

Diary Dates

| Date | Event | Information |
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| 2 nd June | KS1 Show | 11:30am Auditorium – All welcome |
| 6 th June | Possible Start of Ramadan (TBC) | Shortened school hours – More information to follow |
| 30 th June | End of term 3 | |


This week

We had assessment week this week where children completed their phonics screening, writing assessment and Maths assessment. The children worked very hard and with a great deal of concentration. We have also been practicing for our Key Stage one production and are very excited to perform for you soon.



In Maths, we learned what capacity is and how to measure it accurately using (ml) and litres (l). We also learned how to read weighing scales.

In English, we learned about adjectives and used them in descriptions of the book we studying called 'The brave tin soldier'.



In Science, we continued to learn about seasons. We learned more about summer and focused on the sun by learning facts such as how hot it is, how wide it is and how far from earth it is. This was very exciting!

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 built two rhythms using familiar food words and we are able to distinguish visually and aurally between them and we can clap them confidently and accurately.


Arabic Non-Native

Last week we learned the long and short sound of the letter Meem (م). Write the letter Meem (م) correctly. We also practiced writing the letter Meem (م) in its different shapes in the word (initial –intermediate- final) Next week we will learn the shape of the letter (Alif) (ا) and we will learn the long and short sound of the letter (Alif) (ا) We will also write the letter (Alif) (ا) correctly and we will learn and practice writing the letter (Alif) in its different shapes in the word (initial –intermediate- final. Finally we will listen to a story about the (Alif) (ا) and find words that have the letter (Alif) .

Islamic Non-Native

This week we learned how to have respect and manners on the road. Next week we will learn an Islamic song for Ramadan.



Islamic Native

هذا الأسبوع تعلمنا (آداب الطريق) .
الأسبوع القادم بإذن الله سنتعلم معا (آداب النظافة في الإسلام).

PE

This week we continued learning about the game of Rounders and practicing the basic skills of the game (throwing, catching and batting). Children have started to bat a still ball and a moving ball. They worked individually and with partners. We have also started to learn the player positions in a Rounders game and what are the basic rules of the game. Children have shown huge enjoyment learning the game and they will start playing proper games next week.



Swimming



In swimming children have been practicing their back crawl and breast with and without a float. Their breast stroke swimming coordination has been improving due to their continued practicing and determination. Well done!

Star of the Week

Seals – Adam for his demonstrating his excellent behaviour in class, being a super role model to his peers.

Wales Sharks – Gabriela, for exemplary behaviour in all lessons.

Octopus – Andy for working really hard in all of his lessons and for setting an excellent example for other children.



The week ahead

Next week in Maths we will be learning about direction and positions. We will learn different positional language like in front of, on top of, behind, next to, etc. We will then learn how to give directions such as right, left, quarter turn and half turn. In English we will be writing the story of the brave tin soldier in our own words with a focus on including adjectives. In Topic we will be learning more about the different parts of a castle and how to draw them accurately. In Science we will be learning about sun safety.



Reminders



Can you ensure that your child wears **black shoes** with their uniforms. Trainers are only allowed when children have PE. Also, if your children has a sports after school club they must wear their PE kits to school that day.

Children need to use an Amity book bag for their books to ensure library books, reading books and homework books are kept safe and not damaged.

As always, we thank you for your continued support! We are all looking forward to enjoying a wonderful summer term filled with learning and fun and of course our wonderful, musical show.

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