

GALLOPING FORCE | GRADE 1-2

Newsletter

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A Letter From The Desk of Our Head Teacher...

As we approach the end of this second term, I would like to thank all parents for your continued support as we work together as a school community to raise standards that transform our students' lives.

I wanted to take this opportunity to appreciate your ongoing support and commitment to our vision and values, which have contributed to being able to achieve the successes that we have had over the past two terms. We have had various incredible events that have taken place this term as a result of the hard work, dedication and resilience of our staff and students. It has been so inspiring to see how the students and teachers have worked hand in hand to achieve the outstanding goals set by the students themselves which have helped shape and mold them into the incredible little human beings that they are today.

We are all very excited for the start of a new term as we are committed to achieving excellence in all that we do. This requires dedication, determination, hard work and a restless approach towards achieving the very highest of standards. We have a team of staff who all want the very best for our students and with your support, we will continue to thrive and improve.

Let's all work together as we continue to develop and offer enriching opportunities and experiences for all! I hope you all have restful spring break and a fulfilling Ramadan.



EIS CELEBRATES 100 DAYS



100 days of hard work, dedication, and success, Cheers to many more milestones to come!

Everyone was very excited to reach this scholastic milestone and proud of the tremendous learning that has occurred during the past 100 days.

It was a memorable event that celebrated academic excellence, healthy competition and creativity.

Our students marked the special day by noting that students are 100 days smarter, with a variety of fun activities that emphasized the number 100 including dressing up as 100-year-olds, creating beautiful artwork using 100 items, counting to 100 and parading and dancing around the playground.



BRILLIANCE UNCHALLENGED



On the 3rd of February, Excel International School held its very first Sports Day, "Brilliance Unchallenged".

Parents, and students alike all gathered under one roof to witness a spectacular display of athleticism, colourful drills, and amusing games. The students of EIS all put their best foot forward as they participated in several sporting events, performed inspiring drills and a few even took home some exciting prizes.

Brilliance Unchallenged was an event that truly lived up to its name!



Girls 100 Meter Final Race



Boys 100 Meter Final Race



The entire student body of EIS enthralled the audience with a tribute to their beloved parents as they sang the song 'You Raised Me Up' together in one voice.



In triumphant victory the Rockies house, wins the overall championship trophy



Full of excitement the students and staff members of 'Rapids' house accept the second runners up trophy

READING MARCH

"The more you read the more things you will know. The more that you learn the more places that you will go.- Dr. Seuss".

EIS brought the magical world of reading as we celebrated the 'Reading Month' under the theme: UAE Reads

The school held various reading programs to culminate the celebration and to achieve its goals which are to deepen the appreciation for books, exhibit the reading, expand students' vocabulary, encourage accurate usage of words, develop skills in oral language.



Ms. Sara hosted a wonderful Reading Session with Grade 2!



A Reading Adventure with Ms. Agnes!

Students of Grade 1 had a wonderful day reading with our headteacher during the 'Read with Me' program. The students were engaged and eager to participate. They shared their favorite parts of the story, asked questions, and made connections to their own lives. Ms. Agnes provided positive feedback and helped the students make new discoveries and connections.



The students left the session feeling inspired and motivated to read more



WORLD BOOK DAY!

On the 9th of March EIS celebrated World Book Day, by instructing students to dress up as their favourite book characters. This was indeed a memorable day as our beloved students looked like they stepped right out of the pages of a Story Book.



Our Reading Rivers!



OUR ADVENTURE AT THE ZOO



An educational trip to the zoo was organized to promote awareness and to uncover the children to the world of amazing animals and birds. They saw a variety of animals and were fascinated by the beauty of nature. It was an enriching learning experience for the students.

OUR ASSEMBLIES



Grade 2B's class assembly "Hope is the only thing stronger than fear"

Grade 1A's class assembly "Let us furnish the world with love"

A special assembly hosted to celebrate the holy month of Ramadan

EAT RIGHT GET ACTIVE PROGRAM



As part of our 'Eat Right, Get Active' Program, the students of Kindergarten to Grade 4 put on their best costumes of their favourite fruits and shared a few fun facts about them with their friends.

The Still Life Drawing Competition, with the theme of Fruit, was a great experience. Students learned about different types of fruit and their different flavors while creating a still life using their choice.



On March 2, students in EIS were asked to bring their lunchboxes packed with 5 healthy foods. They ate lunch together and talked about healthier choices when choosing their meals or snacks. The impact of good nutrition is invaluable!

Mother's Day- Skills & Thrills!



Mother's Day is a special day, for all children and mothers as it celebrates the bond of love and affection that is everlasting. They are the emotional backbone of the family and has the magic touch to heal all wounds and make all things beautiful.

The school hosted a special program, and mothers were specially invited to spend a memorable day filled with activities and fun.

Joint Mother & Child performances adorned the ambiance with love and heartfelt gratitude. They took back fond memories of a day well spent with their dear kids.



Our mothers were welcomed with special flowers which were given to them by their own children



Our talented mummies and kids showed off their special talents in the 'Skills & Thrills' Talent Show



We had many fun activities from crafts to painting to icing a cake, which were enjoyed by both mother & child!



We hope all our beautiful Moms had a memorable Mother's Day!



Our Achievements

Grade 1A



Math Wizard Award: Abdulrahman Gaber, Presley Nkhwazi



Super Speller Award: Malak Mohammad, Karas Ayad, Aysha Sajid, Musammat Ayesha



Certificate of Improvement: Adam Karim Ashraf, Jonier Bishoy, Abdullah Amin, Joziyah Sunny, Adam Khafagy



Voracious Reader Award: Kay Katoo, Ward Hassoun, Abdullah Amin



Arabic Reading Program: Aysha Sajid, Aisha Wageh, Adam Khafagy, Malak Mohammad, Musammat Ayesha Siddika



Reading A-Z Program: Abdullah Amin, Abdulrahman Gaber, Musammat Ayesha Siddika, Samantha Stalin, Laila Elhassan, Ward Hassoun, Karas Ayad, Joziyah Sunny, Aysha Sajid, Malak Mohammad



**Math Wizard & Best Handwriting: Mataish Faheem
Best Handwriting Award: Manish Anthony**



**EXCEL STAR OF THE MONTH!
Zarwa Zawar**

Grade 1B



**Math Wizard: Manisha Rafeq, Gilliane Acas
Super Speller Award: Gilliane Acas, Hannah Sharon**



Reading A-Z Program: Karma Mohamed, Reine Scarlet Bico, Muhammad Amr Saleh, Hannah Sharon, Rokaya Amin, Paul Cortes



**EXCEL STAR OF THE MONTH!
Karma Mohamed**



Voracious Reader Award: Manisha Rafeq, Karma Mohammed, Muhammad Amr Saleh



Certificate of Improvement: Rokaya Amin, Aleen Ahmed



Best Handwriting Certificate: Gilliane Acas, Nabah Mehrin, Reine Scarlet

Our Achievements

Grade 2A

Congratulations!



Voracious Reader Award: Zarghum Amad, Mihindi Ramanayaka, Aarav Sridhar, Mustafa Ahmed, Jatin Narreddy, Yasmeen Eltagani



Best Handwriting Certificate: Omar Shawky, Isha Sajin, Ibrahim Hasan, Ahmed Berbesh



Reading A-Z Program: Isha Sajin, Mihindi Ramanayaka, Ibrahim Hasan, Aarav Sridhar, Omar Shawky



EXCEL STAR OF THE MONTH!
Hamza Mohamed

Grade 2B



Super Speller Award: Adrienne Naomi de Leon



Best Handwriting Certificate: Saif El-Mahmoud, Elham Assani
Math Wizard: Elham Assani



Math Wizard: Noufal Khan



Certificate of Improvement: Hala Mohamed, Tala Mansour, Malek Fadel



Reading A-Z Program: Jonathan Nasr, Sana Ahmed, Adrienne Naomi de Leon



EXCEL STAR OF THE MONTH!
Sana Ahmed



Super Speller in Arabic: Isha Sajin, Saif El-Mahmoud, Elham Assani



Arabic Reading Program: Saif El-Mahmoud, Omar Shawky, Nouran Youssef, Elham Assani, Adullah Noman, Mustafa Musaddak, Selim Abdelwahab



Grade 1 Best Reading Rivers: Mataish Faheem, Kay Katoo, Ward Hassoun, Reine Scarlett, Afrah Nur, Maisha Rafiq

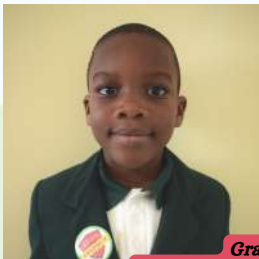


Grade 1 Best Reading Rivers: Isha Sajin, Mustafa Mussaddak, Mihindi Ramanayaka, Aarav Sridha, Aiman



Students With The Most Books Borrowed From The Library: Amia Fate, Elena Al Shamsi, Kay Katoo, Isha Sajin, Lana Saleh

Class Prefects



Grade 1A
Class Perfect: Presley Nkhwazi
Assistant Class Prefect: Joumana Walid



Grade 1B
Class Perfect: Tala Amer
Assistant Class Prefect: Nabah Maharin







Grade 2A
Class Perfect: Aarav Sridhar
Assistant Class Prefect: Rawan Mohamed






Grade 2B
Class Perfect: Abdullah Noman
Assistant Class Prefect: Saif El-Mahmoud



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