



Al Ain English Speaking School

FS2 Learning Pathway
Week beginning: 16.9.24

Dear Parents,

As you know, we are currently running our **20 day Wellbeing initiative**, where we are challenging the children and ourselves to take some time each day to take care our wellbeing.

We would love you to send us some photos and/or videos of your children at your family taking part in some of the activities so we can share them!



Please be reminded that if your child is **unwell and has a temperature/fever of 38°C and above**, (Department of Health Directive) they should **stay at home** until they are symptom free and without medication for a minimum of 24 hours. Contact your doctor if you have any concerns with fever-like illnesses. Nurses are happy to provide guidance, please email schoolnurse@aaess.sch.ae.

Contacting FS2 Teachers:

We are always happy to support in any way we can, so if you have any questions or concerns please send your child's class teacher an email (see addresses below).

When contacting staff please remember they have family time outside of school too. Staff are expected to read emails daily (Monday - Friday) and respond within 24 hours. They may choose to read or respond outside of school hours but please do not expect it. Please also bear in mind that they will be teaching or in meetings during the school day (7.30am - 3.00pm) so will not be able to respond straight away.

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Important Information:

- Gates will open promptly at **7.05am** (Monday - Friday).
- The National Anthem will play at **7.30am** every day.
- Pick up for FS2 is: **2.30pm** (Monday - Thursday). **3.20** if children are staying for extended provision.
- Pick up for FS2 is: **12pm** on a Friday.

FS2 learning:

Week beginning: Monday 9th September

This week in Phonics, we will begin phase 2. The children will be introduced to the graphemes s, a, t and p. We will practise the letters and sounds learnt as well as oral blending and segmenting.

In maths, we will be continuing to recite numbers past 5 as well as link numerals and amounts. We will continue to look and creating at patterns using various resources.

In Understanding the World, over the next two weeks, we will be discussing our families and people in our community. If you haven't already done so, please send a family photo to school or email it to us for our class family tree.

This week in literacy we will explore our emotions and enter into the world of the Colour Monster, while expressing ourselves artistically, verbally and attempting to write letter sounds that we have learnt in Phonics.

In Expressive Arts and Design, we will be creating our own monsters in the classroom. Using a variety of materials and techniques such as glitter, paint and paper to express ideas and feelings.

FS2 PE Days:

Pre School A,B,C,D,E	Tuesday and Wednesday
FS2A, FS2B, FS2C, FS2D, FS2E & FS2F	Monday and Tuesday
FS2G, FS2H & FS2I	Thursday and Friday
FS2J	Wednesday and Thursday

Home Learning Links:

Phonics:

[Week 4](#)

Maths:

<https://www.topmarks.co.uk/Search.aspx?q=counting%20to%2010>

<https://www.topmarks.co.uk/ordering-and-sequencing/shape-patterns>

Upcoming Events:

September Wellbeing Challenge

Student wellbeing is our priority every day of the year. However, during September, we will be taking some extra time to focus on its importance.

Taking part in our 20 day wellbeing challenge will help the children learn how to manage their own wellbeing and the wellbeing of others now and in the future. Please see the next page for details of the wellbeing challenges you can choose to complete.



Friday 4th October

To further promote our love of reading, the FS2 children are invited to come to school on Friday 4th October wearing one of the character's colours (For example: blue, green, red, pink, white etc..). Children could also choose to accessorise their coloured outfit with one of the character masks - found in the following [Monster Phonics Character Masks](#) folder. During the day, we will have some fun completing different phonics activities and challenges.

We wonder which colour or character will be the most popular choice?



20 Day Wellbeing Challenge



AAESS Wellbeing 20 day Challenge Sept 9th -29th, 2024

**START READING
A BOOK**

**LISTEN TO
YOUR
FAVOURITE
SONG**

**WRITE DOWN 5
THINGS THAT
MAKE YOU
HAPPY**

**DO SOMETHING
CREATIVE**

GO FOR A WALK

**WATCH YOUR
FAVOURITE
SHOW**

**CLEAN YOUR
BEDROOM**

**COOK
SOMETHING
TASTY**

**MAKE A LIST OF
THINGS THAT
YOU LIKE
ABOUT
YOURSELF**

**GO TO BED 30
MINUTES
EARLIER**

**PLAY A BOARD
GAME WITH
SOMEONE**

**EXERCISE FOR
30 MINUTES**

**DRAW A
PICTURE**

**HAVE A QUIET
30 MINUTES**

**GIVE SOMEONE
A COMPLIMENT**

**NO
TECHNOLOGY
AN HOUR
BEFORE BED**

**MAKE
HOMEMADE
FOOD**

**MEET UP WITH A
FRIEND**

**WRITE DOWN
THINGS YOU
ARE GRATEFUL
FOR**

**TRY AND LEARN
A NEW SKILL**

**PRIZES FOR THE BEST
PORTFOLIO AND
PHOTOS, HANDED IN
ON THE 30TH
SEPTEMBER TO YOUR
CLASS TEACHER / TUTOR**

**TAKE SOME
TIME EACH DAY
TO TAKE CARE
OF YOUR
WELLBEING!**

20 Day Wellbeing Challenge



تحدي الرفاهية لـ 20 يومًا

من AAESS

من 9 إلى 29 سبتمبر 2024

ابدأ بقراءة
كتاب

استمع إلى
أغنيك
المفضلة

اكتب 5 أشياء
تجعلك سعيدًا

قم بشيء
إبداعي

اذهب في
نزهة

شاهد
برنامجك
المفضل

نظف
غرفتك

اطبخ / اطه
شيئًا لذيذًا

اكتب قائمة
بالأشياء التي
تحبها عن
نفسك

اذهب إلى
الفرش قبل
30 دقيقة

العب لعبة
لوحيّة مع
شخص ما

مارس
التمارين
الرياضية لمدة
30 دقيقة

ارسم
رسمة

اقض 30
دقيقة هادئة

قدم مجاملة
لشخص ما

ابتعد عن
التكنولوجيا
قبل ساعة
من النوم

قم بإعداد
طعام
منزلي

قابل
صديقًا

اكتب الأشياء
التي تشعر
بالامتنان لها

حاول تعلم
مهارة جديدة

جوائز لأفضل مجموعة
صور سيتم تسليمها في
30 سبتمبر لمعلم
الصف/المربي.

خصّص بعض
الوقت كل يوم
للعناية بصحتك
النفسية!

Arabic 1

مرحبًا بكم طلابي الأحباء... هيا بنا نحو إطلالة سريعة على أعمالنا هذا الأسبوع:

سنتعرف على حرف الباء:

اليوم الأول التعرف على الحرف (اليوم الأول)

اليوم الثاني أصوات الحرف (اليوم الثاني)

ولمزيد من الأنشطة يُمكنكم استخدام (نشاط)

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Arabic 2

Let's take a quick look at our work this week:

This week we will learn about a new letter: (ب)

Lesson 1 : first day.

Lesson 2 : second day.

Activity

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AAESS Values

Respect



Inspired by the legacy of the founding father, Sheikh Zayed bin Sultan Al Nahyan we will focus on the value of **Respect** this term.

Our expectations are that students will:

- Show respect for the thoughts and opinions of others
- Demonstrate respect for their friends, their families and all school staff
- Celebrate different skills, achievements and interests
- Speak appropriately when communicating with others

