



Al Ain English Speaking School

Year 1 Learning Pathway

Week beginning: 08.06.26

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.

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).

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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 **7.40am**.
- 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 1 learning:

Week beginning: Monday 8th June 2026

This week, in maths we will revisit our addition and subtraction topic and work with numbers up to 100. Throughout the week we add 1s and complete additions by making 10. We will then use our knowledge and a range of strategies to add 3 numbers and add to and across 10.

During our English lessons, we will continue our text 'Journey'. We will start the week by analysing characters, their actions and feelings. We will then use our knowledge from the story to make predictions about what will happen next. Finally we will use adjectives to describe a picture.

In our Phonic lessons we will be revisiting our digraphs and trigraphs 'ure' (as in picture), 'wh' (as in wheel), 'ph' (as in dolphin) and 'y' (as in happy). We will use our knowledge to read and spell words containing these sounds as well as forming them correctly. We will practice reading real words and pseudo alien words.

In Science we will continue our investigations and we will make predictions and observations during our experiment when we watch what happens. We will complete a 'Bouncing bubbles' experiment that looks at surface tension and gas formation.

Home Learning Links:

Please feel free to use the resources shared in the link below to access and review the learning your child completed last week in school.

Year 1 – Term 3 - Week 11 Learning Review



Thank you for those who attended the Phonics parent workshop this week. I hope you found it informative.

Please find a copy of the powerpoint and some resources for you to use at home in this [folder](#).

Year 1 PE Days:

Class	Day	
1A, 1B, 1C, 1D, 1E & 1F	Monday	Wednesday
1G, 1H & 1I	Tuesday	Friday

Please contact Mr Tom Mucklin at tom.mucklin@cognita.com should you have any queries or questions regarding our PE provision.

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:

Try a simple journaling exercise: write down three small things you can control today.

WHY IT MATTERS:

Focusing on what you can control helps restore a sense of agency and reduces feelings of helplessness.



Arabic 1

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

سنتعرف هذا الأسبوع على حرف الجيم

(1) الدرس: حرف الجيم التعرف على

(2) الدرس: التعرف على أشكال حرف الجيم

(3) الدرس: على أصوات حرف الجيم القصيرة التعرف

(4) الدرس: التعرف على أصوات حرف الجيم الطويلة

(1) ورقة عمل: أوراق عمل

(2) ورقة عمل

(3) ورقة عمل

مشاركة نشاطك مع المعلم، اضغط على الرابط الخاص بمعلمك

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Arabic 2

Let us take a quick look at our work this week:

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

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 (first, 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 (ِ , ُ , ِ)

Lesson 5: Friday activity

Paper sheets

Dear Parents, I'm pleased with your communication at the email address provided below.

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Islamic 1

السلام عليكم ورحمة الله وبركاته

درسنا لهذا الأسبوع سورة النَّصْر

أن يشعر الطَّفل بالامتنان لله سبحانه وتعالى ويحرص على شكره في كل وقت .
أن يتعرف الطَّفل على اسم السُّورة سورة النَّصْر.

ملاحظة

، وستقام التصفيات 10 سيبدأ اختبار حفظ الطلاب المشاركين في مسابقة ربيع القلوب في الأسبوع :مسابقة ربيع القلوب
تتمنى 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 " Surat An- Nasr"

The students will be able to:

- Recite the surah correctly.
- Understand the main meaning of the surah.

[The link of the lesson.](#)

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

Ms. Abir Turkman: abir.turkman@cognita.com

AAESS Values

Tolerance



Inspired by the legacy of the founding father, Sheikh Zayed bin Sultan Al Nahyan, we will focus on the value of **Tolerance** in Term 3. Our expectations are that students will:

- Show respect for the thoughts and opinions of others
- Understand that we are all unique and have something valuable to offer
- Accept and appreciate differences
- Understand and support each other if mistakes are made

This week in pictures

