



مدرسة الدوحة البريطانية
DOHA BRITISH SCHOOL
RAWDAT AL-HAMAMA



Primary Newsletter



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Guiding Statements

OUR PURPOSE:

Every young person should gain as much as possible from our school, grounded in our belief that all learners can, need, and want to achieve. We are committed to fostering holistic wellbeing and personal growth, ensuring that each student is equipped to thrive in an interconnected and rapidly changing world.

OUR VISION:

To be a vibrant, welcoming international school that provides a first-class education, empowering pupils to excel and innovate within a dynamic, global environment. We aim to nurture global citizens who embrace cultural diversity, collaboration, and the values of internationalism.

OUR MISSION:

To prepare all pupils through a relevant, challenging curriculum, well-resourced facilities, and a focus on wellbeing, to become lifelong learners who are equipped to contribute positively to a global community. Through innovation, critical thinking, and a commitment to sustainability, we aim to inspire the next generation of leaders and changemakers.

هدفنا

يجب أن يحصل كل شاب وشابة على أقصى استفادة ممكنة من مدرستنا، انطلاقًا من إيماننا الراسخ بأن جميع المتعلمين قادرين على التعلم، ويحتاجون إليه، ويرغبون في تحقيقه. نحن ملتزمون بتعزيز الرفاهية الشاملة والنمو الشخصي، وضمان أن يكون كل طالب مجهزًا للنجاح في عالم مترابط وسريع التغير.

رؤيتنا

أن نكون مدرسة دولية نابضة بالحياة ومرحبة، تقدم تعليمًا من الدرجة الأولى، يمكن الطلاب من التفوق والابتكار في بيئة عالمية ديناميكية. نسعى إلى تنمية مواطنين عالميين يحتفون بالتنوع الثقافي، والتعاون، وقيم العالمية.

مهمتنا

إعداد جميع الطلاب من خلال منهج دراسي ملائم وتحديات تعليمية مناسبة ومرافق مجهزة جيدًا، مع التركيز على الرفاهية النفسية والجسدية، ليصبحوا متعلمين مدي الحياة قادرين على الإسهام بشكل إيجابي في المجتمع العالمي. من خلال الابتكار والتفكير النقدي والالتزام بالاستدامة، نهدف إلى إلهام الجيل القادم من القادة وصناع التغيير.





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We are committed to preparing our community to thrive in an increasingly interconnected world. We explore global citizenship as a commitment to social, environmental, and economic actions taken by individuals and communities who acknowledge that every person is a citizen of the world.

Global Citizens:

Have knowledge and understanding of global issue.

Take responsible actions that positively impact the world.

Reflect a deep sense of collective responsibility and shared humanity.

Cultivate skills and attitudes to be active and responsible global citizens.

Foster an awareness of our interconnectedness with people from diverse backgrounds and regions.

Growth: Cultivate skills and attitudes to be active and responsible global citizens.

Learning: Have knowledge and understanding of global issues.

Oneness: Reflect a deep sense of collective responsibility and shared humanity.

Belonging: Foster an awareness of our interconnectedness with people from diverse backgrounds and regions.

Action: Take responsible actions that positively impact the world.

Leadership: Demonstrate leadership in promoting global citizenship and sustainable practices.

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A Warm Welcome Back to a New Academic Year

Dear DBS Rawdat Al Hamama Community,

It has been wonderful to see our students, staff, and families back on campus as we begin a new academic year. The first week has been filled with energy, excitement, and the joy of reconnecting with friends and colleagues, alongside welcoming many new faces into our school community.

We are proud of how quickly our students have settled into their classes and routines, and it has been inspiring to watch learning and discovery take shape across every phase. Our teachers and staff have worked hard to ensure a smooth start, and we are grateful for the support of parents in helping children transition confidently into the year ahead and taking and minor glitches in their stride.

This academic year holds great promise — new opportunities for growth, achievement, and shared success. Together, we will continue to uphold our values of respect, kindness, and excellence, ensuring DBS Rawdat remains a place where every child feels safe, supported, and inspired to achieve their best.

We look forward to building on this strong start, celebrating achievements both big and small, and working together as one community. Thank you for your continued partnership and trust.

Wishing you all a successful and fulfilling year ahead.

Warm regards,
Rob Nawaz Khan
Principal, DBS Rawdat Al Hamama





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Message from Felice Kelly - Head of Primary



IMPORTANT MESSAGES:

Meet the Teacher: Tuesday 9th September

Dear Parents,

A very warm welcome back to the new academic year! I hope you had a restful and enjoyable summer with your families. It has been wonderful to see the children return to school full of energy, ready to learn, and excited to reconnect with their friends.

This year, our focus will continue to be on building strong learning foundations, developing curiosity, and fostering a love of learning across all year groups. Our teachers have been busy preparing engaging lessons and experiences to ensure every child feels supported and challenged.

We are also very pleased to welcome new pupils and families to our school community. Starting at a new school is an exciting step, and we are committed to ensuring every child quickly feels settled and confident.

On Tuesday, we will be holding 'Meet the Teacher' sessions so you can find out more about the year ahead, the curriculum, and how best to support your child's learning journey. We hope you will find these sessions informative and a great opportunity to connect with your child's class teacher. Details are on our key events page and dojo.

I am very much looking forward to working together with you throughout this term to make it a positive and successful start to the year.

Have a lovely weekend,
Felice Kelly.





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Key Dates

Whole School:

Meet the Teacher: Tuesday 9th September

- EYFS: 2:15 pm – 2:45 pm
- Year 1 and Year 2: 2:45 pm–3:15 pm
- Year 3 and Year 4: 3:15 pm – 3:45 pm
- Year 5 and Year 6: 3:45 pm – 4:15 pm

Well Being Week: Week of 5th October

Anti bullying week: Week of 9th October

Odd Socks Day: Monday 10th October

DBS Got Talent: November (Date to be confirmed)

International Day of solidarity with Palestine: Thursday 27th November

Qatar National Day Celebration: Tuesday 16th December

Preschool:

Tapestry Parent Workshop: 15th September

Fine Motor Skills and Stay and Play: 21st September

Phonics Parent Workshops: Week of 5th October





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Reception:

Tapestry Parent Workshop: 15th September

Fine Motor Skills and Stay and play: 21st September

Phonics Parent Workshops: Week of 5th October

Year 1:

Maths in Key Stage 1: Tuesday 14th October at 7:15am

Safari Day: Last week of term

Year 2:

Royal Tea Party: Last week of term

Maths in Key Stage 1: Tuesday 14th October at 7:15am





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Key Dates

Year 3:

Maths in Key stage 2: Wednesday 15th October 7:15am

How to support your child with Reading in KS2 – Monday 12th November 7:15

Year 4:

Maths in Key stage 2: Wednesday 15th October 7:15am

How to support your child with Reading in KS2 – Monday 12th November 7:15

Year 5:

Maths in Key stage 2: Wednesday 15th October 7:15am

How to support your child with Reading in KS2 – Monday 12th November 7:15

Year 6:

Maths in Key stage 2: Wednesday 15th October 7:15am

How to support your child with Reading in KS2 – Monday 12th November 7:15



Coming
this
November



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DBS's GOT
★TALENT

Calling all
PERFORMERS!

We are looking for..

Singers Actors Dancers

Musicians Comedians Poetry

Open to Year 2 – Year 11

You can enter alone or as a group

You will need to prepare your act for an audition

Auditions start September 21st and will be during the
school day

Maximum 3 minutes

Sign up for an audition

Primary Music – Mrs Aya & Mr Garcia

Secondary Music – Mr Sabaghi



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ENGLISH



Preschool: We will be reading 'How Do Dinosaurs Go To School' as we create our own classroom rules together.

Reception: We will be drawing and labelling our favourite things.

Year 1: We will be using the book 'Giraffe's can't dance' to inspire writing in drawing club. In phonics, the children will be exploring the digraphs: ng, ai, ee and the trigraph: igh. They will have opportunities to read and write words with these graphemes, as well as play exciting games!

Year 2: We will be writing nonsense poems about our faithful friends.

Year 3: We will be describing a setting for our new text 'The tin forest'.

Year 4: We will be writing a setting description based on the book "Arthur and the Golden Rope".

Year 5: We will be writing a poem and setting description with a focus on descriptive and figurative language.

Year 6: This week, we will be writing a persuasive letter, inspired by our text "Dreams of Freedom".

MATHS

Preschool: We will be sorting colours.

Reception: We will be exploring same, different and similar.

Year 1: We will be making and breaking numbers to 10 using 5 frames and part whole models.

Year 2: We will be representing odd/even numbers and learning how to double.

Year 3: We will be representing numbers to 1,000.

Year 4: Representing, comparing and ordering 3 and 4 digit numbers.

Year 5: We will be comparing numbers to 1,000,000.

Year 6: Reading and writing numbers to 10,000,000.



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Word of the Week:

PS: Rules **Reception:** Favourite **Year 1:** Farewell
Year 2: Glimmer **Year 3:** Gratitude **Year 4:** Promenade
Year 5: Promenade **Year 6:** Liberation



ARABIC:

اللغة العربية: أنشودة الحروف الهجائية+ تنمية الأنماط اللغوية **EYFS**
استخدام ضمائر المتكلم (أنا - نحن) / التربية الإسلامية: البسمة + أسماء
الله الحسنى (الرحمن - الرحيم)

اللغة العربية: قصة الوحدة ص 32 + استماع أختي الصغيرة ص 35 **Year 1**
+ التحدث ص 34 + حرف (د) ص 42 + حرف (ا) ص 44 / التربية
الإسلامية: أركان الإسلام / التاريخ القطري والمواطنة: الدرس الأول أنا
طفل مميز (الجزء الثاني)

اللغة العربية: استماع "ماذا نلعب" (ص:12) + التحدث **Year 2:**
"أساعد الآخرين" (ص:14) + قراءة "ملك الألوان" (ص:17-21) / التربيّة
الإسلامية: الحديث الشريف "فضل التّيان" + أركان الإسلام + سورة
الكافرون / التّاريخ القطري والمواطنة: الدّرس الأوّل: الحي

اللغة العربية: ليتني سمعت الكلام - الفعل الماضي / التربية **Year 3:**
الإسلامية: حفظ آية الكرسي + تفسير سورة الإخلاص / التاريخ القطري
والمواطنة: الدرس الأول: وطني والعالم (الجزء الثاني)

اللغة العربية: الفراشة وزهرة النرجس + الجملة الفعلية / التربية **Year 4**
الإسلامية: تفسير عناية الله عزّ وجل برسوله - سورة الضحى + حفظ سورة
الانشقاق (1-13) / التّاريخ القطري والمواطنة: الدّرس الأوّل: أسرة آل ثاني

اللغة العربية: القراءة (المستقبل) + الكلمة والجملة (الجملة) **Year 5**
الاسمية) / التربية الإسلامية: حفظ سورة عبس (1-21) + تفسير التّذكير
بآيات الله تعالى - سورة الغاشية من (17-26) / التّاريخ القطري
والمواطنة: الدّرس الأوّل: العلاقات القطرية البريطانية

اللغة العربية: القراءة (المستقبل) + الكلمة والجملة (الجملة) **Year 6:**
الاسمية) / التربية الإسلامية: حفظ سورة عبس (1-21) + تفسير التّذكير
بآيات الله تعالى - سورة الغاشية من (17-26) / التّاريخ القطري
والمواطنة: الدّرس الأوّل: سمو الشّيخ حمد بن خليفة آل ثاني

SPANISH:

EYFS: We will be learning greetings in Spanish.

Year 1: We will be learning "Las instrucciones de clase".

Year 2: We will be working on "Los momentos del día".

Year 3: We will be working on classroom instructions.

Year 4: We will be working on the topic "¿Cómo se dice?".

Year 5: We will start the topic "¿Puedes contar?".

Year 6: We will be working on basic commands in Spanish.



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MUSIC:

EYFS: We will explore sounds, instruments, actions.

Year 1: We are exploring African Instruments.

Year 2: We are learning about Body Percussion.

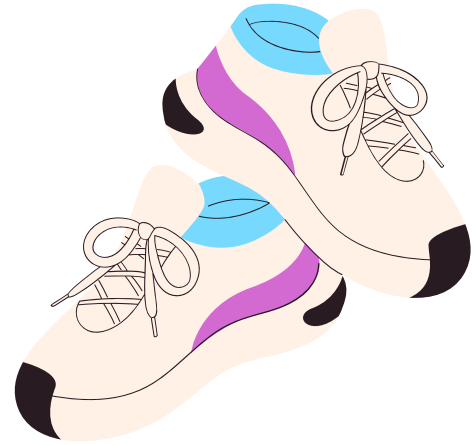
Year 3: We will explore Chinese Music.

Year 4: Percussion exercise, Introduction to Recorders, Preparing Talent Show

Year 5: Percussion exercise, Introduction to Ukelele, Preparing Talent Show

Year 6: Percussion exercise, Introduction to Notation, Preparing Talent Show

P.E:



EYFS: Introduction and preparation for PE activities.

Year 1: Exploring Movement – A Pirate’s Life for Me (Ongoing Story)

Year 2: Practising Movement – The Good Knight (Ongoing Story)

Year 3: Baseline testing - Indoor Athletics - Balance and Coordination

Year 4: Baseline testing - Indoor Athletics - Balance and Coordination

Year 5: Baseline testing - Indoor Athletics - Balance and Coordination

Year 6: Baseline testing - Indoor Athletics - Balance and Coordination



SCIENCE:

Year 1: We will be exploring our five senses.

Year 2: We will be continuing with our topic on animals including humans, focusing on birds.

Year 3: We will begin our new topic 'plants' and look at what a plant needs to survive.

Year 4: Introducing the digestive system.

Year 5: We will be learning about animals including humans and the life stages.

Year 6: We will be introducing the circulatory system, as part of our topic 'Animals Including Humans'.





Thank You