

Primary Newsletter- Number 3 **Week 4th - 8th September 2022**



WHAT HAVE WE BEEN LEARNING THIS WEEK?

PRESCHOOL

This week in Preschool, we visited the PE Hall and participated in our first PE lesson. We had a lot of fun playing outside in the sand and riding the tricycles. We noticed that we could put the same objects in a group together in maths, and we learned our first mathematical word, which is the word match.

Reception

This week in Reception we have had so much fun learning our new sounds 's' 'a' 't' 'p' and our new tricky word 'l'. We have been playing matching pairs games in maths and learning about what is the same or different. We have also been learning to retell a story using the animal sounds to prompt us. In art, we followed instructions as a class to draw a sheep from our story called 'On the farm' by Axel Scheffler. Well done, what a great full week!

Year 1

Year 1 have had a fun filled week and learnt all about representing numbers as pictures, counters, numerals and words.

We even used sand and playdough!

A mysterious parcel was delivered by Dexter who is helping us defeat villains. We're excited to think about these villains next week! In Foundation, we have painted in the style of Wafika Sultan Al-Essa and loved printing and scraping the paint!

YEAR 2

In Year 2 we have explored number lines in a variety of ways including estimating where numbers go. In English we have explored and identified the key features and vocabulary of our example text. In Science we looked at different types of habitats and the organisms that live there.

Year 3

Year 3 have written a setting description using 'The Iron Man'. They have been learning to edit and improve their work independently. In Maths, they have been demonstrating their understanding of the value of 3 digit numbers. The children have had an exciting week investigating with magnets in science and exploring cave art in Foundation.

Year 4

This week in Year 4, we have tackled numbers to 10,000 and showed our understanding through partitioning! In English, we have written our own formal letter to Mr Ragnar Skarssgard who has challenged us to create a guide on how to defeat a Viking monster. In History, children have been able to identify the 7 Saxon Kingdoms using a map. In Science, we are exploring the importance of teeth hygiene!

Year 5

This week in Year 5, we have been comparing and ordering numbers to 1,000,000 and rounding to 10,000. In English, we have been identifying and analysing the features of a biography. We investigated the properties of materials in Science by comparing hardness. In Art, we learned how to draw shapes with continuous lines to create surreal portraits.

Español

Year 1: Has been learning to say the colours.

Year 2: Has been learning to count until 31

Year 3: has been learning to count until 100.

Year 4: Has been learning to count until 200.

Year 5 Has been learning the names of European countries and nationalities.

Year 6: Has been learning to use countries, nationalities and languages according to gender and number

YEAR 6

In Year 6 this week, we have been placing numbers up to ten million on a number line and calculating with negative numbers. In English, we have been analysing a diary entry. In Science, we built electrical circuits and make predictions on how to improve them. In Art, we practiced two techniques by Henry Moore and compared them.

Music

This week Primary students have been playing rhythm games and body percussion beats. We were learning musical notation and instruments of the orchestra. Students have been practising singing different melodies with SolFa hand signs. Students practised "Living on a prayer" "Hands, feet, heart", "Good morning song", "Unstoppable". All pupils have been practising how to sing with proper singing technique



These children have
had their birthday
this week





Ysabelle Ann Blanco
Abdullah Al-Hajri
Luka Lemos Lourenco
Jassim Maarouf
Amina Al-Khanji
Maryam Al-Qubaisi
Qadri Al-Yami
Benztaah Mohana Sundaram

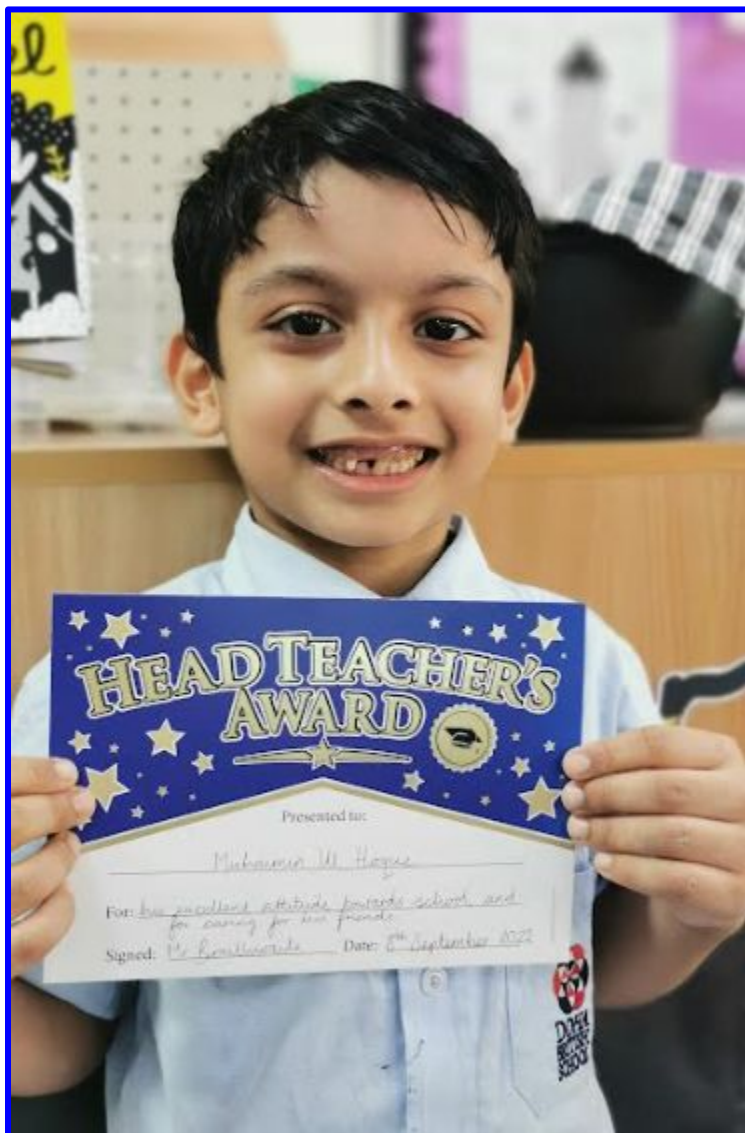


WB: 11.9.22- QNSA accreditation continues.

Monday 12th September- Meet the Teacher- 1.45pm

Star of the Week

	Arham Akthar		Leen Belal
	Mohammed Abdullah Al-Marri		Salman Al-Sarraḡ
	Rashid Al Sahal		Shamsa Al-Mansoori
	Muhaimin Ul Hoque		Khadija Nagy
	Maryam Al-Shaikhly		Jassim Al Khalaf
	Maira Zaki Ahmed		Sarah Gharaibeh
	Al Reem - AlBordaini		Abdulaziz Al-Ishaq
	Haniya Irḡan		Luka Lourenco



Congratulations to Muhaimin in 1D Bat Class.
Muhaimin has come back to school with a brilliant attitude towards his learning. He is showing great self-confidence. Muhaimin also demonstrates community spirit by helping and caring for his friends. Well done.

TIMES TABLES ROCK STARS CHAMPION OF THE WEEK



Year 2

AlJazi Al-Qubaisi



Year 5

Syed Ahmad



Year 3

Anirudh



Year 6

Hania Jamshaid



Year 4

TBA



UNDER 5 SECS



UNDER 4 SECS



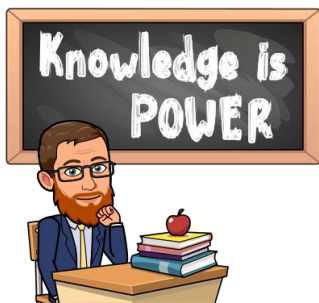
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UNDER 2 SECS



UNDER 1 SEC



Information

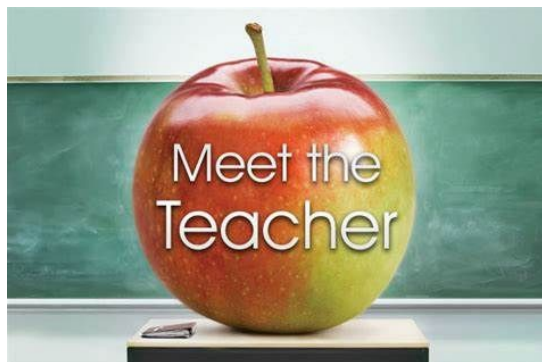
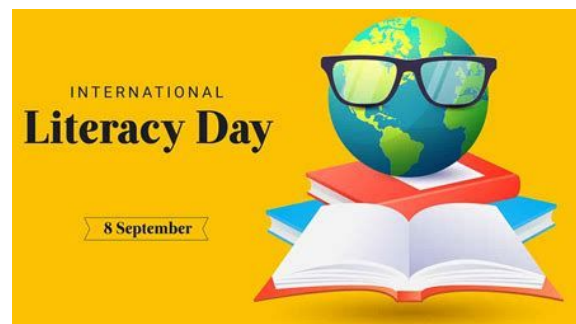
In an age of enlightenment, technology and modern living, it's amazing that it has been estimated that nearly 800 million adults worldwide lack even the most basic literacy skills.

International Literacy Day aims to highlight the importance and value of literary education for individuals and groups, as well as providing benefits for the wider global culture.

How to Celebrate International Literacy Day

Getting involved with World Literacy Day means making an important difference in the lives of people who want and need to learn how to read and write. Take a look at some of these ways for getting connected and making a difference in honour of the day:

- Collect books to donate
- Tutor a student in reading and writing
- Partner with a [Literacy Organisation](#)
- Make a donation to a literacy charity
- Read a book
- Head to [Qatar National Library](#)
- Listen to a audio book.



On Monday 12th September, we invite all parents from years 1 - 6 to attend an information session with your child's class teachers.

During the session, you will be given important information on the year ahead, what we will do as a school and our expectations for the year. The meetings will start at 1.45 pm in one of the year group classrooms, and you are welcome to bring your child/children to the meeting. If you have children in different year groups, you only need to attend one of the meetings, as the messages you will receive are relevant to all year groups.