



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.

Welcome to our final newsletter for 2020. Despite the consequences of the COVID-19 pandemic; Term 4 has been filled with several occasions, dramatic performances and events such as: Mawlid Celebration, Kindy Farm & First Aid, Book Week, Gala Day Forensics, CARES, Year 6 Fun Day, DOJO Excursion that have brought us closer together. Also, our teachers finalized student report cards and assessments which give parents with feedback on their child's progress this year and see the comments for each subject to enable the parents discussing them with their children and celebrating their progress and successes and establishing expectations for learning in the coming year. Therefore, I would like to appreciate and acknowledge all staff members, students and parents for their level of support across these different occasions, none of which would have been well accomplished without their contribution. When we work together as one team we can achieve better outcomes for the children.

Our Year Six students Graduation Day took place this year at Bryan Brown Theatre in Bankstown on Thursday 10th of December. We will miss our beloved graduated year 6 students a lot and we wish them all an ex-

citing new journey into high school. Also, A special congratulations to our year 6 student Leen Mansi who has been selected as the recipient of a 2020 Community Service Award.



Our Year 6 students visited our second campus in Liverpool and attended an open day as part of their transition program to gain some insight into high school. They spent the day at the secondary school and participated in team building activities and met some high school staff in readiness for 2021.

Our whole School Presentation Day was held at our campus on Friday 11th of December. This event marked the end of the school year and celebrated the achievements of our students. The awards presented at the ceremony were as follows: Principal's Award, High Achievement Award, Most Conscientious Award, Sports Award, Consistent Effort Award and Values Award.

In closing, have a relaxing, safe, pleasant and enjoyable holiday and keep Al Amanah in your prayers.

Yours Sincerely,
Bassam Adra
Principal

Dates to Remember

Monday 11 to Friday 22 January 2021
School Office Open from 9am -2pm

Tuesday 26 January 2021
Public Holiday

Wednesday 27 to Friday 29 January 2021
Pupil Free Day

Monday 1 February 2021
Term 1 Begins



الأحاديث الأسبوعية

HADITHS OF THE WEEK

قال رسول الله صلى الله عليه وسلم:
”مَنْ تَوَاضَعَ لِلَّهِ رَفَعَهُ اللَّهُ“
 رواه مسلم

Allah raises the rank of one who humbles himself for the sake of Allah

T4 WK1

قال رسول الله صلى الله عليه وسلم:
”انْفُوا الرِّيَاءَ“ رواه البخاري

Which means: **”beware of insincerity“** narrated by Al-Bukhary

T4 WK2

قال رسول الله صلى الله عليه وسلم:
يَسِّرُوا وَلَا تُعَسِّرُوا يَسِّرُوا وَلَا تَتَّقِرُوا رواه البخاري

Facilitate; don't make things difficult; give glad tidings and don't repel people

T4 WK7

قال رسول الله ﷺ
”إِنَّمَا بُعِثْتُ لِأَتَمِّمَ مَكَارِمَ الْأَخْلَاقِ“
 [رواه البيهقي]

Which means:
”I was sent to the people to reveal and exhibit all of the good manners and high ethics“

T4 WK4

قال رسول الله صلى الله عليه وسلم:
”مَا قَلَّ وَكَفَى حَيْرَ مِمَّا كَثُرَ وَالْأَيْ” رواه الترمذي

What is less but sufficient is better than what is abundant but distractive

T4 WK8

T4 WK3

قال رسول الله صلى الله عليه وسلم:
”إِنَّمَا أَنَا رَحْمَةٌ مُنْعَدَّةٌ“
 رواه البيهقي

which means:
”Indeed I am a mercy gifted to people“

قال رسول الله ﷺ
”لَا يَدْخُلُ الْجَنَّةَ قَتَاتٌ“
 والقَتَاتُ هُوَ النِّعَامُ (رواه البخاري)

Lā yadkhulū- Jannata qattat

Which means:
The talebearer (qattat) will not be amongst the first People who enter paradise.

T4 WK6

قال النبي ﷺ
 صلى الله عليه وسلم

بَلِّغُوا عَنِّي وَلَوْ آيَةً

رواه البخاري

Which means:
Convey my teaching to others, even if only one 'Ayah.

T4 WK5

قال رسول الله ﷺ: **”اتَّقِ اللَّهَ حَيْثُمَا كُنْتَ“**

Which means:
Fear Allah wherever you are

T4 WK9

MAWLID CELEBRATION

On Thursday 5 November, Al Amanah College (Bankstown Campus) celebrated the great occasion of the birth of our Master, Prophet Muhammad (peace be upon Him). The students were dressed in Islamic wear and participated in a range of activities.



The Mawlid celebration included a lesson about the Prophet's biography, Islamic chanting, announcing the winners of the Mawlid competition as well distributing their medals and awards. The students also enjoyed a delicious lunch and received lolly bags.

To conclude the celebration students were given the opportunity to seek blessings by the honourable hair of the Prophet (peace be upon Him) and listen to ICPA drumming group.

Parents were welcomed in the afternoon with sweets and also enjoyed listening to the drumming group.



MAWLID CELEBRATION



بسم الله الرحمن الرحيم، الحمد لله والصلاة والسلام على سيدنا محمد الطاهر الأمين، وعلى إخوانه النبيين والمرسلين، وأصحابه وءاله الطيبين الطاهرين.

تحت شعار (غوثاه رسول الله) نظمت كلية الأمانة احتفالا بمناسبة المولد النبوي الشريف لتلاميذها في كلية الأمانة بانكستاون، وذلك بحضور الأساتذة، يوم الخميس الواقع في 5-11-2020 أحيها المنشد الكبير الحاج محمد ياسين الذي أفرح قلوب الطلاب بما قدمه من أناشيد عطرة خاصة بالمناسبة وتخلل الاحتفال محاضرة دينية قيمة باللغة الانكليزية عن المولد ألقاها الشيخ عمرو الشلح الأزهري

ووزعت هدايا و ميداليات على الفائزين بمسابقة المولد النبوي الشريف وكان الزي الإسلامي هو اللباس المعتمد بين الأساتذة والتلاميذ ، وفي نهاية الاحتفال قدمت الحلوى للأهالي والتلاميذ فرحاً بهذه المناسبة الطيبة .

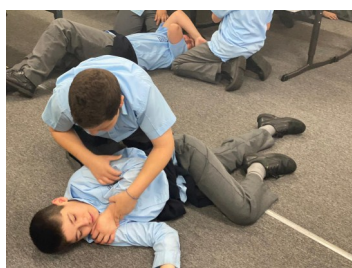
كذلك قدمت كلية الأمانة بانكستاون وجبات طعام (غداء) للطلاب والمعلمين حباً بالنبي محمد عليه الصلاة والسلام

أخيراً نسأل الله أن يعيد علينا هذه الذكرى المباركة بالخير واليمن والبركات . وكل عام وانتم بخير .



K-6 FIRST AID COURSE

On Tuesday 27 October and Wednesday 28 October, K-6 students of Al Amanah College Bankstown were fortunate enough to participate in a First Aid In-School Course. Kerrie from 'St John Ambulance Australia' visited our school and conducted a variety of First Aid workshops to meet the needs of various ages and stages. The main aim of the course was to educate children from all grades on how to assist in emergencies, whether at home, at school or on the sports field. We hope that the students have been able to benefit from these invaluable workshops!




+ DIY: home first-aid kit


START with a small tackle box, small toolbox or large makeup organizer. Then ADD items according to the size or specific needs of your family. CREATE a smaller kit with travel items for hiking or other adventures.


	<p>bandages</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Jumbo package of assorted adhesive bandages Box of butterfly closure strips Box of assorted gauze pads Adhesive cloth tape 2 roller bandages 2 absorbent compress dressings Blister pads 		
	<p>creams & ointments</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1 tube antibiotic ointment 1 tube hydrocortisone cream Box antiseptic wipes 		<p>medications</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1 bottle pain reliever 1 package antihistamines
	<p>miscellaneous</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Space blanket Instant cold compress CPR mask 		<p>tools</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Scissors Tweezers Thermometer 2 pairs non-latex gloves First-aid instruction booklet

Nutrition Snippet

SUMMER FRUIT AND VEG.








Try these summer sizzlers:

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- [Coleslaw](#)
- [Frozen fruit puree](#)

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KINDY FARM EXCURSION



On Tuesday 3 November, students from KA and KE went on an excursion to Calmsley Hill Farm. This excursion further enhanced their learning of living things. The students arrived at the venue whereby they were led by two trained farmer guides. The tour commenced with students exploring around the farm, seeing a variety of different farm animals and even having the chance to pat some chicks, sheep, goats and rabbits. They were also educated on plant growth and life cycles, as well as what is produced on a farm and how. Children also enjoyed watching 'The Working Dog Show' and 'The Whip' show. Our tractor ride was definitely the highlight of the day! The day ended with a relaxing lunch and ice-blocks to cool down. An amazing trip enjoyed by all.

We thank the parent helpers for their time and effort on the day.



KINDY ORIENTATION

Kindergarten Orientation sessions were conducted on the 3rd, 10th and 17th of November. Students enjoyed a morning session in the Kindergarten classroom getting to know the teachers, the school and their fellow classmates. Students participated in fun activities, story-time sessions and games. Parents received PowerPoint presentations on a USB as well as an information booklet to support their child next year. A fabulous show bag featuring activity booklets, pencil grip and other useful resources were also given to the students. We are looking forward to seeing our 2021 Kindergarten next year on Monday 1 February.



BOOK WEEK

Princesses, hero's and extraordinary characters roamed around Al Amanah College on Wednesday 4 November as part of our 2020 Book Week Parade. All students looked fabulous in their costumes! We are not only proud of Al Amanah students for putting so much effort into their costumes but also how well behaved they were during this event!

Unfortunately, this year, the parade was limited to our classrooms and parents could not be involved due to Covid19. This, however, didn't limit the fun as students paraded their costumes in class on the day! The teachers also read the award-winning book 'Three' by Stephen Michael King as a treat. Students, then engaged in an exciting competition designing a 'Curious Creatures, Wild Minds' bookmark and their own curious creature. The winners received their own customised book week lanyard. Well done to all of our winners!

In keeping with the theme of 'Curious Creatures, Wild Minds', students entered a memory competition to with the 10 short-listed books!

Congratulations to our winners-

Adem Dlakic in KA

Mariam Koteish in 1D

Ewan Matar in 2L

Zeina Istanbouli in 3J

Fatima Al Daher in 4O

Jehad Chamma in 6S

Laila Kalash in KE

Ahmad Obeid in 1S

Shayma Korhani in 2M

Mohammed Chouman in 3Z

Noor Syed in 5A

On Wednesday 18 November, Meerkat Productions performed their adaptation of 'Three' by Stephen Michael King. Three is a story about an adventurous three-legged dog with charismatic charm. He optimistically roams around the bustling city in search for a place to belong until he meets a kind girl name Fern who accepts him with open arms. The play was incredibly engaging with singing, dancing and humour incorporated into the performance. Valuable lessons of belonging and kindness were also emphasised which was very beneficial to students.

We thank Meerkat Productions for a very engaging and interactive show which was enjoyed by all.

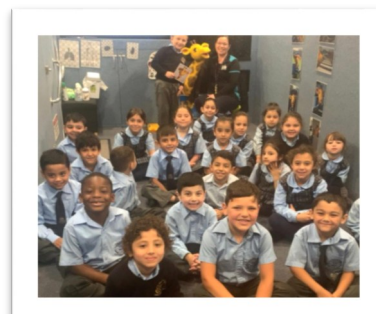


The English Committee were excited and thrilled with all the students on the day and we thank parents for their effort in helping their children participate in this annual event. Also, a big thank you to Al Amanah Bankstown Staff for their efforts in making the event run smoothly!

English Committee

HEALTHY HAROLD

In Term 4 Australia's most iconic health and safety advocate, Healthy Harold, paid a warm, welcomed visit to Al Amanah College Bankstown. Students from Kindergarten to Year Six participated in a range of interactive preventative learning modules that taught them how to live a safe and healthy life. Each student received a workbook and a sticker.



K-5 DOJO WINNERS

This year, the top three Class Dojo achievers from Kindergarten to Year 5 were treated to a very special prize. These students enjoyed watching a movie in a theatre themed room whilst snacking on some popcorn, ice-cream sundaes, lollies and drinks. We hope that this incentive will assist in encouraging our students to continue to work hard all year and follow our school ethos and responsibilities to earn as many dojos as they can. Congratulations to all the dojo winners!



STAGE 3 CRICKET GALA DAY

Students across Stage 3 participated in an all-day Gala Day on behalf of NSW Cricket run by the Sydney Thunder Cricket Development Officers at Neville Reserve Bass hill. The event proved to be a great success with students participating in fun interactive stations across the oval. Students were exposed to cricket in a fun, inclusive, learning environment with advice on how they can continue a healthy and active lifestyle.



lence in and out of school grounds. Students also contributed to this special event by completing lessons and activities in class.



LINE MARKING

Students were finally able to utilise the sports line marking during their PE session. A range of games were organised for them to showcase their skills acquired through T4 & T3 in an exciting and diverse sports session. Students were thrilled and excited.

CYBER BULLYING & VIOLENCE AWARENESS

Students at Al Amanah College Bankstown Campus participated in the Cyber Bullying & Violence awareness incursion. Stage 3 Students had a special session held with a visit from Police Officers Officer Phillip & Office Andre who came to talk to the students about the prevalent issue of Cyberbullying and much more. The officers presented the risks and dangers related to Cyber Bullying on social media and online gaming and how it may lead to vio-



YEAR 6 FETE

On Thursday 19 November, Year 6 held their school fete. Students enjoyed a wide range of fun activities that tested their creativity and skills such as cupcake decoration, high striker, skee ball and sail boat race.

The warm weather was perfect for a cooling sun-dae and spider drink. Many students also treated themselves to fairy floss and lolly bags and scored bargains at the 'White Elephant' store.

Thank you to all parents who contributed with donations, your generosity is much appreciated.



YEAR 6 CARES

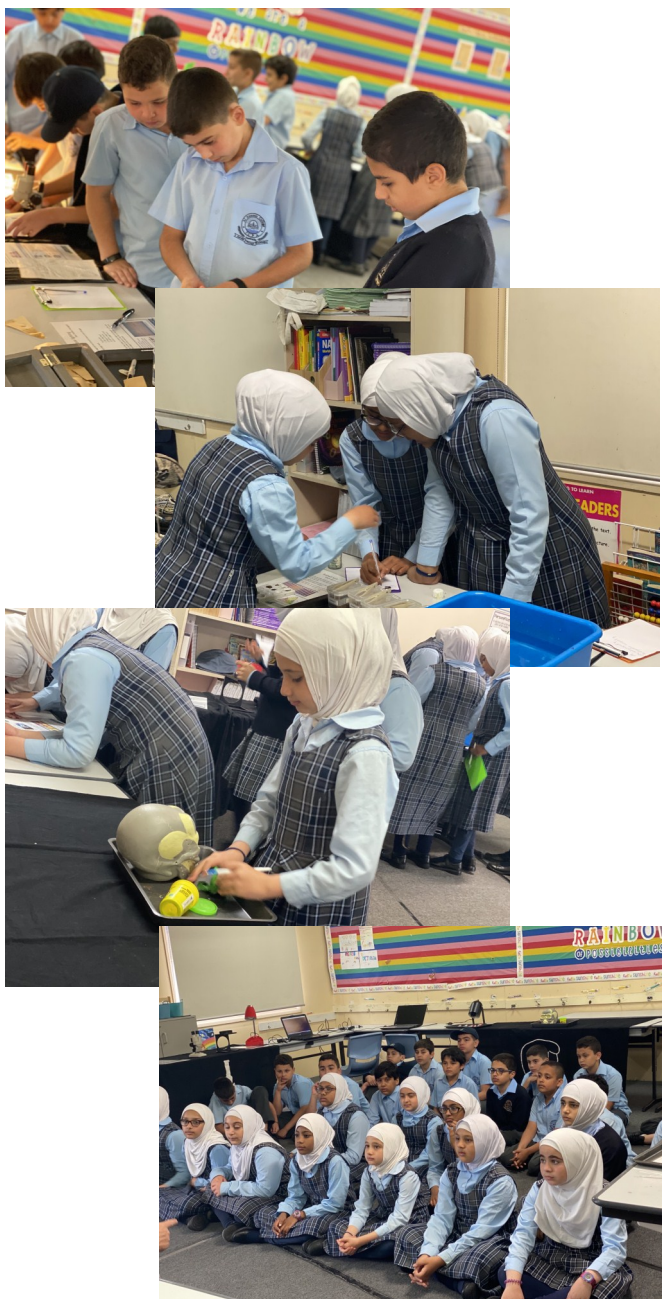
On Wednesday 25 November, Year Six took part in the *Community and Road Education Scheme* program. Throughout the day, students learnt about road safety and had an opportunity to develop their practical skills in a controlled and safe environment.

The program began with a presentation about the importance of wearing a properly fitted helmet. Students were then taken around the course which exposed the different risks on the road. To finish their learning experience, students enjoyed a practical session where they learnt how to perform hand signals and be mindful on the road.



YEAR 5 'FORENSICS' INCURSION

This Term, Year 5 participated in the forensics incursion. It was a wonderful experience for all students involved. There were so many activities that students completed, from DNA analysis to matching hair and fibres under the microscope in order to solve the mystery. Students worked in groups to narrow down the suspects list to find 'Who Done It!'



YEAR 6 'ARCHIE BROTHERS' EXCURSION



On Thursday 3 December, Year 6 went on their fun day trip to 'Archie Brothers Cirque Electriq'. For their final excursion of primary school, students were able to play unlimited arcade games, laser tag, dodgem cars, virtual reality as well as bowling. It was a lovely way to cap off a disrupted year and a great opportunity to spend time with friends before they leave to high school.

Mr Sinwan



SRC 'BUBBLE TEA' FUNDRAISER

The SRC organised a sweet and refreshing fundraiser on Wednesday 2 December. SRC students responsibly prepared and delivered delicious summer bubble tea drinks to their peers. The fundraiser was a success!



A huge thank you to all SRC members 2020 for their hard work and effort throughout the year!



A MESSAGE FROM FAZ UNIFORM

As Covid -19 situation continues to evolve, we would like to update our customers on our position. Our aim is to focus on the wellbeing of our staff and Customers, our approach to be sensible and respectful to our diverse community.

We are always listening to the Australian authorities and the medical advice.

Therefore a number of measures we are undertaking to minimize the health risks of our Staff and Customers:

- Limited number of customers will be allowed at the shop
- Social Distancing is to be maintained
- Online Ordering is available via our Online Shop: www.faz.com.au/uniformshop
- All New Students for 2021 (K -YEAR 7) must purchase their school uniforms **as soon as acceptance letter is received.**

We do recommend our Customers to **use our online services** and would like to ensure our priority is to maintain our customer service and minimize disruption.

Be assured we will remain fully operational, our business is stable and we will continue to provide the high quality service you expect from us.

Our holiday will commence **18/12/2020** and we will reopen on **2/1/2021.**

Thank you for your continued support.



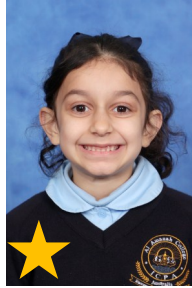
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STAR STUDENT OF THE WEEK



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KA



Zainab Elyassine

KE



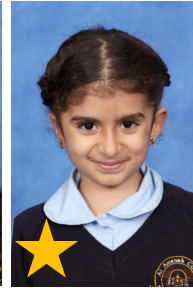
Leila Charrouf

1D



Jowan Alzubaydi

1S



Amira Labbade

1S



Amir Mehtedy

1S



Aya Abu Lebdeh

2L



Aaysha Reca

3J



Rayn Siddiqui

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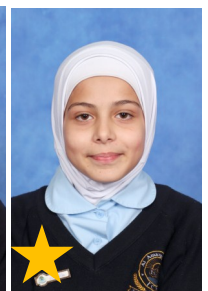
Zuha Shaikh

5A



Soukayna Zalgout

5A



Leen Mansi

6S

Sunsmart Snippet

Seek shade at home



Shade alone can reduce UV exposure by up to 75%

Priority areas for shade at home:

- Outdoor eating areas, decks and patios
- Sandpits and play equipment
- Pool areas

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