



Al Ain English Speaking School

Year 1 Learning Pathway

Week beginning: 27.10.25

Dear Parents,

We hope that you have had a good mid-term break with your family and it has been lovely to see the children settle quickly back into their daily classroom routines and learning after the mid-term break.



Please use this [link](#) to view slides outlining the parent workshops taking place during Term 1 across the different key stages and departments.

If you have any suggestions for future workshops that you would find beneficial, we would love to hear from you.

Please email your ideas to denise.grant@cognita.com.



In recognition of **Flag Day**, students are invited to bring their own UAE flag to school on **Monday 3rd November**.



Contacting Year 1 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**.
- *As part of our commitment to safety, our new swipe card entry system is in place to ensure that only staff and approved visitors are permitted on site during the school day. Thank you for respecting this and for your continued support in helping us maintain a safe environment for all.*
- Regular **pick-up time is 2:30 PM**. If your child is registered for an ECA (Extra-Curricular Activity), pick-up will be at 3:20 PM. Please note that if a child is not registered for an ECA and is not collected by 2:40 PM, you will need to wait at Security, and your child will be brought to you. Thank you for your understanding and cooperation in helping us ensure a smooth and safe end to the school day.

Year 1 learning:

Week beginning: Monday 27th October 2025

This week, we will continue with our work on instructions. We will recap the features of instructions and understand what each part tells us. We will then receive a letter from Ms Catrin and use our knowledge of instruction to help create a set as a class. We will end the week by sequencing the instructions and adding actions to them to aid our talk for writing.

In maths, we will continue with our topic of measure. We will learn about mass and capacity and start by understanding and using the vocabulary associated with these. We will then measure the weight and capacity of various objects using standard and non-standard units.

In phonics, we will learn our digraphs, ee as in green, ea as in leaf and er as in her. We will be learning to identify, form and read words using these, as well as challenging ourselves to write the sounds in words and sentences.

In science we will be learning more about materials and will explore the difference between the object and the material it is made from.

Home Learning Links:

Please feel free to use the resources shared in the link below to access and review the learning your child completed last week in school.

Year 1 - Week 8 Learning Review

Year 1 PE Days:

Class	Day	
1A, 1B, 1C, 1D, 1E & 1F	Monday	Wednesday
1G, 1H & 1I	Tuesday	Friday

Please contact Mr Alan Wright at alan.wright@cognita.com should you have any queries or questions regarding our PE provision.

Upcoming events:



We will be celebrating **Flag Day**, on **Monday 3rd November**.

Anti- bullying Week 10th - 14th November

More information to follow soon..



Thursday 13th November - Kindness day!

Arabic 1

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

الدرس : مهارة القراءة :اليوم الأول
الدرس :التعرف على مهارة التركيب :اليوم الثاني
مراجعة مهارة التركيب والقراءة الدرس :اليوم الثالث
مراجعة الأصوات القصيرة والطويلة للحروف الدرس :اليوم الرابع
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حرف الهمزة -واجب منزلي

-أبي (ممثل (أ) على ورقة بيضاء واكتب تحت الرسم كلمات تحتوي على حرف الهمزة (الإخوة -الأم -الأب) ارسم عائلتك
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Arabic 2

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

The lessons this week will be as follows:

1. Reading Skills: Train students to read simple words fluently and understand their meanings.
2. Word Composition: Learn how to form words from letters.
3. Skills Review: Review what students have learned in reading and word composition.
4. Short and Long Sounds: Distinguish between vowels and long vowels and read them correctly.
5. Activity

"Our goal is to help our children learn step by step, taking into account individual differences, encouraging them to participate, and building their self-confidence."

Thank you for your continued cooperation and commitment to your children's progress.

Ms. Missam Almohamad: Missam.almohamad@cognita.com

AAESS Values

Tolerance



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

Our expectations are that students will:

- Show respect for the thoughts and opinions of others
- Understand that we are all unique and have something valuable to offer
- Accept and appreciate differences
- Understand and support each other if mistakes are made

Islamic 1

السلام عليكم ورحمة الله وبركاته

درسنا لهذا الأسبوع هو **آداب النوم**:
يردد الطالب الحديث الشريف.
يستنتج آداب النوم.
يُسمع الحديث الشريف.

أرجو تسميع سورة الفاتحة للمعلمة أثناء الحصة

إعلان هام يسرنا أن نعلن عن بدأ التسجيل في مسابقة القرآن الكريم ربيع القلوب
الرابط

لا تترددوا في التواصل معنا على البريد الإلكتروني المدرج أدناه، كما نحيطكم علماً أنه باستطاعتكم مقابلة المعلمين كل يوم اثنين من الساعة 2:45 - 3:10 نسعدُ بتواصلكم الدائم

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المعلمة أسماء Y1 E-F-I-D-H

Islamic 2

Dear students As-salamu Alaikum,

Our lesson for this week is " The manners of sleeping "

The students will be able to:

- *Learn the Dua of sleeping
- *Find out the manners of sleeping.

The link to the lesson is [here](#)

Note : We are pleased to announce the start of registration for the Qur'an Competition Rabi' Al-Qulub. For more details please find [The Link](#)

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

Ms. Abir Turkman: abir.turkman@cognita.com

This week in pictures



This week in pictures - Careers Day

