



Al Ain English Speaking School

Year 2 Learning Pathway

Week beginning: 26.01.26

Dear Parents,

Parent-teacher meetings are scheduled to take place this week, providing an opportunity to discuss your child's attainment and progress. If you haven't arranged a meeting and would like to attend, then please contact your child's class teacher.



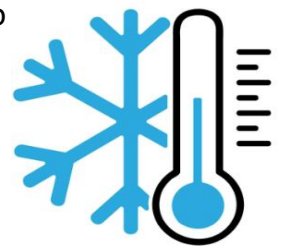
On **Tuesday, 17 February 2026**, we will be launching our **Voice of the Parent Survey**. This survey is a vital opportunity for you to share your views on your child's experience at AAESS and to help shape the future direction of our school.

We strongly encourage all parents to take part when the survey is released. Your voice plays an important role in shaping AAESS, and we are grateful for the time and care you take to share your feedback with us.

As we are currently experiencing colder weather, we kindly ask that children come to school with appropriate additional layers. Please ensure your child brings:

- An **additional indoor jumper in school colours**, and
- A **warm outdoor coat** for break times and outdoor activities.

This will help keep children comfortable and able to enjoy their learning and play throughout the day.



Contacting Year 2 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:

Please be reminded that in line with updated policy requirements, parents or carers of children

In Primary will need to wear their permanent access pass to enter the school site and drop off or collect their children.



PARENTS
REMEMBER TO WEAR YOUR

YELLOW LANYARD
ACCESS PASS



WEAR YOUR PASS
AT DROP OFF & PICK UP

SAFETY FIRST
HELP US IDENTIFY YOU!

أولياء الأمور

تذكروا ارتداء شريط تصريح الدخول الأصفر بكم

شريط تصريح الدخول الأصفر



ارتدِ تصريحك عند
التوصيل والاستلام

السلامة أولاً!

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 7.40am.
- *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.*
- **Regular pick-up time is 2.30pm.** If your child is registered for an ECA (Extra-Curricular Activity), pick-up will be at 3.20pm. Please note that if a child is not registered for an ECA and is not collected by 2.40pm, they will be taken to the library for supervision. In this case, 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.
- Pick – up is **11:30am** every **Friday**.

Year 2 Learning:

Week beginning: Monday 26th January 2026

Maths	In maths, we will begin our new unit, <i>Statistics</i> . The children will first revisit counting in 2s, 5s and 10s, as this knowledge will be necessary when we move onto drawing and interpreting data in later lessons. We will learn how to make and interpret tally charts before exploring tables and block diagrams.
English	In English, the children will continue to 'talk the text' of <i>Jack and the Beanstalk</i> . They will begin the week by labelling a story setting and using adjectives to describe what they can see. Next, the children will have the opportunity to practise writing sentences that are dictated to them by a partner. They will need to remember to include a capital letter at the beginning of their sentence, finger spaces, and a punctuation mark at the end. Following this, the children will answer comprehension questions to show their understanding of the text. They will end the week by working in pairs to sequence pictures and orally retell the story.
Science	In science, the children will continue to learn about <i>Plants</i> . This week, there will be a focus on explaining how plants are suited to their habitats.
Integrated Curriculum	In Integrated Curriculum, the children will be learning to recognise that dates are used to identify when events happened in the past.

Year 2 PE Days:

Tuesday and Thursday

Please contact Mr Tom Mucklin at tom.mucklin@cognita.com should you have any queries or questions regarding our PE provision.

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 2 - Term 2 - Week 4 Learning Review](#)

Upcoming Events:

Wednesday 28th January

KS1 Primary Sports Day – Year 2, 10:30am – 12:15pm
on the Astro. We look forward to seeing you supporting
your child.



Wednesday 28th and Thursday 29th January

Parent-teacher meetings are scheduled to take place this week on
Wednesday 28th and Thursday 29th January – 2:40pm – 5pm.
This provides an opportunity to discuss your child's attainment and
progress. If you haven't arranged a meeting and would like to
attend, then please contact your child's class teacher.



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:

Take 3 slow, deep breaths before starting your next lesson

WHY IT MATTERS:

Intentional breathing helps settle the body, clear the mind and gently refocus our attention. Pausing in this way can help us approach the next moment with greater calm and clarity.



AL AIN ENGLISH SPEAKING SCHOOL



KS1 SPORTS DAY

YEAR 1- 8:30AM - 10:15AM
YEAR 2- 10:30AM - 12:15PM

**WEDNESDAY 28TH
JANUARY**



Parent Workshop: Inclusion & Supporting Additional Needs

Supporting Every Child to Thrive

We warmly invite parents to join us for an informative and supportive workshop focused on inclusion and how we can work together to support children with additional needs.

Meet Our Specialists



 Date: 2nd February

 Time: 2.00- 2.30

 Location: Auditorim

We look forward to welcoming you and working together to support every child's success.

Please register your interest here:



[Link to register](#)

Arabic 1

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

دروس الأسبوع الرابع

القراءة: قصّة (فصيحٌ وصديقه البلب) حرف الصّاد (ص) الكتب الالكترونية للصفّ الثاني

الإملاء يوم الخميس 2026-1-29 صُ صِ صا صو صي صادّ صوصٌ صَبَرَّ حَصَدًا))

ملحوظة 1: سيكون تقويم اللغة العربية الأول للفصل الثاني بتاريخ الخميس 2026-2-5

الدّروس المطلوبة (حرف ز+ س+ ش) يمكن العودة لروابط الدروس السابقة في الخطط الأسبوعية بالإضافة [لهيكل الاختبار](#)

ملحوظة 2: تم تفعيل منصّة كُتبي لدعم مهارة القراءة لدى طلابنا الأعزاء، كما تمّ تزويد الطّلاب بالبطاقات (الدفتر الأخضر) يرجى الدّخول للمنصّة

read.kutubee.com

لِمن يريد المشاركة معنا مرفق أدناه رابط لجدول القراءة، كما أرفقنا 2025-2026 سنبدأ بمسابقة كأس القراءة لعام 3: ملحوظة

جدول القراءة. كتاب مدارج القراءة لدعم مهارتي القراءة والفهم والاستيعاب لدى أبنائنا الطلبة

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Arabic 2

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

This week the students will learn about (The animals)

We will learn the vocabulary of the lesson.

To recognize new animal vocabulary.

- To write simple sentences using this vocabulary.
- To write a short paragraph about an animal.
- Spelling: The weekly spelling will be every Thursday.
- **Note (1):** There will be a **first assessment exam** on Thursday : 5/2/2026
- **Exam material:** [Week 1](#) + [Week 2](#) + [Week3](#) + [Week 4](#)
- [Exam Structure](#)
- [Model Answer for the Exam Structure.](#)

Ms : Jana Alachraf. jana.alachraf@cognita.com

Arabic SS:

يسعدنا أن نراكم مرة أخرى بكل حماس وقوة

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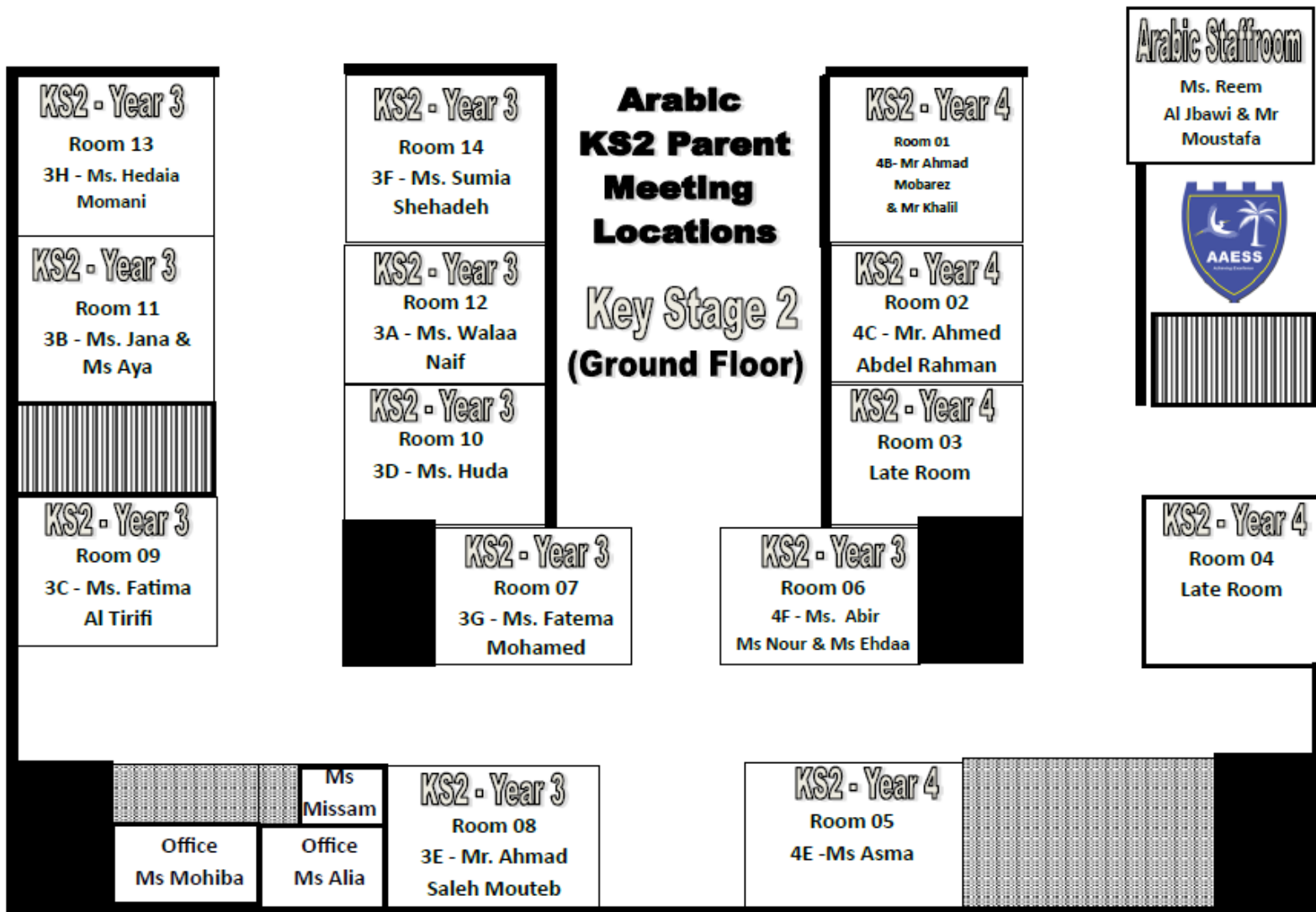
التعرّف على مهنة صيد الأسماك واللؤلؤ

moustafa.khamis@cognita.com مصطفى أحمد

Arabic Meeting Locations

The Specialist Parent Teacher Meetings are scheduled for:

**Monday 26th January and Tuesday
27th January
2.40pm - 5.00pm**



Please note: If you are unable to book an appointment time, the team will be available on Wednesday and Thursday next week - 2.30pm to 3.20pm

Islamic 1

طلابنا الأعزاء
سنتعلم هذا الأسبوع سورة النَّاس
[رابط دروس الأسبوع الرابع](#)
نواتج التعلم
أن يتلو الطالب السورة الكريمة
اختبار التربية الإسلامية
(A,B,C,G,H -2026-1-27 الثلاثاء)
(E,F,D -2026-1-29 الخميس)
المقرر المطلوب درس سورة الفلق ودرس أركان الإيمان [رابط المقرر هنا](#)
لا تترددوا في التواصل معنا على البريد الإلكتروني المدرج أدناه، كما نحيطكم علمًا أنه باستطاعتكم مقابلة المعلمين كل يوم
اثنين من الساعة 2:45 - 3:10 نسعدُ بتواصلكم الدائم

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المعلمة نور Y2 A-C-G-F
المعلمة فاطمة الطريفي Y2D

Islamic 2

Dear students, As-salamu Alaikum.

During this week we will have our first Islamic 2 test.

The test will be held on:

Tuesday: 27\1\2026 for **Y2(A-B-C-G-H)**

Thursday: 29\1\2026 for **Y2(D-E-F)**

The required lessons are: (Surat Al Ikhlas- pillars of Iman- Islamic Etiquette of Cleanliness).

You find here [the PowerPoint](#) for the revision.

For any questions, please do not hesitate to email me.

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

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:

