

<u>Primary Newsletter- Number 15</u> <u>Week 12th - 16th December 2021</u>

WHAT HAVE WE BEEN LEARNING THIS WEEK?

PRESCHOOL

This week in Pre-school we continued with our story, 'Goldilocks and the three bears'. In Math we compared different size using our key vocabulary, 'big, small, short and long'. We decorated Qatar National Day pictures and played a colouring game which helped us develop our listening skills.



This week Year 1 have been working on their design process and created Jeeps. They have done a fantastic job and even managed to critique their work.

In Maths, Year 1 have been comparing number bonds using < > and =. This was quite challenging but they were fantastic!



Year 3 have been exploring how to divide using sharing, grouping and times tables knowledge. In English we have been writing our explanation text detailing our plans to save the world from the evil, space-bat dragon. In Foundation we have finished learning about all of the layers of the rainforest and we conducted an exciting experiment with water balloons and hand made parachutes in Science. Finally, we have had an amazing day celebrating the wonderful country we live in.

Reception

This week in Reception we made art to celebrate Qatar National Day. In Phonics we started writing short captions and copied tricky words. In Math we continued working on adding numbers together. We have had a fantastic term and we are very proud of all the Reception children.



This week Year 2 have continued to look at Money by solving two-step problems and doing role play. We looked at Famous Landmarks around the World and the continents where they can be found. We used our knowledge to write about them and create some art work.



This week, Year 4 have been planning their own Outsider Narrative about a Penguin. In Maths, the children have consolidated their understanding of addition and subtraction and completed some assessments. In Reading, we finished the book 'How to Train Your Dragon' and WOW what an ending it was! We have spent this week preparing for Qatar National Day completing some Art activities including painting the Qatar Flag and creating a trophy for the World Cup 2022! The children have all worked so hard this term and we are so proud of them.



This week in Year 5, we have been researching and writing a biography about Nelson Mandela. For Maths, we have been finding the area of rectangles and compound shapes and completing end of term assessments. For Qatar National Day, we have been creating presentations with key facts about Qatar.



Year 1: Has been completing the topic of the fruits and we are reviewing sentences using likes and dislikes.

Year 2: Has been working with sentences to understand the concordance between nouns and adjectives.

Year 3: Has been working with phonetics and listening to identify difficult sounds in Spanish.

Year 4: Has been working with adjectives applying the agreements and they have received a whole class feedback,

Year 5: Has been learning more about Spain and they have finished their research.

Year 6: Has been working with the daily routines.



This week in Year 6, we finished reading our class book - Wonder. In Maths, we found the fraction of an amount and the whole. In Computing, we used our Scratch skills to create mascots for the FIFA Qatar World Cup. For Qatar National Day, we painted the Doha skyline and created our own blookets with key facts about Qatar.



This week Primary students have been playing music games, body percussion, drums, chime bars, ukulele and other percussion instruments. We are learning about musical notation and instruments of the orchestra (brass, percussion, woodwind, and string families), listening to the sound of the instruments and trying to understand the difference. Students have been practising singing different melodies with SolFa hand signs. Pupils practised "Hello song", "Bounce high", "Apple tree", "Count on me" songs.



These children have had their birthday this week

Aysha Rana Khalid Al-Malki Sarah Fauziya Ahmed Abdelmegid Abdulla Mohammed Raed Syed



School opens- 2nd January 2022



Lion Class- Muhammad Hassan Uppal Llama Class- Aaruhi Paul Zebra Class- Mohammed Hadi Al-Hajri Bat Class- Thomas Jackson Giraffe Class- Hayley Beyers Camel Class- Al-Reem Mohammed Otter Class- Maryam Al-Qubaisi Panda Class- Jeya Devi Hippo Class- Shaikha Al-Boinin Penguin Class- Farras Hadvi Bear Class- Sophia Siddique Turtle Class- Ahmed Bahaaeldin Kangaroo Class- Upamanyu Bose Lobster Class- Luka Lourenco Falcon Class- Abdulla Al Ahmad Flamingo Class- Mohamed Kamil Bashir

STAR OF THE

VEEK







We have finished the autumn term in style today by celebrating the glorious Qatar National Day. The school looked brilliant with the hundreds of flags, pieces of art, and a majlis. All the children and teachers looked fabulous in their national dress or colours. We wish everyone a Happy Qatar National Day. Enjoy the winter break.















