



# Al Ain English Speaking School

## Year 6 Learning Pathway

### Week beginning: 12.01.26

Dear Parents,

It has been lovely to see all the children back in school after the winter break, listening to and sharing what everyone did during the vacation. Our new learning topics have started with interesting hooks to grab the children's interest and we look forward to the journey that our learning will take us on.

Our Term 2 values are Care and Resilience. We are currently embedding the value of care with our expectations that students will develop their understanding of how to take care of: themselves, each other, our school, and with their work.

#### Our Term 2 Values

Care Resilience



Please be reminded that our school uniform is designed to be weather appropriate. Therefore, with the present weather conditions (cooler mornings and hotter afternoon temperatures), students should be equipped for both warm and cold weather. If the children do not have a school jumper or sweater to wear, they should come to school, wearing a plain (preferably navy blue) jumper or cardigan. With the changing weather temperatures, it is also important that all items students are likely to take off during the day are clearly labelled with their name and class.

## Contacting Year 6 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) and close at **7.40am**. *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.*
- Pick up for Year 6 is: **2.30pm** (Monday - Thursday) or **3.20pm** (After ECAs).
- Pick up for Y6 is: **11.30am** on a Friday.

## Year 6 learning:

**Week beginning: Monday 12th January 2026**

<b>Maths</b>	In maths, we will be focusing on identifying numbers up to three decimal places, as well as exploring how to convert fractions to decimals by multiplying and dividing.
<b>Writing</b>	In writing, we will begin exploring features of a warning story and children will begin to use their reading skills to identify the audience and purpose of this genre.
<b>IC</b>	In IC, we will continue working in our selected teams to develop our brand identity by crafting clear mission statements and designing our logos.
<b>Science</b>	This week in science we will be exploring how shadows are formed. Students will look at angles of light based on shadow direction as well as the reasons for shadow sizes.

## Year 6 PE Days:

**6A - Tuesday and Thursday**  
**6B - Tuesday and Thursday**  
**6C - Tuesday and Friday**  
**6D - Tuesday and Friday**

**6E - Tuesday and Friday**  
**6F - Tuesday and Friday**  
**6G - Tuesday and Friday**



# 20 Days of Wellbeing



## AAESS Wellbeing 20 day Challenge

January 6<sup>th</sup> - 25<sup>th</sup>, 2026

EAT 3 DIFFERENT  
VEGETABLES

GO FOR A 30  
MINUTE WALK

TIDY YOUR  
ROOM

NO SCREENS 1  
HOUR BEFORE  
BED

GO FOR A RUN  
FOR AT LEAST  
10 MINUTES

TRY A NEW  
FOOD

DANCE TO  
YOUR  
FAVOURITE  
SONG

WRITE DOWN 3  
THINGS YOU  
ARE GRATEFUL  
FOR

DRINK OR MAKE  
A SMOOTHIE

READ BEFORE  
BED

EAT A HEALTHY  
SNACK

USE POSITIVE  
WORDS ALL  
DAY

SHOW AN ACT  
OF KINDNESS

HAVE A QUIET  
30 MINUTES

EAT 3 FRUITS

NO  
TECHNOLOGY  
AN HOUR  
BEFORE BED

EAT DINNER  
WITH THE  
FAMILY, NO  
DEVICES

CHECK ON A  
FRIEND

GO TO BED  
EARLIER, TRY  
TO GET 9  
HOURS SLEEP

DO SOMETHING  
THAT MAKES  
YOU SMILE

PRIZES FOR THE BEST  
PORTFOLIO AND  
PHOTOS, HANDED IN  
ON THE 26<sup>th</sup> JANUARY  
TO YOUR CLASS  
TEACHER / TUTOR

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

# Wellbeing Wednesday

Our Wellbeing Committee is pleased to introduce **Wellbeing Wednesday's**, an initiative for Term 2 focused on building kindness and care across our school community.

Each Wednesday, a short wellbeing prompt will be shared with staff and students, encouraging one small action and a brief reflection on why it matters. These moments are designed to remind us that small intentional actions can make a meaningful difference.



## Wellbeing Wednesday

Action:

**Greet everyone you pass today  
with a smile or a friendly hello**

### WHY IT MATTERS:

A simple smile or greeting can brighten someone's day, strengthen connection and often helps us feel more positive too.



# Arabic 1

مرحبًا بكم طلابي الأعزاء ..... هيا بنا نحو إطلالة سريعة على أعمالنا هذا الأسبوع  
القواعد : درس أنواع خبر كان وأخواتها  
الكتابة : كتابة النص الإقناعي ( العيش في الإمارات )  
الإملاء : موعد الإملاء الأسبوعي يوم الأربعاء من كل أسبوع

[فقرة الإملاء](#)

[دروس الأسبوع الثاني](#)

(اسم مجرور، فعلاً ماضياً جمع مؤنث سالم،) من كتاب الطالب ثم استخراج منها (16-15) قراءة صفحة : **واجب القراءة**

كتاب النشاط (8) الصفحة : **الواجب الإلزامي**

تتحدث فيها عن مسؤوليتك، واجباتك، تجاه عائلتك اكتب فقرة فيما لا يقل عن خمسة أسطر : **الواجب الإثرائي**  
5 حجم بطاقة الواجب دائماً A

يوم الاثنين 19.1.2026 : **موعد تسليم الواجب**

ملحوظة : بدأنا بمسابقة كأس القراءة لعام 2025 -

2026 لمن يحب المشاركة معنا مرفق أدناه رابط لجدول القراءة، كما أرفقنا كتاب مدارج القراءة لدعم مهارتي القراءة والفهم والاستيعاب لدى أبنائنا الطلبة [جدول](#)

[للقراءة](#)

[دليل تطوير المهارات الأساسية للغة العربية مدارج القراءة](#)

ملحوظة (2) يسرّ مدرستنا الإعلان عن انطلاق مسابقة جائزة علي بن حرمل التربوية للعام الأكاديمي 2025-2026 – الدورة السابعة عشرة، وهي مسابقة تهدف إلى تنمية مهارات الطلاب وتعزيز روح الإبداع والتميز لديهم. ندعو أبناءكم للمشاركة الفاعلة والاستفادة من هذه الفرصة المميزة لإبراز قدراتهم

[كتيب مسابقة جائزة علي بن حرمل التربوية](#)

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# Arabic 2

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

This week the students will learn about ( Dubai )

We will learn the vocabulary of the lesson.

Objectives:

- To recognize new vocabulary.
- To write simple sentences using this vocabulary.
- To write a short paragraph about an Dubai City .
- **Spelling: The weekly spelling will be every Wednesday for Group (ABC) And on Friday for Group (DEF)**
- [The dictionary + Lessons + spelling test](#)

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# Arabic SS:

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مرحبًا بكم طلابي الأحباء... درسنا لهذا الأسبوع.

يسعدنا أن نراكم مرة أخرى بكل نشاط وحماس.

نكمل في رحلتنا التعليمية مع الدرس الأول:

[2keew-6pptx](#) دول مجلس التعاون الخليجي. Year.

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# Islamic 1

وعدواً حميداً .. طلابنا الأعزاء مرحباً بكم وأسعد الله أوقاتكم بالخير والطاعة

**محتوى الدروس ( 24-42 سورة عَبَسَ ) نستكمل درس : درسنا هذا الأسبوع**  
الأهداف

- أن يسمّع الطالب الآيات الكريمة بتلاوة صحيحة
- أن يبيّن الطالب معاني المفردات القرآنية
- أن يوضح الطالب أسباب نزول سورة عبس

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

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# Islamic 2

Dear students, As-salamu Alaikum.

This week we are going to start our lesson (Surat Abasa)

Our objectives for this week are:

1. Recite Sūrat Abasa correctly and properly.
2. Explain the general meaning of the Surah
3. Find out the meaning of the vocabulary.

A link to the lesson could be found [here](#).

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# AAESS Values

## Care



Our value focus this term is Care.

Our expectations are that students will:

Take care of themselves

- Take care of each other
- Take care of our school / our world
- Take care with their work

# This week in pictures:

Year 6 have settled back into routines quickly and are already working hard, showing great focus, enthusiasm, and determination across their learning.

