



Al Ain English Speaking School

Year 2 Learning Pathway

Week beginning: 02.03.26

Dear Parents,



During the holy month, and in line with ADEK, please be reminded that school will operate on a reduced day and the timings will be as follows:

From **Monday to Thursday** lessons will begin promptly at **9.00am** and end at **2:00pm**. On **Friday** lessons will begin promptly **9:00 am** until **11:30 am**

The school gates will open at 8.35am each day.

In celebration of **World Book Day** next week, we are excited to introduce a range of engaging events designed to promote a love of reading, including buddy class reading, mystery readers, Arabic storytelling, and a variety of competitions.

We hope the week of activities will continue to develop the children's love of reading.



Please take the time to share your views on your child's experience at AAESS via the **Voice of the Parent Survey**. This survey is a vital to help shape the future direction of our school. And we strongly encourage all parents to take part.

We are grateful for the time and care you take to share your feedback with us.

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!



AAESS BOOK WEEK

March 2nd – 6th

Book Cover Design Competition

Children are to redesign the front cover of their favourite book. These designs are to be submitted to class teachers, ready for the Book Day Judges to decide the final winners.



Extreme Reading Photo

To promote reading at home and to show you can read anywhere, children can take photos of them reading in unique imaginative places, whilst still staying safe. Please send these pictures to your class teacher to be displayed around the school.



UAE Online Reading Challenge

5th March – 5th April

Kidsa-z.com for student login



Important Information:

- Gates will open promptly at **8.35am (Monday - Friday)** during the holy month of Ramadan. Please be reminded that arriving on time each morning is vital to your child's learning. Gates close and lessons start promptly at **9.00am**.
- *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 2.00pm during the holy month of Ramadan.**
- Pick-up is **11.30am** every **Friday**.

Year 2 Learning:

Week beginning: Monday 2nd March 2026

Maths	In maths, we will continue with our <i>Multiplication and Division</i> topic. The children will begin the week by making equal groups to help develop their understanding of division. This week, we will focus on the method of 'sharing' to divide numbers. For example, if the question is: $15 \div 5$, then the children will draw 5 circles (groups) and share 15 blocks out equally between the circles (groups). They will learn that the answer is 3 because there are 3 blocks in each group. Following this, the children will practise their 2 times tables facts before using and applying this knowledge to a range of reasoning and problem-solving tasks.
English	In English, the children will continue to plan and write the resolution and ending of their own version of the <i>Jack and the Beanstalk</i> story. We will continue to focus on getting the children to say their sentence then write and read it back (to check that it makes sense). Within their writing, they will be expected to include capital letters, full stops, adjectives and exclamation marks. The children will finish the week by editing their work in groups of three using a purple pen.
Science	<p>This week, the children will investigate how the shape of some objects can be changed. They will do this by trying to change the shape of different items by squashing, bending, twisting and stretching them. We will then discuss the children's results, including finding out whether any of the results surprised them.</p> <p>Following this, the children will design their own front cover for their <i>Jack and the Beanstalk</i> story, which will include a lever or slider.</p>

Wellbeing Wednesday

Our Wellbeing Committee is pleased to introduce **Wellbeing Wednesdays**, 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:

**Stretch your arms, shoulders and
back at your desk or workspace**

WHY IT MATTERS:

Stretching helps wake up your body and refresh your mind. Taking a short moment to move can boost energy and help you feel more alert and ready for the next part of your day.



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 9 Learning Review](#)

Upcoming Events:



 **cleverTech** **More information will be sent next week.**
UAE's 6th Reading Competition
Mar. 5 - Apr. 5

Week beginning: 2nd March 2026

Throughout the week beginning the 2nd March 2026, the students will be recognising World Book Day. We will complete a number of activities to promote a love of reading. Please see the poster for more information.



AAESS will be celebrating British Science Week Monday 9th March – 13th March. More information will be sent to parents via email including an at home challenge.



Extreme Readers is Back !

To Celebrate our Love of reading at AAESS, we would like to invite you to take a picture of you reading at home. This isn't any ordinary picture though. We would like you to take a picture of you reading in an unusual (but safe) place. The pictures above and below are some examples and ideas to inspire you.

Please email your photos to your class teachers for your chance of earning some house points.



Arabic 1

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

القراءة: قصة (فوفي يقهر خوفه) حرف الفاء (ف) [الكتب الإلكترونية للصف الثاني](#) [دروس الأسبوع التاسع](#)

ملحوظة 1: لا يوجد إملاء لهذا الأسبوع.

ملحوظة 2: تم تفعيل منصة كتبي لدعم مهارة القراءة لدى طلابنا الأعزاء، كما تم تزويد الطلاب بالبطاقات (الدفترا الأخضر) يرجى الدخول

read.kutubee.com

ملحوظة 3: سيعقد امتحان اللغة العربية الثاني لهذا الفصل يوم الخميس بتاريخ 2026-3-5

المادة المقررة للامتحان (حرف ص+ع+غ) وتشمل كل ما يتعلق بالحروف الثلاثة من (تحليل وتركيب-كتابة اسم الصورة-ترتيب كلمات لتكوين جملة صحيحة- كتابة جملة تعبر عن الصورة- استخراج مهارات من فقرة أو جملة- المدود الطويلة) [هيكل الاختبار](#)

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لمن يريد المشاركة معنا مرفق أدناه رابط لجدول القراءة، كما أرفقنا كتاب مدراج القراءة لدعم مهارتي 2026 - 2025 بمسابقة كأس القراءة لعام 3: ملحوظة

[جدول القراءة](#). القراءة والفهم والاستيعاب لدى أبنائنا الطلبة

[قصة الأسبوع التاسع](#)

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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

Objectives:

- To identify new vocabulary related to animals.
- To use new vocabulary in writing simple sentences.
- There is **no spelling test this week on Thursday** .
- **Lessons + revision+answers + story for this week**
- **There will be an Arabic language exam on Wednesday, March 4.**

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

Arabic SS:

أهلاً وسهلاً بكم طلابي الأعزاء المبدعين ددئماً

تذكير: سوف يعقد امتحان الدراسات الاجتماعية خلال الأسبوع الحادي عشر الذي يبدأ بتاريخ 2026\3\9 في حصة الدراسات الاجتماعية

(A B C) يوم الاثنين : تاريخ 9/3)

(E H D F) يوم الثلاثاء : تاريخ 10/3)

(G) 12/3 تاريخ : يوم الخميس

:المادة العلمية المطلوبة

[pdf](#)مراجعة درس وسائل النقل في بلادي

: درس الأسبوع القادم هو

pptx.مهن من بلادي و مهن من العالم

التعرّف على مهنتي عندما أكبر

مصطفى أحمد moustafa.khamis@cognita.com

Islamic 1

السلام عليكم الطلاب الأعزاء

سنتعلم في هذا الأسبوع

درس أحب أسرتي

نواتج التعلم

يستنتج الطالب حقوقه وواجباته اتجاه أسرته

لا تترددوا في التواصل معنا عبر البريد الإلكتروني المدرج أدناه كما نحيطكم علما أنه باستطاعتكم مقابلة

المعلمين كل يوم اثنين من الساعة 45 : 2، 10:3

[رابط درس الأسبوع التاسع](#)

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Islamic 2

Dear students, As-salamu Alaikum.

Our lesson for this week is " Surat An-Nas"

The students will be able to:

*Recite the Surah correctly.

*Explain the general meaning of the Surah.

The link of the lesson.

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

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

AAESS Values

Resilience



Inspired by the legacy of the founding father, Sheikh Zayed bin Sultan AL Nahyan and in line with British Values, we will focus on the value of Resilience in Term 2.

Our expectations are that students will:

- Develop strategies to persevere
- Have a 'can do' approach to problem solving and new learning
- Develop a positive and optimistic mindset
- Learn how to be more adaptable and flexible when faced with a problem

This week in pictures:

