



مدرسة الدوحة البريطانية
DOHA BRITISH SCHOOL
RAWDAT AL-HAMAMA



Primary Newsletter

Our Purpose

Is that every young person should gain as much as possible from our school, based on our belief that all learners can, need and want to achieve

Our Vision

Is to be a vibrant, welcoming international school that provides a first class education enabling pupils to thrive within a dynamic, global environment

Our Mission

Is to prepare all pupils through a relevant, challenging curriculum and well-resourced facilities, to become lifelong learners contributing to a global community



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Message from Felice Kelly - Head of Primary



IMPORTANT MESSAGES:

**Reports published Sunday 15th
December.**

ECA's finish on 4th December.

Dear Parents,

Thank you for attending our Safe Surfing workshop on Tuesday. We hope you found it informative and helpful in supporting your child's online safety. As we approach the end of our first term, we have a few important updates and events to share with you:

World Disability Week – Jeans for Genes Day

On Thursday 5th December, we will be celebrating Jeans for Genes Day as part of World Disability Week. This is a wonderful opportunity for students to wear jeans and participate in raising awareness and support for those living with genetic conditions.

FoDBS Movie Night – New Date

We are delighted to announce the FoDBS Movie Night has been rescheduled. It will now take place on Thursday 12th December at 5pm and tickets will be available for purchase starting Wednesday 4th December. Please register for tickets by scanning below. Please note, if you signed up previously you will need to register again. We hope to see many of you there for what promises to be a fun and engaging evening!

End of Term Reports

I would like to inform you that student reports, for pupils in Year 1 to Year 6, will be published on Sunday 15th December by 3pm ahead of our winter break.

Extra-Curricular Activities

Please note that ECAs will finish on Wednesday 5th December. We hope your child has enjoyed participating in their chosen activities this term. ECA's in term 2 will begin on Sunday 19th January.

Thank you for your continued support and engagement in our school community. Wishing you all a restful and enjoyable weekend, Felice Kelly.



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Upcoming Events

World Disability Week: Wear Jeans for Genes on Thursday 5th November

FoDBS Movie Night: Thursday 12th December 5pm

Winter Workshop EYFS: Thursday 12th December 12pm

Qatar National Day Celebrations: Monday 16th December





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MOVIE NIGHT

START AT 5:00 PM
THURSDAY 12.12.2024

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Attendance Update

**Our School
Attendance
Target is:
95%**

**Well done to the
following classes who
have achieved 95%
this half - term so far:**

★ PS Green

★ 1A

★ 3A

★ 3B

★ 3D

★ 4B

★ 4C

★ 5A

★ 5B

★ 5C

★ 5D

★ 6A

★ 6B

★ 6C

★ 6D



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ENGLISH



Preschool: We will be singing along to 'Over the Deep Blue Sea' as we learn about pirates and create our own treasure maps.

Reception: We will be using the animation 'The Magic Roundabout' and drawing our favourite toys.

Year 1: We will be adapting the story 'The Lion King' and writing our own opening and middle.

Year 2: We will be reading the book 'Dear Greenpeace' and looking at the features of a persuasive letter.

Year 3: We will be creating an advert for water.

Year 4: We will be learning about possessive apostrophes.

Year 5: We will be writing our own narratives based on our learning from Henry's Freedom Box.

Year 6: We will be writing our own version of Hansel and Gretel.

MATHS

Preschool: We will be exploring and representing the number 1.

Reception: We will be continuing our work on one more and one less than numbers to 10.

Year 1: We will be looking at number bonds within and to 10 and introducing adding groups together.

Year 2: We will be adding two 2 digit numbers together.

Year 3: We will be starting our multiplication and division unit.

Year 4: We will be starting our multiplication and division unit.

Year 5: We will begin our unit on fractions.

Year 6: We will be working with improper fractions and mixed number fractions.



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Word of the Week:

PS: treasure **Reception:** greeting **Year 1:** Companion
Year 2: persuade **Year 3:** grouping **Year 4:** harrowing
Year 5: improvise **Year 6:** export



ARABIC:

EYFS: اللغة العربية: حرف (ق) + استخدام ضمائر المتكلم أنا ونحن / التربية الإسلامية: الآية الكريمة (رب اجعل هذا البلد آمناً)

Year 1: اللغة العربية: اختبار الفصل الدراسي الأول / التربية الإسلامية: اختبار الفصل الدراسي الأول / تاريخ قطر: أنشطة على إنجازات الشيخ تميم

Year 2: اللغة العربية: اختبار الفصل الدراسي الأول / تاريخ قطر : مراجعة عامة على ما سبق دراسته

Year 3: اللغة العربية: اختبار الفصل الدراسي الأول / التربية الإسلامية: اختبار الفصل الدراسي الأول / التاريخ القطري والمواطنة: الدرس الخامس: الهوية الشخصية

Year 4: اللغة العربية: اختبار الفصل الدراسي الأول / التربية الإسلامية: اختبار الفصل الدراسي الأول / التاريخ القطري والمواطنة: الدرس الخامس: أركان الدولة

Year 5: اللغة العربية: اختبار الفصل الدراسي الأول / التربية الإسلامية: اختبار الفصل الدراسي الأول / التاريخ القطري والمواطنة: الدرس الخامس: مقومات المجتمع القطري

Year 6: اللغة العربية: اختبار الفصل الدراسي الأول / التربية الإسلامية: اختبار الفصل الدراسي الأول / التاريخ القطري والمواطنة: الدرس الخامس: السلطات الدستورية

SPANISH:

EYFS: We will be learning the song "Cabeza, hombros, rodillas y pies"

Year 1: We will start the topic: "¿Conoces las vocales?"

Year 2: We will be working on the topic: "¿Das los buenos días?"

Year 3: We will be working on the topic "¿Cuáles son las formas?"

Year 4: We will continue working on the topic "¿Te gusta la comida sana?"

Year 5: We will continue working on our topic ¿Cómo se hace una pregunta?"

Year 6: We will continue describing physical appearance and personality in the 1st, 2nd, and 3rd person, using connectors.



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MUSIC:

EYFS: We are learning about 'long' and 'short' sounds in music.

Year 1: We will be selecting instruments for our water journey composition.

Year 2: We will be recapping our knowledge of all the families of the orchestra.

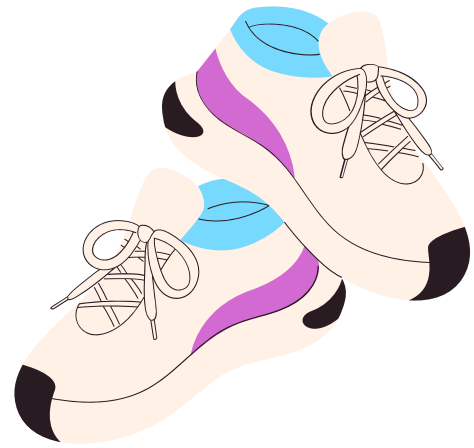
Year 3: We will perform our group djembe call and response patterns.

Year 4: We are learning to play songs on the recorder with the notes G, A, B.

Year 5: We are learning about Indian music.

Year 6: We are continuing our learning of musicals by auditioning for the Year 6 production.

P.E:



EYFS: Learn through Play: Exploring the exciting theme of Galactic Explorers.

Year 1: Story-Based Learning and Play: Dive into the adventurous world of A Pirate's Life for Me.

Year 2: Story-Based Learning and Play: Embark on a noble journey with The Good Knights.

Year 3: Invasion Sport and Swimming: Students will enjoy fun and engaging sessions of football or netball, along with swimming activities for everyone.

Year 4: Students will be engaged in football, netball, and cross-country prep, while the boys are in swimming sessions.

Year 5: Football / Netball - Boys on swim.

Year 6: Students will be engaged in football, netball, and cross-country prep, while the boys are in swimming sessions.



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SCIENCE:

Year 1: We will be learning about 'Herbivores', 'Carnivores' and 'Omnivores'.

Year 2: We will be looking at the importance of hygiene.

Year 3: The children will be learning about how shadows are created.

Year 4: We will be learning about pitch and volume.

Year 5: We will be learning about the life cycle of amphibians.

Year 6: We will be looking at how shadows are formed.





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Please scan the QR
code for the School
Calendar 2023-2024.

Ongoing reminders from previous weeks and for New Parents (Please click the title):

- [Access to E-library for Students – Information on how our students can access the free e-books library from home](#)



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إدارة نشاط أبنائكم على الإنترنت، اظ
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Our Partners in Responsibility

To manage your children's online activity, please refer to the

:following link

<https://bit.ly/3ByppfA>





Thank You