

Diary Dates

| Date | Event | Information |
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| 6 th June | Possible Start of Ramadan (TBC) | Shortened school hours – More information to follow |
| 30 th June | End of term 3 | |


This week


This week in English we looked at 'N' Word spellings and Tricky Words and definitions. As always we discussed new vocabulary and identified times when we could use new words in sentences. We have been busy completing English Assessments with the focus on Reading, Writing and Spelling. The children have all worked very hard on their Assessments.

This week's focus in Maths has been x 9 tables and division by 9. We revised and recapped a lot of different Maths concepts this week through Maths Assessments. We looked at Time, Measures, Word Problems, Area, Perimeter, Symmetry, Addition, Subtraction, Times Tables, shorthand Multiplication and rounding to the nearest 10, 100 and 1000. The children all worked extremely hard in both the written Maths Assessment and the Mental Maths test. Very well done!



We started some work on a part of our Term 3 topic 'Electricity'. We discussed 'electricity' and different forms of energy. We also discussed 'Where does electricity come from' and how it's converted to different forms of energy. We looked at circuits and discussed what is required for a circuit to work properly.

Specialists
Music

We have finished all the sections of our Olympic song, now we just have to keep practicing it to make sure it sounds as good as can be! We started to learn about tempo and the related Italian musical terms. We found out about the crotchet rest and have been doing activities to develop our musical memory. We have been working on the skill of co-operation to facilitate our group work.



Arabic Non-Native

This week the children learned:

- Past and present tense and using attached pronouns
- The prepositions in the lesson
- Singular and plural
- Questions phrases



Next week the children will discuss the comprehension exercises and differentiate between the attached pronouns (his, her) and we will change the noun to command a verb and make new sentences.

Islamic Native

هذا الأسبوع درسنا درس (سورة البينة).
الأسبوع القادم بإذن الله درس (خديجة بنت خويلد).

Islamic Non-Native

This week the children learnt about the story of Isra'wal Miraj.

Next week we will learn Khushoo' during prayers.

PE

Grade 3 have started learning how to play Volleyball. In order to develop their understanding to the game they have been practicing the basic skills of the game and learning to set the ball and control passing it to their partners. Next week we will continue learning how to serve the ball and play a modified game to help the children understand the Volleyball rules.



Swimming



This week the students continued to develop their knowledge of competitive strokes and started to focus on the individual medley. They have been asked to research the order of the strokes for this race for homework! The children continued to practise their Butterfly stroke, and tried to link the arms and legs together into one action.

'Star of the Week'

This weeks 'Star of the Week' is to a boy who has made great progress with his work and his reading. He is working hard and applying himself to all tasks. He has shown great interest in our current topic and has been extremely settled this past week. He has demonstrated impeccable manners and behaviour. Keep up the great work Emmanuel!



The week ahead

Next week we will be recapping and re-vising many of the concepts touched on this year with particular focus on areas the children have found difficult and stretching those who need more challenge.



Reminders



Please ensure your child brings their reading folder to school every day.

Have a lovely weekend,

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