

# Al Ain English Speaking School FS2 Learning Pathway Week beginning: 15.9.25

#### Dear Parents,

Thank you for a fantastic start to the term. As the children are now beginning to settle into their routines, we kindly ask for your support in helping us maintain a smooth start to each day. Please drop your children off promptly in the morning and avoid delaying departure, as this helps minimise any upset and allows us to begin our day efficiently.

As a values-led school, our core value focus at the moment is **Respect** – respect for ourselves, each other and our school environment. We encourage you to join us in reinforcing this at home, helping our young people to grow as thoughtful and considerate individuals.

## 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 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).
 Please be reminded that arriving on time each morning is vital to your child's learning. Gates close and lessons start promptly at 7.40 am.



- Pick up for FS2 is: 2.30pm (Monday Thursday) or 3.20pm (After ECAs).
- Pick up for FS2 is: 12pm on a Friday.

# FS2 learning:

#### Week beginning: Monday 15th September 2025

This week in Maths, we will be exploring comparing quantities. Through hands-on activities, playful exploration, and everyday objects, we will be learning to use key vocabulary such as *more*, *less*, and the *same*.

In Understanding the World this week, we are learning about our beautiful city, Al Ain, and the wider community that makes it so special.

In PSED, we will continue to discuss our school rules, how to be kind and how to show respect. We will talk about different emotions and what we can do when we feel angry, sad or upset.

This week in Communication and Language, we will continue to develop our listening skills by following a range of different instructions in our lessons. We will also be extending our communication by using different social greetings and new vocabulary during discovery time.

This week in Literacy, we will continue to learn about the different people who help us within our community. We will read the story, People Who Help Us and then we will have the opportunity to explore the story props and experience role play and dress up sessions.

This week in Phonics, we will be learning about the new graphemes: 'i' and 'n'. We will also recap the graphemes covered last week s', 'a', 't' and 'p' using Monster Phonics. We will listen to the Meet the Monsters song each day and spend time practicing blending and oral segmenting.

In Expressive Arts and Design the children will learn to identify and safely use basic craft materials (scissors, tape, glue stick) while expressing their creativity by making their own craft using a variety of resources.

## FS2 PE Days.

## Tuesday and Wednesday

### Home Learning Links

Week 3 Please click here to access a folder with links to activities. The activities in this folder are not compulsory for FS2. They are shared to give you fun ideas that connect with what we will be learning in the week ahead.

If your child would like to explore any of these activities during the week or use them to practise and share their learning at the end of the week, that would be wonderful. Please don't feel any pressure—there is no expectation for them to complete everything.

We hope you and your child enjoy dipping into them whenever it feels right for you!

### Upcoming events.



We will once again this year be recognising the Cognita Global Be Well Day with our students on Friday 26th September.

#### Parent Workshop Monday 15th September 7:40am and 2pm





'Welcome to Monster Phonics and Seesaw'

This workshop will introduce the Monster Phonics programme, which we use in Early Years and Key Stage 1, and will also provide an opportunity to answer any questions you may have about SeeSaw.

We will be running the workshop at **7:40 AM** and again at **2:00 PM** in the auditorium.

#### Arabic 1

مرحبًا بكم طلّابي الأحبّاء...عودًا حميدًا وعامًا سعيدًا مُكلّلًا بالنّجاحات وتحقيق الأمنيات.....هيّا بنا نحو إطلالة سريعة على أعمالنا هذا الأسبوع

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قم بالبحث في المنزل عن أشْياء تحبّها تَحوي في اسمها حرف النّون وأحضر ها معك إلى المَدر سة :ملحوظة

لا تتردّدوا في التواصل معنا على البريد الإلكتروني المدرج أدناه، كما نحيطكم علمًا أنَّه باستطاعتكم مقابلة المعلمين كلّ يوم اثنين من الساعة 2:45 - 3:10 نُسعدُ بتواصلكم الدائم

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## Arabic 2

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

This week the students will learn about a new letter:(4)

Lesson 1: first day.

Lesson 2: second day.

Lesson 3: Third day.

Lesson 4: Fourth day.

**Activity** 

**Dear Parents:** 

This week, please help your child find items at home that begin with the Arabic letter(a) and bring them to School.

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#### AAESS Values



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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

### Islamic 1

أعزائي الطلاب

السلام عليكم ورحمة الله وبركاته درسنا لهذا الأسبوع هو سورة الإخلاص نواتج التعلم قراءة سورة الإخلاص قراءة صحيحة شرح المعنى العام لسورة ورقة العمل

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# Islamic 2

Dear students As-salamu Alaikum,
Our lesson for this week is "Surat Al Ikhlas"

The students will be able to:

\*Recite Surat Al Ikhlas correctly.

\*Explain the general meaning of the Surah.

PowerPoint - Worksheets

Do not hesitate to contact us via the email below. You can also meet the teachers every Monday from 2:45 to 3:10. We are always happy to stay in touch with you.

Ms. Abir Turkman: <a href="mailto:abir.turkman@cognita.com">abir.turkman@cognita.com</a>

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This week in pictures.