



# Al Ain English Speaking School

## Year 2 Learning Pathway

### Week beginning: 27.04.26

Dear Parents,

It has been wonderful to welcome everyone back to school and see our community reconnecting once again. The laughter in the corridors, the happy faces in classrooms, and the enthusiasm children are showing in their learning have brought a real sense of joy to the school. It has been particularly pleasing to see how quickly students have settled back into routines and embraced the return to face-to-face learning so positively.

We would also like to thank all parents for your trust, patience, and support as we continue to navigate the new regulations together. Your partnership is greatly appreciated and has helped ensure a smooth and positive start for everyone.



Please be reminded that **Gate E** will continue to open from **7:05 am to 8:00 am** each morning. To support you in planning your time of arrival, lessons start at 7.40am.

In the afternoon, **Gate E** will open from **2:20 pm to 2:50 pm**. On Friday, the gate will open from **11.30am to 11.50am**

## 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:

- 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.
- In line with government protocol, the school is required to operate staggered start and finish times. **Year 2 Drop-off time is 7:45am at Gate E. Year 2 Pick-up time is at 2:30pm at Gate E.** Please note that parents are **not permitted** onto the school premises at any time. Staff will be positioned at the gates and will escort children safely to their classrooms.
- Regular **pick-up time is 2:30 PM. Please note that if a child not collected by 3 PM, they will be taken to the auditorium 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.

## Year 2 learning:

Week beginning: **Monday 27th April 2026**

<b>Maths</b>	In maths, we will continue with our <i>Length and Height</i> unit of work before moving on to learning about <i>Mass, Capacity and Temperature</i> . The children will start the week by ordering lengths and heights, using the language "shortest", "longest" and "tallest". They will then move on to using their addition and subtraction skills to calculate the length and height of different objects. Following this, the children will learn how to compare the mass of two or more objects, using the language "heavier" and "lighter" alongside the inequality symbols. The children will finish the week by measuring the mass of objects in grams. They will have the opportunity to use balance and weight scales to find the masses of different objects.
<b>English</b>	<p>In English, we will continue with our <i>Instructions</i> unit of work. At the beginning of the week, the children will consolidate their understanding of the key features of an instructional text by arranging the model text in the correct order. They will then read the instructions that they sequenced in the previous lesson on how to make an avocado smoothie and help the teacher prepare it for the class to taste and enjoy. By the end of the week, the children will design their own healthy smoothie, selecting the ingredients they would like to include.</p> <p>Please let your child's class teacher know if your child has any allergies.</p>
<b>Science</b>	In science, the children will continue to learn about how to be healthy. This week, we will investigate the importance of healthy eating and the positive effects of having a healthy and balanced diet. The children will then have the opportunity to make their own balanced plate of food.
<b>Integrated Curriculum</b>	In topic, the children will continue to learn about artists Anna Tokarska and Giuseppe Arcimboldo, who created self-portraits using fruits and vegetables. Last week, they planned their own fruit and vegetable self-portraits and this week, they will paint them.

## Year 2 PE Days:

### Tuesday and Thursday

Please contact Mr Tom Mucklin at [tom.mucklin@cognita.com](mailto: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 via Teams to review this week's class work and help consolidate any learning at home.

## Upcoming Events:

# Wellbeing Wednesday

Our Wellbeing Committee is pleased to introduce **Wellbeing Wednesdays**, an initiative that will continue during Term 3 and is 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:

**Reach out to a classmate, colleague,  
or friend with a message of support  
or encouragement.**

### WHY IT MATTERS:

Staying connected  
nurtures relationships,  
reduces feelings of  
isolation and reminds  
us we are not alone.



# Arabic 1

## دروس الأسبوع السادس

مرحبًا بكم طلابنا الأعزاء: نحو إطلالة سريعة على دروس هذا الأسبوع:  
القرءة: مراجعة 3(كتاب الطالب) - قصة الأرنب والسلحفاة - نشاط غلاف القصة  
الإملاء: الخميس 2026-4-30(هذا أرنب سريع- هذه سلحفاة أطيقة) الإملاء  
الكتب الإلكترونية للصف الثاني

### قصة الأسبوع

### مهمة الأسبوع السادس

سيُعقد امتحان اللغة العربية يوم الخميس 2026-5-7 الأسبوع السابع  
مادة الامتحان (حرف الواو + حرف الياء) + المهارات السابقة / تحليل / تركيب / مدود طويلة وقصيرة / الضدّ / ترتيب كلمات لتكوين جملة  
نشاط إثرائي: اصنع غلافًا لقصتك المفضلة من أشياء في منزلك (إعادة تدوير) واكتب فيها كلمات تعبر عن القصة  
لمشاركة نشاطك مع المعلم اضغط على الرابط الخاص بمعلمك

Y2 Ms. Huda - Arabic 1

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# Arabic 2

Let's take a look at this week's lessons.

1. The student will recognize new vocabulary.
2. The student will write simple sentences using some verbs.
3. The student will write a simple paragraph using the vocabulary they learned. [Lessons + dicionary](#)

**Note : There is no spelling test this week . [Story for this week](#)**

There will be a test for Year 2 students on Wednesday, May 6.

To share your activity with your teacher, click on your teacher's link.

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# Arabic SS:

مرحبًا بكم طلابنا الأعزاء: نحو إطلالة سريعة على درس هذا الأسبوع:

pptx.أحمي بيتي

التعرّف على كيفية الحفاظ على البيئة

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# Islamic 1

[رابط درس الأسبوع السادس](#)

السلام عليكم الطلاب الأعزاء  
سنتعلم في هذا الأسبوع  
درس حديث الرحمة  
نواتج التعلم

أن يستنتج الطالب أثر الرحمة على المجتمع  
لمشاركة نشاطك مع المعلم، اضغط على الرابط الخاص بمعلمك

[المعلمة إهداء المعلمة نور](#)

لا تترددوا في التواصل معنا عبر البريد الإلكتروني المدرج أدناه

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# Islamic 2

- Dear students, **Assalamu Alaikum.**
- Our lesson for this week is "Mercy "
- The students will be able to:
- Recite the honorable Hadith from memory.
- Explain the overall meaning of the Hadith.
- Follow the example of the Prophet, Peace be upon him, in committing to the moral of mercy.
- Identify the behavior that indicates the moral of mercy.
- [The link of the lesson.](#)
- Please share your work here [Ms Abir](#)

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

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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

# This week in pictures:

