Fourth Grade Newsletter

Words of Wisdom...

Abu Bakr Abu Bakrah reported: The Messenger of Allah, peace and blessings be upon him, said, "The supplication of the distressed is, 'O Allah, I have hope in your mercy. Do not abandon me to myself for even a moment, and take care of all my affairs. There is no God but you." Source: Sunan Abī Dāwūd

THE COMPETETIVE EDGE

IN THIS SECTION WE WILL BE PUBLISHING NAMES OF WINNERS OF INTER-CLASS WINNERS OF DIFFERENT CONTESTS LIKE VORACIOUS READER, PENMANSHIP, CREATIVE WRITER/POET, INSHA-ALLAH — (STAY TUNED FOR MORE UPDATES IN OUR NEXT NEWSLETTER).



Arabic:

We started Unit 1 – How Did You Spend Your Summer? We talked about 'Days of the Week' as we discussed the importance of Hajj. We discussed the different Arkaans of Hajj and the importance of the days of Zil-Hijjah.

REMINDER:

Enroll for After-School Clubs:

- Robotics
- Soccer
- BETA (By Invitation Only)
- Elementary Science Olympiad

Remember to bring water bottles daily.

Quran From Sister Asma's desk:-

Alhamdulillah, The best students are working hard with me this month. We started Suratul-Mursalat and we practiced general meanings along with some keywords. We also did some activities and played games related to this Surah.

Islamic Studies Update



A In the Name of Allāh, the Most Gracious, the Most Merciful

Assalamu alaykum wa rahmatullahi wa barakatuhu,

Alhamdulillah! All praise to Allah (swt) who enabled us to complete the first month of School successfully. Alhamdulillah, we were able to do the story of Prophet Ismaeel (as), Learn about steps of Hajj and did a project on the same with a lot of enthusiasm by students. Alhamdulillah!!

For the coming month in sha Allah we plan to do lot more with kids learning about the stories of Prophet Ishaq, Lut, Yaqoub and Yusuf (alayhimusssalam) and engaging them in Quizzes, Activities and Projects on the same. In sha Allah

We pray that Allah (swt) puts Barakah in our time and make our students righteous Leaders of the Believers. Ameen



Highlights of the Month

Language Arts

We are working on Unit 1: Four Types of Sentences, Subjects and Predicates, etc.

Phonic/Reading

We are currently working on Unit 1 of our 'Wonders' Reading curriculum. For the next three weeks we intend to concentrate on Reading skills and strategies to strengthen in-depth comprehension, in sha Allah. Star 360 test results help us continuously to target missed skills or gaps in learning as students will be called in for extra help after-school or during school hours based on individual needs.

Social Studies

We will be working on hands on activities and projects based on Unit 1-Location and Regions of the USA. We can't wait to get started on many interesting ventures and many fun expeditions delving into our country's Geography and exploring it through Google Earth.

Science

For our Science Fair, we are looking to create interesting hypothesis as we learn about the steps of the Scientific Method by experimenting with surface tension and pennies, bubble gum, M&Ms and simple everyday items. We are yet to explore many more concepts in Science as we progress through the year, in sha Allah.



Math

In Chapter 2 we will be explore. Over the last chapter, we learned, practiced and were drilled on several strategies to solve problems like making a chart, underlining important words, highlighting the main question, drawing diagrams and using T-charts, etc.

Writing

Writing is being taught by Sis.Meher. We are exploring different traits of a new curriculum- Writing By Design. The six traits of writing are: idea(topic of writing), Organization (how sentences are organized), word choice (using descriptive words), Voice (1st person, I or 3rd person- he she, it), Sentence Fluency(making sure sentences flow), and Conventions(grammar and punctuation).

Arts

ASA Dear parents,

I introduced the primary and secondary colors for the start of the new art year. For the start of P.E we started the unit with light physical activity, which includes a brief few minutes of push-ups, sit-ups, squats. We end each P.E class by using the parachute and playing dodgeball.

JazakumAllahu Khayran!

Computer Education:

ASA, We started the school year off on completing all our testing and assessments and have now transitioned into our technology lessons.

Sis.Saima

Until the next issue!!!!!

Duas and Salams,

Sis Nafn, Sis Heba, Dr.Misbah, Sis. Saima, Sis. Asma, Br. Basel, Sis Atika, and our class pets-Mr. Gizmo, the Leopard Gecko

Please find photos of class activities. Follow the link:

https://photos.app.goo.gl/BqwJSJhrGFGQwQCy8

