



Al Ain English Speaking School

Year 1 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 Year 1 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 this 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.

Year 1 learning:

Week beginning: Monday 30th March 2026

This week, in English, we will continue with our work on fact files. Throughout the week we will continue to write about meerkats with a focus on their diets, habitat and behaviour. We will learn facts each day and will end the week including our very own fun fact.

In maths, we will begin our topic on fractions. We will begin the week learning about halves and recognising these in shapes and objects. We will then use this knowledge to find halves of amounts, learning different strategies to help with our work.

During our Phonic lessons we will be revising the split digraphs 'e_e' as in theme, 'i_e' as in bike, 'o_e' as in home and 'u_e' (cool blue) as in rule. We will use our knowledge to read and spell words containing these sounds as well as forming them correctly.

In Science we will begin to explore materials and objects and investigate which ones sink and float. We will make predictions and observations during our experiment.

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

Arabic 1

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

سنتعرف هذا الأسبوع على حرف الخاء

(1) الدرس: حرف الخاء التّعرف على

(2) التّعرف على أشكال حرف الخاء الدرس

(3) على أصوات حرف الخاء القصيرة الدرس التّعرف

(4) الدرس: التّعرف على أصوات حرف الخاء الطويلة

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Arabic 2

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

This week the students will learn about a new letter:(خ)

Lesson 1: first day, We will learn the new letter and how to pronounce it.

Lesson 2: second day, We will learn about the forms of the letter (initial, medial, final) in the word, and separately.

Lesson 3: Third day, We will learn about the sounds of the short vowels (َ , ُ , ِ)

Lesson 4: Fourth day, We will learn about the sounds of the long vowels (ِ , ُ , َ)

Papersheets

Dear Parents,

I am pleased with your communication at the email address provided below.

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Islamic 1

السّلام عليكم ورحمة الله وبركاته

عودًا حميدًا، وبداية فصل موفقة

درسنا لهذا الأسبوع: سورة المسد

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Islamic 2

Dear students, **Assalamu Alaikum**.

Our lesson for this week is **Surat Al Masad**.

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.

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