



Al Ain English Speaking School

Preschool Learning Pathway

Week beginning: 30.03.26

Dear Parents,

We would like to thank you for your continued support and ongoing partnership during this period of remote learning. Your flexibility, patience and commitment have played a vital role in ensuring that learning could continue from home.

It has been wonderful to see such high levels of participation in live lessons and we appreciate the effort you have made to help your children stay engaged, organised and ready to learn each day which has helped to create a positive and productive learning experience.



Please use the following link to access a copy of the AAESS Online Learning Framework, <https://aaess.org/online-learning-hub/>

This page brings together the key information you need, including how the programme works, what students can expect by phase, key contacts, and answers to frequently asked questions to support parents at home.

Contacting Preschool 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:

- For the next week we will complete our learning online and at Al Ain English Speaking School (AAESS) this combines several complementary approaches to ensure learning remains structured, engaging and flexible.
- Learning will follow the normal school timetable, where possible, to maintain routine.
- Children will engage with live lessons which will be delivered by the teacher, recorded teacher inputs, and independent learning tasks which can be completed at a time convenient to your child.
- Offline tasks and movement breaks will be built into learning to support wellbeing and allow time away from the screen.

Preschool learning:

Week beginning: Monday 30th March 2026

This week in Phonics, we will continue with Aspect 7: oral blending and segmenting. We will keep practising how to orally blend and segment short words.

In Literacy, we will continue to build our story map for *Meet the Pirates*. We will think of fun and creative ways to retell the story.

This week in Maths we will continue to recognise different shapes, such as rectangles, ovals and stars around us. We will link this to EAD as we talk about different shapes we could use to decorate our pirate hats.

In Understanding the World, we are exploring different materials and learning how they look and feel using words like smooth, rough, soft and hard. We will also investigate how materials can change in the environment. Children will apply their learning by choosing suitable materials to create their own pirate hats in EAD.

مرحبًا بكم طلابي الأحرار... عودًا حميدًا وعمامًا سعيدًا مكللًا بالتجارات وتحقيق الأمنيات.... هيا بنا نحو إطلالة سريعة على أعمالنا هذا الأسبوع

أنشودة الحروف

أهم النقاط التي سيتم العمل عليها مع أطفالنا خلال هذا الأسبوع

أنشودة (ب) البحر والأحياء المائية والربط بصوت حرف الباء

سيتم العمل على

التعرف على الأحياء المائية

ربط صوت الحرف بباء بكلمة بحر

(أسماك - شاطئ - بحر) التعرف على مفردات جديدة

ربط الكلمات بصوت الحرف

تنفيذ أنشطة فنية وحسية بسيطة مرتبطة بالموضوع نشاط البحر

قصة سمكة المنشار

نهدف من خلال هذه الأنشطة إلى تنمية مهارات الأطفال اللغوية والسمعية، وتعزيز حب الاستكشاف والتعلم من خلال اللعب

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AAESS Values

Respect



Inspired by the legacy of the founding father, Sheikh Zayed bin Sultan Al Nahyan we will focus on the value of **Respect** in Term 3.

Our expectations are that students will:

- Show respect for the thoughts and opinions of others
- Demonstrate respect for their friends, their families and all school staff
- Celebrate different skills, achievements and interests
- Speak appropriately when communicating with others