



Al Ain English Speaking School

Year 2 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 18th 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 18th and Thursday 21st 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 1st June.



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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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 **7.40am**.
- Regular **pick-up time is 2.30pm**. **If your child is registered for an ECA (Extra-Curricular Activity), pick-up will be at 3.20pm**. Please note that if a child is not registered for an ECA and is not collected by 2.40pm, they will be taken to the KS2 classroom 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 18th May 2026

Maths	In maths, we will carry on with our new <i>Fractions</i> unit of work. The children will begin the week by learning how to recognise and find a half of different shapes, amounts of objects and numbers. Following this, they will focus on finding a quarter of shapes and pictures before applying their knowledge to finding a quarter of numbers and sets of objects.
English	In English, we will introduce our new 'wishing tale' unit. Throughout the week, the children will practise talking our new text entitled <i>Bob's Best Ever Friend</i> . To begin the week, the children will learn about and discuss the meaning of unfamiliar words from the model text. After this, they will explore the characters in more detail. The children will think of questions they would like to ask the characters and take part in a hot-seating activity. Finally, the children will recap when and how to use conjunctions, such as 'and', 'but' and 'so' accurately.
Science	In science, the children will continue to learn about how to be healthy. This week they will investigate the importance of being hygienic and different ways in which to do so.
Integrated Curriculum	In Integrated Curriculum, we will continue with our topic, <i>Up, Up and Away</i> . The children will learn all about logos before working in their 'topic teams' to design their very own logo.

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 via Teams to review this week's class work and help consolidate any learning at home.

Upcoming Events:



Term 3 Parent Teacher Consultation Meetings
Monday 18th and Thursday 21st May

We will be holding our Term 3 Parent-Teacher Consultation Meetings on both Monday 18th and Thursday 21st May.
If you would like an appointment, please contact your child's teacher.

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:

Drink a glass of water slowly, paying attention to each sip.

WHY IT MATTERS:

Staying hydrated supports physical health, gives a mindful pause, and can improve concentration and mood.



Arabic 1

مرحبًا بكم طلابنا الأعزاء: نحو إطلالة سريعة على دروس هذا الأسبوع:
القراءة: مراجعة 6 (كتاب الطالب) - الشدّة
الإملاء: لا يوجد إملاء هذا الأسبوع

[الكتب الإلكترونية للصف الثاني](#)
[قصّة الأسبوع](#)

سيُعقد امتحان اللغة العربية يوم الخميس 2026-5-21 الأسبوع التاسع
مادة الامتحان (حرف الواو + حرف الياء) + المهارات السابقة / تحليل / تركيب / مدود طويلة وقصيرة / الضدّ / ترتيب كلمات لتكوين جملة /
التنوين

نشاط إثرائي: اصنع بطاقة جميلة من أشياء في منزلك (إعادة تدوير) واكتب فيها كلمات تحوي الشدّة
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.

- Student will write about their school routine using vocabulary and planning tools.

[. Lessons + dictionary](#)

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

There will be a test for Year 2 students on Wednesday, 20 May . The exam will cover the lessons from Weeks 2, 3, 4, 5, and 6. [Revision + Revision + answers](#)

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

-Note (2): To review the material included in the exam, please refer to the files attached on Teams and use them to prepare and study for the exam.

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

Arabic SS:

نحو إطلالة سريعة على درسنا لهذا الأسبوع:
[اجتماعيات احب ان اعمل .pptx](#)
التعرّف على حاجاتنا الأساسية والغير أساسية

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Islamic 1

السلام عليكم الطلاب الأعزاء

سنتعلم في هذا الأسبوع

درس فريضة الحج

نواتج التعلم

أن يستنتج الطالب فضائل فريضة الحج

لا تترددوا في التواصل معنا على البريد الإلكتروني المدرج أدناه، كما نحيطكم علمًا أنه باستطاعتكم مقابلة المعلمين كل يوم اثنين

من الساعة 2:45 - 3:10 نسعدُ بتواصلكم الدائم

[رابط الأسبوع التاسع](#)

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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.

Ms. Abir Turkman: abir.turkman@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
- Celebrate different skills, achievements and interests
- Speak appropriately when communicating with others

This week in pictures

