



AL AMANAH COLLEGE

Success Through Knowledge

NEWSLETTER

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Message from the Principal's Office

Dear Parents, Students, Staff and Friends of Al Amanah College;

All praise and thanks are due to our Exalted God "Allah", the Creator of all and to Him belong the endowments and proper commendations. I ask Him to bestow upon us guidance and wisdom. May Allah raise the rank of Prophet Muhammad, and protect His nation from that which He fears for it.

As the final hours of Term 3 draw to a close, I would like to take this opportunity to acknowledge and thank all parents for their cooperation with all of our rules and expectations since our aim is to immensely build and enhance collaborated partnerships between school, home and community and we look forward to keep working together as one team to achieve better outcomes for the children.

This wonderful term has been a busy one for all our dedicated teachers and staff members to implement the current best practice in teaching and learning programs and offer our students the best possible education and facilities to nurture their pedagogical performance and enthuse our students to inspire and explore in their daily work. Moreover, I would like to acknowledge the work done by many of our students and sharing in the miscellaneous events and activities that have been held this term such as: Science Week, Shoelace Tying Workshop, Fruit & Veggie Day, SRC Garden,

Mascot challenge & Krispy Kreme Fundraiser. In addition to the in-school diversified sports activities.

Therefore, I would like to thank all staff members, students and parents for their level of support across these different occasions.



Parents are again reminded to use all precautions about the safety of students and to comply with the marshalling initiative at the start and end of the day when dropping-off or picking-up their children to help furnishing a safe environment. They are requested to reduce speed limit, avoid gatherings before and after school and leave immediately after the child exits to reduce the traffic congestion in the parking area and at the same time to comply with COVID 19 restrictions required by departments of health and education.

Finally, I wish everybody a healthy, safe and relaxing holiday break. This short holiday break is an opportunity for all students to recharge their batteries and start planning for Term 4. I look forward to seeing you all back next term.

Yours Sincerely,
Bassam Adra
Principal

Dates to Remember

Friday 25 September

Last Day of Term 3

Monday 28 September to Friday 2 October

School Office Open 9am-2pm

Monday 5 October

Public Holiday

Monday 12 October

Term 4 Begins

Friday 16 to Wednesday 21 October

Life Education Program

Monday 26 October

Stage 3 Cyber Bullying Workshop

Tuesday 27 to Wednesday 28 October

Student's First Aid Incursion

Wednesday 29 October

MAWLID

Tuesday 3 November

Kindy Orientation 1

Thursday 5 November

Year 6 Fete

Monday 9 November

Year 5 & 6 Gala Day

Tuesday 10 November

Kindy Orientation 2

Wednesday 11 November

Kindy to Year 2 Dojo Excursion

Thursday 12 November

Year 6 Open Day

Tuesday 17 November

Kindy Orientation 3

Thursday 19 November

Year 3 to 6 Dojo Excursion

MEDICATION

- The school does not administer medication.
- Where students suffer from asthma or extreme allergic reaction, a copy their Action Plan from the doctor must be provided by parents.
- These medications accompany students when they leave the school grounds for excursions.
- Students can bring their puffer to school if they asthma. Parents need to purchase an EpiPen and keep it in the school office for students who have been prescribed with an EpiPen.
- In the interests of your child's health and safety, if they suffer from any chronic illness, please provide the medication and Action Plan promptly.



ALLERGIES

There are a number of students with severe food allergies. The most common food allergies are peanuts, tree nuts (walnuts, almonds, cashews etc), cow's milk, soy, seafood, and eggs. The symptoms of food allergy range from mild to life-threatening, with anaphylaxis the most severe form of allergic reaction.



Minimising Risk

As a school, we minimise the risk by ensuring that:

- Students do not share food, utensils or food container

- Students with allergies only eat food that is prepared at home
- All food and drinks containers are clearly labelled with students' names to avoid confusion of ownership
- Students who are anaphylactic should be reminded to wash their hands before they eat

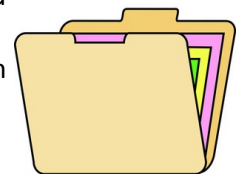
SCHOOL RESPONSIBILITIES

There are five School Responsibilities at Al Amanah College School. They are:

We are Kind
We are Safe
We are Responsible
We are Respectful
We do our Best

FAMILY INFORMATION DETAILS

- New families to the school receive forms to be completed and returned to the school.
- These forms provide the school with your child's and family details as well as medical information which the school requires in an emergency.
- If your family name, address, phone, contact numbers or doctors change please inform the school immediately.
- All information is collected under the Privacy Act.
- Update family information using Igloo



Custody of Children:


The principal, coordinator and class teachers should be informed of the conditions of custody when parents are separated. Please ensure that you inform the school of any changes in custody conditions. Court orders must be produced if access is limited to a particular parent or guardian.

الأحاديث الأسبوعية

HADITHS OF THE WEEK

قال رسول الله صلى الله عليه وسلم: "خَيْرُ بَقَاعِ الْأَرْضِ الْمَسَاجِدُ" رواه مسلم.

which means: "The best of the places on Earth are the mosques".

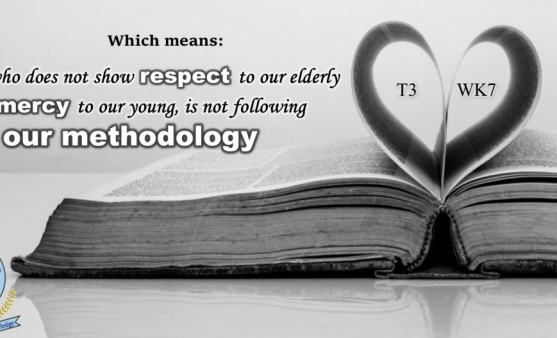


T3
wk6

قال رسول الله صلى الله عليه وسلم: "لَيْسَ مِنَّا مَنْ لَمْ يُؤَقِّرْ كِبِيرَنَا وَيَرْحَمِ صَغِيرَنَا" رواه الترمذي.

RESPECT

Which means:
The one who does not show respect to our elderly and mercy to our young, is not following our methodology



T3
WK7



قال رسول الله صلى الله عليه وسلم: "لَا يَدْخُلُ الْجَنَّةَ عَاقٍ" رواه البخاري

T3
WK8

This Hadith means
"The one who immensely harms his parents will not be amongst the first people who enter Paradise"



قال رسول الله صلى الله عليه وسلم: "الصَّبْرُ ضِيَاءٌ" رواه مسلم

This Hadith Means:
Patience is enlightenment

T3
WK9



قال رسول الله صلى الله عليه وسلم: "مَنْ صَمَتَ نَجَا" رواه الترمذي

Which means:
Silence leads to safety

T3
WK10

FRUIT AND VEGGIE DAY

Only 5% of NSW children eat enough vegetables. At Al Amanah College we're on a mission to change that stat, by increasing children's knowledge, exposure and positive attitudes towards fruit and vegetables. The students of Al Amanah College Bankstown have been participating in exciting activities to promote fruits and vegetables. Through this initiative, students are encouraged to change their eating habits to become healthier.

During this month, Students dressed up as their favourite fruit or vegetable. Kindergarten to Year 2, created art fruit and vegetable plates using colourful paper. They learnt about the importance of eating a good variety of fruit and vegetables every day. Years 3- 6 designed a fruit and vegetable mascot to encourage students at Al Amanah College to eat more fruit and vegetables. The winners of the Fruit and Veggie mascot challenge were Jehad Chamma and Soukayna Zalghout.

So, lettuce try to pack more fruit and vegetables snacks into lunchboxes.

Mrs Dib and Mrs Saleh



SRC GARDEN

During Term 3 SRC students were involved in our school garden. SRC students weeded and planted different types of plants. The school garden teaches SRC students essential skills, not only about life cycles and different foods, but also socialisation skills and cooperation. Students worked together to create this garden.

The school garden teaches students about eating and growing fresh healthy food, an essential ingredient for long-term health. It provides an abundantly stimulating learning environment for the school curriculum, while providing a platform for the development of invaluable social skills.

Thank you to all SRC students for their wonderful garden efforts.



PARSLEY



ROCKET



MINT



Find a container- Cups, jars, & yogurt containers all make great pots for planting.

Recycle



Save a seed- Apple, tomato, & cucumber seeds are fun to plant.

Plant Your Snack



Notice what happens- As your plant grows talk about what you see and make a graph to track the changes.

Watch it grow

KRISPY KREME FUNDRAISER

This term SRC held a Krispy Kreme Fundraiser. There are many benefits to fundraising. Students gain valuable leadership skills and confidence. Fundraisers require students to work with each other, as well as their parents and teachers in order to meet their overall goal, and this teaches our SRC teamwork. SRC are also taught the importance of community, creativity, caring about others, and improving the common environment. On behalf of the SRC, we would like to thank all the families who supported our school by purchasing a box.



SHOELACE TYING WORKSHOP

A milestone in a child's life is when he or she learns how to tie his or her own shoelaces. This year Kindergarten and Year 1 participated in Ascent Footwear's shoe lace tying lessons. Ascent Footwear works closely with The Athlete's Foot to ensure they are meeting the needs of Australian school kids feet. The shoe lace tying lessons were very helpful in ensuring students learn an important life skill and also assist them in developing their fine motor skills and create independence.

They were presented with an awesome gift, a shoe lace pencil case and a 9-step guide so they can keep practicing at home.



STEP 1 - LACES READY



STEP 2 - CROSS AND FALL



STEP 3 - UP AND UNDER



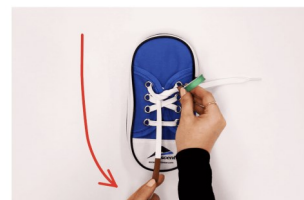
STEP 4 - PULL TIGHT



STEP 5 - MAKE A TREE



STEP 6 - HOLD MARKER



STEP 7 - RUN AROUND THE TREE



STEP 8 - POKE THROUGH

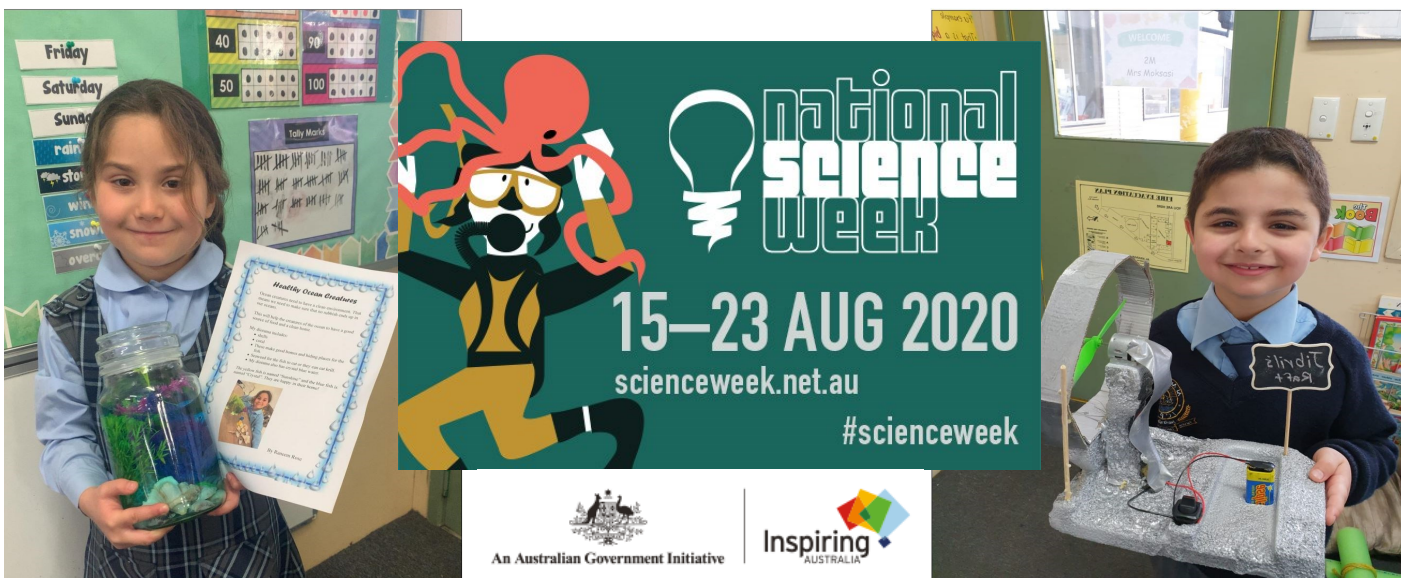


STEP 9 - PULL TIGHT



NATIONAL SCIENCE WEEK

National Science Week is an annual event that is held at Al Amanah College every year. This year's Science Fair theme was 'Deep Blue'. Students participated in a class activity which gave students prior knowledge before completing their take home task. Students created their own science projects at home which involved making floating rafts, making games to educate others about responsible fishing as well as making a diorama based on what a safe and healthy habitat should look like. Well done to all the creative students that participated. We had such a great turn out this year and it was extremely hard to choose a winner.



Al Amanah College endeavours to provide parents with the highest quality of professional services at all times! With this in mind we are very pleased to announce that all School uniform will now be sold directly through the supplier. This will provide parents with extended times for purchasing, improved stock availability and the convenience of online shopping.



The details for the Uniform Shop are as follows:

FAZ Quality Garments & Apparel

Address: 15/364 Park Rd

REGENTS PARK NSW 2143

Telephone: 02 9644 7999

Website: www.faz.com.au/uniformshop/

Parents are welcome to visit the Uniform Shop from 9:00am to 3:00pm, Monday to Friday. The accepted methods of payment are cash and Eftpos only.

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please do not hesitate to contact the School Administration Office or the Uniform Shop directly on the number provided above.

STAR STUDENT OF THE WEEK



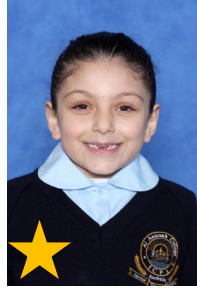
Adem Dlakic

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Fatima Ruqayyah

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Farah El-Jebelli

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Reyhana Serhan

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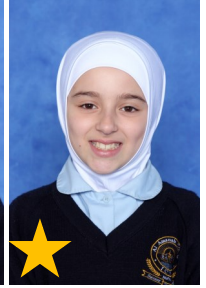
Sidrah Abouloghod

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Soukayna Zalgout

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Rama Dannoun

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Live Life Well @ School

"I'M BORED!"



Boredom can be frustrating, but it's a problem children can learn to solve themselves. Being bored gives children an opportunity to use their imagination, problem solve and create their own games. When children say "I'm bored", avoid using screen time. Instead, ask them questions which promote thinking and creativity:

- "Do you have pencils?"
- "Is your room clean?"
- "Can you tell me a story?"

These activities can occupy them for longer than screens and build skills which help them in their day-to-day lives.

Learning how to entertain themselves is a skill which takes practice and time for children to learn, just like anything else.

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