

Ramadan Mubarak!

From Karima Primary School

A NOTE FROM THE HEADTEACHER

Assalamu alaikum respected parents/guardians,

Alhamdulillah, by the grace of Allah Ta'la, we have reached the end of another successful term at Karima Primary School.

This term we were dedicated to reintroduce our students to the world of Islamic literature. Therefore, we began the term by setting up **The Karima Primary book club**. This club gave our students the opportunity to read and explore Islamic children books and discuss their thoughts and opinions in a safe environment. Furthermore, we celebrated World Book Day by inviting two Muslim authors to run interactive sessions with our students on two extremely important topics; role models and environmental sustainability. The students thoroughly enjoyed taking part and interacting with the authors, as well as dressing up for the school day, Alhamdulillah.

To help students extend their love for reading, Karima Primary are taking part in the **Olive Tree Library Ramadan Reading Challenge**. The students taking part will be presented with medals and certificates for participation. This is a great initiative to help encourage our children to indulge in wholesome literature. We wrapped up the term with an assembly on the importance of Books by Ustadha Arji and the students of Abu Bakr class, MashaAllah.

Other successes for this term:

- **Jaza redemption:** In February, the students were extremely excited to be rewarded for their hard work thus far by being able to redeem the Jaza Points. insha'Allah, they will be given another opportunity to redeem their points before the end of the academic year - so keep working hard to bank those points!
- **Academic Review:** In March, we held our parents' meetings for the academic year at Cressex School. This was a great opportunity for both parents and teachers to have a discussion and provide feedback on each students progress, thus far.

JazakAllah Khayr for your continuous support. I hope you have a lovely and blessed Ramadan break and I look forward to seeing you in May, InshaAllah!

Ust. Amina



End of term class reviews



Fatimah Az Zahra and Ruqayyah Class

We started the term with a memorable trip to the Jubilee Road Masjid, where the students took part in fun activities and had a tour of the Masjid, MashaAllah. We then learnt about the 5 Pillars of Islam. The students particularly enjoyed making zakat boxes and also kept a mini fast. Masha'Allah!

As part of their homework, we have been learning and implementing 10 different Islamic Sayings at home alhamdulillah.

We ended the term by practising how to make dua for others (family and friends) and themselves.



End of term class reviews (cont.)

Ali class

This term Ali class started a new topic: Fiqh. The children have been very busy learning about how we do Istinja and Wudu. They have also been working hard on memorising their duas. MashaAllah, great efforts all round.

For the topic of salah, the children were asked to bring in their favourite prayer mats, as a class, we went through our Salah and learnt how many Rakah's we read in each Salah.

Insha'Allah in the next coming weeks they will be learning about Ramadhan, Zakat, Hajj and the Prophets.

Great work Ali class, I look forward to seeing you after the Ramadan break, Insha'Allah.



Umar class

This term Umar class started a new topic on Belief; as a Muslim first and foremost we need to have belief in One God: Allah, belief in his Books, Angels and Messengers and belief in life after death.

Alhamdulillah, the class have been making good progress in memorising the 99 names of Allah and Mashallah a few have also been given Ijaza. Umar class have been set a target over Ramadhan to memorise as many names as possible.

Good luck with your memorisation and I look forward to seeing you after the Ramadan break when we will start the topic of Seerah, inshaAllah.

Abu Bakr Class

This term, Abu Bakr class completed elements of Seerah and were able to build upon their knowledge from previous years to create in-depth posters on the life of our Beloved Prophet Muhammad ﷺ.

The children have also completed learning about Wudu and Ghusl as part of Fiqh and created wonderful pocket Wudu flip books this term.

Finally, I am extremely proud of Abu Bakr class for putting in the effort in delivering the end of term assembly about the importance and value of books. The assembly bridged the importance of books in general and the emphasis Islam places on reading and attaining knowledge. This was especially important as we entered Ramadan, the month in which the Qur'an was revealed. A very well done to all.

Uthman class

This term Uthman class covered Adhaab and Akhlaaq. We discussed respect for Allah Ta'la, our prophets, respect for our parents and especially for our mothers.

We also discussed how we should treat people with respect regardless of their religion, race or appearance. In this unit the children learnt a lot about respecting everyone as well as everything around us.

We have now started a new topic which is personal attributes, which goes in detail about the duties of a Muslim.

JazakAllah Khayr Uthman class for your excellent efforts this term.



Key dates

- **Ramadan/Eid break:** 16th, 23rd and 30th April
- **Back to School:** Saturday 7th May 2022
- **Karima Bright Stars audition:** Sat 7th May
- **Karima Bright Stars PTA event:** Friday 27th May
- **Half-term break:** Saturday 4th June
- **Sports day:** Saturday 2nd July
- **Eid break:** Saturday 9th July
- **Last day of School (End of year Trip):** Saturday 16th July

