



Al Ain English Speaking School

Year 3 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.

Parent-
Teacher
Meetings



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.

We are delighted to inform you that on Tuesday 27th January, we will be running the KS2 School sports day at Al Ain Golf, Shooting, Equestrian and Rugby Club 9:00am -1:30pm. KS2 students (Y3-6) will arrive at school as normal in time for registration and will be taken by school buses to the rugby club. Please note that students cannot be taken from the rugby club. All children will need to come to school wearing their PE kit and/or a plain t-shirt in their house colour. (No football shirts). They will need to bring a water bottle, sun hat, and packed lunch.



Contacting Year 3 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).
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 3 is: **2.30pm** (Monday - Thursday) or **3.20pm** (After ECAs).
- Pick up for Y3 is: **11:30am** on a Friday.

Year 3 learning:

Week beginning: Monday 26th January 2026

English	This week, we will finish writing <i>The Stone Age Boy</i> story. The children will self-assess their work using the success criteria before editing and improving it using a purple polishing pen. We will then begin the <i>invent</i> stage, where the children will change different parts of the story to make it their own, starting by planning paragraphs 1–4.. The children will be encouraged to use their success criteria, which will include speech, adverbs, verbs and the correct punctuation.
Maths	We are going to begin our learning on telling the time. This week, the children will learn how to tell the time to o'clock and half past using an analogue clock. They will then build on this by learning how to tell the time to quarter past and quarter to, as well as understanding how to read the time past the hour and to the hour.
Science	In Science, Year 3 will be learning about Mary Anning, finding out who she was and why she is important. The children will discover how she found fossils and helped us learn more about prehistoric animals, linking to our Stone Age topic. They will also learn how soil is formed by exploring how rocks break down over time and how plants and animals help create soil, helping them understand why soil is important for living things.
Topic	Continuing our Stone Age topic, the children will learn about how Paleolithic and Mesolithic people lived and develop an understanding of how their way of life changed over time. In DT, the children will begin using a running stitch to sew felt together to create their own Stone Age pouch.

Year 3 PE Days:

3A, 3B, 3C, 3D, 3E, 3F Monday and Thursday
3G, 3H Tuesday Thursday

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 3 – Term 2 - Week 3 Learning Review

Spelling

Please practise your child's spelling list at home throughout the week. The spelling test will be on either a Thursday or Friday, depending on your child's class timetable.

Group 1 – lorry, city, pony, copy, tidy, try, cry, shiny, funny, berry.

Group 2 - reel, real, male, mail, berry, bury, break, brake, ball, bawl.

Maths

Hit the button game - practise your times tables

<https://www.topmarks.co.uk/maths-games/hit-the-button>

Times Tables Rock Stars: <https://ttrockstars.com>

Upcoming events:



Parent – Teacher Meetings

26th & 27th January – Primary Specialist Teacher Meetings

28th & 29th January – Primary Class Teacher Meeting



KS2 Sports Day

Tuesday 27th January - 9am – 1.30pm

Al Ain Amblers Rugby Club

Sports Day

AL AIN ENGLISH SPEAKING SCHOOL



KS2 SPORTS DAY

AL AIN RUGBY CLUB 9AM - 1:30PM

TUESDAY 27TH JANUARY



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.



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... هيا بنا نحو إطلالة سريعة على أعمالنا هذا الأسبوع

القواعد: التاء المفتوحة والتاء المربوطة

القراءة: قصة بلا قبة

دروس الأسبوع الرابع - الفصل الثاني

إملاء: فقرة الإملاء

ملحوظة(1): سيكون هناك امتحان تقويم أول يوم الثلاثاء 2026-2-3

المادة المطلوبة للامتحان: 1 - التاء المفتوحة والتاء المربوطة والهاء، كتاب النشاط صفحة (22-23-43-44) 2 - قصة بلا قبة، الصفحات (14 إلى 39)

3- ظروف الزمان والمكان كتاب النشاط صفحة (18 - 19) ، 4 - مهارات سابقة بحروف الجر، أنواع الأفعال (ماضي - مضارع - أمر)

هيكال الامتحان

لمزيد من الدعم يمكن العودة إلى روابط الدروس التي تم إدراجها على الباث بالإضافة إلى دفتر الصف

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 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: (School Subjects) (**المواد الدراسية**)

We will learn the vocabulary of the lesson. (The Dictionary)

We will write simple sentences using the new vocabulary.

Lessons Link

Spelling: The spelling will be every Tuesday.

The spelling test will be on Tuesday.(27 -1-2026)

Spelling word

Note (1): There will be a **first assessment exam** on **Tuesday, 3/2/2026.**

Exam material: Week 1 + Week 2 + Week3 + Week 4

Exam Structure

Model Answer for the Exam Structure.

Walaa Alkrad Y3 A,B,C,D,E,F,G,H walaa.alkrad@cognita.com

Arabic SS:

يسعدنا أن نراكم مرة أخرى بكل حماس وقوة

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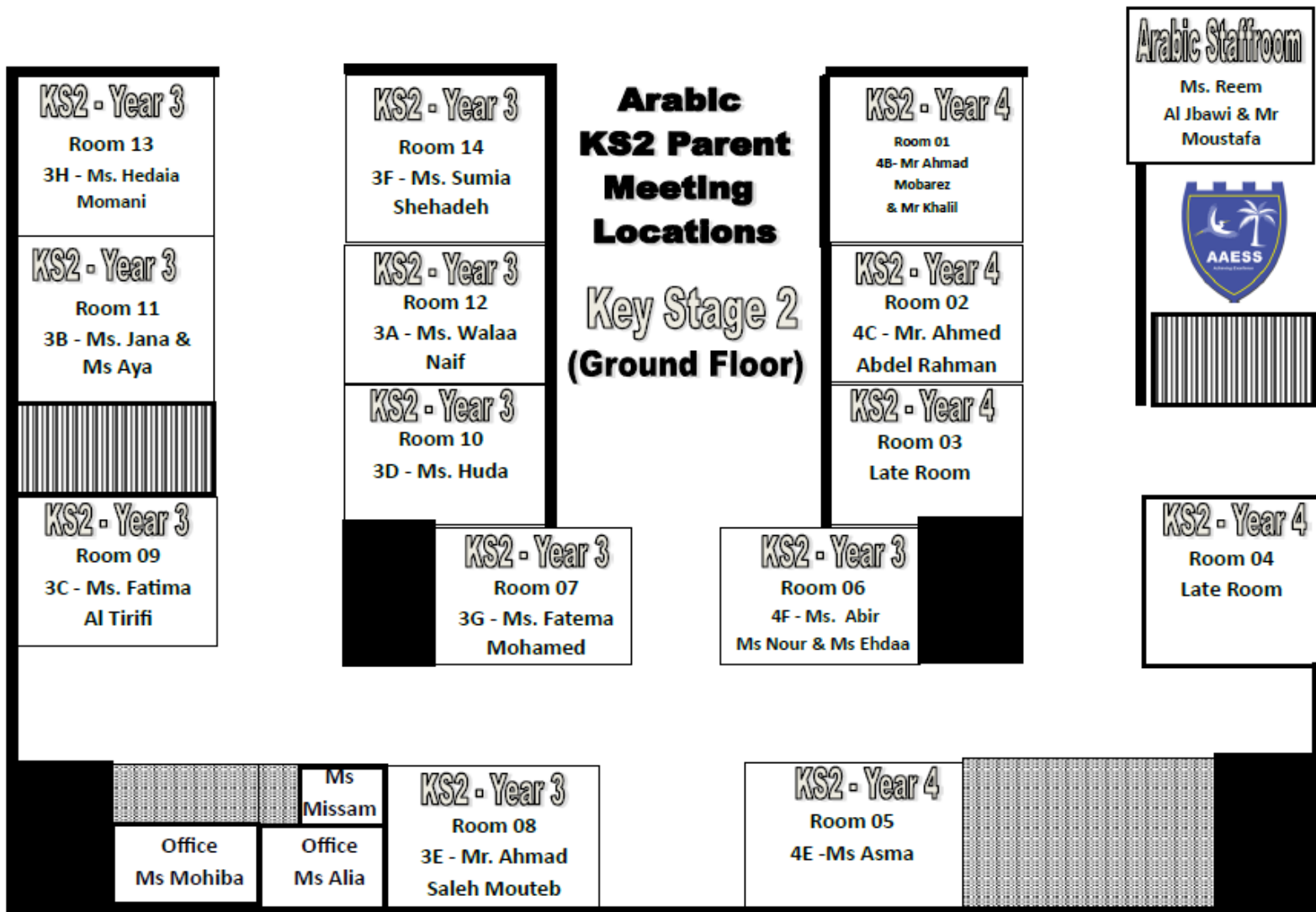
التعرف على الطاقة واستخداماتها

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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	
هذا الأسبوع سيكون مراجعة لما تعلمناه	
نواتج التعلّم*	
أن يتلو الطالب الآيات الكريمة	
<u>اختبار التربية الإسلامية</u>	
(يوم الأربعاء 2026-1-28 A,B,C,D,E,F,G,H)	
المطلوب درس آيات من سورة الصافات ودرس فضل الصلاة <u>رابط المقرر هنا</u>	
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Islamic 2

Dear students, As-salamu Alaikum.

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

The test will be held on:

Wednesday, 28/1/2026.

The required lessons are:

(Surat Quraysh -Excellence of Prayer)

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:

