

Diary Dates

Date	Event	Information
12 <sup>th</sup> June	Starz for Special Abilities (Child's language development)	Parents are welcome to attend from 9:45 till 11am
15 <sup>th</sup> June	Boutique Fair Swap Shop	Open between 2-4:30pm
19 <sup>th</sup> June	Special Assembly	Starts at 8:30 (parents are welcome to attend)
30 <sup>th</sup> June	End of term 3	



This week

This week we have continued to look at the story of Aladdin! We made some beautiful salt dough lamps which will be sent home once they are dry. We loved manipulating the dough to make the shape of the lamp and decorated with beads and gems to make it really special like Aladdin's Genie lamp!



In Maths we have looked at the order of numbers to 10 and are continuing to look at '1 more' and '1 less'.

In phonics we have recapped the sounds we have already learnt SATPINCKEHRMDGOUFBJZWV. Our new sound this week was 'V' – we have looked at items that begin with the sound 'V' – can you find any of these in your home? We found van, vacuum, village, vase, valley, video, vulture.



Specialists

Music

We sang our favourite songs and tried to combine different skills that we have learned. We have looked at a variety of instruments, some for the first time. We were guided on how to play them and then spent time in learning how to use them.



Arabic Non-native

This week

- We learned and coloring the letter Kaaf ( ك ) for Elephant and Butterfly .  
<https://youtu.be/JkAHtKOFQKA>
- Review letters from ALIF TO Qaaf  
( أ - ب - ت - ث - ج - ح - خ - د - ذ - ر - ز - س - ش - ص - ض - ط - ظ - ع - غ - ف - ق )

- We learnt the colour: Ahmar – Banafsaji – Azraq – Akhdhar - Bunni.  
[https://youtu.be/5\\_tde\\_doWc](https://youtu.be/5_tde_doWc)

### Arabic Native

#### الخطة الاسبوعية : للروضة

#### في هذا الاسبوع نتعلم :

- تمييز شكل وتلوين حرف الكاف ( كرة – كلب ). <https://youtu.be/JkAHtKOFQKA>.
- مراجعة الحروف (أ – ب – ت – ث – ج – ح – خ – د – ذ – ر – ز – س – ش – ص – ض – ط – ظ – ع – غ – ف – ق )
- تعلمنا الالوان : أحمر – أخضر – أصفر – أزرق – بنفسجي – بني  
[https://youtu.be/\\_5\\_tde\\_doWc](https://youtu.be/_5_tde_doWc)

### PE

The children have continued to develop their awareness of team games and working together. They have played 'Pirates' in a team and have had to think about how to evade a catcher and have gradually had more rules introduced to them. The children's listening is starting to improve and we have been focusing on staying quiet for and answering the register in the expected manner.



### Swimming



This week the children have worked on kicking their legs for an entire width, using a noodle or blue float to help. The children have also tried to float on their backs, keeping their eyes and tummies looking up and on top of the water. The children have made excellent progress in terms of their independence when changing and many thanks to the parents who have been supporting this aspect of their development at home!

As the end of the year fast approaches it is important that your child continues to participate in the swimming lessons and I appreciate your support in remembering their kit on the correct day and ensuring that if they are in school, they are an active participant. Swimming is a compulsory part of the British National Curriculum and students are only exempt from taking part if they are injured or they have a Doctor's note. Our pool is maintained at a constant temperature and hot showers are provided afterwards for all students; medical advice is that swimming in our pool will in no way cause or exacerbate coughs.

Please be aware that for health and safety purposes, **ALL students are required to wear a swimming hat for their lessons.** Thank you for your co-operation and ongoing support with this and in ensuring that your child is becoming independent at getting changed.

### Star of the Week

Mr Starfish went home with Jonathan this week – Jonathan is such a happy boy and always welcomes the children in the morning. His listening skills are improving at Circle Time and he is very eager to learn. He is also trying really hard with his name writing! Well done Jonathan!



In the Lobster Class, Lobby went back home with Nicole! Nicole is a sweet and well-mannered little girl who is very helpful in the class. She always shows exemplary behaviour. I am very proud of how much Nicole's confidence is developing! Well done Nicole 😊

This week Bill went home with Shamma. This is because she always shows exemplary behaviour, has fabulous manners and tries her best in everything she does! Amazing Shamma!

Keep it up 😊

### The week ahead

Next week we will be looking at 'Goldilocks and the 3 Bears' We have lots planned for this story – we will be making our own porridge to taste and visiting a crime scene at the 3 Bears house!



In maths we will be recapping size and positional language.

In phonics we will be introducing the 'y' sound and playing some listening games with the musical instruments and learning the Goldilocks song.

### Reminders



Children should wear their swimming suits to school on the day that they have swimming lessons (under their school clothes). PE clothes should be worn on PE days.

**Please ensure that all your child's belongings are labelled with their name.**

As the weather is getting warmer children **must** wear a hat when playing outside. If children do not have a hat then they won't be able to play outside, they must remain in the shade. Please make sure all children come to school with a hat!



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