



Al Ain English Speaking School

FS2 Learning Pathway

Week beginning: 11.05.26

Dear Parents,



With the temperatures continuing to rise, please be reminded that your child will need to wear their hat to play outdoors with their friends. As it is important for the children to continue with their daily exercise, school staff will continue to encourage students to play in the natural or built shade environments around the school and provide alternative arrangements when the heat is excessive. Please continue to ensure your child comes to school each day with the appropriate **sunscreen applied**, a **hat** to play outdoors and a **water bottle**.

Please be we reminded that toys from home should not be brought into school. While we appreciate some children enjoy sharing their favourite items from home, it often causes distractions and distress if the toy gets damaged or lost.



Please be reminded that the last official school day for students this academic year is **Friday 3rd July**. Academic lessons will continue with important learning still taking place up until this date. Any child who is absent due to an early holiday before this date will be marked as an unauthorised absence.

Our new academic year starts on **Monday 31st August** please ensure that you speak to registration if you are not already registered. On the **Friday 26th June**, all our registered students for 2026-27 will take part in a transition event to their new year group to help them become more familiar with the environment and teaching staff.

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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. 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 11th May 2026

This week in UTW we will be exploring and learning about the life cycles of a frog. We will also have a session with Catrin to look at life cycles of different living things in more detail.

This week in Literacy, we will be using picture prompts to inspire our writing. The children will carefully observe images, discuss what they can see, and use their ideas to write simple sentences. We will encourage the use of finger spaces, capital letters and full stops to help develop confidence and independence in writing.

This week in Mathematics we are recapping what we have learned so far, revisiting number and numerical patterns.

This week in Phonics, we will continue revising previously taught sounds while focusing on teaching and practicing the reading and spelling of words having previously learned digraphs. Children will also practice recognising and recalling taught graphemes, alongside reading, and writing sentences independently.

In EAD, we will continue to create different crafts with junk modelling, using all the skills that we have learnt during the year.

FS2 PE Days.

Tuesday and Wednesday – Children will continue with swimming next week.

Home Learning Links

[Week 11](#) 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](#)

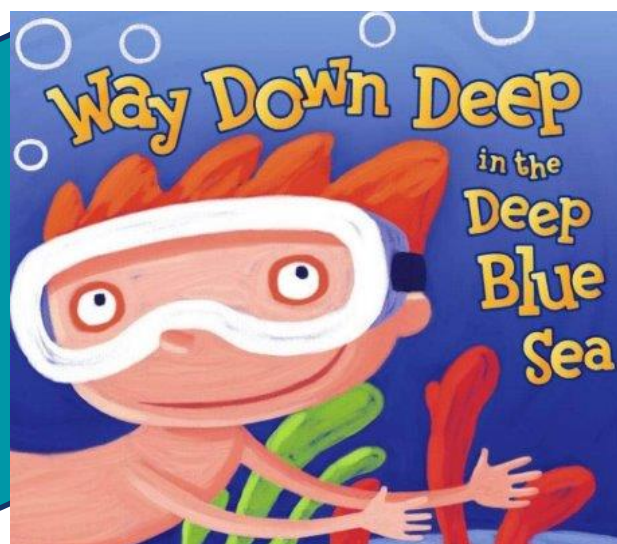
[Early Learning Goals Video](#)

Upcoming events.

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

FS2 A,B,C,D – Monday 8th June

FS2 E,F,G,H – Tuesday 9th June



The gates will open at 1.15 and the performance will start promptly at 1.30.

Please refer to the email sent by the class teacher regarding what the children should wear.

Please note that swimming for EFGH will be cancelled on Tuesday.

EYFS SPLASH PARTY!

25TH and 26th June

Please provide:

- Swimming clothes (UV sun top & bottoms preferred)
- Water shoes or Crocs (that can be worn outside)
- Towel

An email will be sent by your child's class teacher with the date that their class will have the party.

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.

Arabic 1

رحبًا بكم طلابي الأحراب... عودًا حميدًا وعامًا سعيدًا مكلًا بالتجارات وتحقيق الأمنيات.... هيا بنا نحو إطلالة سريعة على أعمالنا هذا الأسبوع

قِصَّة الأسبوع: سَمكة المنشار

سنراجع هذا الأسبوع بعض حروف اللغة العربية

(اليوم الأول) اليوم الأول التعرف على الحرف

(اليوم الثاني) اليوم الثاني أشكال الحرف

(اليوم الثالث) اليوم الثالث أصوات الحرف القصيرة

(اليوم الرابع) اليوم الرابع أصوات الحرف الطويلة

2 التدرجات 1 ولمزيد من الأنشطة يُمكنكم استخدام التدرجات

لمشاركة نشاطك مع المعلم، اضبط على الرابط الخاص بمعلمك

المعلمة أسماء - المعلمة منال - المعلمة مهيبة

سنتابع مع مسابقة نجم القراءة

كل أسبوع لمدة أربعة أسابيع متتالية لتصبح نجم القراءة وتحصل على شهادة التميز (قراءة الحروف مع الأصوات القصيرة والطويلة) أرسل فيديو

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Arabic 2

Dear Parents,

As we continuing this week, after completing all letter instruction, we will keep reviewing the letters.

Each day, we will revise **one letter**, focusing on:

Letter forms - Short vowel sounds- Long vowel sounds

Lesson 1 (أ)

Lesson 2 (ر)

Lesson 3 (ب)

Lesson 4 (ج)

Thank you for your continuous support and cooperation.

AAESS Values

Respect



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- 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

Islamic 1

السَّلَامُ عَلَيْكُمْ وَرَحْمَةُ اللَّهِ وَبَرَكَاتُهُ
الهجرة :درس هذا الأسبوع
أن يتعرف الطَّالِب على حدث هجرة النَّبِي صَلَّى اللَّهُ عَلَيْهِ وَسَلَّمَ
يردد المتعلم نشيد طلع البدر علينا

ملاحظة

، وستقام التصفيات 10 سيبدأ اختبار حفظ الطلاب المشاركين في مسابقة ربيع القلوب في الأسبوع :مسابقة ربيع القلوب
نتمنى التوفيق لجميع طلابنا .12، وسيتم تكريم الفائزين بإذن الله في الأسبوع 11 النهائية في الأسبوع

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Islamic 2

Dear students, **Assalamu Alaikum.**

Our lesson for this week is " The Hijra_ Journey"

The students will be able to:

- **Recognise the story of the Prophet's migration (Hijrah).**
- **Explain why the Prophet ﷺ migrated to Madinah.**

[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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This week in pictures

