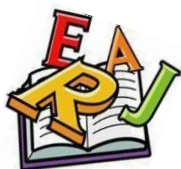


Diary Dates

Date	Event	Information
5 th May	Al Israa Wai Miraj Holiday	School Closed
8 th / 9 th May	Half term	School Closed
11 th /12 th May	School photographs	Schedule to be sent out soon
15 th May	Learn and Play, by the Bay Museum	Museum open to the public
19 th May	Out of This World Theme Day for KG1	Parents invited in from 9.30 to the end of the day to join us for activities and a themed picnic (letter to follow)
19 th May	Traditional Tales Theme Day for nursery	Parents invited in from 9.30 to the end of the day to join us for activities and a themed picnic (letter to follow)
6 th June	Possible Start of Ramadan (TBC)	Shortened school hours – More information to follow
30 th June	End of term 3	

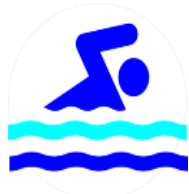

This week


This week we have opened our new fantastic learning rooms now it is getting hotter outside. Children can work in the role play room, the 'Fairytale' room, the 'Out of this world' room or explore the other places filled with new things to discover. This week we have continued to listen to dinosaur stories and have written narratives for 'Harry and the Bucketful of Dinosaurs'. In maths we have been counting in twos, fives and even tens and learning the days of the week. We have talked about our daily routines and ordered key events. In phonics we have been using our phonic knowledge to read sentences containing digraphs and trigraphs.

Next week we will focus on re-capping and practicing our maths and phonic skills and using them independently and through child led activities. Children will have opportunity to explore the new rooms and complete some of the challenges we have set in the rooms.

Specialists
Music

Children used the stage, instruments and dressed up in the role play room and performed songs they knew to their friends. They had a lovely time!


Swimming


This week the children continued to develop their arm action on their fronts and those who still require a float to swim really worked hard to place their whole face into the water and stretch their legs out behind them. The children who are able to swim independently focused on their arm action for front crawl, whilst maintaining a strong leg kick.

PE

KG1 children have started learning how to bounce a ball and dribble. They have used these new skills in different situations and some students have really shown excellent control of the ball. Well done!



Arabic



This week we learnt letter (faa)(ف) and they learnt some vocabulary starting by letter (faa) e.g.(Strawberry) (Farawela) (فراولة) (Butterfly) (Farasha)(فراشة) (Elephant) (Feel)(فيل).

And they learnt what the meaning of Light (khafeef) (خفيف) and Heavy (thakeal) (ثقيل).

Star of the Week

Well done to our fantastic Stars of the Week...

Jellyfish Class – Mishall
Seahorses Class – Abdulaziz
Saw Sharks Class – Aayat
Warus Class – Hamad
Penguins Class – Mansour



Have a wonderful, long weekend!

KG1 Team – Miss Farzana, Miss Susan, Miss Natalie, Miss Julia and Miss Michelle