

NEWSLETTER | Message from the Principal's Office

Issue 06

Tuesday 7 December 2021

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 2021. Despite the consequences of the COVID-19 pandemic; Term 4 has been filled with several occasions and events such as: Mawlid Celebration, Shoelace Tying Incur-sion, Life Skill Tools for Transition, SRC Luncheon with the principal, Year 6 Fun Day, and DOJO Win-ners Excursion that have brought us closer togeth-er. Also, our teachers finalised student report cards and assessments which give parents feedback on their child's progress this year and comments for each subject to enable the parents discuss them with their children and celebrate their progress and successes and establishing expectations for learning in the coming year.

At Al Amanah College, we have been providing edu-cation to the community for more than two dec-ades and our staff members have been working with the spirit of benevolence and togetherness to provide the best possible knowledge and learning to our students to become professional and com-passionate contributors to the wellbeing of our so-ciety.

Our Year Six students Graduation Day was a special one this year which took place at Bryan Brown The-

atre in Bankstown on Friday 3rd of Decem-ber. We will miss our beloved graduated Year 6 students and we wish them all an ex-citing new journey into high school. Also, a special congratulations to our year 6 student Ghalia Istanbouli who has been selected as the re-cipient of the 2021 Community Service Award

Our whole school Presentation Day was held at our campus on Tuesday 7th of December. This event marks the end of the school year and celebrates the achievements of our students. This has been fol-lowed by an Awards Ceremony as follows: Princi-pal's Award, High Achievement Award, Sports Award, Consistent Effort Award and Values Award.

Finally, I wish you all a relaxing, refreshing, safe, and enjoyable summer holiday and I look forward to seeing you all back and working together to achieve a success-ful and fruitful ac-ademic year. May Allah protect you all and keep Al Amanah in your prayers.

Principal
Bassam Adra



Key Dates

Monday 17 January 2022
School Office Open from 9am - 2pm

Wednesday 26 January

Public Holiday

Thursday 27 January

Pupil Free Day/Staff Development

Friday 28 January

Pupil Free Day/Staff Development

Monday 31 January

Students Day One Term One

Tuesday 1 February – Thursday 3

Kindergarten Orientation Days

Monday 7 February 2022

Kindergarten Day One

الأحاديث الأسبوعية

HADITHS OF THE WEEK

قال رسول الله صلى الله عليه وسلم:
"اتق الله حيثما كنت"
رواه الترمذي

Which means:
Fear Allah wherever you are

T4 WK9

قال رسول الله ﷺ:
«إنما بعثت لأتمم مكارم الأخلاق»
رواه البخاري

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

T4 WK3

Salam to You,
O' Messengers of Allah
Please to open their

T4 WK4

قال رسول الله صلى الله عليه وسلم:
{ ليس الشديد من غلب الناس }
{ ولكن الشديد من غلب نفسه }
رواه البخاري ومسلم

Which means:
The strong one is not the one who can overpower people, rather the strong one is the one who can exercise self-restraint"

(Related by Bukariyy and Muslim)

قال رسول الله صلى الله عليه وسلم:
"المؤمن مرآة أخيه المؤمن"
رواه البخاري

Which means:
The believer is like a mirror to his brother

T4 WK5

قال رسول الله صلى الله عليه وسلم:
لا تحاسنوا، ولا تتحاسنوا، ولا تباغضوا،
وكونوا عباد الله يخوانا، المسلم أخو المسلم
رواه مسلم

Which means:
"Don't have enmity, envy or hatred among each other; rather be brothers and obedient slaves of Allah"

T4 WK2

قال رسول الله صلى الله عليه وسلم:
"يسرروا ولا تعسروا
بشروا ولا تنفروا"
رواه مسلم

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

T4 WK8

قال رسول الله ﷺ:
أَكْرِمُوا الْخُبْزَ
رواه الحاكم

Which means:
Have regard for bread

T4 WK6

قال رسول الله صلى الله عليه وسلم:
"نعمتان مغبون فيهما كثير من الناس الصحة والفراغ"
رواه البخاري

There are two great endowments which many people are not benefiting from wisely: **the good health** and the free time

T4 WK1

قال رسول الله صلى الله عليه وسلم:
"ما قلن وكفى خير مما كثر وألنى"
رواه العمري

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

T4 WK7

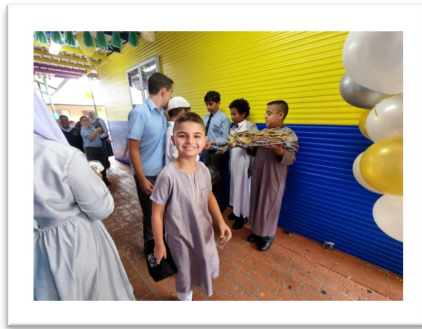
Mawlid Celebration

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

تحت شعار (سلاماً يا رسول الله) نظمت كلية الأمانة احتفالاً بمناسبة المولد النبوي الشريف لتلاميذها في كلية الامانة بانكستاون، وذلك بحضور الأساتذة يوم الجمعة الواقع في 2021-10-29 من الساعة التاسعة وحتى الساعة العاشرة والنصف صباحاً. وأطلق بعض الطلاب البالونات الملونة في الهواء فرحاً بالمناسبة العظيمة .

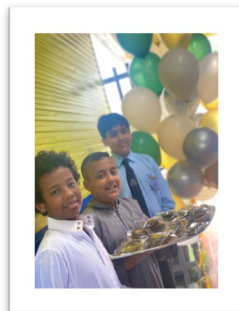
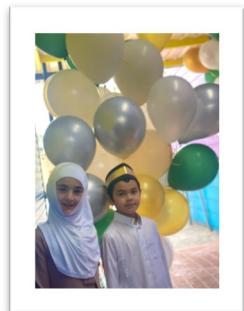
وكان الزي الإسلامي هو اللباس المعتمد بين الأساتذة والتلاميذ، وفي نهاية يوم الاحتفال وزعت الحلوى للاهالي والتلاميذ فرحاً بهذه المناسبة العطرة .

أخيراً أسأل الله أن يعيد علينا هذه الذكرى المباركة بالخير واليمن والبركات . وكل عام وأنتم بخير .



On Friday 29 October 2021,

Al Amanah College Bankstown held an Islamic celebration under the slogan **“Salam to you O Messenger of Allah”**, peace be upon him commemorating the birth of The Honorable Prophet Muhammad peace be upon him. The celebration began at 9:00 am through to the Recess break at 10:20am. Students were dressed in Islamic wear as they happily celebrated by letting go the balloons simultaneously in the air. Finally, students received lolly bags and parents enjoyed sumptuous sweets.



Shoe Lace Tying shop

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.



SRC COMMITTEE

SRC Fundraiser

The SRC organised a cool and icy fundraiser on Thursday 1 December. SRC students responsibly sorted and delivered refreshing Zooper Doopers to their peers. The fundraiser was a success!

A huge thank you to all SRC members 2021 for their hard work and effort!

SRC Committee



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SRC Luncheon with the Principal

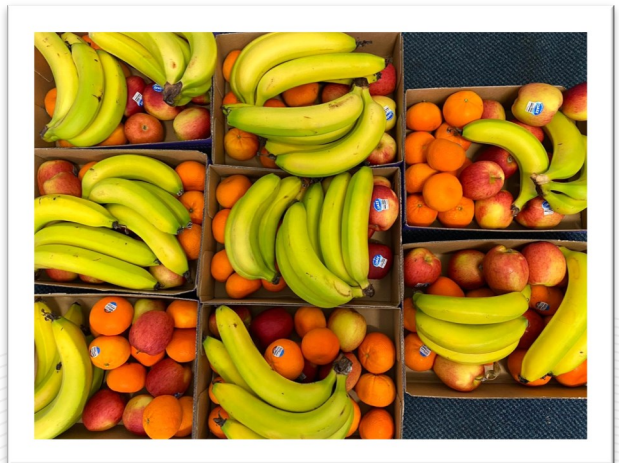
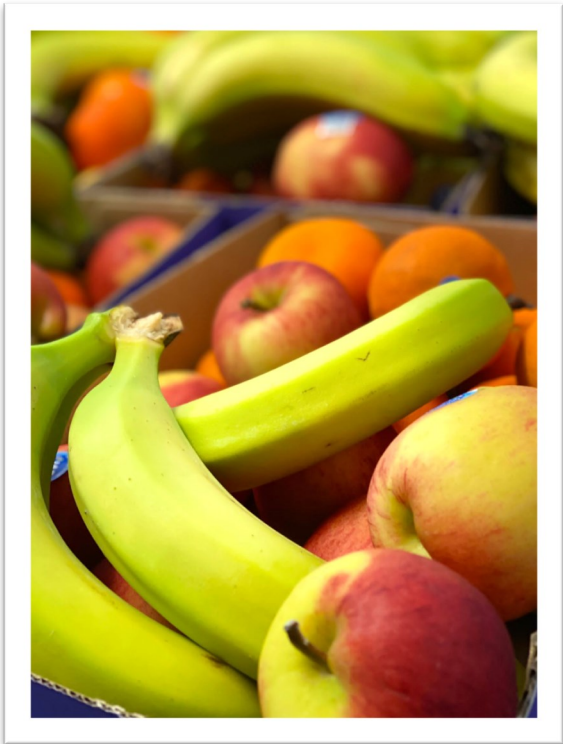
On Thursday 25 November SRC were treated to a surprise lunch. They have been a flexible and enthusiastic team. SRC have been attending weekly meetings with wonderful new ideas. They were able to take Covid in their stride and get back to important roles this term. For their hard work and dedication SRC enjoyed a buffet lunch.

Thank you to all our SRC members of 2021 for all their efforts this year.



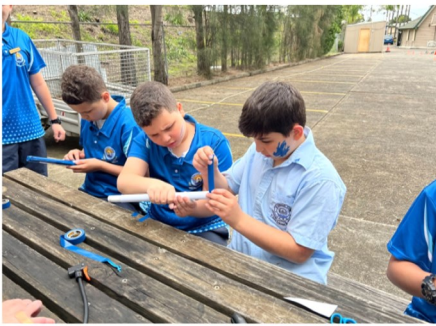
Woolworths Discovery Tour

Our students enjoyed delicious fruit provided from Woolworths at Bankstown as a part of The Fresh Food Kids immersive Discovery Tour program. Designed in collaboration with educators, food scientists and nutritionists, the program allows students to 'virtually' step onto an Australian farm to learn how fresh food is grown and meet some of the farmers who supply fruit and vegetable to stores. Students in Grades 6 also participated in lessons which focus on where fresh food comes from, the journey from farm to plate, seasonality, food miles, sustainability and food waste, as well as healthy eating choices. The students received a kit containing an activity book as well as 'Fruit and Veggie Quiz' cards.



Year 6 Fun Day

Every year we farewell the Year 6 with a Fun Day. This year Ranger Jamie organised an incursion for our out going Year 6. The day was fun filled, but also focused on building skills that would be beneficial for the students in high school. Students partook in activities such as go cart riding, making and deploying rockets and finally working as a team to build the highest tower possible with the equipment they had. Year 6 enjoyed the activities and participated well.



Life Skills

This term Year 6 partook in 4 online Zoom sessions to teach them skills to help them with the transition from primary school to high school. The sessions taught students how to deal with stress and situations that maybe overwhelming for them. Every session introduced a new concept and each concept had activities and real-life scenarios that they may face and how to best find solutions for those problems. The sessions will greatly help students in better circumvent their way around the difficulties of a new environment. Year 6 greatly enjoyed the hands-on activities. These tools will undoubtedly come in handy in the years to come.



K-5 Graduation Ceremony Bankstown campus

On Tuesday 7 December, Al Amanah College Bankstown celebrated our students' achievements in our annual Presentation Day. The celebration was held in the musala with our Kindy - Year 2 students followed by the Year 3 - 5 students. Both events began with a recitation of the Holy Qu'ran followed by a heartwarming speech by our principal Mr Adra. Our Kindergarten students also showcased their skills with a recitation of ^Aqidah of Ibn ^Asakir. Awards that were distributed to students included Sports Person of the Year, Civics and Citizenship, Most Improved, Values, Consistent Effort, Achievement and Principal Awards. On behalf of the staff at Al Amanah College, we wish our students and their families a wonderful summer holiday.



K-5 Graduation Ceremony Bankstown campus



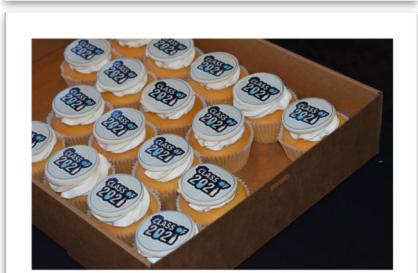
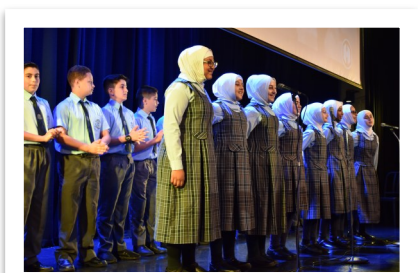
Year 6 Graduation Ceremony Bankstown campus

The Year Six Graduation 2021 was held on Friday 3 December at the Bryan Brown Theatre in Bankstown.

Our vice captains Razan Rifi and Syed Ahsan, where the MC's for the event. The morning commenced with a beautiful recitation from the Holy Quran recited by our Year 6 student Noor Syed. The ceremony also included a beautiful Religious Performance titled 'Yā 'Imāmar-Rusli ' يا إمام الرسل ' The students chanted proudly and in harmony. The performance was put together by the year 6 Arabic teachers.

The event was followed by a speech from our Principal Mr Adra discussing the importance of effective school-parent relationships in supporting children's learning whilst thanking parents for their continued support especially during what was a difficult pandemic year.

The achievements of the Year 6 students were proudly acknowledged with the presentation of certificates before the final farewell receiving their school gift-2021 Graduate Scarves. The ceremony was concluded with parents/carers enjoying a sumptuous brunch. We wish the students all the best in their high school years, they will be missed dearly!



Year 6 High school Transition

High School 2022

Is Your Child Starting High School Next Year?

Here are some steps you can take to help your child start high school on a positive note:

- Be interested and enthusiastic about their move to high school
- Attend the high school orientation
- Make sure travel arrangements to and from the school are organised
- Organise your child's school uniform well before the first day of school
- Learn about school routines and timetables
- Help your child to develop good study habits
- Practise organisational skills
- Discuss emergency and safety issues
- Let your child know that you can trust them and that they can trust you

