

GEMS WESTMINSTER SCHOOL, SHARJAH



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10th December, 2020



Message from the Principal/CEO Ms. Valerie Thompson

Dear WSS Parents,

As we come to the end of Term 1 & 2020, may I wish all our WSS community a very Happy New Year! Huge thanks to all the team of SPEA, Students, Parents, Teachers

& Admin. Staff who have worked so hard together to ensure our children's safety, wellbeing & continuing learning. Well done & blessings to all for a more peaceful, safe & Happy New Year!

'Excellence Through Teamwork; Success for all!'



Recycle your clean, plastic water bottles at WSS! The Nestle Recycling Challenge is here for all students and staff. We have currently 2 recycling boxes situated at the Bus Bay entrance and the Main Entrance waiting for your Empty clean PET1 Plastic Water Bottles. Please collect as many as possible and bring into school and deposit in the large clean Green Recycle Boxes. Last year we collected 54,000 in 4 weeks! Let's protect the environment and show the world what great recyclers we are!

#respect #communityspirit #neighborliness #motivation
@WSSGivesUpPlastic @NestleRecycleChallenge

Dates for Your Diary

Date	Details
Wed. 25th Nov- Thurs 10th Dec inclusive	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> T1 exams KG1-G9 will go home at 10:30am after their exam G10-12 have exams in January, so will stay for normal lessons until 1:30pm
Friday 11th Dec. until Sat. 2nd Jan. 2021	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> School closed for students for Winter Break (3 weeks) Cashier & Registration Offices open throughout on working days (except 24/12), 8am-3:30pm. Thursday 24/12/20; school closed. Cashier open on Sat. 2nd January, 8am-1pm for convenient T2 Fee payment.
Sunday 3rd Jan 2021	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> T2 starts for students. KG timings will be 8am-11am (extended by 30 minutes) T2 fees due by latest Sunday 3rd January.
Tues. 16th Feb until Saturday 20th Feb.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> School closed for Mid-Term 2 Break

The new WSS website is now live!

<https://www.gemswestminsterschool-sharjah.com/>



Our Vision; 'Excellence Through Teamwork; Success For All'

For details of policies & procedures, please refer to our Parent Handbook found at: <https://media.gemseducation.com/media/58401/parent-handbook-3620.pdf>



Whole School News; Thank you, dear Parents!



Whole School News; Recycle for your Environment!



مدرسة جيمس وستمنستر الشارقة
GEMS Westminster School
SHARJAH



Dear WSS Family,

Subject; Partnerships for the Environment – Recycling Initiative

We are proud to announce that we have joined *Simply Bottles Recycling Initiative by DGrade.*

Simply Bottles is a DGrade initiative that involves working with schools to prevent plastic water bottles from going into landfill, and increases recycling rates through education, engagement and by facilitating plastic collection. We provide a solution and make sure your plastic is collected and up-cycled into clothing and accessories.

You can take part as well and involve your family, friends & neighbours by bringing your clean, empty plastic water bottles (PET #1) to WSS for recycling. We have placed special dedicated bins in school.

By Participating in this initiative we can help children to better understand the impact of plastic pollution and the benefits of recycling.

Drop off your clean, empty plastic water bottles in the WSS recycling bin today! Help us to support our school's sustainability goals & create a future generation of Eco-ambassadors!



Website: www.dgrade.com
Instagram: [@dgradeclimbing](https://www.instagram.com/dgradeclimbing)
Facebook: DGrade



Are you using effectively?

Here are some Pro tips from our students and staff members to save your time:

TIP 1 – Search for a specific phrase or group of words by enclosing them in **quotation marks**. (“ ”)

Example: A search for **“photosynthesis in plants”** will yield a list of pages containing that exact phrase.

TIP 2 – Search for multiple words using a *plus sign*.

Example: Typing **growth+mindset** will return pages that contain both of the words- growth and mindset, even if they aren’t located together on the page.

TIP 3 – Looking for authentic information on a particular site? Confine your search to a single website with the *site:* command.

Example: Typing **“how to install teams” site:microsoft.com** will yield pages only from the website microsoft.com.

TIP 4 – Use Google as a dictionary by using the *define* command.

Example: Type **define:inclement** and you’ll be provided with the dictionary definition of the word *inclement*.

TIP 5 – Tired of seeing a particular site with articles for your search results? Remove entire site with *minus(-) sign*. Remember to press space after the term.

Example **Photosynthesis -site:wikipedia.org** this will from that site. No more Wiki articles.

TIP 6 – Looking for a specific type of file? Search for specific file types by using the *filetype:*

Example: Searching for **grammar filetype:pdf** will find nothing but .pdf files related to the grammar. You can search for any file type you can think of just by changing the filetype!

TIP 7 – Use Google as a calculator by typing your *math problems* in the search box.

Example #1: Type **1253.74*4.2** and Google will immediately tell you that the answer.

Example #2: Type **24.3+(3725/7)-8** and Google will answer with **548.442857143**.



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**WE'RE
MOVING**

*threads*TM RETAIL SHOP AT
Juma Aman Bldg. (Al Nadha 1-Dubai)
WILL BE CLOSED FROM 10th DEC 2020.

TO BURJUMAN MALL

*threads*TM BIGGEST
NEW CONCEPT SHOWROOM.
OPENING ON **THUR, 24th DEC 2020.**

📍 Shop #: 1001-1003. LEVEL - 2. Opp. Brands for Less.

New Store Features:

- More Billing Counters & Fitting Rooms.
- Dedicated Service Area for each School.
- Token System Integrated with SMS Facility (First Come First Serve).
- Dedicated Customer Support Team.
- Adequate Waiting Area (to follow Social Distancing Measures).
- Ample Parking.
- Open 7 days a Week from 10am to 10pm.



GEMS Westminster School – Sharjah uniforms will be available at the New Threads Store at Burjuman Mall and also at Rameez Mall - Sharjah



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& GET IN 8-10 WORKING DAYS.**



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Dressing up the Future World Leaders

WSS Superstar Champions!



Chess Champion Viswajeeth (G4D1) has won 6 matches out of 10 in a local Chess Championship! Congratulations!



Winners of Mr. Andrew's 'Random Act of Kindness' award!



Our wonderfully dedicated Medical Team were sent flowers by Corporate Office, in recognition of their continuous hard work to ensure that the WSS community remains as safe as possible. At times, we feel that the Authorities' rules & requests for documents are challenging. However, these are for our safety & we appreciate the Medical Team's care of us all. Thank you Doctors & Nurses, our frontline team!

WSS Superstar Literary Champions!

WSS LITERACY NEWS

Literary news with Ms. Siji



BEST READERS OF TERM 1



BHIPESH SUNEEL 7BF2



EVAN SHIBU 6BD1



SAIF ELLAFY 7BF2



YOUNAS WAQAS 6BD2



HANA MOHAMED 6 GF



RIDA ZAINAB 6GH



NADA ELNADI 6 GF



JOELIE ABDALLAH 6 GS



- AHMED ARAFAT 6 BF1
- MUHAMMAD HADI 7 BS1
- ALI TABISH 7 BS1
- SELLAPPERUMAGE TRISTEN 7 BS2
- MANAHIL ALI 6 GD

Sai Prakash Alokkan (G9BH)



WSS Superstar Literary Champions!

WSS Authors' Corner

The Little Dinosaur – Hamad Al Deep 6 BS1

(Story writing competition winner)

As I woke up in this sunny day, I heard the loud noises of the dinosaurs. And a beam of light that blinded me. As I went to put on my clothes I was caught up on the excitement of my new adventure. I went out for a walk and went to the diplococuses biome. It was very beautiful as I saw the green grass and the giant animals itself. As I was walking by one of the diplococuses I saw a blue spotted egg shaking on the ground, as it was about to hatch. I was very caught up in excitement that I totally forgot about the mother. She roared loud like a car's horn. And then pulled her hatchling away from me. Out of curiosity I walked behind the baby's mother. As she walked into a biome where there were thick leaves which made the weather get more humid. As I walked into that biome I saw the mother place down the hatchling in a small nest made out of leaves. I quickly crawled into the hatchlings nest to see nature and its way. After a couple of minutes, the egg started vibrating again. With a pulsating heart beat and with a feeling of joy, I watched the newborn hatch, as it saw the glimpse of light and the warm weather it smiled in joy. I raised my hand up to reach the dinosaur's head it pushed itself towards my hand. As the happiness was between the both of us the mother came back and was furious. I ran as fast as I could but my heart was racing with me. I quickly hid between two odd looking rocks and sat there. As the mother forgot about me I sneaked pass the biome to get back to my home. All the memories that had happened gave me an exciting feeling. I can't wait for tomorrow's adventure. It will be so much fun. In the meantime, I need to recharge my energy.

THE END.



RECOMMENDED
BOOK
JANE EYRE
BY
CHARLOTTE BRONTE

Jane Eyre is a young orphan being raised by Mrs. Raced, her cruel wealthy aunt. Mrs. Raced and her children treat Jane cruelly and look down on her as a dependent. In the novel there are five distinct stages of Jane's growth from childhood to final maturity. The novel also contains a strong sense of morality at its core.

Literary news with Ms. Siji

STORY WRITING COMPETITION WINNERS



HAMAD - 6 BS1



YOSRA - 6 GH



QUSAI - 8 BD1



OMAR -8 BH1



AALA - 7 GD

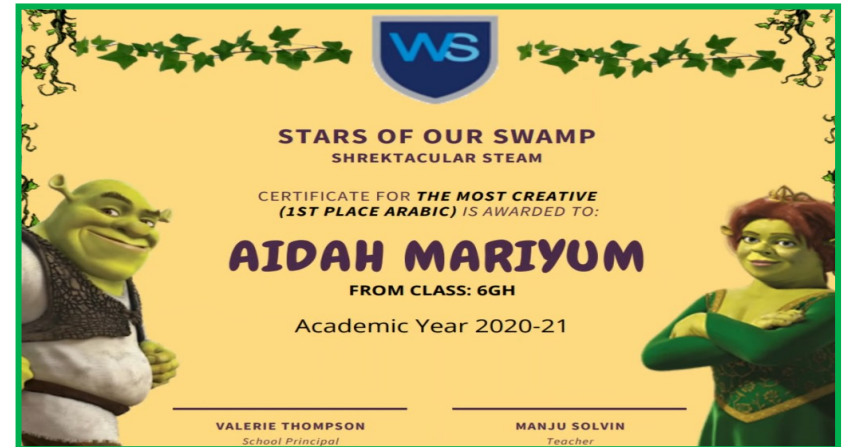


ARDRA - 6 GH

WSS Superstar Champions!



Aadir Nawab Khan
Grade 9 BH
For going the extramiles in contributing to
the school activities



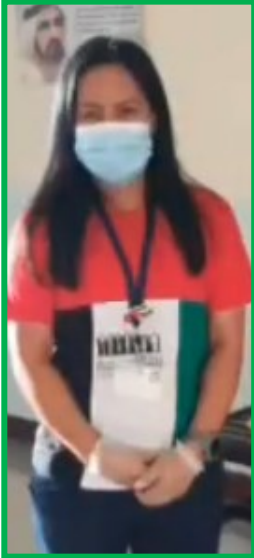
☞ The most important gifts you can give your child are a **quality education** and the **values** that will guide them through life ☞

Sunny Varkey

Whole School News



VP Mr. Andrew attended a SPEA SIA meeting on 24/11/20 with Sharjah Principals to share strategies for continuing successful learning during and after COVID with the Sharjah learning community. Ms. Lynn, our SPEA School Improvement Advisor led the meeting.



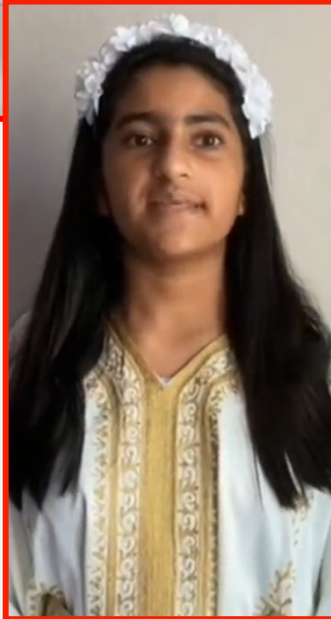
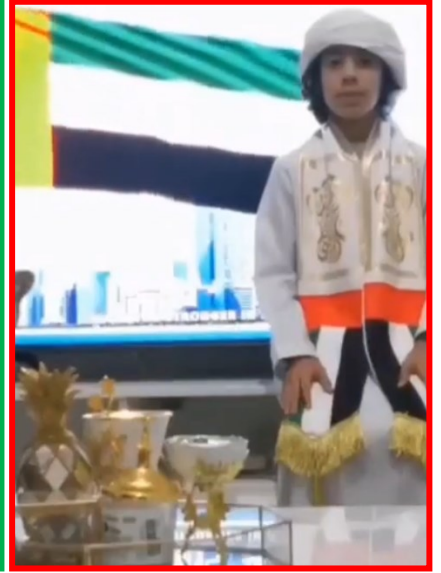
WSS celebrated the 49th UAE National Day on 29/11/20



Whole School News; Happy 49th UAE National Day!



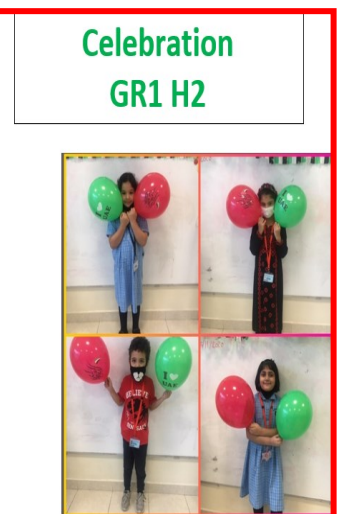
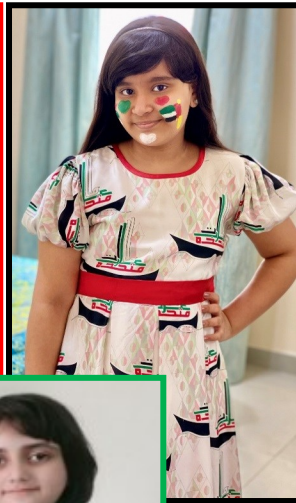
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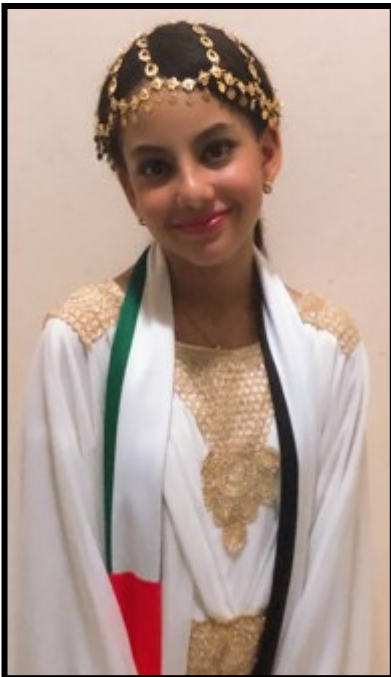
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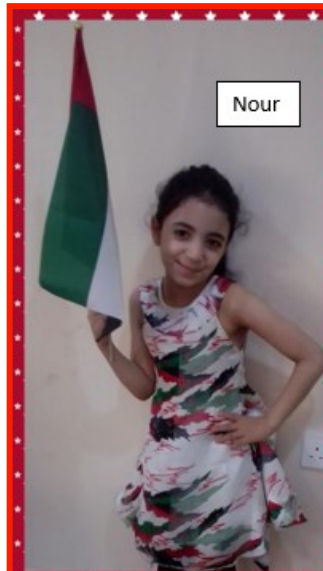
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Wonderful confident video speech about the UAE National Day by Nimra (KG2H2).
Below, G4F2 with Ms. Shabana



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Gleeve



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Abraham

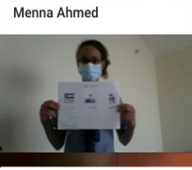

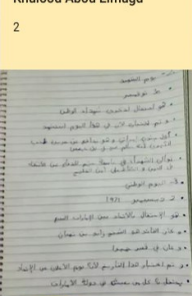


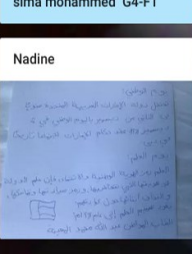






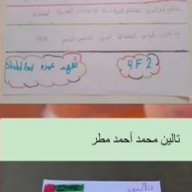





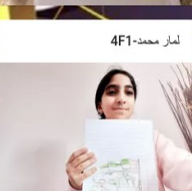

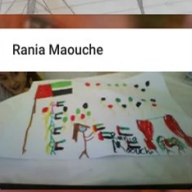

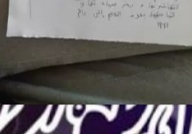





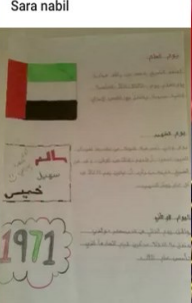



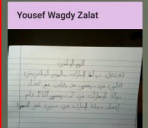



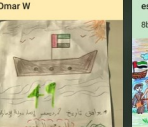
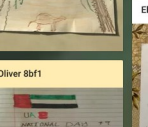








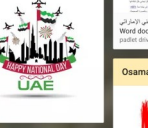
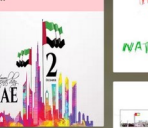






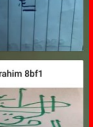
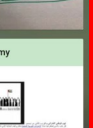


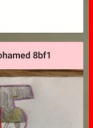
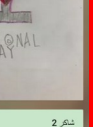






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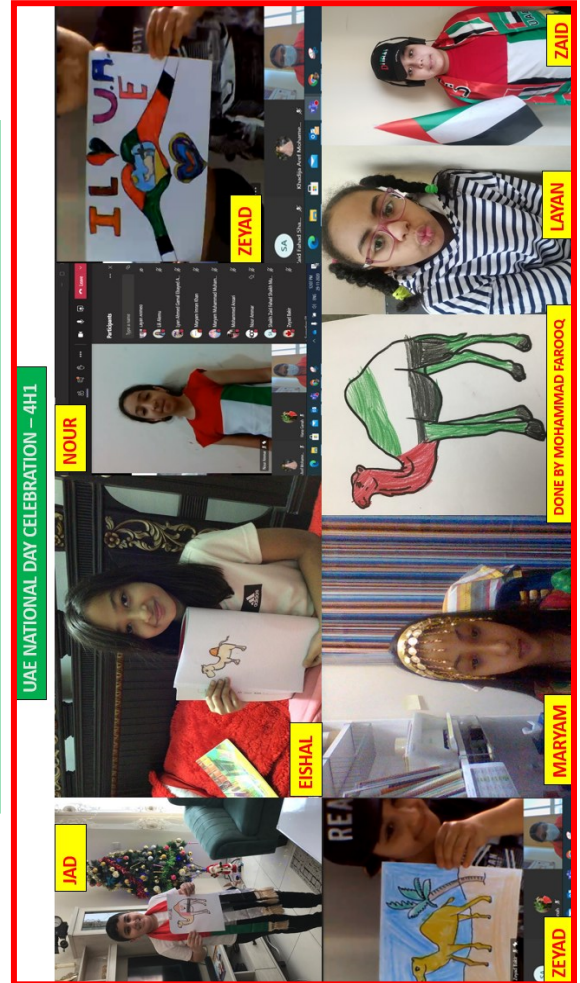
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<p>Menna Ahmed</p>  <p>لنار</p>  <p>Khuloud Abou Elmagd 2</p>  <p>Khuloud Abou Elmagd 1</p>  <p>تالين محمد أحمد مطر</p>  <p>sima mohammed G4-F1</p> <p>Nadine</p> 	<p>Farah Ayoub</p>  <p>اليوم الوطني</p>  <p>SEEDS OF THE UNION 49th Anniversary of the UAE</p> <p>اليوم الوطني الإماراتي 49</p>  <p>سما أحمد</p>  <p>رانيا محسن يوم العلم</p>  <p>شهد عمرو</p>  <p>تالين محمد أحمد مطر</p>  <p>سما محمد أحمد مطر</p> 	<p>heba abdufatah</p>  <p>مايا أمين</p>  <p>منة الله يوم الوطني 49</p>  <p>Laila Ahmed</p>  <p>لما محمد-4F1</p>  <p>لما محمد-4F1</p>  <p>Rania Maouche</p>  <p>ريمان خالد</p>  <p>Haya Mohannad</p> 	<p>matab</p>  <p>Happy National Day UNITED ARAB EMIRATES</p> <p>Hend</p>  <p>فاطمة مغدلي 7GD1</p> <p>المناسبات الوطنية في دولة الإمارات العربية المتحدة</p> <p>يوم العهود</p> <p>يوم التأسيس</p> <p>يوم العلم</p> <p>المناسبات الوطنية في دولة الإمارات العربية المتحدة</p> <p>Word document padlet drive</p> <p>رانيا محسن يوم العلم</p>  <p>Rania Maouche</p>  <p>ريمان خالد</p>  <p>Sara nabil</p> 	<p>Kerolos Ibrahim bf1</p>  <p>yassin emad</p>  <p>Eyad tamer</p>  <p>7bd1 yazan mohannad</p> <p>يوم الوطني الإماراتي</p> <p>Yousef Wagdy Zalat</p>  <p>Mohamed Ali 2</p>  <p>Ahmed abouelmagd</p> <p>يوم الوطني الإماراتي</p> <p>Eyad tamer</p>  <p>Mohamed Ali 1</p>  <p>يوم العلم FLAG DAY November 3 - نوفمبر 3</p>	<p>Omar W</p>  <p>Oliver 8bf1</p>  <p>yousef tameemi-8bf1 UAE 49th NATIONAL DAY</p>  <p>7bd1 yazan mohannad</p> <p>يوم الوطني الإماراتي</p> <p>Amir Ahmed Shawky 7bf1</p>  <p>Mohamed Ali 2</p>  <p>Ahmed abouelmagd</p> <p>يوم الوطني الإماراتي</p> <p>Eyad tamer</p>  <p>Mohamed Ali 1</p>  <p>يوم العلم FLAG DAY November 3 - نوفمبر 3</p>	<p>islam mohamed 8bf1</p>  <p>Elie bechhalany</p>  <p>BS27 زاهر يوم الوطني يوم العلم</p>  <p>Yassin</p>  <p>Mark</p>  <p>Osman Mohamed 8bf1</p>  <p>Omar Nagaty Sallam</p>  <p>Yousef Wagdy Zalat</p>  <p>1 شكار</p>  <p>Mohamed Ali 1</p> 	<p>Mohammed Mahdi</p>  <p>Kerolos Ibrahim 8bf1</p>  <p>Omar Fahmy</p>  <p>Osama</p>  <p>UAE NATIONAL DAY</p>  <p>Osman Mohamed 8bf1</p>  <p>UAE NATIONAL DAY</p>  <p>Omar Nagaty Sallam</p>  <p>Yousef Wagdy Zalat</p>  <p>1 شكار</p>  <p>Mohamed Ali 1</p> 
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With Ms. Heba

Whole School News; Happy 49th UAE National Day!



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KG2H1 celebrating the UAE National Day.

My Futuristic UAE
M.Ali G1D1

يوم الوطني الامارات

اليوم الوطني الاماراتي يوم الثاني من ديسمبر كل عام. وتحتفل فيه دولة الامارات العربية المتحدة بذكرى قيام اتحادها الذي تأسس عام 1971.

اتفق حكام الامارات السبع على الاتحاد فيما بينهم حيث اقر دستور مؤقت ينظم الدولة ويحدد اصولها.

في 18 يوليو 1971م قرر حكام ست امارات المتحالفة هي ابوظبي ودبي والشارقة وعجمان وام القيوين والفجيرة تكوين دولة الامارات العربية المتحدة. وفي 2 ديسمبر تم الاعلان رسمياً عن تأسيس دولة اتحادية مستقلة ذات سيادة. وفي العاشر فبراير اعلنت امانة رأس الخيمة انضمامها للاتحاد ليكتمل عقد الامارات السبع في الارواحد. ثم اخذت تندمج تدريجياً بشكل ايجابي بكل امكاناتها.

الذكر الوطني

ذكرى انشاء دولة الامارات الذي تحققت عام "1971"، و قد صرنا واحدة من ارض الصعاليان التي تقام سنوياً في دبي وقيام فيها عرمان واختلافات و تبايناً قديماً كافة المطاعم والمقاصي ويجدهنا اليوم يوم يضر به كل مواطن اماراتي وتتلوه الصمحة اركان ايمارة دبي .

قيام في هذا اليوم :-

1- **التراث النابغة**
الذي يمتد من سمرقند الى حجاز

فانه يجرم على تقديم فعاليات مميزة تليق بالعيد الوطني .

2- **التراث العالمي**
التي تقدم عروض رائعة يتخلله اطلاق عدد كبير من البالونات النارية لانه ضافة الى المسيرات والاحتفالات المميزة ، والايديا الضاممة التي تجسد روح الاتحاد.

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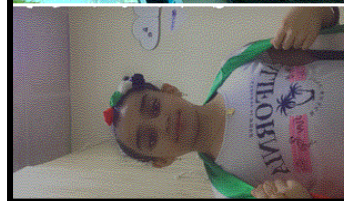
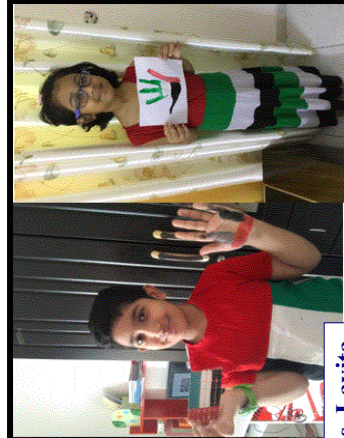
- **الاتحاد**
التأكيد على أن يتم الدولة الاتحادية هو الهوية الأساسية.
- **المساج**
الامارات دولة التسامح التي فيها تلتهم تحت رايها وشتره الاتيتماس سماعاً.
- **الوحد الوطنية**
عمل مع فئات المجتمع في خدمة الوطن لرفع داجته غداً على عالم.
- **القيم**

ديسمبر DECEMBER

اليوم الوطني NATIONAL DAY
Live United Emirate

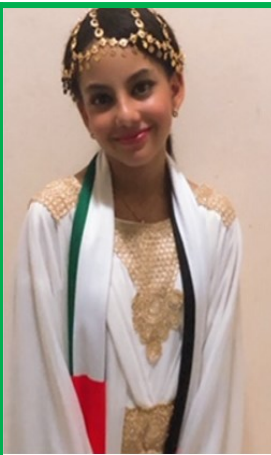
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G3D2 with Ms. Lavita

Hala Tamer Abdelati Abdelfattah Sakar 5GF1
 National Day Poem
 National day lay in our heart
 like flowers which lay near a river
 the national day is celebrated on 2nd December
 this date will never be forgotten
 as on 1971 the Emirates got united
 Sheikh Zayed made us proud of the Emirates
 so we need to do that too



Jana Mohammed-5GF1



Jannah Gamal – 5GF1



Fatimah– 5GF1



Laila– 5GF1

Celebrating UAE's 49th National Day with Team WSS!



Junior Section News; Happy UAE National Day!



Junior Section News; Celebrating UAE National Day!



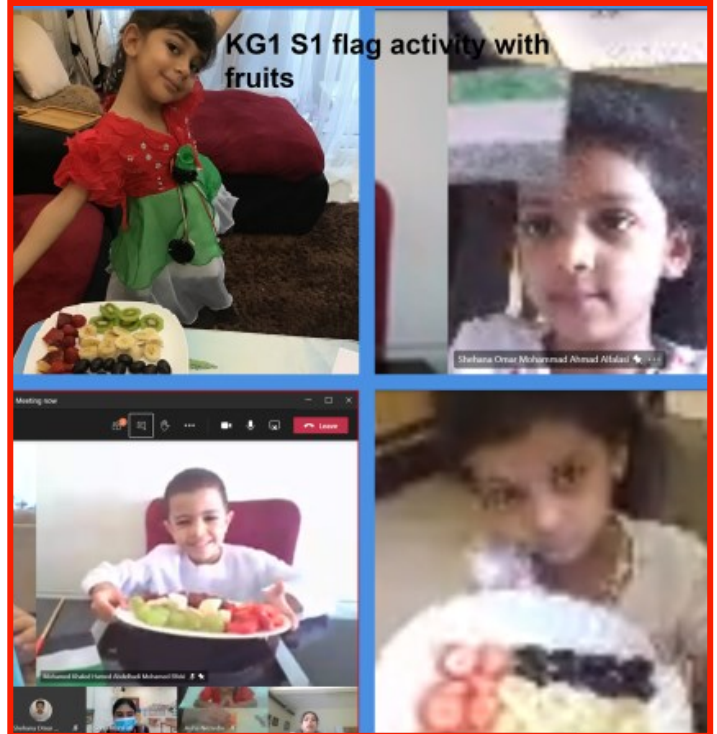
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Ameer (KG2H1) enjoying his learning with Ms. Uzma.

Junior Section News; Celebrating UAE National Day!

With Ms. Neha



KG2S2 with Ms. Mariam

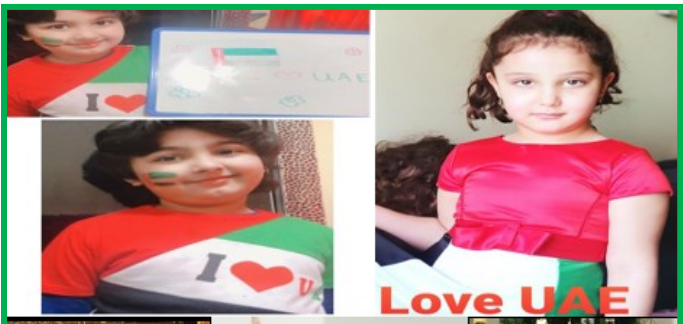


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With Ms. Sadiqa

UAE NATIONAL DAY
KG2S1
49th
UAE NATIONAL DAY CELEBRATION



Love UAE



With Ms. Farah

Celebrating UAE National Day KG2D2



KG2D2 celebrated UAE National day

Primary Section News; Virtual Fitness Challenge!



Above, G3S1 with Ms. Saranya.



Maryam (G4H1) participating in the WSS Virtual Sports Event.



George (G2F2) taking part in a virtual fitness event with his family.



Primary Section News; Celebrating UAE National Day!



U.A.E NATIONAL DAY

UAE National Day is celebrated on 2 December each year in the United Arab Emirates. The seventh emirate, Ra's al-Khaimah, was added to the federation on 10 February 1972 making it the last state to join. Citizens and residents are invited to take part in the UAE National Day Celebration. Let us know what best describes UAE in one word. Broadcasting to millions.

SYED ABBAS HAIDER 5BH1



UAE FLAG DAY

Observance. On this day, Emiratis across the UAE sing the country's national Anthem and hoist the flag atop their buildings and at their backyards.

Anniversary of the inauguration of Sheikh Khalifa bin Zayed Al Nahyan as President, Commemoration of the founders of UAE. It is a day when the national spirit is renewed, and an occasion to reflect on the achievements of the era of the President Sheikh Khalifa bin Zayed Al Nahyan

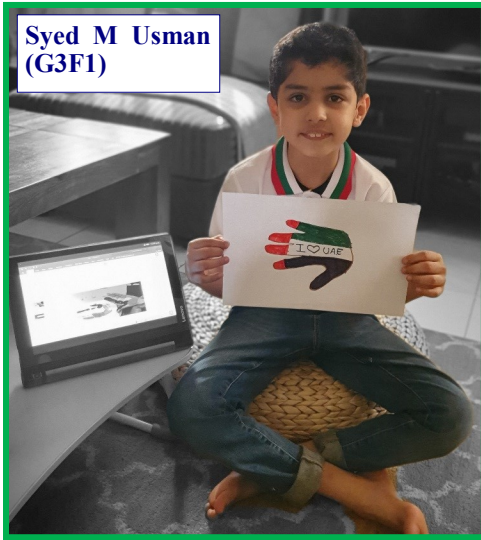
يوم العلم
FLAG DAY
نوفمبر 3

The UAE Flag Day is commemorated on November 3 every year since it was first launched in 2013 by His Highness Sheikh Mohammed bin Rashid Al Maktoum, Vice-President and Prime Minister of the UAE and Ruler of Dubai.

United Arab Emirates المارات العربية المتحدة
NATIONAL DAY اليوم الوطني

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Syed M Usman (G3F1)



Vansh (G5BH1)



G5BD2

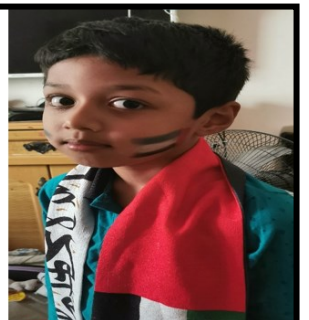
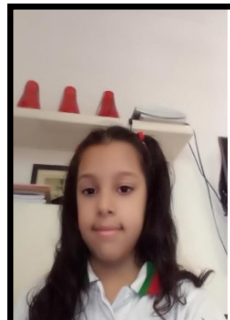


Below, with Ms. Susweta

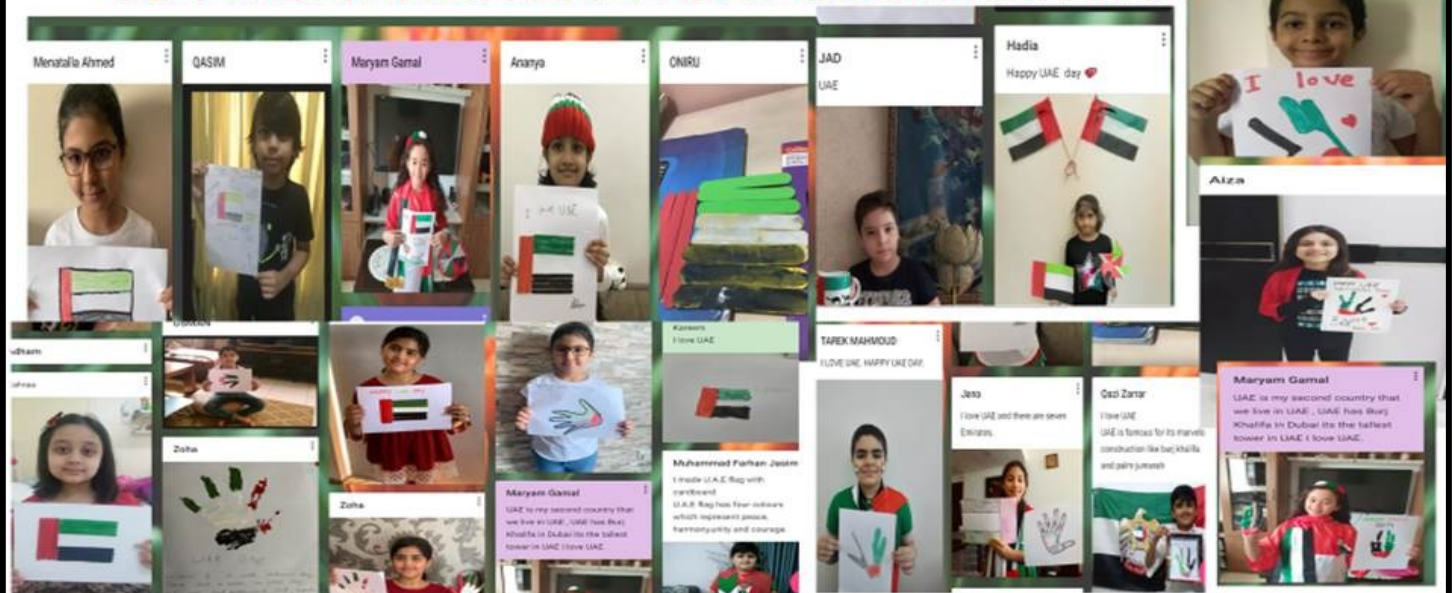


G5BD2

Below, G3S1 with Ms. Saranya



G3 F1 UAE NATIONAL DAY CELEBRATIONS



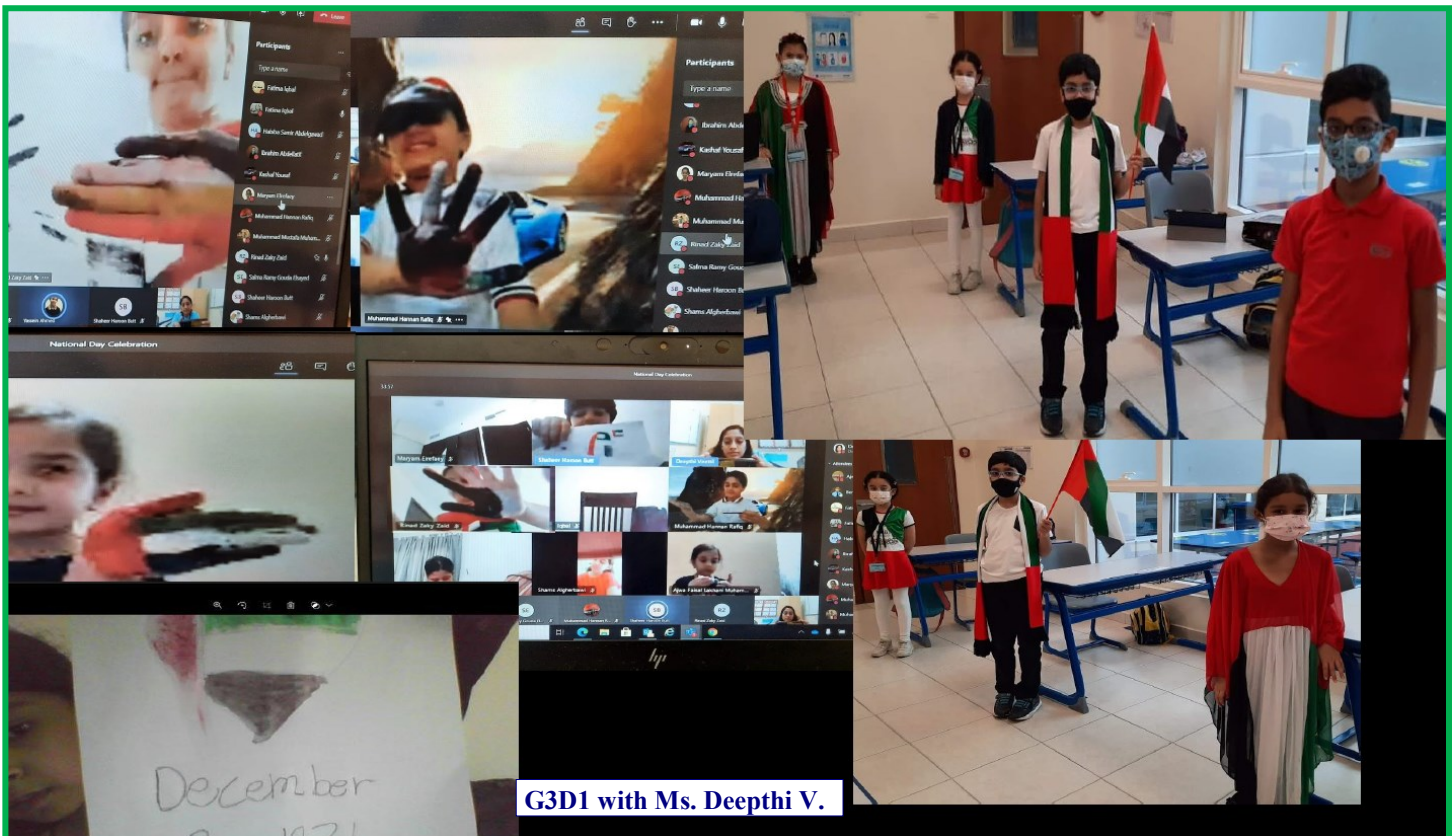
Primary Section News; Celebrating UAE National Day!

National Day celebrations by 4 F1 Students



Above, G4F1 with M. Lakshmi

Above, G2S1 with Ms. Anshy



G3D1 with Ms. Deepthi V.

Primary Section News; Celebrating UAE National Day!

Why do I love UAE?

Made with a quick smile

Anonymous 1m
Because this is my second country and I am learning here also it has lot of places

librahim

♡ 0

Rinad
I love uae because it is butfull and there are a lot of muzimes

♡ 2

Anonymous 1m
I love uae because I was born here . It's is my home! And th

♡ 0

Anonymous 1m
Shams Fady

I love UAE because 7 emaretes. The tallest building is burj Khalifa. The museums are beautiful and many other places are nice I love UAE more and more when I see many beautiful places like burj Khalifa. It has been beautifully designed with lights and around it there are blue fountains with lights.

♡ 6

Maryam Ahmed
I like UAE because ther is some Houses we can live and New thing and uae has 7 emirates and we can gust go visit the museum



♡ 5

saffana
I love uae because it have more place to visit and it so green and cleen my favorite plae is al majaz park



♡ 6

Beryl
I love UAE . because it has more teohloleghy , and it has more buldings .



♡ 5

Zidan
I fill special in UAE it has a lot of places its fun to explore and I enjoy living in UAE

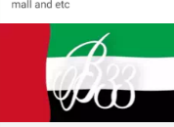


♡ 6

Muhammad Hannan Rafiq
U.A.E is one of the safest place in the world. U.A.E is my born place. It is a beautifuly country where 200 countries are living.

♡ 5

fatma
love UAE because of the beautiful places like Dubai safari and Dubai mall and etc



♡ 5

Ajwa
I love uae it has good security , better work life balance , amazingly great beaches, and really beautiful buildings like burj khalifa , burj ul arab , and dubai frame and good environment socity

♡♡

G3D1 with Ms. Deepthi V.



G5GH1 with Ms. Anuja



Food Flag by Esha

With Ms. Vani



Celebrations @WSS

49th UAE National Day celebration

With Mr. Arvie

The 4S1 presentation of work for the UAE National Day celebration.



Eshaal

Daniyal

Ansharah

Kassandra

Primary Section News; Celebrating UAE National Day!

2S2 National Day Celebration



Above, G2S2 with Ms. Neema



Above, G2F2 with Ms. Azreen

Below, G4D1 with Ms. Sameena



G4D1 National Day Activities



Syeda Ayat



Abeera & Ayra



Maham



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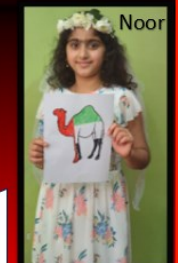
Ala Ghali



Viswajeeth & Tamem



Ala



Noor

UAE National Day (Arabic: اليوم الوطني; *Al Yawm Al Watanī*) is celebrated on 2 December each year in the United Arab Emirates. The National day of UAE stands for the nationalization and also falls on the anniversary of the federal unification of the seven emirates in 1971 which combined to form the modern-day country, headed by Sheikh Zayed bin Sultan Al Nahyan, the federation's first president. Grand celebrations are held across the country to mark the event.

MODEL UNITED NATION

Compiled & designed by Shaffa Zeenath, 11GH1

United Nations Simulation Conference 2020

"UNSC was my first MUN and it helped me a lot with my fear of public speaking. The chairs were friendly and made sure that everyone delegates were comfortable before the session started. MUN helps a lot with leadership skills, communication, and solving real-world problems." says Neha Vinod, from 12GF



"It was an interesting experience. The way we young delegates handle critical problems of our world-wide community was thought provoking and gave my school learning a different perspective," informed Kawthar Aldemoety, currently in 10GD

Nateila Alemu of 10GD, had also experienced the thrills of attending an MUN, representing and understanding the many issues Ghana faced in relation to Drugs and Crime.

Details of the Event

- Date of event: 21st November, 2020
- School: GEMS Own Indian School, Dubai
- Names of Participants from WSS: Neha Vinod, Kawthar Aldemoety, Natiela Alemu

WSS Grade 11-12 students represented WSS at the Inter-School Model United Nations Simulation Conference, organized by GEMS Our Own Indian school, Dubai on 21st November, 2020

Secondary Section News

GMU Students Experience

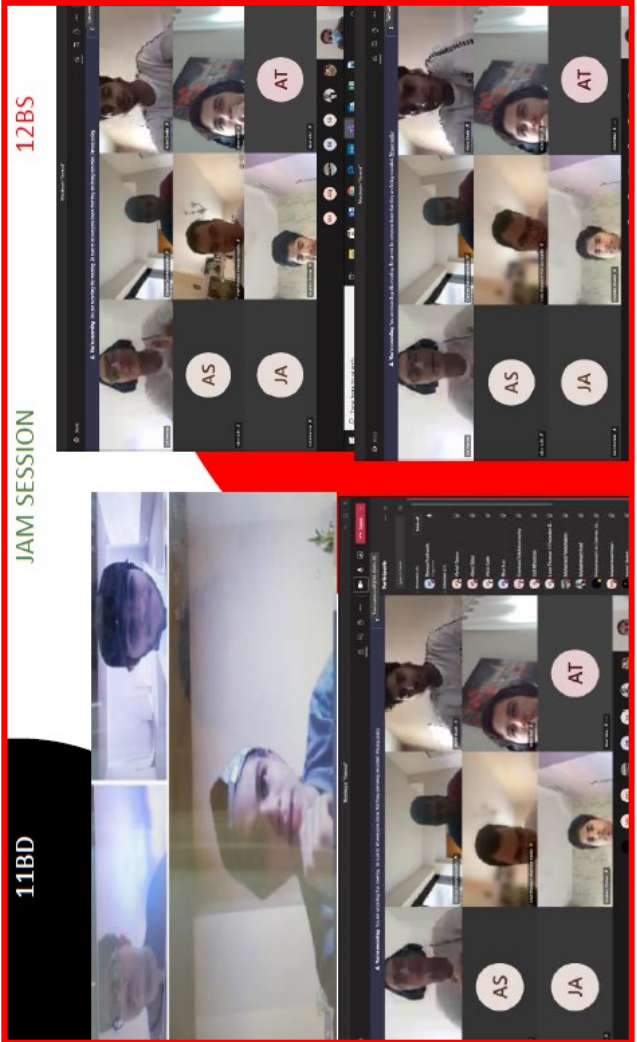
-It was an eye-opening experience. I honestly loved working in a team rather than going into it solo as I felt we could cover each other's weaknesses and complement our strengths. Overall, it was an amazing experience and I'd love to work with them again in the future.

-Veydant D.P TIBF



-It has been a pleasure to be part of this year's GMU maze competition, I really enjoyed working with a team and having the chance to share ideas together to maybe solve a global problem that have ruined the life of many people. We really enjoyed the experience of working as a team in a competition and to be innovative in finding solutions. I want to thank all my teacher those who helped informing and supporting us to make it this far. This global pandemic made it harder to make a coordinated project, but we did it and we got second place. Next year we will hopefully get to be first place.

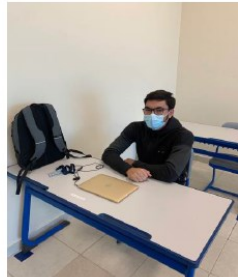
-Mohammed Isam TIBF



Compiled & Designed by: Amal-11GH

UAE National Day celebrations

Mansoor Kalemzai



Mark Maged



**UAE AS I
IMAGINE
10 YEARS
FROM
NOW ...**

Muhammad Ali Raza

UAE will become more environmentally friendly and will also become more sustainable for the world. They are already working on city's that are completely running on renewable energy.

Mohammed Isam

I imagine UAE celebrating the nation day using holograms instead of fireworks. Cars are going to be self-driven and transportation to long distances for example from Dubai to Abu Dhabi is going to be through sound speed electromagnetic trains. The economy of UAE will grow to become one of the rich countries and the government of UAE will probably change UAE from a tourist income nation to an industrial one.

11BF

Veydant

It will become an economic and sustainable manufacturing hub and a zone for jobs

Mansoor

there will be more job opportunities and we will have a more developed UAE. the gdp might fall since UAE is not in a good economic position at the moment.

Ahmad shaif Aledrisi

UAE will have a better education and health system in the near future as well as opening more opportunities for investors to start businesses in their country

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JAM SESSION

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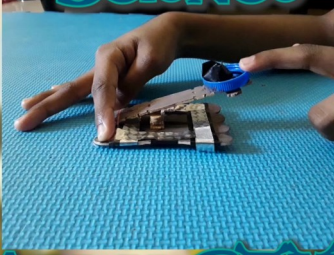
Secondary Section News; Shrektacular STEAM!

**EmadEddin
Creative Mastermind
Shrek STEAM**




Led by (for the boys) Emad Eddin (G11BD1)

Science



ARIUN 6BH1

Science



Subash 6BH1

TECHNOLOGY

Welcome to the world of Shrek

LEARN MORE

Elie, 8BF1

Science— construct a medieval catapult!
Technology— create a website for a vacation spot in Shrek World

TECHNOLOGY

Presenting My School Project



KHALED WALEED

Science



Noor ELDIN 6BH1

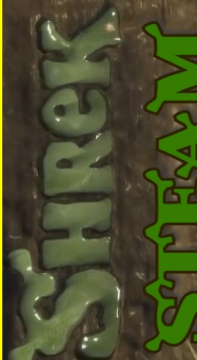
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Shrek Project



Eyyad, 8BS1

SHREK STEAM




EmadEddin Al-Chmri - STEAM LEADER + 12 - 2d

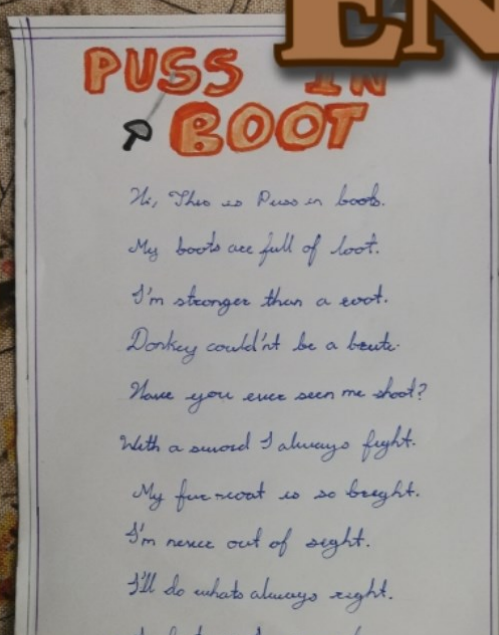
Welcome to our SHREKtacular STEAM!
The wait is OGRE! Are you ready to be the All-Star of this Swamp? - Shrek

<p>Science - Ya got the smarts for these brainteasers?</p> <p>EmadEddin Al-Chmri - STEAM L...</p> <p>Science Task</p> <p>STEAM: Science Task</p> <p>Hey! I'm Shrek. Ya know, the green ogre in the swamp? Yeah, Yeah, I guess you know that if you're here. In case you don't:</p> <p>https://shrek.fusion.com/shrek_scholarship</p> <p>Now, remember the second movie, Shrek 2? We went to see Prince in Far, Far Away, but got stuck by ogres! Ya know what? Let's give 'em a taste of their own medicine, so here's your task:</p> <p>Make us a catapult!</p> <p>STEAM Shrek - Science PDF document padlet drive</p> <p>6 0</p>	<p>Technology - Good with those codes and circuitboards?</p> <p>EmadEddin Al-Chmri - STEAM L...</p> <p>Technology Task</p> <p>STEAM: Technology Task</p> <p>Howdy there! It's me, your good pal, Donkey the... donkey. Anyway, I got some tasks for ya, so are ya ready kidd? If ya don't know me:</p> <p>https://shrek.fusion.com/shrek_donkey</p> <p>After all the events of the movies, we REALLY need a place to kick back, relax, and enjoy an ice cream sundae or something... So, here's ya task! Dreamin'?</p> <p>STEAM Shrek - Technology PDF document padlet drive</p> <p>6 0</p>	<p>English - Put that pen to paper with these tasks!</p> <p>EmadEddin Al-Chmri - STEAM L...</p> <p>English Task</p> <p>STEAM: English Task</p> <p>Greetings, children. It's I, The Famed Puss in Boots, pleasure meeting you. My adventures above and alongside Shrek are known the world over, however, if you must remember:</p> <p>https://shrek.fusion.com/shrek_in_boots</p> <p>Due to my expertise in the English language, here are my tasks for you, ladies and gentlemen:</p> <p>Write a Poem! OR Write a Short Story!</p> <p>STEAM Shrek - English PDF document padlet drive</p> <p>7 0</p>	<p>Arabic - Will you be up to this linguistic assignment? Yalla!</p> <p>EmadEddin Al-Chmri - STEAM LE...</p> <p>Arabic Task</p> <p>STEAM: Arabic Task</p> <p>Row down to the great, perfect, Land Faraway! You may run. You fat have been appointed a crucial task, but first, a lesson on my greatness:</p> <p>https://shrek.fusion.com/shrek_land_faraway</p> <p>Seeing as I'm simply fascinated with the culture and language of the Arabs, here is my linguistic task:</p> <p>Make a Video! (OR a Poster!)</p> <p>Yes, I always have a fair for the dramatic, and so</p> <p>STEAM Shrek - Arabic Task PDF document padlet drive</p> <p>6 1</p>	<p>Mathematics - Can you crunch the numbers of these exercises?</p> <p>EmadEddin Al-Chmri - STEAM LE...</p> <p>Mathematics Task</p> <p>Quiz: https://quizizz.com/join?gc=3097908</p> <p>STEAM: Math Task</p> <p>Hello there. My name is Fiona, and I'm the (Stupid) Princess of Far Far Away, and wife of Shrek! More information can be found here:</p> <p>https://shrek.fusion.com/shrek_fiona</p> <p>Moving on to the task, here is what I came up with:</p> <p>Do some research! (OR Take a Quiz!)</p> <p>If this sounds puzzling to you, I'm here to explain. Take any topic regarding anything from the Shrek movies and answer about it within said 10 minutes!</p> <p>STEAM Shrek - Maths PDF document padlet drive</p>
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Secondary Section News; Shrektacular STEAM!

ENGLISH

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PUSS IN BOOT

This is Puss in boots.
 My boots are full of loot.
 I'm stronger than a root.
 Donkey couldn't be a brute.
 Have you ever seen me shoot?
 With a sword I always fight.
 My fur coat is so bright.
 I'm never out of sight.
 I'll do what's always right.
 As fast as I can write.

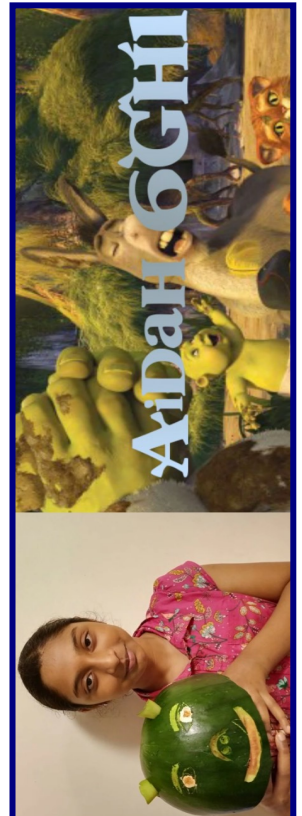
this cat is very bright
 almost out of sight
 especially when he fights
 as fast as i can write
 i know that he is always right
 his boots are full of loot
 his sock are very brute
 you never see him shoot
 he likes to eat the root
 almost like he is the groot.

Celino.J Fares. 6BH1

English– write a Shrektacular poem using a given set of rhyming words. Below, results of the Maths Quiz.

MATH

	Not Hussein (Huss...	11	92% Accuracy	6600 Score
	VIP_SNIPE78 (HA...	9	75% Accuracy	5500 Score
	Hussein Mohamed...	9	75% Accuracy	5400 Score
	Ahmed E (Youssef ...	8	67% Accuracy	4800 Score
	Youssef_7BH1 (Yo...	7	58% Accuracy	4200 Score
	Gatika Suneel (Bhi...	7	58% Accuracy	4200 Score
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	Abdelrahman Aljaj...	4	33% Accuracy	2400 Score



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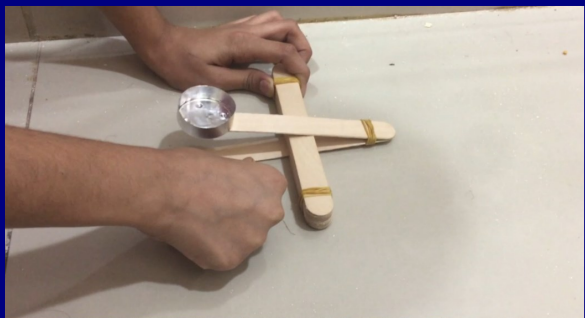


Sidra Ghani
Somiya George
Noor Ul Ain

SPECIAL THANKS TO
MISS MANJU SOLVIN
MISS ANJU
MISS SMITHA
MISS SHAYMAA



SHREKTACULAR STEAM



SHAMBHAVI 6^{GH}



SHAHD MUSTASEM 6^{GH}



FATIMA TAHIR 6^{GH}

ZAINAB FAISAL 7^{CS}



AIDAH MARIYUM 6^{GH}



Shrek

ARDRA SUREEV 6^{GH}



MEERAB NAEEM 7^{CS}

Secondary Section News; Shrektacular STEAM!



Cast

Led By **Ms. Manju Solvin**

STEAM Leader **Sidra Ghani 12GF1**

STEAM Members

Member 1 **Aamina Shah 12GF1**

Member 2 **Somiya Saji 12GF1**

Member 3 **Subul Ishtiaq 12GF1**

Member 4 **Noor Ul Ain 12GF1**

Member 5 **Sana Ghani 12GF1**

Edited by

Sana Ghani 12GF1

Shrektastic was a collaborative programme between KS5 'Passport Programme' students and the KS3 'STEAM' Team.

This was totally led by our Sixth Formers this Term under the supervision of STEAM team.

Awesome job, Team WSS!

Shrek 2

It all started When Shrek and Fiona come back from their honeymoon, they find an invitation to a royal ball with Fiona's parents to celebrate their marriage, an event Shrek is reluctant to participate in. Fiona talks him into it, and along with Donkey they travel to the kingdom of Far Far Away. They meet Fiona's parents, King Harold and Queen Lillian, who are surprised and repulsed by Fiona's choice of husband, since they had arranged that Prince Charming rescue her from the castle but now they see that her husband is an ogre.

At a shared meal, Shrek and Harold get into a heated argument over how Shrek and Fiona will raise their family, and Fiona, disgusted at Shrek and her father's behavior, locks herself away in her room that evening, where she meets her Fairy Godmother, who is also surprised at Fiona's new looks. Shrek worries that he has lost his true love, particularly after finding her childhood diary and reading that she was once infatuated with Prince Charming.

Farida 6GD1

SHREK-1-Movie summary

Shrek is a grumpy, smelly and antisocial green ogre, who loves the solitude of his swamp. One night, he suddenly finds his land has been squatted by a mass of fairy-tale creatures, who have been banished by the evil Lord Farquaad of Duloc. Angrily, Shrek decides to confront Lord Farquaad, demanding his land back. He allows the talkative Donkey to tag along and guide him to Duloc.

Farquaad does him a deal, telling him to rescue Princess Fiona from a dragon-guarded castle, to get his lovely swamp back. Shrek and Donkey go and rescue the Princess, desperately trying to avoid being burned by the dragon. Fiona is disgusted about being rescued by an ugly ogre, rather than Prince Charming. However, despite their differences, she and Shrek fall in love.



On the second night of their return journey, Donkey approaches Fiona and discovers that she's turned into an ogress. She explains that she's under a spell, which can only be broken by true love's first kiss. Shrek overhears the conversation as she is calling herself an «ugly beast» but misunderstands and thinks she doesn't love him because he's ugly. Just as she decides to tell Shrek the truth, the sun rises and she becomes a beautiful princess again.

Secondary Section News; Shrektacular STEAM!

Huda ghani
19 November 2020

Shrek the third

The movie begins with Charming doing a play and everyone laughing at him, he wanted revenge. Shrek and Fiona are in the castle at Far Far away land, Shrek unfortunately does not want to do his duties because he fails and embarrasses himself each time. After a long day Fiona hints that she wants a baby and Shrek quickly turns the conversation around. After a while a Knight comes barging in telling that King Harold has passed away, the king requested Shrek to be the new king but Shrek didn't want to and the king told him there only one other heir and that was Arthur, so Shrek and his friends went on a journey to Worcestershire Academy where he met Arthur. When they were about to leave Fiona said that she was pregnant but Shrek acted like he couldn't hear her. While this was going on Charming went to the place where all the fairytale villains go and convinced them to defeat Shrek and take over the kingdom, while Shrek is sailing back to there Arthur decides that it is too much pressure for him and turns the wheel around causing them to land on a unknown island where they meet Arthur's old magic teacher who magicked them back to Far Far away land but Fiona and the princesses were already held captive by Charming. Charming decides to make a play where he has his happily ever after when he kills Shrek, Shrek later then revealed that Arthur wasn't supposed to be king and that left Arthur heartbroken then all Shrek's friends free each other and Fiona and the princesses. Before Charming killed Shrek all of his friends came up from the roof and rescued him, After the fight Arthur says some inspiring words for the miserable villains which Which caused them all to drop their weapons, Arthur then became king And Shrek finally had his babies with Fiona and they lived Happily ever after.

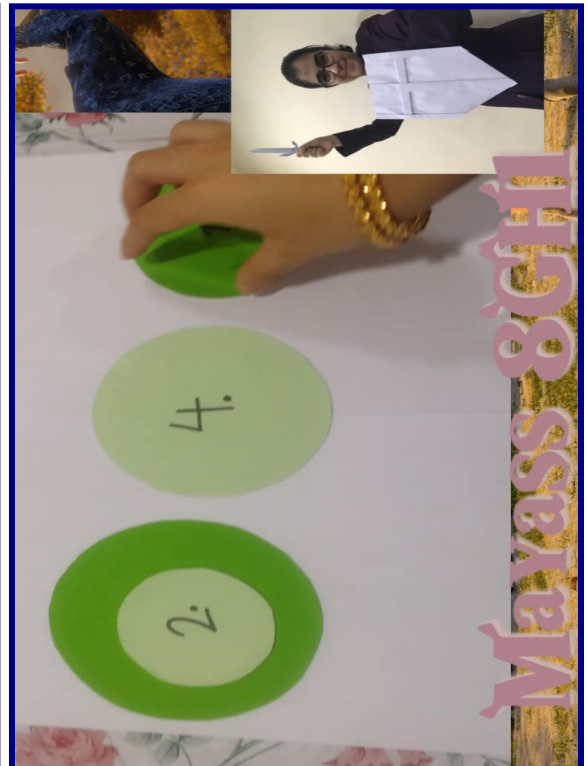
SHREK SUMMARY BY MANASA 6GH1

The first ever movie of Shrek, starts off by Shrek living alone, in his little swamp, with no people or ogres around him. One day, he finds a donkey, who ran away from the castle, asking for shelter. He finds the donkey very talkative and annoying. He decides to keep the donkey there for 1 night, but he does not allow the donkey in the house. He tells the donkey to sleep outside. He looks outside and sees many fairy tale characters moving about. He asks them to leave but they inform him that the Lord Farquaad, had moved them out of their homes. He decided to find a solution for this and goes to the castle to talk to the lord.

Meanwhile, the lord had been asking a magic mirror, to help him find love. The mirror had shown him 3 princesses, and he had chosen Princess Fiona. He wanted to find her as soon as possible, but the legend says that the tower that she was locked in was protected by a dragon.

Shrek 1

- When a green ogre named Shrek discovers his swamp has been 'washed out' with all sorts of fairytale creatures by the scheming Lord Farquaad, Shrek sets out with a very loud donkey by his side to 'convince' Farquaad to give Shrek his swamp back. Instead, a deal is made. Farquaad, who wants to become the King, sends Shrek to rescue Princess Fiona, who is waiting for her true love in a tower guarded by a fire dragon. But once they head back with Fiona, it starts to become visible that not only does Shrek an ugly ogre, begin to fall in love with the lovely princess, but Fiona is also hiding a secret.



Secondary Section News; World Children's Day



G6BD2 with Ms. Jini



Secondary Section News; Celebrating UAE National Day!

UAE National Day



Students Comments on National Day:

Abdelrahman Amir Emara

RED: Bravery, Strength, Courage
 GREEN: Nature of joy, optimism
 BLACK: strength, oil
 WHITE: peace



THEJAS SINOJ KOMMERY

The United Arab Emirates, sometimes simply called the Emirates, is a sovereign state in Western Asia located at the eastern end of the Arabian Peninsula. It borders Oman and Saudi Arabia, and has maritime borders in the Persian Gulf with Qatar and Iran

Ahmed Sulman

The United Arab Emirates (U.A.E) Flag Day is a national occasion where people of the UAE remember the efforts of the founders of their State, Sheikh Zayed and Sheikh Rashid, and their brothers who sacrificed everything for the sake of their nation. It is a day when the national spirit is renewed, and an occasion to reflect on the achievements of the era of the President Sheikh Khalifa bin Zayed Al Nahyan.[1]

The UAE flag represents meanings of justice, peace, tolerance, power and moderation, under which all Emiratis live a decent life and enjoy security and stability. This comes in continuation of the legacy of the late Sheikh Zayed bin Sultan Al Nahyan

Shahveer Shoaib 9BS1

UAE National Day is celebrated on 2 December each year in the United Arab Emirates. A **national day** is a day on which **celebrations** mark the nationhood of a nation or state. It may be the date of independence, of becoming a republic, or a significant date for a patron saint or a ruler (such as a birthday, accession, or removal). The **national day** is often a public holiday. The **white** flag is the universal sign of surrender, and **green** means safety while **red** invariably means danger.



49th UAE NATIONAL DAY

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