



# KARIMA PRIMARY

SATURDAY PRIMARY SCHOOL TERMLY NEWSLETTER

## A NOTE FROM THE HEADTEACHER

Assalamu alaikum respected parents/guardians,

Alhamdulillah what an amazing start to the academic year! MashaAllah, the students and teachers have both worked equally hard to make this term a success. I would like to thank every student, teacher and parent/carer for their dedication and cooperation this term. May Allah accept it from all, ameen.

A few highlights from this term were:

- **The Blessed Mawlid**, an evening full of praise for the Prophet ﷺ. The students worked extremely hard in rehearsals and performed beautifully on the day, mashaAllah.
- **The Salawat challenge**, we started off with a target of 1 million and ended up smashing that target, alhamdulillah. Collectively, the Karima community gathered more than 3 million Salawat in the month of Rabbi Al Awwal.
- **The Letters for the Beloved ﷺ competition**, the students in the upper classes were tasked to write a letter they would like to send to the Prophet ﷺ. MashaAllah, we had some wonderful entries, making it very difficult to choose the winners. A very well done to every student who took part. Amazing efforts all round, especially our three winners; Aisha Riaz, Amaya Bakhsh and Inaaya Junaid..

JazakAllah Khayr to all, I hope you have a lovely and safe winter break and I look forward to seeing you in January 2022, InshaAllah.

Waasalam 'alaikum wa rahmatullahi wa barakah tuhu,

Ust. Amina Khan

## WHAT HAVE WE BEEN LEARNING IN OUR ISLAMIC STUDIES CLASSES?

### FATIMAH AZ ZAHRA & RUQAYYAH CLASSES

BY UST. MUSARRAT

The students in Fatimah Az Zahra class and Ruqayyah class have been learning about the basic principles of faith.

We started the term learning about "who is Allah t'ala?" We then learnt about a very special person, our beloved Prophet Muhammad ﷺ.

MashaAllah the students have enjoyed learning about diversity in the Islamic world. We learnt that Muslims live all around the world and all look very different, but we are all united by the belief that we hold in our hearts, The Kalimah. We all believe in Allah and the Prophet Muhammad ﷺ. And that's what makes us Muslims!

We finished the term learning about Wudu, a very important ritual. Great work, Fatimah az Zahra and Ruqayyah class.

### ALI CLASS

BY UST. NAFEESA

We have been learning about our beliefs as a Muslim.

We believe in Allah's Angels, Allah's Books and Allah's Prophets. The children learnt we cannot see the angels, but they worship and obey Allah.

We learnt 4 of the beautiful names of Allah: Al Khaliq, Al Baseer, Al Aleem and As Sami, mashaAllah some students also memorised them.

Over the last few weeks, we have started a really special topic. The children have been learning about our beloved Prophet Muhammed ﷺ.

Overall, this half term has been great fun with lots of activities. A very well done to Ali class for their hard work.

## UTHMAN CLASS

BY UST. SUMAYYAH

This term, Uthman class has learnt how and when to do wudu. We also learnt what words like Fard, Sunnah and Wajib mean and gave examples of all of these actions.

They have also started to learn how to read Salah and what needs to be done before you can read Salah.

Well done, great work Uthman class. Also, a special well done to Aisha Riaz for winning the letters to the Prophet ﷺ competition. An excellent achievement, mashaAllah.

## UMAR CLASS

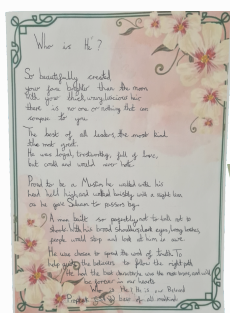
BY UST. QUDSIA

This past term Umar class have been busy learning about the 5 Pillars of Islam! They have worked hard practicing their Salah and learning the units of prayer too!

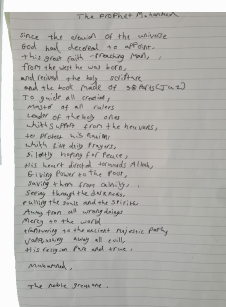
Umar class are also memorising the 99 names of Allah (a weekly target where they're given 3 names to understand and memorise) - a huge challenge but very rewarding! Keep memorising these and you will get there insha'Allah.

Well done and keep up the great work Umar class!

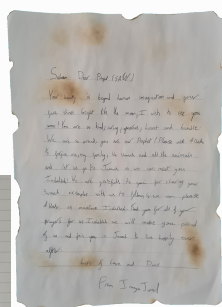
Finally, congratulations to Amaya Bakhsh for being one of the winners for the letters to the Prophet ﷺ competition. Fantastic work, mashaAllah.



2nd place: Amaya Bakhsh



1st Place: Aisha Riaz



3rd place: Inaaya Junaid

Winners for Letters to the Beloved (saw) competition

## ABU BAKR CLASS

BY UST. ARJI

This term, Abu Bakr Class have been learning about Aqa'id which means faith. Every week we have explored one of the articles of faith as mentioned in the Imaan Ul Muffasil. Over the weeks, the children have engaged in deep conversations about our existing knowledge of the seven beliefs, what we have researched as homework and ultimately how we use the articles of faith to draw closer to Allah t'ala and become better Muslim's in'sha'Allah.

When we journeyed through "Belief in His Messengers", which coincided with Rabi ul Awal, the children were encouraged to submit an entry of either a poem or a letter to our Beloved Prophet Muhammad ﷺ for a Karima School competition. The whole class was proud to have one of the winners (Inaaya Junaid) represent the Abu Bakr Class.



Nalains beautifully decorated by Sat Sch students



Posters by Abu Bakr class

## DATES TO REMEMBER

START OF TERM 2:  
08/01/22

HALF - TERM HOLIDAY:  
26/02/22

ACADEMIC REVIEW:  
05/03/22

RAMADAN HOLIDAYS:  
16/04/22  
23/04/22  
30/04/22

## NEXT TERM...

### AT KARIMA PRIMARY SCHOOL

Next term, we are looking to start an after school book club for our students, inshaAllah.

More information will be released soon, InshaAllah!

In the meantime, you can register your interest by emailing [Amina.khan@karima.org.uk](mailto:Amina.khan@karima.org.uk).

JazakAllah Khayr!