



# Al Ain English Speaking School

## FS2 Learning Pathway

### Week beginning: 18.05.26

Dear Parents,

We are pleased to inform you that the primary school will be marking **Frontliners Celebration Day on Monday 18<sup>th</sup> May.**

This day provides an opportunity for our children to recognise and show gratitude to the UAE's Frontline Heroes; the individuals who work selflessly to protect, serve, and support our community. Frontliners in the UAE include those working on the frontline in healthcare, emergency and protection services, security and defence, and essential public services.



To mark this occasion, children are warmly invited to come to school dressed as a frontliner of their choice. This may be a simple outfit or accessory that represents a frontliner role (for example, a badge, uniform colours, or role-play clothing).

Please be reminded that our parent and teacher meetings are scheduled for this week on **Monday 18<sup>th</sup> and Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> May.** These meetings will give you an opportunity to discuss your child's attainment and progress this term. Our Arabic and Islamic department parent meetings are scheduled for the week commencing 1<sup>st</sup> June.



## Contacting FS2 Teachers:

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# Frontliners Tribute Initiative

♥ Message from the Heart ♥

Honoring our frontline heroes with heartfelt messages of gratitude and support.

We invite all students to take part by sharing their appreciation through creative submissions!

- ★ Artwork and Posters
- ★ Poems / Letters / Written Pieces
- ★ Audio Recordings
- ★ Video Messages / Performances

**Share Your Heartfelt Tribute!**



Please click on the link to upload and share your creative submission.

[Frontliner Initiative Submissions](#)

# 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. Gates close and lessons start promptly at **7:40 am**. Regular **pick-up time is 2:30 PM**. **If your child is registered for an ECA (Extra-Curricular Activity), pick-up will be at 3:20 PM**. Please note that if a child is not registered for an ECA and is not collected by **2:40 PM**, you will need to go to 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.

## FS2 Learning:

### **Week beginning: Monday 18th May 2026**

In Mathematics this week, we will be learning about odd and even numbers. Please continue practising number bonds to 5 at home.

In UTW this week, we will continue to explore and learn about states of matter. We will be focusing on gases and learning about how states of matter can change between solids, liquids and gases.

In EAD we will continue to work on the decorations for the stage and we will rehearse our poems and song for our performance. Thank you for all the parents who have sent in recyclables, we really appreciate it.

In Literacy, we are continuing to develop our sentence writing. The children are using adjectives to make their writing more detailed and engaging. They will also be applying their phonics knowledge to independently write words and simple sentences.

This week in Phonics, we will be revising previously taught sounds and focusing on helping children confidently read and write words and simple sentences independently. Our focus is on building fluency, confidence, and independence in applying phonics knowledge in writing.

# FS2 PE Days.

**Tuesday and Wednesday** – All PE lessons will take place inside so please ensure children wear their kit as normal.

## Home Learning Links

[Week 9](#) Please click here to access a folder with links to activities. The activities in this folder are not compulsory for FS2. They are shared to give you fun ideas that connect with what we will be learning in the week ahead.

If your child would like to explore any of these activities during the week or use them to practise and share their learning at the end of the week, that would be wonderful. Please don't feel any pressure—there is no expectation for them to complete everything.

We hope you and your child enjoy dipping into them whenever it feels right for you!

[Reception Pure Speech - HowTo](#)

[Letter Formation](#)

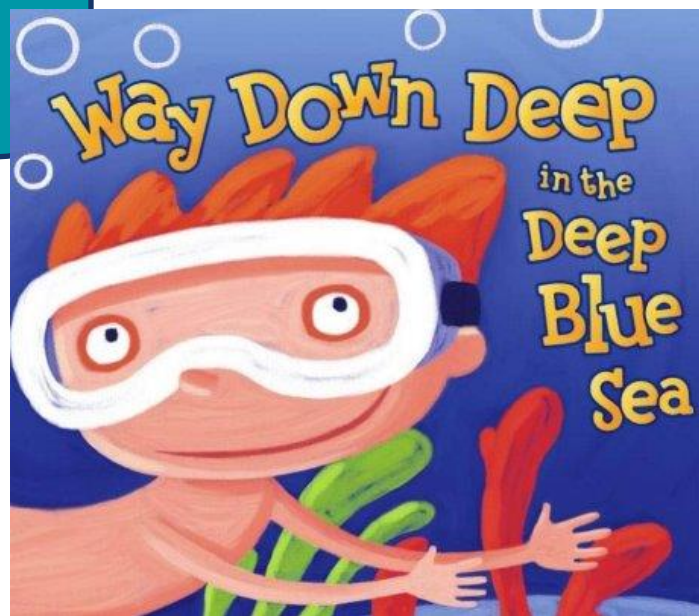
[Early Learning Goals Video](#)

## Upcoming events.

Join us for our performance of Way Down Deep  
in the Deep Blue Sea!

FS2 A,B,C,D – Monday 8th June 1.30

FS2 E,F,G,H – Tuesday 9th June 1.30



# Arabic 1

مَرَحَبًا بكم طَلّابِي الأَحِبَّاء... عودًا حَمِيدًا وَعَامًا سَعِيدًا مُكَلِّلاً بِالنَّجَاحَاتِ وَتَحْقِيقِ الأَمْنِيَّاتِ.... هَيَّا بِنَا نَحْوَ إِطْلَالَةٍ سَرِيعَةٍ عَلَى أَعْمَالِنَا هَذَا الأَسْبُوعِ

قِصَّةُ الأَسْبُوعِ: سَمَكَةُ المِنشَارِ

سَنَتَعَرَفُ هَذَا الأَسْبُوعِ عَلَى حَرْفِ القَافِ

(اليوم الأول)اليوم الأول التّعرف على الحزف

(اليوم الثاني)اليوم الثاني أشكال الحزف

(اليوم الثالث)اليوم الثالث أصوات الحزف القصيرة

(اليوم الرابع)اليوم الرابع أصوات الحزف الطويلة

2التّدرّيات 1ولمزيد من الأنشطة يُمكنكم اسْتِخْدَامِ التّدرّيات

لمشاركة نشاطك مع المعلم، اضغط على الرّابط الخاص بمعلمك

المُعَلِّمَةُ أسماء - المُعَلِّمَةُ منال - المُعَلِّمَةُ مَهْيِبَةُ

سَنُتَابِعُ مَعَ مَسَابِقَةِ نَجْمِ القِرَاءَةِ

كُلَّ أسْبُوعٍ لِمُدَّةِ أَرْبَعَةِ أسَابِيعٍ مُتتَالِيَةٍ لِتَصْبِحَ نَجْمُ القِرَاءَةِ وَتَحْصُلَ عَلَى شَهَادَةِ التَّمْيِيزِ (قِرَاءَةِ الحُرُوفِ مَعَ الأَصْوَاتِ القَصِيرَةِ وَطَوِيلَةِ) أَرْسَلِ فيدِيو

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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:( ق )

**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 ( ِ , َو , ُ )

**Lesson 5:** Friday activity

Dear Parents,

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

Ms. Missam Almohamad: [Missam.almohamad@cognita.com](mailto:Missam.almohamad@cognita.com)

# 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
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# Wellbeing Wednesday



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Action:

**Spend two minutes grounding yourself where you are**

### WHY IT MATTERS:

Grounding helps settle the nervous system and bring our attention back to the present moment. Taking a brief pause like this can reduce overwhelm, improve focus, and support emotional balance throughout the day.

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.



# Islamic 1

السلام عليكم ورحمة الله وبركاته

درسنا لهذا الأسبوع عيد الأضحى

كل عام وأنتم بخير

أهداف الدرس

- التعرف على أركان الحج

- أن يربط الطالب بين الحج وعيد الأضحى

- التعرف على أعياد المسلمين

- أعاده الله علينا يمكننا مشاركة صور للطلاب وهو يمثل ركن من أركان الحج، أو صورة تعبر عن عيد الأضحى، أعوام عديدة

- لمشاركة نشاطك مع المعلمة، اضغط على الزايط الخاص بمعلمتك

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# Islamic 2

Dear students, **Assalamu Alaikum.**

This week we will have some activities about Hajj and Eid.

The students will be able to:

1. Know the pillars of Hajj and how to perform it.
2. Find out The ethics of Hajj.
3. Find out The morals of Eid.

• [You can find all the activities here.](#)

• Please share your work here [Ms, Abir](#)

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

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# This week in pictures:

