



YEAR 5 CLASSROOM NEWS! AUTUMN 2

THIS TERM IN YEAR 5...

Dear Year 5s,

As we begin this second term, we would like to mention how proud we are of you all! You have settled into Year 5 so well and learnt to follow rules and procedures. You have also had a lot of fun and made friends! Insha'Allah, this term will also be just as great...

We look forward to our next stage of learning this term Insha'Allah!

Maryam Apa, Atika Apa and Haleema Apa

THEME

Our theme this term is..

EARTH AND SPACE!

Grab your spacesuits -
this term will be such a
BLAST!

REMEMBER

- PE - every Thursday
- Spelling Test - every Tuesday
- Fun Lunches - every Friday
- Keep an eye on Class Dojo for the menu

MADRASAH REMINDERS:

- Monday - Duas
- Tuesday - Surahs
- Wednesday - Surahs
- Thursday - Duas

EVENTS OF THE TERM

- World Diabetes Day - 11/11/22
- Anti-bullying Week - 14/11/22
- Odd Socks Day - 15/11/22
- Children in Need Day - 18/11/22
- Year 5 Parent Session - 23/11/22 (11-12pm)
- Parents Coffee Morning - 28/11/22 (11-12pm)
- Madrasah Assessment Week - WB 28/11/22
- Café Amore - 29/11/22
- School Assessment Week - WB 05/12/22
- Human Rights Day - 09/12/22
- Last day of Term - 16/12/22

NEWSFLASH

We are delighted to announce that we will be launching clubs this term. You will be able to partake in one of the following clubs:

1. Cooking/baking 2. Drama/Speaking and Listening 3. Origami 4. Cross stitch 5. Eco/nature

Have fun and learn a skill for life!



WHAT WILL WE LEARN THIS TERM?

ENGLISH



POETRY: MAKING THE ORDINARY EXTRA-ORDINARY

In this topic of learning, we will enjoy reading and listening to modern and classic poems. We will explore word choices & imagery (simile, metaphor, personification), expanded noun phrases & relative clauses.

MODERN FICTION: THE HOLE BY OYVIND TORSETER

Using *The Hole*, by Oyvind Torseter, we will ask and answer questions and use inference skills to speculate about events. Finally, we will write our own version or a sequel based on the book.

RECOUNTS: UFOS AND ALIENS

In this topic, you will write recounts and newspaper reports about UFO accounts. You will learn about word classes, noun phrases, fronted adverbials and paragraphs.

D&T FELT CASES



In this unit of learning, you will design products with the user in mind thinking about aesthetics and functionality.

You will learn how to make a paper template and how to sew a running stitch, backstitch, whip stitch and blanket stitch. Finally, you will use the techniques learnt to create your own felt creations! You will end this topic by writing a detailed evaluation about your product.

HISTORY



ANGLO-SAXONS AND VIKINGS

Through a study of the Anglo-Saxon period, you will learn how this important group of settlers fits into the chronology of Britain.

You will compare the Anglo Saxons invasions to the Viking invasions and settlement in Britain through a series of practical and informative activities such as a Viking Quest board game, a group model of a longhouse, a Viking feast and a Viking celebration event.

MULTIPLICATION AND DIVISION

In this topic of learning, we will identify multiples and factors and common factors of two numbers. We will move on to identifying prime numbers, prime factors and composite (nonprime) numbers. We will recognise and use square numbers and cube numbers.

MATHS

We will compare and order fractions whose denominators are all multiples of the same number. We will add and subtract fractions with the same denominator and multiples of the same number. Finally, we will recognise mixed numbers and improper fractions and convert from one form to the other

FRACTIONS



PE TENNIS



This term in PE, we will learn a variety of new skills and techniques in tennis. We will develop our striking and hitting skills by learning how to hit different groundstrokes. We will gain experience in a match environment by competing in a variety of tennis mini-games, applying the skills we have learnt an learning the rules and scoring in tennis. Finally, we will evaluate our own performance and identify areas where you can improve.

COMPUTING



VIDEO PRODUCTION

This term, we will learn how to create short videos in groups. We will develop the skills of capturing, editing, and manipulating video.

We will take an idea from conception to completion.

SCIENCE

EARTH AND SPACE

- Describe the movement of the Earth, and other planets, relative to the Sun in the solar system.
- Describe the movement of the Moon relative to the Earth.
- Describe the Sun, Earth and Moon as approximately spherical bodies.
- Use the idea of the Earth's rotation to explain day and night and the apparent movement of the Sun across the sky.

ARABIC TIME AND DAILY ROUTINE

This term we will be learning in depth about the concept of time in Arabic. Be ready to join in countless games and fun activities such as paper plate clocks, hula hoop, rolling a dice to tell the time and much more! Then we will move on to discussing our daily routines in Arabic. You'll also get to join in one of my favourite action games, 'Atika Apa says'...

FIQH TAYAMMUM AND SALAAH

This term we will continue to explore the rulings of tayammum. You will discover things such as items on which tayammum is permitted, nawaqid of tayammum and the method. Thereafter, we will learn about the sunan of Qiyam, Qira'ah and Ru'ku.

PSHE DRUGS, ALCOHOL AND TOBACCO



- Learn about the risks and effects of legal drugs common to everyday life (e.g. cigarettes, e-cigarettes/vaping, alcohol and medicines) and their impact on health; recognise that drug use can become a habit which can be difficult to break
- To recognise that there are laws surrounding the use of legal drugs and that some drugs are illegal to own, use and give to others
- Learn about why people choose to use or not use drugs (including nicotine, alcohol and medicines);
- Learn about the organisations that can support people concerning alcohol, tobacco and nicotine or other drug use; people they can talk to if they have concerns

