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Sunday 25th February

Message from Felice Kelly - Head of Primary

IMPORTANT MESSAGES:

ECA'S begin Sunday 21st January.
Please be prompt picking up your child
at 3pm. If siblings do not have an ECA,
please ensure they are picked up at
2pm.

Dear Parents,

Welcome back to school after our short mid term break. We hope you had a restful few days and are rejuvenated for the rest of term two.

With the second term in full swing, we have some exciting events lined up that we'd like to share with you. Firstly, mark your calendars for Saturday March 2nd, as our FoDBS school fair is just around the corner! We can hardly contain our excitement as we prepare to welcome everyone to a day filled with games, activities, and delicious treats. Tickets have been selling fast this week and will continue to be available for purchase throughout next week - be quick as there are not many left! Your support for this event is invaluable, and we look forward to seeing you there.

Additionally, on Wednesday 28th we will be having a bake sale in school. The children are very excited about this event and looking forward to tasting all the yummy cakes. If your child does bake a cake to bring in, please ensure there are NO NUTS!

Lastly, we extend our best wishes to the pupils representing our school in the QPPSSA games this weekend at Hamilton School. We are so proud to have you representing our DBS School Cluster - enjoy the competition!

Have a lovely weekend,
Mrs Kelly.

WORLD BOOK DAY 2024



World Book Day is fast approaching. You are invited to celebrate the wonderful world of books by dressing up as your favourite book character! Please also bring your favourite book to school to share with your class!

Decorate your item!

Bring in a potato, wooden spoon, t-shirt or paper plate to design your book character. There will be certificates and prizes for the winners!



Caught Extreme Reading!

Children should take pictures of themselves reading in unusual, extreme places. There will be certificates and prizes for the winners!



Costume Catwalk!

Children will have the opportunity to show off their costume in a costume catwalk / parade in school throughout the day!





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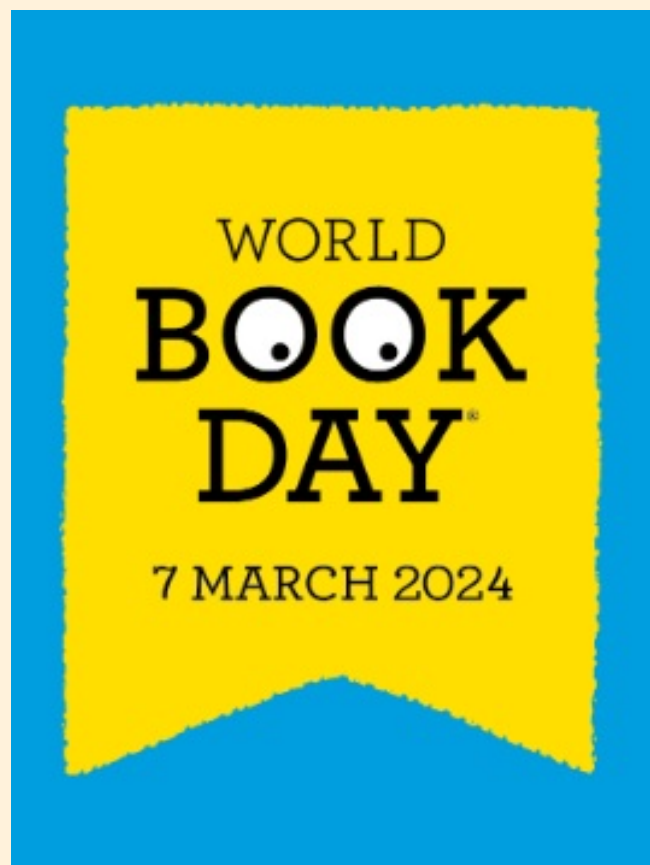
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Upcoming Events

World Book Day: Thursday 7th March

Spring Fair: Saturday 2nd March

Reports published: Sunday 31st March



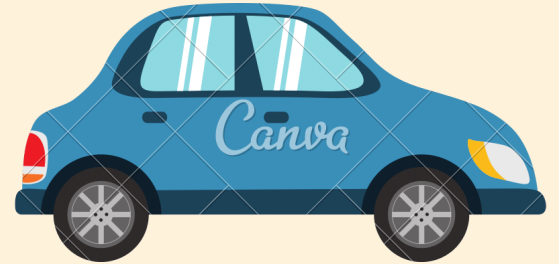
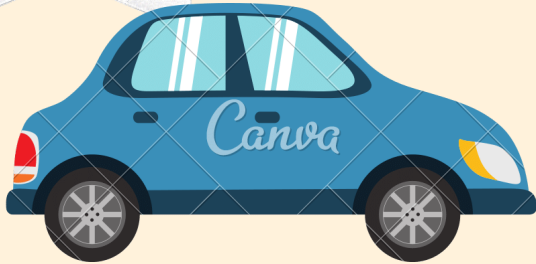


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We have been requested by the MOEHE to remind all parents of the importance of ensuring the safety and well-being of our children during pick-up and drop-off times.

Therefore, we kindly ask all parents to observe the following guidelines:

Adhere to Traffic Safety Laws: It is imperative to closely follow all traffic regulations. This not only ensures the safety of our children but also sets a strong example for them to follow in the future. Compliance with traffic laws reduces the risk of accidents and promotes a safer community for everyone.

Avoid Parking in Restricted Areas: Please refrain from parking your vehicles in front of entrances, exits, and the pavement. Doing so can create unnecessary hazards and impede the flow of traffic.

Do Not Block Traffic: Ensure that your vehicle does not stop in the middle of the road or in a place where it obstructs the flow of traffic.

Use Designated Parking Zones for Drop-off and Pick-up: This ensures that children can enter and exit vehicles safely.



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ENGLISH:



Preschool: We will be reading 'Jack and the Beanstalk' as we sequence the events in the story and the life cycle of a plant. We will also be planting our own beanstalks.

Reception: We will be reading, 'The Magic Porridge Pot' as we design our own character, setting and magical potions.

Year 1: We will be planning and writing our Non-Chronological Report about Plants.

Year 2: We will be publishing our persuasive letters to ban the dark.

Year 3: We will be identifying our success criteria for our unit's end writing goal

Year 4: We will be exploring the formal vocabulary used in our new focus text.

Year 5: We will be immersing ourselves in our new text 'The Lost Book of Adventure'.

Year 6: We will be immersing ourselves in our new text 'The Ways of the Wolf'.

MATHS:

Preschool: We will be identifying and exploring the properties of 3D shapes.

Reception: We will be deepening our understanding of the numbers 9 and 10 and exploring number bonds.

Year 1: We will be starting Place Value to 50.

Year 2: We will be starting to look at fractions.

Year 3: We will be multiplying and dividing a 2 digit number by a 1 digit number

Year 4: We will conclude our division learning and begin looking at correspondence problems.

Year 5: We will be consolidating our knowledge of multiplication and division.

Year 6: We will be converting percentages into fractions and decimals.





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Word of the Week:

The ninja has chosen...

PS: Beanstalk **Reception:** Enchanted **Year 1:** Sub-heading
Year 2: Treacherous **Year 3:** Imagination **Year 4:** Intrigued
Year 5: Appeal **Year 6:** Organisms



ARABIC:

EYFS: اللغة العربية: حرف (ش) / التربية الإسلامية: أذكار اليوم
والليلة (دعاء الطعام والشراب)

Year 1: اللغة العربية: تعبير كتابي ص 64 + أسماء الإشارة (هذا - هذه - هؤلاء) + حل ورقة عمل / التربية الإسلامية: مراجعة وتعزيز + حل ورقة عمل / تاريخ قطر: القواعد المنظمة في البيت والمدرسة.

Year 2: اللغة العربية / تدريبات لغوية (ضمائر الغائب) ص 164 / تعزيز ومراجعة + حل ورقة عمل / إملاء / التربية الإسلامية / تعزيز ومراجعة + حل ورقة عمل / تسميع سورة العلق / التاريخ القطري / الدرس السابع / المدن في وطني قطر

Year 3: اللغة العربية: تعزيز ومراجعة + حل ورقة عمل / التربية الإسلامية: تعزيز ومراجعة + حل ورقة عمل / تاريخ قطر: الدرس السابع (حقوق) الجزء الثاني

Year 4: اللغة العربية: تعزيز ومراجعة + حل ورقة عمل / التربية الإسلامية: تعزيز ومراجعة + حل ورقة عمل / تاريخ قطر: الدرس السابع (واجباتي) الجزء الثاني

Year 5: اللغة العربية: تعزيز ومراجعة + حل ورقة عمل / التربية الإسلامية: تعزيز ومراجعة + حل ورقة عمل / تاريخ قطر: الدرس السابع (السكان في دولة قطر) الجزء الثاني

Year 6: اللغة العربية: تعزيز ومراجعة + حل ورقة عمل / التربية الإسلامية: تعزيز ومراجعة + حل ورقة عمل / تاريخ قطر: الدرس السابع (الإنجازات الرياضية في دولة قطر) الجزء الثاني



SPANISH:

EYFS: We will continue learning vocabulary related to family members in Spanish.

Year 1: We will be working on gue-, gui-sounds.

Year 2: We will continue working on the topic "¿Das los buenos días?" - recap.

Year 3: We will continue learning on "adjetivos de personalidad" in Spanish.

Year 4: We will continue learning about "Las partes de la casa" in Spanish.

Year 5: We will be finishing our topic about question words: "Qué, cuál, quién, cuánto, dónde, por qué".

Year 6: We will continue working on intensifiers combined with new adjectives





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MUSIC:

EYFS: We are learning to follow the beat of the music/We are learning about emotions in music.

Year 1: We are learning rhythmic notation.

Year 2: We are adding music and sound effects to myths and legends.

Year 3: We are learning about traditional Chinese music.

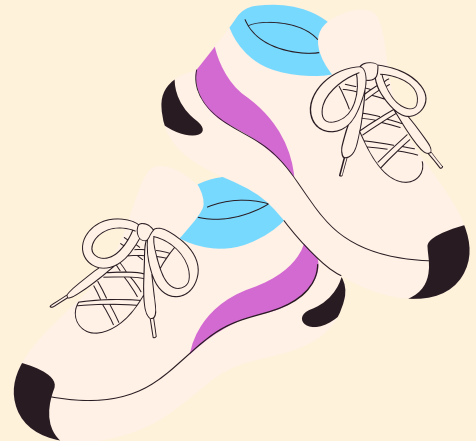
Year 4: We are playing 12 bar blues on keyboards.

Year 5: We are using the 4 chords we have learnt on ukulele to play songs.

Year 6: We are learning about the songs of WW1.



P.E:



EYFS: Hit - Catch - Throw / Indoor activities

Year 1: Indoor mini Football & small games

Year 2: Basketball: Dribbling , passing & shooting & small games

Year 3: Athletics : Ball throwing and Long jump

Year 4: Athletics : Ball throwing and Long jump

Year 5: Basketball Dribbling , passing & shooting and Badminton

Year 6: Basketball Dribbling , passing & shooting and Badminton



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SCIENCE:

Year 1: We will identify different types of materials.

Year 2: We will be continuing to investigate plants and different plants from all over the world.

Year 3: We will be investigating forces and magnets.

Year 4: We will be learning about gravity.

Year 5: We will be learning about gravity.

Year 6: We will be learning about different types of organisms.





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code for the School
Calendar 2023-2024.

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](#)**