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# PRIMARY NEWSLETTER

*Sunday 17th September*

**Message from  
Felice Kelly -  
Head of Primary**

## IMPORTANT MESSAGES:

- Reading Volunteers Wednesday 20th September 7:15am.
- School closes Thursday 19th October 2pm for half term.

Dear parents,

It was lovely to see so many of you at our two coffee mornings this week. We appreciate you taking the time to attend and appreciate all your lovely comments and feedback.

ECA sign ups are now closed. Your class teacher will inform you, via class dojo, which activities your child will attend by the 21st September .

Mrs McCallion and Miss Jones will be holding an information session for those of you who wish to volunteer as a parent reader. This will take place in our auditorium on Wednesday 20th September at 7:15am. Please sign up via the QR code on page 5 of the newsletter.

Wishing you all a lovely weekend,

Felice Kelly.



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## **ENGLISH:**



**Preschool:** We will be reading 'Red Rockets and Rainbow Jelly' as we share our differences and likes/dislikes.

**Reception:** We will be reading, 'Funny Bones'. We will choose and draw our favourite character in the story and explore the different bones in our bodies.

**Year 1:** We will be immersing ourselves into 'Where the Wild Things Are' .

**Year 2:** We will be examining our example text and writing descriptions of our imagined boats.

**Year 3:** We will continue reading our vehicle text, exploring the thoughts and feelings of the different characters.

**Year 4:** We will be writing a character description for our main character in our myth narrative.

**Year 5:** We will be practising the skills needed for writing a character narrative, focusing on modal verbs and direct speech.

**Year 6:** We will write an action scene for our Battle Narrative.

## **MATHS:**

**Preschool:** We will be exploring counting songs as we count in sequence and recognise numerals 1-5.

**Reception:** We will be exploring comparing amounts and comparing size.

**Year 1:** We will be looking at Place Value from 1-10

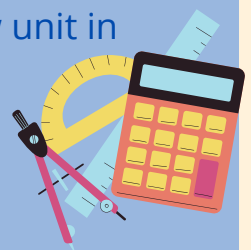
**Year 2:** We will be continuing with Place Value and looking at comparing numbers using more than and less than.

**Year 3:** We will partition numbers up to 1000.

**Year 4:** We will be comparing and ordering numbers up to thousands.

**Year 5:** We will be comparing, ordering and rounding numbers to 1,000,000.

**Year 6:** We will begin our new unit in Maths - 4 operations.





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## Word of the Week:

**The ninja has chosen...**

**PS:** Different **Reception:** Emotions **Year 1:** tamed  
**Year 2:** Metamorphosis **Year 3:** **Year 4:** adventurous  
**Year 5:** achievement **Year 6:** Suffragette



## ARABIC:

**EYFS:** اللغة العربية: الضمائر أنا ونحن / التربية الإسلامية: النظافة.

**Year 1:** اللغة العربية: التعبير الكتابي ص 52+ حرف الباء(ب) +إملاء+ خط / التربية الإسلامية: قص الأظفار وتنظيف الفم+ اسم ونشأة وعمل النبي. / تاريخ قطر: تابع درس (أنا طفل مميز)

**Year 2:** اللغة العربية: الجملة الفعلية: ص34-35 حروف الجر+ الألف المقصورة ص36 + التعبير الكتابي ص 41 / التربية الإسلامية: سورة العصر + نزول الوحي

**Year 3:** اللغة العربية: ( الاستماع: الأرنب الكريم - القراءة: حفظ الله تميماً حفظ الأبيات من 1 - 4 ) / التربية الإسلامية: الفقه ( الطهارة من النجاسات ) / التاريخ القطري: ( مراجعة الدرس الأول - حل التدريبات

**Year 4:** اللغة العربية: ( الاستماع: الأرنب الكريم - القراءة: حفظ الله تميماً حفظ الأبيات من 1 - 4 ) / التربية الإسلامية: الفقه ( الطهارة من النجاسات ) / التاريخ القطري: ( الشيخ جاسم بن محمد آل ثاني

**Year 5:** اللغة العربية: ( الفعل المضارع - القراءة: إني أحبك يا قطر حفظ الأبيات من 1 - 4 ) / التربية الإسلامية: الفقه ( أحكام المياه ) / التاريخ القطري: ( الشيخ علي بن عبدالله آل ثاني

**Year 6:** اللغة العربية: ( كان وأخواتها - اللام المزدوجة - القراءة: تحن الشباب حفظ الأبيات من 1 - 5 ) / التربية الإسلامية: الفقه ( أحكام الاستنجاء والاستجمار ) / التاريخ القطري: ( مراجعة الدرس الأول - حل التدريبات



## SPANISH:

**EYFS:** We will continue learning greetings in Spanish

**Year 1:** We will continue learning "Las instrucciones de clase"

**Year 2:** We will be working on "Los momentos del día"

**Year 3:** We will continue working on classroom instructions

**Year 4:** We will be finishing the topic "¿Cómo se dice?"

**Year 5:** We will start the topic "¿Puedes contar?"

**Year 6:** We will be on working on basic commands in Spanish





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## **MUSIC:**

**EYFS:** We will be singing nursery rhymes with actions.

**Year 1:** We are looking at tempo and whether a piece of music is fast or slow.

**Year 2:** We will continue using body percussion to follow different rhythms.

**Year 3:** We are reading and performing rhythmical notation.

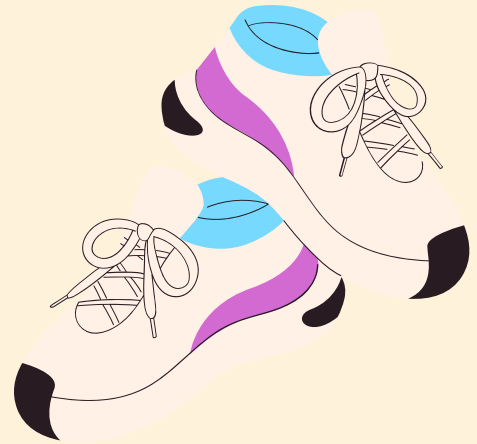
**Year 4:** We are looking at ostinatos and how to write these with musical notation.

**Year 5:** We are learning to read and write treble clef notes.

**Year 6:** We will continue to learn basic chords on the keyboard to play a song.



## **P.E:**



**EYFS:** Hand-eye Coordination Hit, Catch, Throw

**Year 1:** Hand-eye Coordination Hit, Catch, Throw

**Year 2:** Hand-eye Coordination Hit, Catch, Throw

**Year 3:** Gymnastics

**Year 4:** Gymnastics

**Year 5:** Indoor Athletics

**Year 6:** Indoor Athletics



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## **SCIENCE:**

**Year 1:** We are continuing our learning on senses.

**Year 2:** We are exploring lifecycles of animals including frogs and chickens.

**Year 3:** We will be exploring the nutritional value of different foods.

**Year 4:** We will be exploring in greater detail the role each organ plays in the digestive system.

**Year 5:** This week we are looking at the lifecycles of different mammals.

**Year 6:** We will be investigating the effect exercise has on our heart.



Please scan the QR code to register for parent reading volunteers session.





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**Ongoing reminders from previous weeks and for New Parents (Please click the title)**

- **[Access to E-library for Students – Information on how our students can access the free e-books library from home](#)**