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MATH

We are almost done with our curriculum with just one chapter remaining after the Spring Break. We have just finished the unit on Measurement, and when we return, we will begin Geometry. Students also worked on the STEAM Project on STEAMing Fridays where they used small Pringles can to make Ramadan decorations. Enjoy your break but don't forget to practice some Math!

Sis. Anam

5th Grade Social Studies

This month we covered the Civil War and the aftermath within the United States. We will be starting the Reconstruction after the break. **Sis Fatimah**



Assalamu Aliykom

The 5th grade students are going to finish
Suratul-Hashr, and we are on the last Ayah.
Students will continue to practice tajweed rules of Hamzatul-Wasl.
We worked on several activities and projects to reinforce the rules.
Students are also able to use their laptops to work on review lessons.

Sis. Asma

5th Grade Reading

This month we focused on the Big Idea: In what ways can things change? We read various historical/realistic fiction texts while comparing and contrasting plots and characters.

Sis. Fatimah

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5th grade ELA

We have been working on a biography research assignment and after the Spring Break iA we will begin Opinion writing. In grammar, we have been studying pronouns. **Sr. Meher**



ART

Arabic Newsletter 5th Grade

A lot of learning and interacting is going on in our classroom... 5th graders are practicing writing sentences about their daily routine and personal hygiene related to unit 4 (Cleanliness is from Iman). In this unit students are learning vocabulary words about cleanliness and keeping the environment around them clean. 5th graders learned the "waw" that added to the plural suffix. Students are reading text two (The cleanliness campaign) and understanding it by answering the questions related. Students continue practicing the verbal composition through pictures and practice the written part as well through answering questions.

5th graders learned the subject verb agreement with present tense verb by writing sentences.

Students will keep practicing the Grammar rules learned by working on their WB activities inshallah.

Sis. Nafen

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5th Grade Quran (boys)

Assalaamu'alaikum. Alhamdulillah, we have completed Surah Saff, Surah Jumuah, Surah Munafiqoon. This includes the following different material: Memorization, Recitation, and the Tafseer of each of these Surahs. Students are able to read the translation of the Ayah and reference it back to the story. Currently, we are studying Surah Hashr. This Surah talks about the treaty that was broken at the hands of the Jews of Madinah. Because

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of this, they were expelled from Madinah. Br. Ahmed

Assalamu alaykum wa rahmatullahi wa barakatuhu, Alhamdulillah! All praise to Allah, (swt) who enabled us to complete this month of School successfully. Alhamdulillah, we were able to learn about Worship with heart wherein we completed the unit and did Salat-ul-Musafir, Appreciating Allah's gift and Sujood-ush-Shukr, we also started the unit on Islamic Character wherein we learned about Forgiveness with multiple guizzes and tests. Alhamdulillah! For the coming month in sha Allah we plan to do several activities with the students which will consists of Islamic Character along with engaging them in guizzes, activities, and projects. In Sha Allah. We pray that Allah (swt) puts Barakah in our

time and make our students righteous

leaders of the Believers, Ameen Sis Misbah

Technology

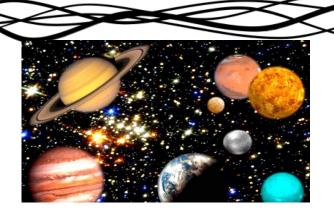
Students started creating programs using the Scratch coding platform.
We created a program for several "dots" to created a rainbow.
They are also working on finalizing the design portion of their digital storybook project.

Sr. Saima





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Science

As the Earth and Space chapter was very captivating, I decided to give the role of the teacher to each student for a day. Researching their planet and teaching us about what they have learned. The idea was very successful, as all the students have taught us much more knowledge than the book itself. Using websites such as the NASA to gather real time data, as well delivering the most current jokes about their planet of choice. The greatest challenge they faced was keeping the class in order, something they appreciate more from a teachers perspective As Salam Aleykum Brother Sayel A.