

Nada International School Newsletter

OCTOBER 2024



MESSAGES FROM EXECUTIVE PRINCIPAL

Nada International School A Beacon of Excellence

We are delighted to announce that Nada International School (NIS) has been recognized as one of the most distinguished schools in the Kingdom within the first round of the National Center for School Evaluation and Excellence (Tamayuz) evaluation. This prestigious achievement places NIS among an elite group of 52 international schools across the nation.

The Tamayuz evaluation is a rigorous process designed to assess the quality of education provided by schools throughout Saudi Arabia. By recognizing NIS as a top-performing school, Tamayuz has validated our commitment to academic excellence, innovative teaching methods, and a nurturing learning environment.

This accomplishment is a testament to the hard work, dedication, and talent of our exceptional teachers. Their passion for education and their ability to inspire students to reach their full potential have been instrumental in our success. We would also like to express our sincere gratitude to our students, parents, and the Board of Trustees for their unwavering support and encouragement.

We are honored to receive this recognition and will continue to strive for excellence in all aspects of our school. Thank you to our Chairman, Mr. Abdulmohsen Alothman, for his visionary leadership and guidance. Your support has been invaluable in helping NIS achieve this remarkable milestone.



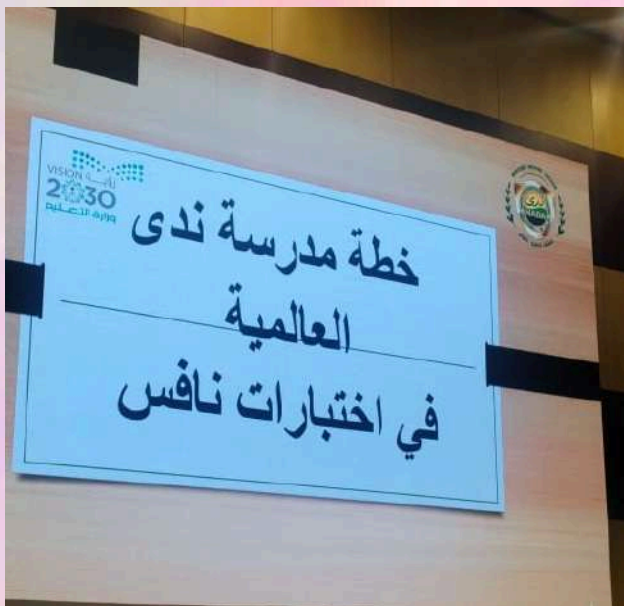
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NIS SHINES AGAIN: TOP SCORES AT NAFIS NATIONAL TESTS

NIS CONTINUES TO EXCEL

We are thrilled to announce another outstanding achievement by our students! NIS has once again secured high scores in the Nafis National Tests. This remarkable success is a testament to the dedication and hard work of our students, teachers, and staff. To recognize this exceptional achievement, the Ministry of Education (MOE) officials invited our school to officially accredit NIS. During the ceremony, Mrs. Hana Aldossary, the Principal of our Girls' School, presented a comprehensive overview of the strategies and methodologies employed at NIS to prepare our students for the Nafis assessments. We are incredibly proud of our students and their unwavering commitment to academic excellence. Congratulations to all involved in this remarkable accomplishment!



Parent-Teacher Conference 1: A Success!

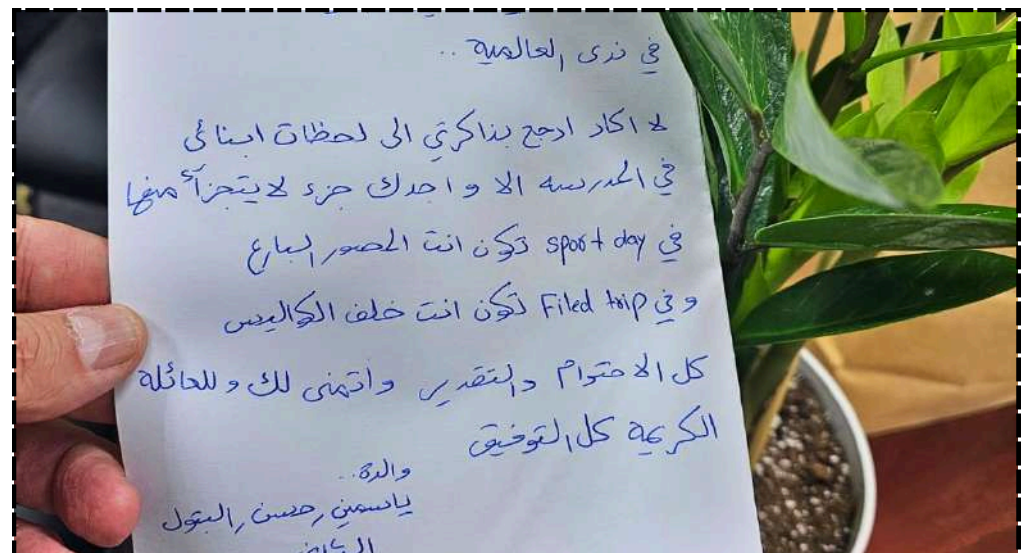
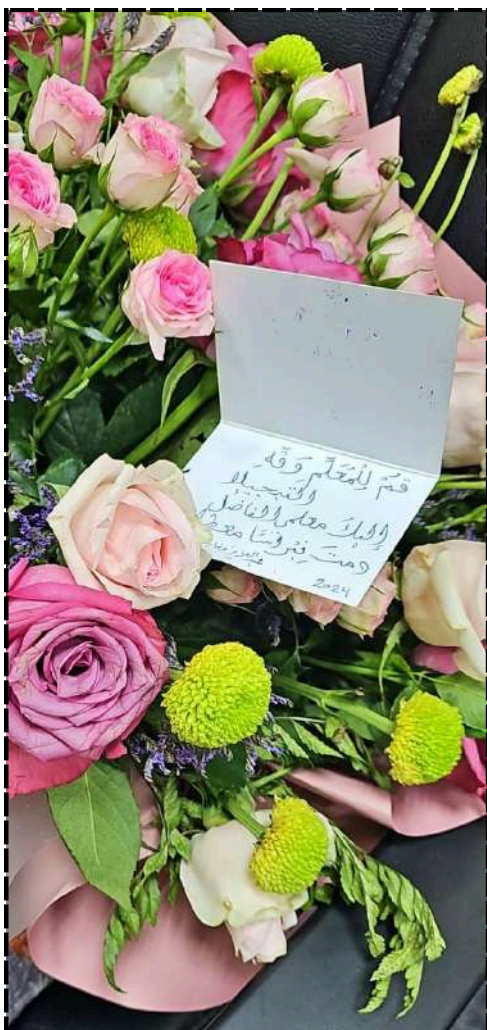
The recent Parent-Teacher Conference 1 was a resounding success, providing a valuable platform for parents and teachers to connect, discuss student progress, and build stronger partnerships. We were delighted to see such a positive turnout and the enthusiasm from both parents and teachers.



Thank you to all the parents who took the time to attend and for your continued trust in Nada International School. Your support and feedback are invaluable to us as we strive to provide the best possible education for your children.

We were particularly touched by the warm messages and lovely flowers that many parents brought. Your kind words and gestures have filled us with gratitude and inspired us to continue our efforts.

Your support gives us the power to do more and achieve even greater heights. We look forward to continuing to work together to ensure the success and well-being of our students.

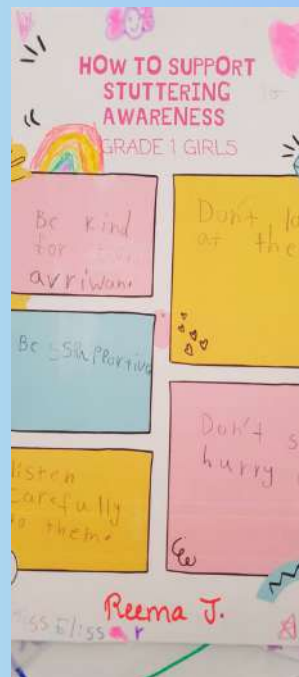




Nada International School joined the global community in celebrating International Stuttering Awareness Day this month. To raise awareness and promote understanding, the Student Support Services Committee prepared a special presentation for students, highlighting the challenges faced by individuals who stutter. This presentation aimed to foster empathy and acceptance among our students, encouraging them to be kind and supportive towards their peers.

In addition to the student presentation, the school hosted professionals from Al Anah Institution. These experts shared valuable insights into various language and speaking difficulties that children may encounter. By understanding these challenges, our staff is better equipped to provide tailored support and create a more inclusive learning environment for all students.

To further promote empathy and acceptance, students were encouraged to create posters showcasing their support for friends who stutter. The winning posters will be displayed around the school, serving as a visual reminder of our commitment to fostering a compassionate and inclusive community.





Chess Club
brainies!



Have you tried
outdoors Yoga!



Robotics Club Engineers!



My favorite shady
spot!



Seasonal Vaccine
shots for NIS
students and staff.



Jowan, a heroine's
welcome!



Meet Kareem, the
little scientist!

Math in Motion: The Creative Concept Challenge



Unleash your creativity and passion for math!
Join our exciting competition where you can showcase your understanding of any mathematical concept through a fun and engaging video presentation. Whether it's a mind-bending theorem, a real-world application, or a quirky math trick, the sky's the limit!



How to Participate:

GRADES 4-12

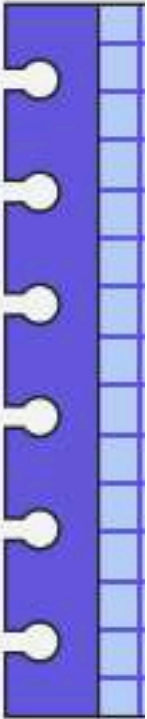
- ▶ **Create a video (3-5 minutes) explaining your chosen Mathematical concept in a creative way.**
- ▶ **Submit your video by 21st of Nov.2024 to Sarakhadour@nadaschool.edu.sa.**

The winner will receive a BIG PRIZE and a feature on our school's social media!

Don't miss this chance to shine and inspire others with your love of math!



For more details, see Mrs.Sara. Let's make math fun together!



WORLD SPACE WEEK 2024

SPACE & CLIMATE CHANGE

OCTOBER 4-10



**Exploring Beyond
The Intersection of Space and Climate Change**

ART AND ASTRONOMY VISUALIZING SPACE AND CLIMATE CHANGE

Our students impressed us with their incredible artistic talent in the World Space Week Art Contest! Under the theme "Space and Climate Change: A Visual Journey," students created diverse works, each reflecting a unique perspective on the beauty of Earth, the challenges of climate change, and the marvels of space exploration. From paintings to sculptures, the submissions showcased creativity and a deep understanding of the theme. After careful consideration, our winners are:

- 1st Place: **Laiba Altaf Ahmed Memon** (G10)
- 2nd Place: **Atika Balqis Sholeha** (G7)
- 3rd Place: **Zainab Hussain A ALhamdan** (G6)



Thank you to all participants for your inspiring artworks and congratulations to the winners!

DEBATE SHOWDOWN BOYS VS. GIRLS ON SPACE EXPLORATION



The World Space Week debate brought together a passionate group of grade 9 students to argue a critical question: “Resolved: The benefits of space exploration outweigh the costs to the environment.” Divided into two teams—boys as the affirmative and girls as the negative—students presented compelling arguments highlighting space activities' advancements, challenges, and environmental implications. After a lively exchange and insightful rebuttals, the boys' team emerged victorious, making a convincing case for the scientific and economic benefits of space exploration, despite its costs.

Congratulations to the boys, and a round of applause for all participants for their thorough research and spirited performance.





World Space Week: Inspiring Curiosity, Creativity, and Climate Awareness

World Space Week 2024 at Nada International School was an exciting journey into the frontiers of space and its essential role in our understanding of climate change.

Students from grades 4 through 12 participated in a range of activities designed to challenge their creativity, research skills, and critical thinking. Each project emphasized the connection between space exploration and the science behind climate change, inspiring young minds to consider how the mysteries of space can aid us in protecting our planet. The theme, "Space and Climate Change," encouraged students to explore how satellites, climate models, and international space policies play a role in tracking and addressing environmental challenges.

MILESTONES IN SPACE: A VISUAL HISTORY OF EXPLORATION

Students in grades 4-8 took on the challenge of creating infographics and timelines documenting humanity's journey in space. Their projects highlighted key missions, technological breakthroughs, and influential figures who have shaped space exploration. From early satellite launches to Mars rovers and climate-monitoring satellites, the visual displays brought history to life and underscored the impact of space exploration on modern science and culture. Congratulations to our infographic winners:

1st Place: Lama Mohamed Hassan (G8)

2nd Place: Atika Balqis Sholeha (G7)

3rd Place: Jana & Razan (G7)

We applaud all participants for their outstanding work and dedication!



Exploring Space to Save Earth

★ Student Research on Climate Change

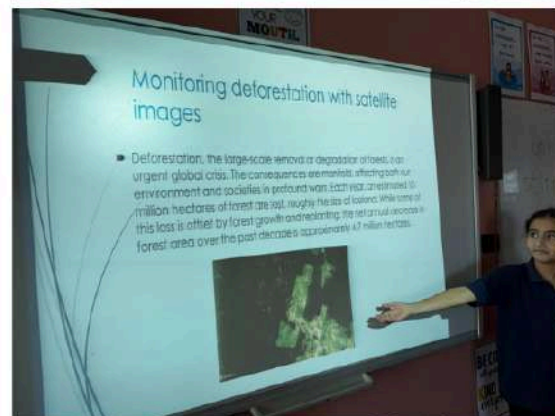
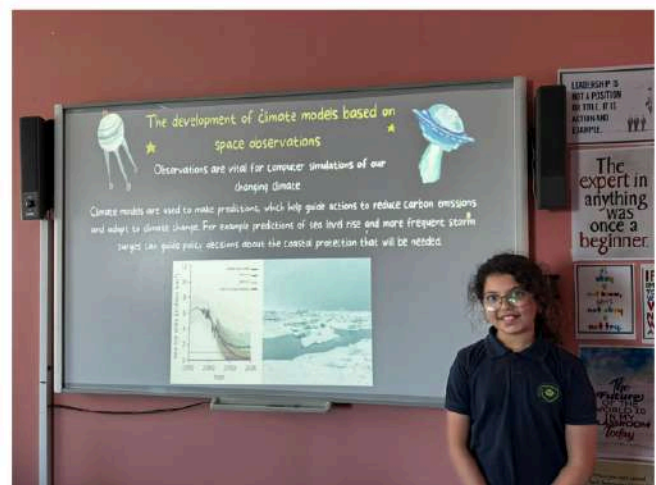
In the Research Project activity, students delved into how space exploration has advanced our understanding of climate change. With topics ranging from satellite-based climate monitoring to the impact of space technology on climate policy, each project demonstrated the valuable insights space exploration provides on environmental issues. Using visuals such as graphs and charts, students presented thorough analyses of space-based solutions to our planet's climate challenges. Our top research projects, recognized for depth of understanding and clarity, are as follows:

1st Place: Jood Ahmed S Al Abdulmohsen (G4)

2nd Place: Inaaya Ilahi (G5)

3rd Place: Hala Hany (G4)

Well done to all participants for their hard work, and congratulations to the winners!





FIRST AID WORKSHOP: EMPOWERING OUR STAFF

The NIS Health and Safety Committee, in collaboration with the Nada Safety and Security Department, recently organized a comprehensive First Aid Workshop for all staff members. This informative session aimed to equip our dedicated educators with essential first aid skills to respond effectively to various medical emergencies.

The workshop covered a wide range of topics, including:

1. Basic First Aid Procedures
2. CPR and AED Training
3. Managing Choking Emergencies
4. Treating Minor Injuries and Burns
5. Responding to Allergic Reactions

By empowering our staff with these vital skills, we aim to create a safer and more caring environment for our students and community. We are grateful to the Nada Safety and Security Department for their valuable expertise and support in organizing this successful workshop.



HUSSAM SOUKARIEH SHINES AT NATIONAL BADMINTON COMPETITION



We are incredibly proud to announce that Hussam Soukarieh from Grade 11 represented NIS at the MOE National Badminton Competition. Despite receiving very short notice and facing limited preparation time, Hussam displayed exceptional skill and determination.

Hussam qualified for the final stages of the competition, where he faced a formidable opponent from the Saudi National Team. While he ultimately fell short, his performance was nothing short of remarkable. His dedication and sportsmanship have made us all proud. Congratulations, Hussam, on your outstanding achievement! Your hard work and perseverance are an inspiration to us all.

Dear Mr Wajeed,
We hope you're well. We are writing to tell you that we, Grade 7 girls, would like to request a school trip to space. We understand that this request may be difficult to arrange; however, we'd appreciate it if you take this into consideration.
First of all, as students of science, we are fascinated by the topic of space. For this reason, going to space would offer an unmatched opportunity to engage students in your newly introduced STEM programme. Additionally, this trip would be able to enhance our knowledge of our planet and universe. Being in space would also inspire students to explore their ideas for their future.
Furthermore, taking your students to space would globally build Nada School's reputation. We could win big titles and awards. We would also be internationally recognized, which would attract plenty of scholars and pupils to Nada. As you know, the more people that enroll, the more money is made!
Lastly, this trip would mean the world to us! As well as developing our academic skills, it would impact our character traits. Examples of this could be building our self-esteem and widening our imagination. The huge personal effect this trip would have on all of us would be life-changing. It would be an unforgettable memory that we'd be able to cherish forever.
In conclusion, a trip to space would benefit us academically and would benefit the school financially. This trip would provide uncountable opportunities to learn things related to galaxies, stars, planets, astronauts, life in space, etc. We really hope you take this matter into consideration.

Yours sincerely,
Grade 7G



PHONICS FUN

KG2 Students Embrace "Read and Color"

During phonics session, our KG2 students participated in an exciting "Read and Color" activity. The children practiced reading simple words independently, and after successfully reading each word, they got to color in the corresponding box. This interactive approach not only reinforced their word recognition and phonics skills but also added an element of fun to their reading practice.

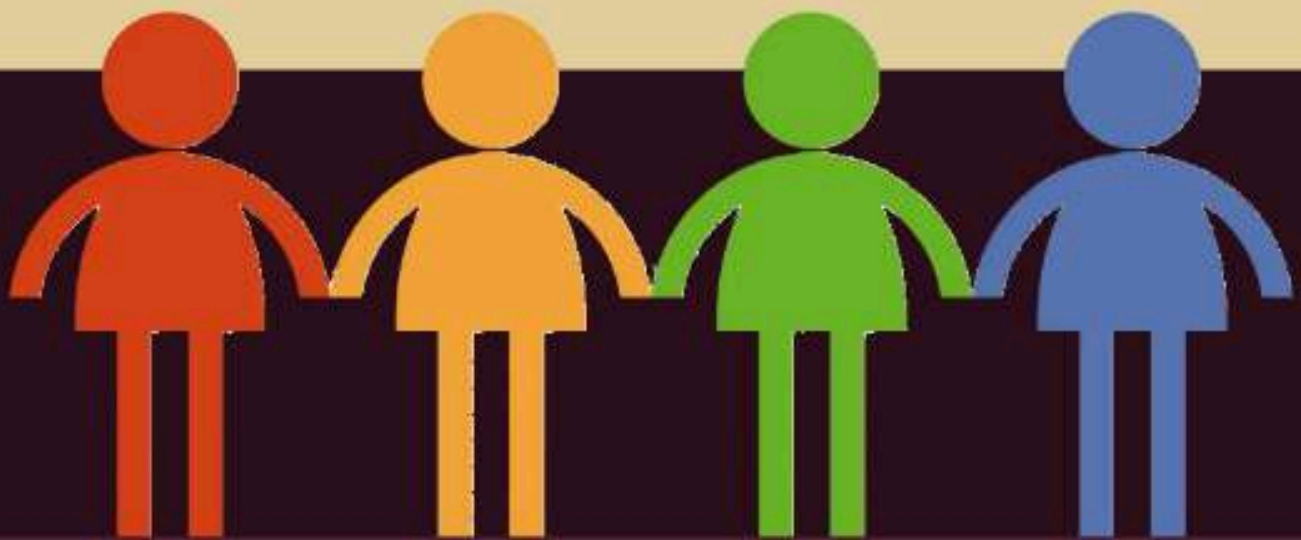
This hands-on method encourages active engagement, helping students build confidence in their reading abilities while enjoying the process. We are proud of their progress and enthusiasm during these sessions!



Are You Interested to Join

Student Council?

Let's Join Today & Make a Difference



**Make Your
Voices to be
Heard**

**Last call for the
submission of
applications**

**Tuesday,
22nd October, 2024**

**For more information, Please see :
Mr. Muhammad Shabbir
mohammads@nadaschool.edu.sa**

Congratulations Jowan!!!



A huge round of applause to Jowan, our amazing Grade 6 student, who spelled her way to the 1st runner-up position at the Eurasian Spelling Bee!

Competing against over 100 contestants from around the world, Jowan soared through the challenge and has made both Nada International School and Saudi Arabia incredibly proud!

Her hard work, dedication, and fierce determination set her apart in this highly competitive international event. Jowan's outstanding achievement reflects her drive to be the best in everything she does. You've truly flown the NIS flag high, Jowan, and we're all bursting with pride!

Congratulations again, Jowan! We can't wait to see what amazing things you accomplish next!





Pink October

Wearing Pink with Purpose

Support, Awareness, Action

Monday 21 October

Pink October is an annual campaign dedicated to raising awareness about breast cancer, supporting those affected by it, and remembering those we've lost.

PINK OCTOBER AT NIS

In honor of Breast Cancer Awareness Month, NIS joined the global community in raising awareness about this important cause. We hosted a special event organized by the Nursing College Team of King Saud Bin Abdulaziz University for Medical Sciences.

Our students had a wonderful time learning about breast cancer, its prevention, and early detection. They participated in a variety of fun and engaging activities, including informative presentations, interactive games, and creative workshops.

To show our support, both students and staff dressed in pink, turning our campus into a sea of pink. This vibrant display of solidarity helped spread awareness and encouraged open conversations about women's health. We are grateful to the Nursing College Team for their valuable contributions and for making this event a memorable experience for our students.



كلية التمريض - الأحساء
@CONA_KSAU

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نظمت وحدة خدمة المجتمع بكلية التمريض في جامعة كساو - فرع الأحساء، اليوم الموافق 21 أكتوبر 2024، نشاطًا توعويًا في مدرسة ندى العالمية بمناسبة اليوم العالمي لسرطان الثدي. تضمن النشاط محاضرة تفصيلية و أنشطة ترفيهية تم من خلاله تعليم الطالبات الطريقة الصحيحة لفحص الثدي باستخدام الدمى

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A student council is a group of elected and volunteer students working together with an adult advisor within the framework of a constitution to provide a means for students' expression and assistance in school affairs and activities and give opportunities for student experience in leadership. Student Council works to

- Promote citizenship
- Promote leadership
- Promote human relations
- Promote cultural values

The student council has been designed in a way to allow students to work in specialized committees, please see the committees & their mentors for this year.

1. Culture & Diversity Committee (Mr. Muhammad Shabbir)
2. Media Committee (Mrs. Rebecca Rodrigues)
3. Innovation & Creativity Committee (Mrs. Sara Al-Khadour)
4. Sustainability Committee (Miss Ratana Nayeck)



MR. SHERIFD
BOYS

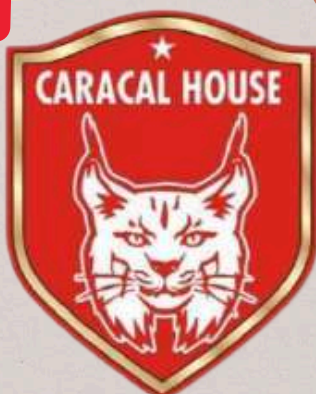
BOYS



MRS. FAREEDA
GIRLS

Nis Houses

MR. KHALID
BOYS



MRS. STEPHANIE
GIRLS

MR. YOSHIN
BOYS



MRS. KHUSHBAKHT
GIRLS

TECH-ENHANCED LEARNING

A HARMONIOUS BLEND OF SCIENCE AND SOUND

At NIS, we're committed to providing our students with engaging and innovative learning experiences. Recently, Mr. Aleksander's Science classes took a deep dive into the world of sound, utilizing technology to enhance understanding.

By employing a Sound Frequency Analyzer, students were able to visualize the pitch of guitar strings as they were plucked. Through a computer simulation of a guitar, they explored the relationship between string tension, vibration frequency, and pitch. This hands-on approach allowed students to directly observe and understand complex scientific concepts.

By integrating technology into our curriculum, we're empowering our students to become active learners and critical thinkers.



EXPLORING AND LEARNING BEYOND THE CLASSROOM

PRIMARY AND ELC FIELD TRIPS

Our Primary and Early Learning Center (ELC) students recently enjoyed exciting field trips designed to combine fun with hands-on learning! The Primary students ventured to Al Othaim Mall, where they explored new environments and engaged in activities that promoted teamwork and responsibility.



This outing provided them with an opportunity to practice social skills and see different aspects of the local community. Meanwhile, our youngest learners in the ELC had a fantastic time at Toy Town! Surrounded by vibrant colors and interactive play stations, they enjoyed a day filled with activities designed to enhance their motor skills, creativity, and sense of wonder.



Both trips were a wonderful success, leaving our students with cherished memories and new insights. We look forward to more adventures that foster learning beyond the classroom!

Happy Teacher's Day

We would like to express our sincere gratitude to all our wonderful students and parents for their warm wishes on Teacher's Day. Your thoughtful gestures and continued support mean the world to us. Your kind words and generous gifts have filled our hearts with joy and motivation.

We also extend a special thanks to the Staff Moral Committee for the lovely gifts. Your thoughtfulness and dedication to boosting staff morale are truly appreciated.

Thank you once again for making Teacher's Day so special. We are truly blessed to have such a supportive community.



PIZZA DAY!

Last month, NIS was abuzz with the delicious aroma of freshly baked pizza. Our annual Pizza Day was a huge success, combining fun, learning, and community service.

Our youngest learners, the ELC students, had a hands-on experience, baking their own mini pizzas. They learned about ingredients, measurements, and the baking process, all while having a blast.

Meanwhile, our senior students took on the role of event organizers, contributing to their community service hours. They helped set up the sale, manage the crowd, and ensure a smooth operation. We're grateful to everyone who participated and made Pizza Day a memorable event.

A Slice of Fun and Learning



FROM OPINION TO DEBATE

A 5th-Grade Journey

Our 5th-grade learners have embarked on an exciting journey from expressing personal opinions to engaging in stimulating debates. This transformative process has not only honed their critical thinking skills but also fostered a spirit of collaboration and teamwork.



SPELLING BEE

Our school recently hosted a thrilling Spelling Bee competition, where primary and intermediate students showcased their linguistic prowess. The event was filled with excitement, as participants tackled challenging words with confidence and accuracy.

Congratulations to all the participants for their hard work and dedication. A special shoutout to our winners who emerged victorious.

The Spelling Bee competition not only celebrates the power of words but also encourages a love for language and learning. We are proud of our students' achievements and look forward to many more such events in the future.

GRADE 5

1. RAWEN BEN TAQUS
2. MERNA FUTAIM
3. CARMEN MUHAMMED
4. TALIEH YAHIA



GRADE 6

1. MOHAMMAD ESSA
2. ZAID EYAD
3. HAMZA BEN MBAREK
4. DAWOOD ABDULNASIR



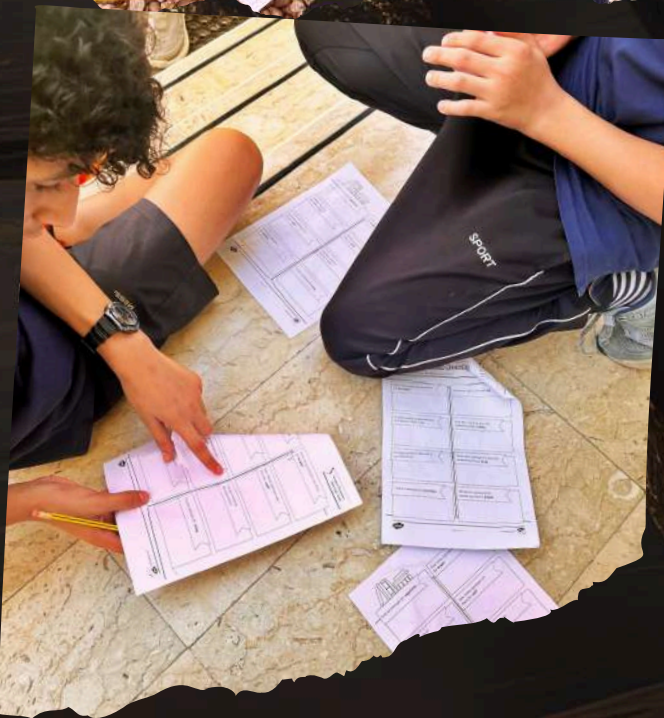
GRADE 7

1. ABDULAZIZ AL SULTAN
2. ABDULLAH AL MULHIM
3. AHMED MOHAMED
4. TAIM ALLAH YAHIA



Scavenger Hunt A Fun Way to Learn!

Our Grade 8 boys had a blast exploring the school grounds and learning new vocabulary during our recent Scavenger Hunt. This outdoor activity was designed to make learning engaging and exciting. Students were divided into teams and given a list of words and synonyms to find around the school. They had to locate objects, places, and natural elements that matched the vocabulary words. This hands-on approach helped them solidify their understanding of the new words and improve their vocabulary skills. The Scavenger Hunt was a great way to promote outdoor learning and encourage teamwork. It was a fun and effective way to enhance students' language skills and create lasting memories.






Primary Careers Day



مسابقة الإملاء باللغة العربية

أقيمت مؤخراً مسابقة الإملاء العربية السنوية بمشاركة طلاب المرحلة الابتدائية والمتوسطة. وقد شهدت المسابقة منافسة شديدة بين المشاركين الذين أظهروا مهاراتهم اللغوية العالية. هدفت المسابقة إلى تعزيز مهارات الإملاء والكتابة العربية لدى الطلاب، وتحفيزهم على الاهتمام باللغة العربية. كما أنها فرصة لتطوير مهارات الاستماع والتركيز. وقد تم تكريم الفائزين بجوائز قيمة، معربين عن شكرهم وتقديرهم للمشاركين جميعاً على جهودهم المتميزة.



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WISHING YOU ALL
A WONDERFUL

Fall
Holiday!

8/11/2024 – 16/11/2024