



أكاديمية ديار الخاصة
DIYAR PRIVATE ACADEMY
• FUJAIRAH • DIBBA



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NEWSLETTER

30th September 2025



Message from the Principal

Dear Families,

Welcome back to a brand-new school year! It has been wonderful to see our students return full of energy, smiles, and excitement for the year ahead (not to mention the teachers!). A special welcome as well to our new families who are joining us for the first time—we are delighted to have you as part of our school community.

The first days of school have been filled with enthusiasm, curiosity, and the joy of learning. Our teachers and staff have worked hard to ensure a smooth start, and it has been inspiring to see classrooms already buzzing with activity and engagement.

As we move forward, I would like to highlight the importance of punctuality and attendance. Arriving at school on time each day ensures that students begin their learning without disruption, while consistent attendance gives them the very best chance to succeed academically and socially. Every lesson is important, and we will be teaching at every opportunity—before and after assessments, and right up until the very last day of school. Every day truly makes a difference, and together we can set strong habits that will benefit our students for years to come.

We look forward to a year of growth, achievement, and memorable experiences together. With the support of our dedicated staff, our committed families, and our amazing students, I am confident that this year will be a truly successful one.

Here's to a fantastic start and an exciting journey ahead!



Wellbeing

The transition across Pre-K to Grade 12 during the first week felt overwhelming for many students, with new routines, unfamiliar environments, and shifting expectations creating uncertainty. Younger students, especially those in KG1 experienced separation distress, while older students may have felt the pressure of academic and social adjustments. For Grade 6 students moving from elementary to middle school, the shift brought new challenges such as managing multiple teachers, moving for each lesson, increasing academic responsibilities, and navigating more complex peer dynamics. Similarly, high school students, particularly those entering Grades 9 and 11, faced the pressure of preparing for more rigorous academics, future career decisions, and balancing social expectations. By the fifth week, however, most students began to settle into their routines, develop relationships with peers and staff, and are navigating their schedules with greater confidence. The school community is starting to feel more cohesive, and a sense of belonging is beginning to emerge as students adapt and gain comfort in their learning environment.



KG Section

We've had a wonderful start, and students have settled into kindergarten! Our young learners are making great progress with their letters, numbers, and classroom routines. The school's first kindergarten library has been open for a few weeks, and the students thoroughly enjoy attending. Inside the library, they practice skills using RAZ Kidz, listen to a story, and participate in independent, partner, and guided reading. Ask your child about their favorite part of the week!

- Please remember to check Class Dojo for resources and plans that are sent weekly.
- Please reiterate what students are learning at home. Thanks for all that you do.



• PRE-K





• KG 1



• KG 2





Elementary Section - Grades 1-5

- **What a Fabulous Start!**

The children are now very well settled, and it is wonderful to see the strong relationships forming between teachers and students. I've observed some lovely things happening across Elementary, and it's clear that the children are happy, engaged, and ready to learn.

We've also had an exciting start to the term with our Eco-Warriors being chosen and our School Council beginning their work. These opportunities give our students a real voice and help them develop responsibility, leadership, and pride in their school community.

The photos below show some of our Talk for Writing hooks and the exciting investigations taking place in class. We have also launched our House Point campaign and introduced Wellness Wednesday assemblies, which the children are really enjoying.

In addition, certificates Times Table Rock Stars have been awarded congratulations to all the children who have achieved success! We are so proud of their hard work and determination.

A huge thank you to all staff for the energy, enthusiasm, and commitment you've shown in making the start of this school year such a success. I look forward to seeing all the wonderful learning and achievements that lie ahead

House points:





Talk for writing Hook:



Running dictation

Hook Your Reader

3A
Investigate
Evaluate
Create

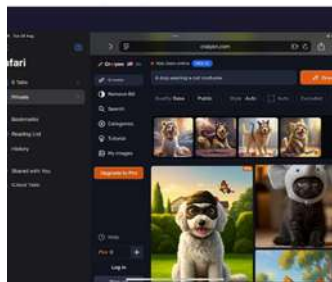
Glue Questions to ask yourself:

1. Which animal has pokey spikes?
2. Which part of your body can be mooshy and soft and helps us think?
3. Which animals are nocturnal?
4. Think of animals that are brown in color and small.



Hook: Students act as though they are at the entrance of a fairground. They line up to "buy tickets," pretend to get stamps and get ready for a fun day at the fair

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Eco warrior:





Timetable rockstar





Middle & High School - Grades 6-12

Dear Parents and Guardians,

It has been a busy and exciting start to the year in Middle and High School, and I am delighted to share a few highlights with you.

We began the term by establishing strong routines and clear expectations to ensure a focused and supportive learning environment. In High School, students are already enjoying their new elective classes, while across both phases we have elected our Head Girl and Student Council – an important step in developing leadership and student voice at Diyar.

The IMYC Homeroom Challenges have brought creativity and teamwork to life, with 6A and 8C leading the way and winning best participation for their projects and model villages – well done!

We have also hosted two parent events and I would like to sincerely thank those of you who attended. Your support and involvement mean a great deal as we work together for the success of our students.

As for me, I am very proud to have joined the Diyar family this year as Head of Secondary. My hope is to build on our shared values, strengthen the partnership between home and school, and provide our students with every opportunity to succeed both academically and personally.

Looking ahead, we are preparing for the October Parent-Teacher Conferences, the half-term break, and the second wave of homeroom projects, which will link to the UN Sustainable Development Goals – a powerful way for our students to connect their learning to real-world issues.

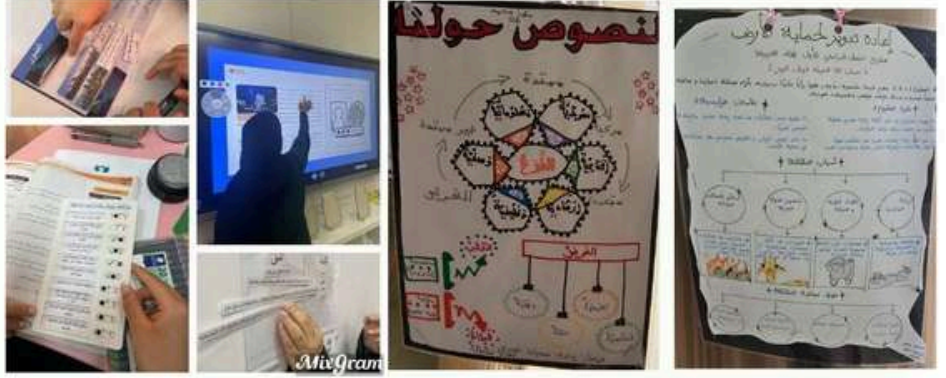




اللغة العربية:

نود ان نشارككم بكل فخر بعضاً من إنجازات أبنائنا خلال هذا الشهر، لقد اظهر الطلاب حماساً كبيراً في الدراسة.

في مادة اللغة العربية،
تميّزوا في التعبير عن
أفكارهم شفويًا وكتابيًا،
وشاركوا بنشاط في
مناقشات الدروس، مما
ساعدهم على تنمية
مهارات القراءة والكتابة
بأسلوب مبدع وواضح.



وفي مادة التربية الإسلامية، أبدع
الطلاب في التفاعل والمشاركة،
حيث احتفلنا معاً بذكرى المولد
النبي الشريف، وكانت الإذاعة
المدرسية من تقديم الطالبات
الذين تألقوا بأفكارهم المبدعة
والمعبرة. كما بدأ الطلاب في
تقديم عروض متميزة في الصف،
عكست مدى فهمهم وابتكارهم.



أما في مادة الدراسات
الاجتماعية، فقد أظهر
الطلاب وعياً كبيراً بالمفاهيم
المتعلقة بالموطنة والهوية
الوطنية، وشاركوا في أنشطة
صافية عززت من فهمهم
للمجتمع من حولهم،
وساهمت في تطوير مهارات
التفكير النقدي والتحليل.



ونحن فخورون بما وصل إليه أبنائنا من تطور ملحوظ، ونقدر دعمكم المتواصل الذي يسهم
في تحقيق هذا النجاح. مع خالص الشكر لتعاونكم المستمر،
قسم اللغة العربية



Events:

Kids Dental Health Checkup Campaign – AISHARQ HOSPITAL



Book Fair – Sep 29th until Oct 2nd – Kiddos Publishing





Upcoming events - October

2nd

Book Festival Day

3rd

Book Character Day

6th

World Teacher's Day

8th - 9th

Parent - Teacher Conferences

10th

Pink Day
(Breast Cancer Awareness)

24th

University Fair

31th

Spelling Bee