

ASSALAMU ALAIKUM!

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New Term, New Beginning!

Assalamu Alaikum Dear Parents & Carers,
Alhamdulillah it's good to be back at school and good to see all the students dive right back into their studies. Alhamdulillah this term has gotten off to a great start. We have some exciting new and improved things happening around the school, to name a few: a new school Toshiba printer, new student chairs for the whole school, new cabinetry in the library and canteen and mashaaAllah most exciting of all I am pleased to announce that we have a fully furnished and fitted woodworking shed for our high school students to conduct their woodwork classes, inshaa'Allah I will share some photos with you all soon!

Alhamdulillah we also have more exciting news and are pleased to announce that we are welcoming a new teacher Ms Sarah Hamdan who will be teaching our year 2 class English and Mathematics. This means as of Monday next week year 1 and year 2 will be split in two classes for these lessons.

This term students will be participating in an extra curricula sporting program at the PCYC. K ot 2's will be partaking in Gymnastics and 3 to 8's will partake in a PCYC mixed sport program including boxing, parkour and basketball. Please be aware dear parents that we continue to do all we can to keep costs low by charging a very minimal fee to parents and subsidising the remaining costs through CPC fundraising events.

May Allah SWT bless you all and bless our school community. Assalamu Alaikum!



Principal's Message

All praises be to Allah SWT and peace be upon his noble messenger Muhammad PBUH.

Assalaamu Alaykum Wa Rahmatullahi Wabarakatuh

Dear students, parents & carers welcome to term 3. Alhamdulillah we have had a fantastic start to the term with teachers and students going straight back into working hard academically in the classroom. This term we have upgraded some furniture in the school. All students have brand new ergonomic chairs as part of the upgrade.

Before the start of each term teachers and staff make a list of resources needed to deliver the curriculum to a high standard and Alhamdulillah the College is fully equipped with stationary supplies & science resources. We are also in the process of finalising a work shed for woodwork to be used this term.

Today we welcome the blessed month of Dhul-Hijjah. I ask Allah swt to make this time full of reward and barakah for the Hujjaj and the ummah of Rasool Allah SAWS.

As part of our Eid Al-Adha celebrations, New Madinah College will take 2 days off as part of our celebration of Eid on Monday 12th and Tuesday 13th of August and return reopen on Wednesday 14th August. Mouhamad Chmait - Principal

Hadith

The Messenger of Allah (Peace and blessings be upon his) said: "You will not enter Paradise until you have faith and you will not have faith until you love each other. Shall I show you something that, if you did, you would love each other? Spread 'SALAAM' between you."

ACHIEVERS

CONGRAUCTIONS

MERITS

Ibraheem Hameed

Juwairiya Chmait

Omar Al-Obaidi

Anhar Al Tabbouch

Abdullah Alhasan

Abdul Karim Chmait

Hamze Chemeit

Zaynab Chmait

Umar Suyachmir

Obaadah Al-Obaidi

Rayann Chmait

Hayat El Halabi

**CLASS OF
THE WEEK**

CONGRAUCTIONS

Week 1

Pearl

Week 2

Pearl

AWARDED TO THE CLASS
'STRIVING FOR
EXCELLENCE' AND
FULFILLING THE VALUES
OF THE COLLEGE

CLASS LEARNING

AN INSIGHT INTO OUR GEMS WEEK OF LEARNING



K RUBY

Assalamu Alaikum everyone and welcome to term 3!!! Kindergarten have come back and jumped straight back into their work with a whole new level of independence and knowledge. The break has done wonders for them.

In this week's newsletter there will be a sheet with their learning focuses this term. Please read through it with your child and encourage them to talk about what they have learnt in school. This will help to reinforce their learning this term.

This week in Kindergarten we are making a mini prayer room cubby house in preparation for Hajj, along with our Hajj art including mini sheep and some Islamic art. We have also got some new classroom furniture which kindergarten were very excited about

We have lot going on in term 3 so please keep posted on Seesaw and the Whats App group for important updates. In the next two weeks we have our lower primary Hajj, start their gymnastics, have two days off for EID Al Adha and book week (including their assessment task, sent home Thursday) straight after.

I hope everyone has a happy and safe weekend and Eid



1/2 PEARL

Asalaamualaikum Pearl class families,

We have some exciting events coming up soon. The children will start their gymnastics lessons from Friday week 2 and next week on Thursday (week 3) the children will perform their Hajj simulation. We have started making a display to help teach the children about the Hajj so keep an eye out on Seesaw for photos of the display board.

I'd like to take this opportunity to welcome Ms Sarah to the year 1/2 teaching team. She will be join us part time to take the year 2 students for English and Maths from Monday to Friday in the old 5/6 classroom (room 2). Ms Warda will work with her as assistant and Ms Aesha will work with me. The children will come back together as one class for afternoon lessons.

We've begun a focus on narratives for writing this term and the children will do a talk later in the term focused on speaking about a favourite book character. There will be a focus on mass and time in Maths this term. In Science we are looking at changes in the sky and on the land and in Geography we are looking at features of landscapes. In PDHPE we'll be doing gymnastics and in CAPA we are looking at puppetry performance. We look forward to seeing you at the end of term parent/teacher interviews.





3/4 EMERALD

Assalamu Alaikum students and parents,

I would like to start off by welcoming everyone back for Term 3. I am both excited and enthusiastic to get into the swing of things already! The students appear to enjoy being back for another term. They have been contributing a lot of great ideas already and have been interested in learning about different content across the different subjects. Some students have forgotten the expectations of the classroom during the holidays, so we have been practising what it means to be a safe and respectful Muslim learner. They have been taking to it very well and behaviour is improving daily! I am quite impressed by their efforts and hope that they can keep it up for the rest of the term.

Just an update of what students have been learning so far in their classes... In English, students have been learning how to improve their sentence structure, grammar and spelling in their Time for Better English and Sound Waves books. There has been a great improvement of the quality of work being produced! They have also started to learn report writing and it is good to see students giving something new a go! In Maths, students are revising prior content, such as addition and subtraction. It is good to see that most students have not forgotten what they have learnt already! In Science, students have been learning about Earth Science and the different transitions throughout the day. They can easily recognise the time of day and how the environment changes. In CAPA, students are learning about Eid celebrations and how dance, music and drama are important to their culture. In Geography, we have started to learn what the subject is all about and how different resources exist in different places.

This term, I am excited to say that we will be going to the PCYC for sport. We will be going along with Year 5 and 6 to learn Parkour, Boxing and Basketball. It should be fun watching the students pick up new skills and try their hand at different activities. I am really looking forward to it!

Reports also went out recently. Most students did exceedingly well and scored some very good results. Some students were a little disappointed with their results. This is a reminder that students need to focus in class, apply themselves to all areas of work and study for exams if they wish to improve their results. Regards, Ms Amanda.



5/6 SAPPHIRE &



7/8 DIAMOND

MR ADRIAN

Assalamu Alaikum parents and families,

A new term has begun and there is a lot to talk about. First of all, I hope you all enjoyed 5/6 Sapphire's Lemonade War at the end-of-term assembly. They put quite a bit of work into it, such as making props, memorising lines and projecting their voices. For their debut as actors and actresses, I think they went quite well. Thanks also to Ms. Amira and Ms. Shiema who also put together 7/8 Diamond's science experiment. In terms of curriculum content, both classes have moved on from History to Geography. 5/6 Sapphire are focusing on Australia's connection to other countries whereas 7/8 Diamond are completing skills work and focusing on the liveability of places. Both classes have used iPads regularly this term, using Google Earth to identify the latitude and longitude of places (5/6 Sapphire) and to understand the differences between managed and constructed environments (7/8 Diamond). They have enjoyed these activities and I believe it is good for them to use such apps in the technological age we live in. In English, 5/6 Sapphire are focusing on informative texts and the novel Wonder, whereas 7/8 Diamond are analysing reporting in the media, predominantly newspapers. We may have some authors or journalists in the future! Yours Sincerely, Mr. Adrian

MS SHIEMA

Assalamu alaikom dear parents,

I hope you all enjoyed your holidays. Term3 is looking exciting as we approach week 3, This term stage 3 science unit will focus on Earth's place in the solar system and changes on its surface caused by natural disasters. In Mathematics stage 3 will identify factors and multiples and recognise the properties of prime, composite, square and triangular numbers, will explore 3 D shapes and data.

Stage four students will explore a wide variety of traditional and contemporary nasheeds in CAPA through experiences in listening and performing that may involve individual, group and whole class activities. I look forward to a productive and enjoyable term inshallah. Regards, Ms Shiema



UNIFORM

Heads Up Parents!!

We will soon be introducing a school uniform warning system. Students found to be out of school uniform will be served with a warning card. This warning will be put in a register. If the student repeats the offence, they will be put on a lunch detention.

Please ensure your child is coming to school with their full school uniform or full sports uniform on sports days only.

HEALTHY

SLUSH

Coming Soon to NMC!

We are excited to announce that the School has purchased a 2-bowl slushy machine for the school canteen! Purchases will be available as the weather gets warmer towards the end of term 3.

A slushie cup will be sold for \$2.50 each.

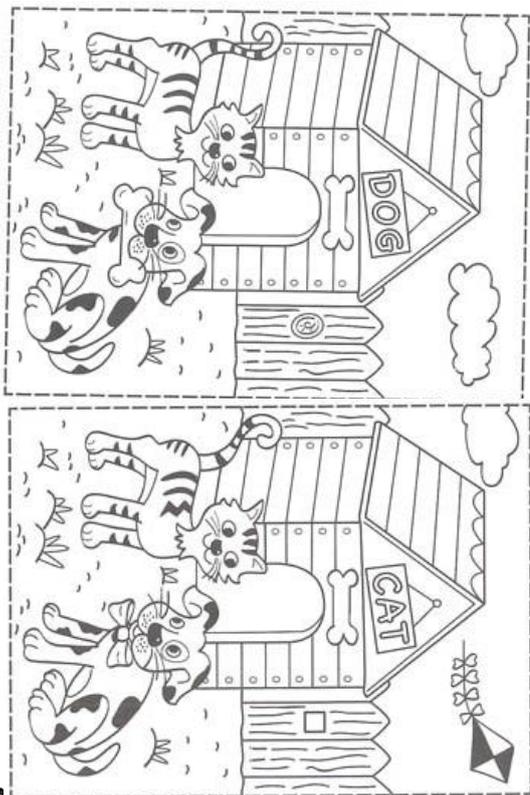
UPCOMING EVENTS

Date	Event
8 th August	K to 2 Simulated Hajj Trip
9 th August	Eid Celebration at School
12 th & 13 th	Eid Holidays – To be confirmed

Spot the Difference

Find and circle 6 things that are different in the two pictures.

Can you find them all??



YOUNG SALAAT TIMES

FORTNIGHTLY

DAY	FAJR	DHUHR	ASR	MAGHRIB	ISHAA
FRI	05:34 AM	12:14 PM	03:08 PM	05:28 PM	06:50 PM
SAT	05:33 AM	12:14 PM	03:08 PM	05:29 PM	06:50 PM
SUN	05:33 AM	12:14 PM	03:09 PM	05:30 PM	06:51 PM
MON	05:32 AM	12:14 PM	03:09 PM	05:30 PM	06:52 PM
TUE	05:31 AM	12:14 PM	03:10 PM	05:31 PM	06:52 PM
WED	05:30 AM	12:14 PM	03:10 PM	05:32 PM	06:53 PM
THUR	05:29 AM	12:14 PM	03:11 PM	05:33 PM	06:53 PM
FRI	05:29 AM	12:14 PM	03:11 PM	05:33 PM	06:54 PM
SAT	05:28 AM	12:14 PM	03:12 PM	05:34 PM	06:55 PM
SUN	05:27 AM	12:13 PM	03:12 PM	05:35 PM	06:55 PM
MON	05:26 AM	12:13 PM	03:13 PM	05:35 PM	06:56 PM
TUE	05:25 AM	12:13 PM	03:13 PM	05:36 PM	06:56 PM
WED	05:24 AM	12:13 PM	03:14 PM	05:37 PM	06:57 PM
THUR	05:23 AM	12:13 PM	03:14 PM	05:37 PM	06:58 PM

GALLERY

