath it must be removed to allow water flow on the skin.