



Ask Our Imam

Connecting The Creation To The Creator



If the Imam is in ruku, should I leave my arms on the side and then proceed to ruku?

QUESTION:

If I come into the Masjid and the Imam is in ruku, so when I come and do Takbeere Tahreemah, should I fold my arms and then go into ruku or should I do Takbeere Tahreemah and leave my arms on the side and not fold my arms and then go into ruku?

ANSWER:

In the Name of Allah, the Most Gracious, the Most Merciful.
As-salāmu ‘alaykum wa-rahmatullāhi wa-barakātuh.

In general, folding the hands is not required after performing the al-Takbīr al-Tahrīm and going into rukū or another posture. However, it is essential to remember that the al-Takbīr al-Tahrīm must be carried out while fully standing, unless there are valid exemptions.

And Allah Ta'ālā Knows Best
Zayd Imran

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