



# AL AMANAH COLLEGE

Success Through Knowledge

## NEWSLETTER

Issue 07

## Message from the Principal's Office

Thursday 12 December 2024

Dear Al Amanah College Community,

Praise and thanks are due to Allah, the Lord of the universe. May Allah raise the rank of our Master and Prophet Muhammad and protect his nation from that which he fears for them.

As we close another remarkable year at Al Amanah College, I am honoured to share this message reflecting on our collective achievements and the values that continue to guide us. The year 2024 has been a testament to the strength of our school community, the unwavering dedication of our staff, and the bright potential of our students.

The theme for this year's annual business dinner was, "A Time to Reflect", invites us to consider not only our accomplishments but also the challenges we have faced as a global community. Many of our families and staff have been directly or indirectly affected by the ongoing struggles in the Middle East, reminding us of the importance of empathy, unity, and the critical role of education in fostering understanding and resilience.

As I look back on this year, I am filled with pride over the milestones we have reached. A key highlight was the Al Amanah Community Vision Night in August, where we showcased the incredible achievements of our students and staff, including outstanding NAPLAN and HSC results. These accomplishments reflect the hard work and dedication of our entire community.

One of the year's most significant developments was the expansion of our high school at the mother campus. This has allowed us to welcome more local students to our Liverpool campus and continue to serve our growing community with excellence.

We also celebrated the establishment of the first-ever Al Amanah Alumni Committee, which has already begun building meaningful connections between past and present students. This initiative highlights the enduring bond our graduates feel with their alma mater. A particularly proud moment was organising the first Umrah trip. This spiritually enriching journey united students, staff, and families, reinforcing the shared values we value.

Additionally, we launched the first Qur'an school, further solidifying our commitment to Islamic education and fostering excellence in this critical area.

This year also brought positive insights through our student, teacher, and parent satisfaction surveys. The overwhelmingly positive feedback affirmed the strong sense of belonging, trust, and pride felt across our community. Parents expressed their appreciation for the supportive environment we provide, teachers commended the professional development opportunities, and students voiced their pride in being part of Al Amanah College. This feedback motivates us to continue striving for excellence in all that we do.

Among our other accomplishments, we have significantly increased opportunities for staff professional learning, fostering a culture of reflection and growth. We also established new committees, such as the Curriculum Reform Committee and the Educational Events Committee, which have collaborated with our sister schools to enhance programs and events.

Looking to the future, we are thrilled about the transformation of the school's old hall into a state-of-the-art library, combining modern technology with traditional methods to inspire creativity and learning. At the same time, we remain committed to maintaining balance, ensuring that students develop essential skills like handwriting and critical thinking alongside technological innovation.

Finally, I want to take this opportunity to honour our long-serving staff members, whose contributions over 5, 10, 15, 20, and even 25 years have been the foundation of our success. Your dedication, passion, and perseverance are deeply appreciated, and you remain an integral part of the Al Amanah family.

As you turn the pages of this yearbook, I hope you are reminded of the extraordinary moments, growth, and excellence that have defined 2024 at Al Amanah College. Let us continue to build on this legacy, fostering connections, innovation, and the shared values that make our school a beacon of hope and learning.

Warm regards,  
Ayman Alwan  
Principal

### Dates to Remember

FRIDAY 13 DECEMBER  
Last Day of Term 4

WEDNESDAY 15 - FRIDAY 24  
JANUARY 2025  
School Office Open from 9am - 2pm

MONDAY 27 JANUARY  
Public Holiday

THURSDAY 30 JANUARY  
Pupil Free Day  
Staff Development Day One

FRIDAY 31 JANUARY  
Pupil Free Day  
Staff Development Day Two

MONDAY 3 FEBRUARY  
Students Day One  
Year One - Year Twelve

TUESDAY 4 - FRIDAY 7 FEBRUARY  
From 9am - 12pm  
Kindergarten Transition Days

MONDAY 10 FEBRUARY  
Kindergarten Day One

TUESDAY 11 FEBRUARY  
Boys Swimming Carnival

TUESDAY 11 FEBRUARY  
Girls Athletics Carnival

SATURDAY 1 MARCH  
Expected Ramadan (TBC)



## الأحاديث الأسبوعية

### Hadiths of the Week

**TERM 4  
WEEK 1**

قَالَ رَسُولُ اللَّهِ ﷺ:

وَقَالَ رَبِّي عَزَّ وَجَلَّ:

Which means:  
"And say, O my Lord Increase me in knowledge."

**TERM 4  
WEEK 2**

قَالَ رَسُولُ اللَّهِ ﷺ:

كَانَ اللَّهُ وَلَمْ يَكُنْ شَيْءٌ غَيْرُهُ.

رواه البخاري

Which means:  
"Allah existed [eternally] and nothing else existed with Him."

Related by Al-Bukhariyy

**TERM 4  
WEEK 3**

قَالَ رَسُولُ اللَّهِ ﷺ:

لَا يَصْلُحُ الْكَذِبُ فِي جِدٍّ وَلَا فِي هُزْلٍ.

رواه البيهقي

Which means:  
"LYING IS NOT GOOD, WHETHER IN SERIOUSNESS OR JOKING."

Related by Bayhaghy

**TERM 4  
WEEK 4**

قَالَ رَسُولُ اللَّهِ ﷺ:

مَنْ كَانَ يُؤْمِنُ بِاللَّهِ وَالْيَوْمِ الْآخِرِ فَلْيُكْرِمْ جَارَهُ.

رواه البخاري

Which means:  
"Let the one who believes in Allah and the final day, be generous to his neighbour."

Related by Al-Bukhariyy

**TERM 4  
WEEK 5**

قَالَ رَسُولُ اللَّهِ ﷺ:

الْمُؤْمِنُ مِرَآةُ الْمُؤْمِنِ.

رواه أبو داود

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

Related by Abu Daoud

**TERM 4  
WEEK 6**

قَالَ رَسُولُ اللَّهِ ﷺ:

وَأَعْبُدُوا اللَّهَ وَلَا تُشْرِكُوا بِهِ شَيْئًا وَبِالْوَالِدَيْنِ إِحْسَانًا.

Which means:  
"Worship God without associating any partner to Him and treat your parents in a good way."

**TERM 4  
WEEK 7**

قَالَ النَّبِيُّ ﷺ:

لَا تَحَاسَدُوا، وَلَا تَبَاغَضُوا، وَلَا تَنَابَزُوا، وَكُونُوا عِبَادَ اللَّهِ إِخْوَانًا.

رواه مسلم

Which means:  
"Do not envy one another, do not hate one another, do not turn away from one another, rather, be brothers and obedient slaves of Allah."

Related by Muslim

**TERM 4  
WEEK 8**

قَالَ النَّبِيُّ ﷺ:

لَيْسَ مِنَّا مَنْ لَمْ يَرْحَمْ صَغِيرَنَا وَيُقَرِّرْ كَبِيرَنَا.

رواه الترمذي

Which means:  
"He who does not have mercy on our young and respect to our elders is not following our teachings."

Related by At-Tirmidhiyy

**TERM 4  
WEEK 9**

قَالَ رَسُولُ اللَّهِ ﷺ:

لَا يُؤْمَنُ أَحَدُكُمْ حَتَّى يُحِبَّ لِلنَّاسِ مَا يُحِبُّ لِنَفْسِهِ.

رواه أحمد

Which means:  
"A person will not reach a high rank in Islam until he loves for people what he loves for himself."

Related by Ahmad



## NAPLAN Special Assembly

On Thursday, 17 October, Al Amanah College hosted a special assembly to celebrate the outstanding achievements of our students in the 2024 NAPLAN examinations. The event was filled with recognition as we honoured those who excelled in key areas of literacy and numeracy.

The Principal, Mr Alwan, opened the ceremony with an inspiring speech, emphasizing the importance of continuous learning and perseverance. He commended the students for their dedication and highlighted the value of NAPLAN in identifying areas for growth and development.

A special *thankyou* goes out to our dedicated teaching staff for their tireless efforts in preparing the students and fostering an environment where academic growth thrives. Their guidance and commitment have undoubtedly contributed to the students' successes.

We congratulate all students who participated in NAPLAN this year and extend special recognition to those who received awards. Their hard work and determination, together with their parents' support, are a testament to their future success.

We look forward to seeing continued excellence in the years to come!





## SRC Parent Breakfast

On Tuesday 5 November 2024, Al Amanah College held its annual end-of-year breakfast, hosted by the 2024 Primary and Secondary Student Representative Council (SRC). This event, dedicated to recognizing the hard work and achievements of the SRC members, brought together teachers, student representatives, and their families in a celebration of commitment and leadership.

The ceremony opened with Year Ten SRC Captain, Galeb El Hussein as MC, establishing the formalities. Year Ten Vice-Captain Leen Mansi then delivered a heartfelt Quranic recitation, followed by the singing of the Australian National Anthem and the school song, which filled the room with a shared sense of pride and unity. The principal, Mr Alwan, delivered a touching speech, congratulating both primary and secondary SRC members and their coordinators for their significant contributions throughout the year. He highlighted their efforts in supporting school-based events and the school's dedication to enhancing both the school environment and the broader community.

The event continued with an inspiring religion lesson from Year Ten SRC member Salim Alwan, who delivered an engaging lesson on the importance of leadership skills and their many benefits. With great enthusiasm, Salim emphasised how these skills empower students to make positive contributions within the school and beyond.

The highlight of the morning was a breakfast honoring the SRC members and their families. Together, students, parents, and staff enjoyed a wide array of foods and desserts, creating a warm and friendly atmosphere filled with appreciation.

Al Amanah College extends its sincere appreciation to all parents, students, and staff who contributed to the success of the breakfast and other events throughout the year. To the 2024 SRC team - *thankyou* for your dedication, service, and commitment to our school community. May Allah reward you all for your contributions.

Ms El Beik, Mrs Ghany, Ms El Sabeh, Ms Haidar, and Ms Chams  
SRC Coordinators



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## Al Amanah College Annual Business Dinner 2024: *A Time to Reflect*

### A Heartfelt Evening of Reflection and Celebration at Al Amanah College

On Friday 22 November Al Amanah College hosted its highly anticipated Annual Business Dinner under the theme *A Time to Reflect*. This meaningful gathering brought together teaching and non-teaching staff member from both the Bankstown and Liverpool campuses, celebrating the achievements of the year and fostering a sense of community.

The evening commenced with an opening by MC Omar Alwan, a recent graduate and active member of the Alumni Committee. Omar introduced the theme, highlighting the importance of graduate of the blessings enjoyed as a school and community, while offering heartfelt supplications for those enduring hardships around the world.

A serene Qur'anic recitation by Year Twelve student, Amaan Shah, set the tone for the event adding a reflective element to the ceremony.

The 2024 Annual Business Dinner was a momentous occasion, bringing together staff and community member and friends of Al Amanah College to celebrate a year of remarkable achievements. Under the theme *A Time to Reflect*, the Principal, Mr Alwan, highlighted the resilience and dedication of the school community amid global challenges. Key milestones included outstanding academic results, the launch of new initiatives such as the first Umrah trip, Al Amanah Alumni Committee, and Qur'an School, and the announcement of the secondary school expansion at Bankstown campus. The evening also celebrated long-serving staff members whose unwavering commitment has been instrumental in shaping the school's legacy. Looking ahead, Al Amanah remains dedicated to fostering excellence, community engagement, and Islamic values, as it continues to inspire and support future generations.

Mr Alwan's address was complemented by religion advice delivered by Sheikh Salim Alwan, Chairman of Darulfatwa, Islamic High Council of Australia, who delivered an inspiring message rooted in the teachings of Islam, emphasising the unparalleled value of knowledge and its role in shaping a strong and righteous community. Drawing from Qur'anic verses, he reminded attendees of the responsibility to protect oneself and one's family through proper religion educa-

tion and adherence to Allah's commandments. Al Amanah College, established on the principles of moderation and the true teachings of Islam, continues to serve as a beacon of knowledge and unity, free from extremism. The evening was blissful celebration of the dedication and tireless efforts of teachers and staff members whose contributions mature the students' future and fortify the school community.

Bahaa Al Kasem, 2019 graduate, delivered a powerful message under the theme *A Time to Reflect*, urging the community to turn reflection into action for the children of Palestine. Highlighting the resilience and dreams of Palestinian children amidst unimaginable suffering, he called on everyone to excel in their careers and education as a means to amplify the voices of the oppressed.

As a highlight of the evening, the awards ceremony celebrated the dedication and service of staff with milestones ranging from five to twenty-five years of service. Bankstown Campus Principal, Mr Adra, presented the awards while select recipients were given performance awards, acknowledging their exceptional contributions throughout the 2024 academic year.

The awards were presented to the following staff member:

#### Five Years of service Award

Ranim Alsheik, Iman Albeik and Zaneb Saraya

#### Ten Years of service Award

Talahl Jamleoui, Azizal Aziz and Amal Nachar

#### Fifteen Years of service Award

Samer Alshafie, Rukaya Chami and Ajay Nand

#### Twenty Years of service Award

Marlene Jalloul, Samaya Sahyouni, Chaza Ferdaws, Sunil Kumar, Rabie Kanj and Wafa Abdallah

#### Twenty-five Years of service Award

Nourhan Khalil and Mouhammad Sabbagh

#### Outstanding Performance Award – Teaching

Iman El Beik, Yusra El Sayed, Nawall Alterio, Rabia El Zahab, Sarah El Sabeh, Ranim Alsheik,

Jasmine Hasha and Mouna El-Marouk

#### Outstanding Performance Award – Non-Teaching

Aheda Ardati, Mariam Haddad and Hayat Hazzouri

#### Volunteer Recognition Award

Mona Elkhalfi

#### Special Recognition Award

Marlene Jalloul, Jameel Hamouda, Dania Moksasi, Diaa El Rifai and Rae Anne Bebti

#### Leadership Awards

Jenan Halabi

The audience enjoyed a video presentation summarising the year's accomplishments. The video highlighted initiatives such as the establishment of the AAC Alumni Committee, the school Qur'an programme, Vision Night and Mawlid Moth among others showcasing the school's continuous growth and innovation.

The 2024 Annual Business Dinner closed with a heartfelt address from the Chairman, celebrating the school's remarkable achievements and shared vision. Under Principal Ayman Alwan's leadership, milestones such as the high school expansion, alumni committee, Quran School, and Umrah trip highlighted the dedication of staff and the strength of the Al Amanah community.

The Chairman honoured long-serving staff and reaffirmed the school's commitment to investing in its students and community, ensuring Al Amanah remains a beacon of excellence and unity for generations to come.

Congratulations to all award recipients for their outstanding service and achievements. A heartfelt thank you goes out to the dedicated team who worked tirelessly to make the Annual Business Dinner a resounding success.

As we reflect on 2024, we eagerly anticipate another productive and fulfilling year ahead.



## Al Amanah College Annual Business Dinner 2024: *A Time to Reflect*





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## The Premier's Reading Challenge 2024

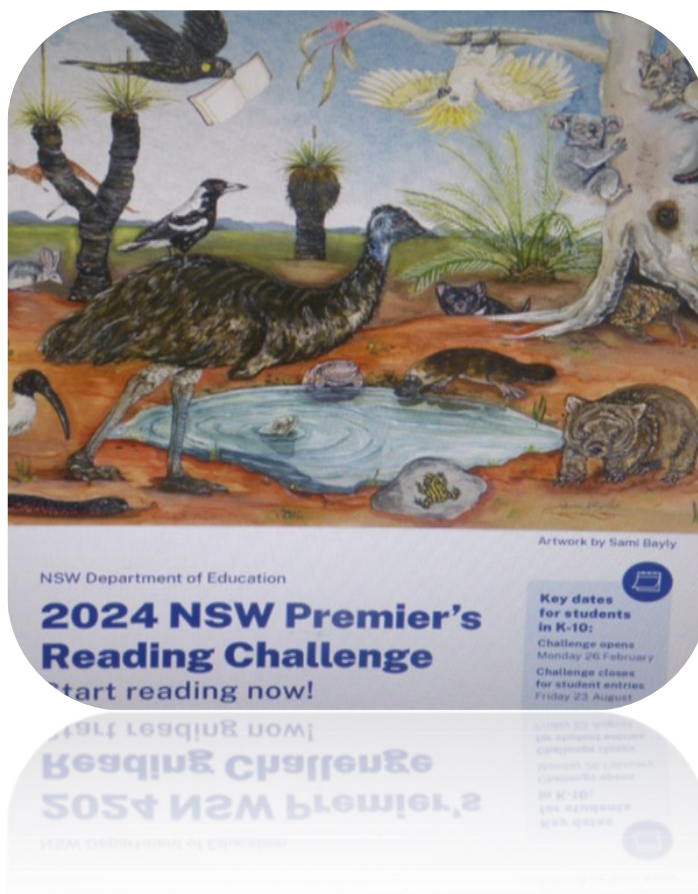
The Premier's Reading Challenge 2024 certificates will be available for download in mid-November 2024.

Congratulations to the 251 students who completed the challenge this year, surpassing our target of 200 students compared to 182 students who participated in 2023!

Among the participants, 244 students from primary school and seven students from secondary school. Sixteen students will receive gold certificates, and one student will receive a platinum certificate. Gold and platinum certificates will be posted to the school in mid to late November.

### Gold Certificates:

Year	Name
Year Four	Zayn Obeid
Year Five	Sara Hassan
	Lana Kamal
	Lezeta Yilmaz
Year Six	Rehab Al Badri
	Yusuf Al Boustani
	Afia Anika
	Ibrahim Beyrouthy
	Asiyaah El-Chiekh
	Zahraa El Masri
	Abdul Rahman Ghannoum
	Rowa Kahil
	Rabeeh Kayem
	Hala Mouslemani
	Jouri Trad



### Platinum Certificate:
















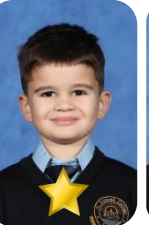


Year	Name
Year Six	Jacob Obeid



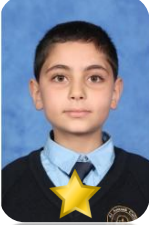











# Star Student of the Week

## K - 1

	Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5	Week 6	Week 7	Week 8	Week 9
Arabic	 Aqsa Bhuiyan 1E	 Zahra Tabbah 1B	 Aazil Khan KZ	 Aleena Bajouri 1B	 Muhammad Massalkhi KN	 Muhammad Hasha KH	 Ayana Obeid KZ	 Eva Mohammad KH	 Kennedy Rabah KZ
English	 Farhan Shaikh 1B	 Muhammad Hasha KH	 Mustafa Younis KN	 Reyhanna Al Klink KZ	 Madina Al Ayoubi KH	 Shahab Mohammed Amin KZ	 Edin Salihovic KN	 Zahra Tabbah 1B	 Musa Al- Zub'bi 1E

## 2 - 6

Arabic	 Muhammad Kfoury 3A	 Ruqaya Chami 3E	 Maya Kamand 4K	 Aiza Riaz 4A	 Mariam Khaled 5E	 Lamar Alyafeai 5H	 Dima Sabah Al-Talal 2H	 Faris Shaikh 2D	 Hala Mouslemani 6E
English	 Aiza Riaz 4A	 Muhammad El Hallak 3A	 Mikael Adnan 4K	 Ruqaya Chami 3E	 Hamza Alwan 2D	 Emran Katovic 2H	 Mohamed Elibad 5E	 Hooriya Fathima 5S	 Afia Anika 5S



## Annual Year Six Camp 2024

### Al Amanah College Year Six Students Enjoy Memorable Camp at Point Wolstoncroft

During term three's break the Year Six students of Al Amanah College embarked on an unforgettable four-day, three-night camp at the picturesque Point Wolstoncroft. This adventure was packed with a variety of engaging activities that kept the students active and entertained throughout their stay.

The camp offered a plethora of outdoor activities, allowing students to immerse themselves in nature and enjoy the great outdoors. They tried their hand at fishing, where they learned patience and the thrill of catching fish. Swimming sessions provided a refreshing break and a chance to cool off in the water. Archery and archery tag were also highlights, as students honed their aim and enjoyed friendly competition.

In addition to the fun and games, the camp was a time for spiritual growth and reflection. Students participated in religion lessons that deepened their understanding of their faith. Congregational prayers were held regularly, fostering a sense of unity and devotion among the students. Sharing meals together further strengthened their bonds, as they enjoyed delicious food and meaningful conversations.

The camp was not just about activities and lessons; it was about building a strong sense of community. The shared experiences and challenges brought the students closer together, creating lasting friendships and memories. Whether it was cheering each other on during activities or supporting one another during prayers, the students demonstrated teamwork and camaraderie.

Overall, the camp at Point Wolstoncroft was a truly enriching experience for the Year Six students of Al Amanah College. It successfully blended adventure, faith, and community, leaving a lasting impact on all who attended. The students returned home with new skills, stronger friendships, and a deeper appreciation for their faith and community.





## Interschool Public Speaking Competition 2024

On Thursday 30 October, Al Amanah College Bankstown hosted the 2024 Interschool Public Speaking Competition for students in Years Three to Six. Participants from the three campuses, Al Amanah Bankstown, Al Amanah Liverpool and Salamah College, delivered entertaining and insightful speeches.

The event was filled with excitement and eager young public speakers ready to take the stage. The participants showcased a variety of interesting and motivating topics. They gave advice about reading books, travel, positive thinking, taking care of our parents and helping the wider community. The winners from each grade were awarded a trophy, while the runners up received a medal for their participation.

The winners were as follows:

- Year Three: Aaeshah Elkheir, Al Amanah College Bankstown
- Year Four: Lana Ebrahim, Al Amanah College Liverpool
- Year Five: Ibrahim Bassal, Salamah College
- Year Six: Amna Obeid, Salamah College

*Thankyou* to all the students and teachers for preparing the students to reach an outstanding level of public speaking speeches. We would like to acknowledge the judges and adjudicators who took the time to listen to our wonderful participants and to the host school Al Amanah Bankstown for organising the event and Liverpool for their facilities on the day.

We look forward to another successful Public Speaking event in 2025.





## Kindergarten Orientation - Sessions One

On Wednesday November 6 our college held an orientation day for new kindergarten students and their families. The day was designed to make everyone feel welcome and excited about starting school. School principal, Mr Alwan, greeted everyone and talked about the school's dedication to helping each child grow and succeed.

Parents attended a session where key staff members shared important information about starting kindergarten. Primary School Coordinator, Ms Sahyouni, explained school expectations, including expectations on behaviour and how to interact with others on the playground. Kindergarten teacher Mrs El Hawat, introduced classroom routines and talked about how homework would be introduced. Primary School Executive, Mr Halabi highlighted the school's focus on student wellbeing and the importance of including religion values in the school experience.

While parents learned about the school, the new kindergarten students enjoyed fun activities that helped them get comfortable in their new environment. They sang happy songs together, made new friends, and created colourful paper crowns to wear. These activities helped build their confidence and excitement for all the adventures ahead in their first school year.



Kindy Orientation  
Session 1





## Second Day of Kindy Orientation: Fun and Confidence Growing

On Wednesday November 13 our school hosted the second day of Kindy Orientation which was full of excitement as the children began settling in and feeling more comfortable in their new environment. With warm smiles and encouraging guidance from teachers, the kids eagerly explored various activities.

A highlight of the day was the "Cloud Pom Pom" activity, where little hands made fluffy, colourful crafts, sparking creativity and fine motor skills. Alongside this, the children enjoyed interactive games, sensory play, and story time, fostering friendships and a love for learning. Laughter and chatter filled the room, marking a positive step in their journey towards a joyful school year.



## Third Day of Kindy Orientation: Friendships and Creativity Bloom

On November 20 Al Amanah College celebrated the third day of Kindy Orientation which was filled with joy as familiar faces greeted each other with growing smiles. Friendships began to blossom, creating a sense of belonging among the children. The highlight of the day was the exciting fish-themed art activity. Little hands carefully cut colourful paper to craft vibrant fish designs, enhancing their fine motor skills and creativity. The children also enjoyed assembling many puzzles, which encouraged problem-solving and teamwork. The room buzzed with laughter and chatter as the kids worked together, showcasing their budding confidence and enthusiasm.

It was a heartwarming day of connection and discovery!





## Year Six End of Year Excursion

Celebrating the thrilling end of the Year Six primary journey, students enjoyed an exhilarating excursion to Bounce. The day was filled with the sheer excitement of rock climbing, as students scaled vertical walls to conquer new heights. Trampolines provided a bouncy playground where leaps and flips became feats of joy. Obstacle courses tested agility and teamwork, while dodgeball brought out the competitive spirit in friendly clashes. The rhythmic sounds of basketballs hitting the hoops added a sporty touch to the energetic atmosphere. This action-packed excursion not only celebrated the academic achievements of the year but also fostered a sense of fellowship and memorable experiences among the students. Best wishes to all the students as they embark on their high school journey.

Mrs Khalil, Mrs El-Mazloun and Mr Jamleoui  
Year Six Teachers





## Class Dojo End of Year Excursion Fun Day

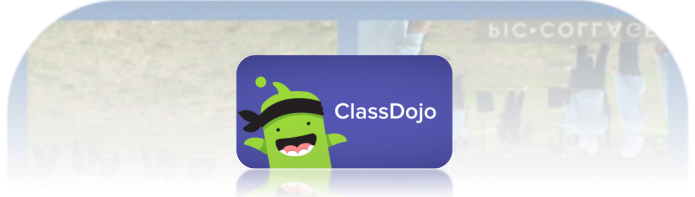
On Wednesday 4 December, Al Amanah's Kindergarten to Year Six students embarked on an exciting and action-packed excursion to Casula Parklands. The day, organised by the experienced team, Ranger Jamie Tours, was filled with fun, laughter, and activities designed to promote teamwork and create lasting memories.

From the moment students arrived, they were greeted warmly by the Ranger Jamie team, who had prepared an engaging program tailored to delight and challenge students of all ages. Throughout the day, students enthusiastically participated in a range of activities, including the Billy Cart Championships, where they showcased their creativity and competitive skills, and Blanket Volleyball, which tested their coordination and collaboration.

The excitement did not stop there! Students cheered each other on during the Air Pressure Rocket Launching, marveling at the rockets soaring into the sky, and took part in the Water Bucket Challenge, a high-energy activity that sparked laughter and teamwork. The Tug-of-War was an exciting and energetic activity where students worked together, pulling with all their strength to try and win as a team.

Each activity was thoughtfully designed to encourage collaboration, strengthen friendships, and build students' confidence in working as a team. The day also provided a wonderful opportunity for students to enjoy the outdoors, connect with nature, and make the most of the beautiful surroundings at Casula Parklands.

By the end of the day, the students returned to school with big smiles and plenty of stories to share. The excursion was not only a fun-filled adventure but also a valuable experience that reinforced the importance of teamwork, perseverance, and friendship.





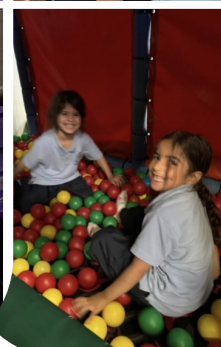
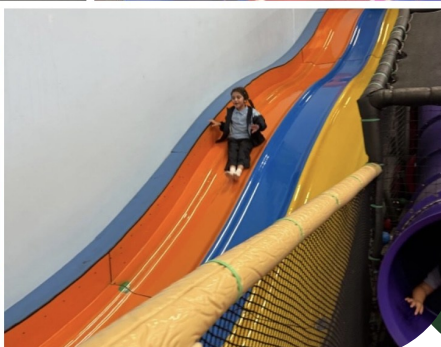
## Kindy Tik Toc's Play Centre/End of Year Excursion

On Thursday, December 5, 2024, Kindergarteners celebrated their hard work and completing Kindergarten with an exciting end of year excursion to Tik Toc's Play Centre. The day was absolute blast! The students had a fantastic time exploring various play areas, from climbing frames to ball pit and slides.

It was wonderful to see them running around, laughing, and playing with their friends. Teachers and parents were present to supervise and join in the fun.

Snack time was a big hit, with everyone sharing stories about their favourite parts of the day. By the end of the day, students went home with some wonderful memories.

Ms Saraya, Mrs El Hawat, and Ms Nahas  
Kindergarten Teachers





## Year Six Graduation 2024

On Monday, December 9, 2024, Al Amanah College joyfully celebrated its Year Six Graduation Ceremony. The event began with the graduating students entering the hall, clapping and waving proudly to their parents. The atmosphere was electric with excitement and emotion as families gathered to mark this significant milestone.

The ceremony included a heartfelt recitation from the Holy Qur'an by Eleena Eid, followed by an inspiring speech from the school Principal, Mr Alwan. He praised the students for their dedication, resilience, and growth throughout their primary school journey. Sheikh Mohammad Halabi then delivered a meaningful religion lesson, emphasizing the importance of knowledge and strong values for a bright future.

The following students were recognized for their achievements in 2024:

### Sports Award:

- Adam El-Cheikh
- Adam Abdel Razzak

### Values Award:

- Roqaya Al-Zu'bi
- Mhammad-Adil Gilany

### Consistent Effort Awards:

- Asiyaah El-Cheikh
- Awad Mosbah

- Jouri Trad
- Rytal Mohamad

### Achievement Awards:

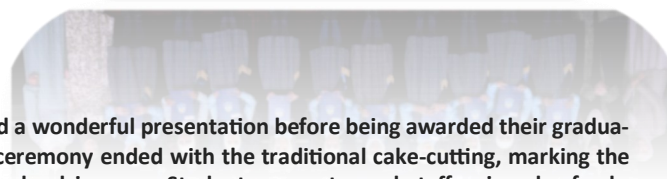
- Eleena Eid
- Hala Mouslemani
- Zafreen Shaik
- Rowa Kahil
- Hasanat Qadir
- Aliyah Obeid

### Principal Awards:

- Faiha Abdurahiman
- Hussain Al Najar
- Talha Amin
- Maryam Vansiwala



*Year 6 Graduation 2024*

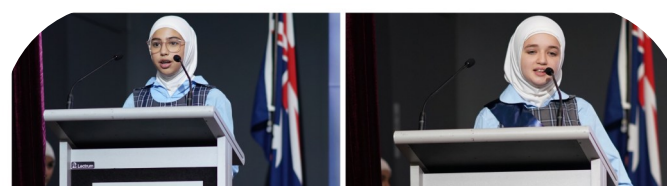


The students delivered a wonderful presentation before being awarded their graduation certificates. The ceremony ended with the traditional cake-cutting, marking the end of their primary school journey. Students, parents, and staff enjoyed refreshments, shared warm memories, and celebrated this special milestone together.

We extend our heartfelt congratulations and best wishes to the graduating class as they embark on the next chapter of their educational journey.



*Year 6 Graduation 2024*



*Year 6 Graduation 2024*





## Kindy to Year Five End-of-Year Presentation Ceremony Day 2024

On Tuesday, 10 December 2024, Al Amanah College hosted its annual Kindy - Year Five End-of-Year Presentation Ceremony, celebrating students' achievements and growth throughout the school year. The event was divided into two sessions, with Kindergarten to Year Two in the morning, followed by Years Three to Five. Families, teachers, and students gathered to reflect on a successful academic year.

The ceremony began with a beautiful Qur'an recitation by Sakina Chamma for Kindy - Year Two and Ibrahim Mallah for Years Three - Five.

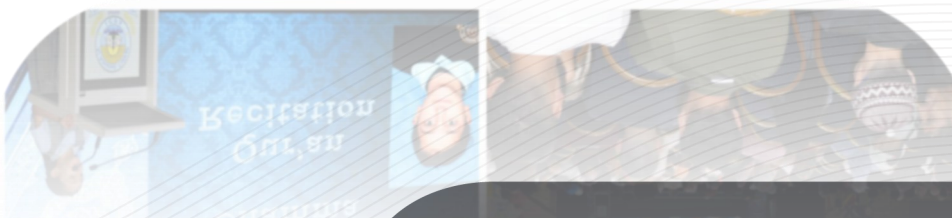
Students were recognised with awards for sports, values, encouragement, achievement, and the Principal's Award. Some students also received special awards, acknowledging their exceptional efforts throughout the year. The Primary Executive, Shaikh Mohammad Halabi, delivered a speech, emphasising the importance of perseverance, dedication, and constant learning.

A highlight of the day was each grade's presentation, showcasing students' talents and creativity. It was particularly heartwarming to see the Kindergarten students confidently standing on stage for the first time.

As the year comes to a close, we wish all our students a wonderful holiday and the best of luck in the coming years.



### *K-2 Presentation Day 2024*





## Kindy to Year Five End-of-Year Presentation Ceremony Day 2024



*Y3-5 Presentation Day 2024*



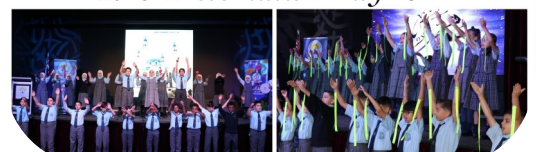
*Y3-5 Presentation Day 2024*



*K-2 Presentation Day 2024*



*Y3-5 Presentation Day 2024*



*K-2 Presentation Day 2024*

*K-3 Presentation Day 2024*



*Y3-5 Presentation Day 2024*





## The Year Eleven Graduation Ceremony 2024

On Friday 18 October, the Year Eleven Graduation Ceremony was held to mark the end of Year Eleven studies and most importantly to welcome the challenging year ahead. The Year Eleven students have done exceptionally well this year and demonstrated outstanding leadership qualities through many programmes being offered to them by the school.

The MC for the ceremony was the Year Eleven SRC member, Aya El-Faki, who introduced Year captain, Amaan Shah, the stage for a blissful Qur'an recitation. This was followed by the Principal address from Mr Alwan who congratulated the Year Eleven cohort for their achievements and resilience. This was preceded by a religion lesson from Year Eleven vice captain, Zackaria Khaled, who reminded us of the values in our beloved religion; Islam. Following this, Year Eleven girls School Captain, Melissa Khazaal, then delivered a heartfelt and moving speech about the memories made during this year, and the gratitude for the support from the teachers along the way. The much-anticipated awards ceremony then commenced with select students receiving, consistent, achievement, principal and mentor awards. Special awards were presented to the most outstanding student, leadership award sponsored by MP Charishma Kaliyanda. The Australian Science Innovations Award presented by the Australian Science Innovations Olympiad. Al Amanah College would like to congratulate all the following award recipients for their excellent effort throughout the year.

### Principal Awards

Noor Mouslemani  
Amira Kabbout

### Achievement Awards

Abdul Raheem Mohammed  
Ahmed Kandakji  
Aalia Najafi  
Muhammad Khan

### Consistent Effort Awards

Nizar Halabi  
Ali Zeinelabdein

### First Place Subject Achievement Awards

English Adv: Mouaad Djemana  
English Std: Ahmed Kandakji  
Mathematics Adv: Muhammad Khan  
Mathematics Ext: Muhammad Khan  
Mathematics Std: Amira Kabbout  
Modern History: Benyamin Jalloul  
Visual Arts: Abdul Raheem Mohammed  
Biology: Amira Kabbout  
Economics: Aalia Najafi  
IT Graphics: Aseel Kanj  
Chemistry: Ali Zeinelabdein  
Geography: Nizar Halabi

Arabic: Mariam Mallah  
Business Studies: Noor Mouslemani  
PDHPE: Amira Kabbout

### Special Achievement Awards 2024

#### Liverpool Leadership Award

Melissa Khazaal

#### Australian Science Innovations Award

Ali Zeinelabdein

#### Senior Mentoring Awards

Hafsa Mohamed  
Melissa Khazaal  
Mohamad Bakr El-Zahab  
Muhammad Khan  
Nizar Halabi  
Zackaria Khaled

#### Sports Awards

#### Sports Person of the Year

Moustafa Chamma  
Danya Makouk

The upcoming SRC students were announced during the event. Congratulations to the following students and SRC members of 2025:

**SRC Members:** Angelina Abou Ali and Mohamad Bakr El-Zahab

**Vice Captain:** Mariam Mallah and Amaan Shah

**School Captains for 2025:** Melissa Khazaal and Nizar Halabi

We wish the Year Eleven cohort all the very best in their HSC studies commencing this term and hope to see them achieve pleasing results in the 2025 HSC and giving back to the community in the future.





## The Year Eleven Graduation Ceremony 2024





## University Tour Excursion

On Tuesday 29 October, Year Twelve students participated in an insightful university excursion to UNSW and the University of Sydney.

During the visit, students toured each campus, gaining a firsthand insight into university life and the steps required to enter our desired courses.

Both universities hosted informative sessions where staff and students explained the structures and expectations within different faculties, offering valuable advice on how to tailor our applications and study approaches to meet entry requirements. The experience clarified how universities operate, from lectures and tutorials to the various academic resources available, giving us a better understanding of what to expect and how to pursue their interests.

Students enjoyed their time at the universities and will use the advice provided to make decisions for their future careers and course selections in 2025.

Abdul Raheem Mohammed  
Year Twelve Student





## اليوم العالمي للغة العربية

عودتنا كلية الأمانة ليفريول على المشاركة بكافة النشاطات التي تهدف إلى إحياء اللغة العربية في استراليا وحبًا بلغتنا العربية لغة أهل الجنة, شارك طلابنا الأعزاء بمسابقة الشعر العربي لهذه السنة بمناسبة اليوم العالمي للغة العربية وذلك نهار الأربعاء الواقع في السادس من كانون الأول لعام 2024. لقد شارك طلاب المرحلة المتوسطة من الصف السابع حتى الصف العاشر وبذلوا مجهودا كبيرا وامتازوا بقوة الإلقاء والنطق السليم في حفظ قصائد في مدح اللغة والرسول صلى الله عليه وسلم. وتباروا امام اساتذتهم ورفاقهم.

والنتائج كانت على الشكل التالي:

فمن الصف السابع فازت الطالبة جميلة بخور بالمرتبة الأولى ومحمد جبريل علوان بالمرتبة الثانية والمرتبة الثالثة كانت من نصيب المشتركة هبة كفوري. من الصف الثامن فاز الطالب إلياس حلي بالمرتبة الأولى والطالبان محمد غنوم وإبراهيم الشافعي بالمرتبة الثانية والمرتبة الثالثة كانت من نصيب المشتركة هدى خان.

من الصف التاسع فازت الطالبة نور كفوري بالمرتبة الأولى والطالب محمد قاسم بالمرتبة الثانية والمرتبة الثالثة كانت من نصيب المشترك يامن الطرزي. من الصف العاشر فاز الطالب فواز جاموس بالمرتبة الأولى والطالب مصطفى درويش بالمرتبة الثانية.

إدارة كلية الأمانة تبارك للطلاب الفائزين والمشاركين وتتمنى لهم النجاح في دراستهم والفوز في الآخرة وتتقدم بالشكر الجزيل لوحدة اللغة العربية على اهتمامها بتعليم وتشجيع الطلاب على حب لغتنا العربية.

## Year Seven to Ten Arabic Poetry Competition

As part of International Arabic Language Day, Al Amanah college hosted a special Arabic poetry competition on Wednesday 6 November for secondary school students. Students from Year Seven to Ten were encouraged to participate by memorising a set poem and presenting it to their Arabic teachers early in the term. Finalists were selected to proceed to the final round which required them to present their poems on stage during the school assembly time.

The participants narrated poetically and impressed the judges with their abilities and their proficiency. Selected students praised our beloved Prophet, Muhammad, may peace be upon him; and the Arabic language. We are extremely proud of our students, whose performances were deeply uplifting.

The judges then had the challenging task of selecting the top winners from each class were announced as follow:

### Year Seven:

First: Jamila Bakhour  
Second: Muhammad Jibril Alwan  
Third: Hiba Kfoury

### Year Eight:

First: Elias Halabi  
Second: Mohammad Ghannoum and Ibrahim Alshafie  
Third: Huda Khan

### Year Nine:

First: Noor Kfoury  
Second: Mohammad Kassem  
Third: Yamen Al-Tarazi

### Year Ten:

First: Fawaz Jamous  
Second: Moustafa Darwich



Congratulations to our students for their hard work in preparing their poems and presenting themselves so confidently. Al Amanah College appreciates the hard work of the Arabic department, and the effort invested in the task to enhance and enhance the learning of Arabic. The Arabic department is very proud of students' achievements and their recitations were heartfelt and filled with emotions.

Thankyou to all teachers, judges, and students for making this event truly fantastic .



## Year Seven to Ten Arabic Poetry Competition



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## Mawlid Art Competition 2024: 'O How we long for the Prophet'

This year, our school celebrated the blessed month of Mawlid with an exciting Islamic Art Competition, encouraging students to express their creativity and connection to Islamic culture. Held early in the term, the competition inspired participants to put together unique pieces, ranging from mosque drawings and Ka'bah paintings traced Mawlid slogans.

The submissions showcased an incredible level of talent, creativity, and dedication, reflecting the students' unique artistic abilities. Participants awarded certificates and prizes in recognition of their efforts and contributions.

We extend our heartfelt congratulations to all participants for their contributions and commend their hard work and enthusiasm.

**Congratulations to:**

**Competition Winner:** Yara Hoblos - 8M

**Participation Awards:**

- Madina El Kabbout - 7G
- Mohammad Ghannoum - 8B
- Jenan El Moubayed - 10M2

*Thankyou* to everyone who participated in this year's competition, and we look forward to seeing even more creativity and passion in future events.



## Year Six Open Day 2024

The Year Six Open Day at Al Amanah secondary warmly welcomed Year Six students, offering them an exciting introduction to high school life. Guided by the Year Twelve SRC students, the event provided valuable insights into effective study habits, time management, and identifying key support resources within the school.

Under the SRC leaders' guidance, Year Six students engaging in a variety of activities, including a guided school tour, icebreaker games, and team-based challenges. They were divided into two groups and enjoyed hands-on learning experiences in both science and ICT classes, taught by the secondary teaching staff members. These practical lessons gave them a taste of the stimulating academic environment that awaits them.

We wish all Year Six students' great success as they prepare to transition into high school in 2025. A *big thankyou* to the Year Twelve SRC students for their effort and dedication in making the day both memorable and enjoyable!



OPEN  
DAY



## Senior Student Advice - Summer Break

The first term of studies in the HSC class of 2025 is drawing to an end. It is essential for senior students to devote some time towards their learning during the upcoming summer break while also enjoying a well-deserved break! It is strongly advised that the 2024 HSC class engage in:

1. Planning and successfully implementing a study regime over their summer break. It is recommended that Year Twelve students take leadership in formulating a plan to accommodate family and personal commitments whilst also making time for academic pursuits.
2. In academic - knowledge driven courses such as Business Studies, Biology, Economics, Geography and Chemistry it is vital that ample time is spent in readings to ensure preparations for the half yearly exams are well underway during the break. It is also essential that all syllabus concepts, skills and rubric requirements for these courses are clearly understood by all students.
3. In English, it would be advisable for all students to ensure all prescribed texts and rubric requirements are well understood. In Mathematics solving problems is key to success.
4. The use of past HSC exams for practise under time constraints is an excellent idea. Note the past exams and marking criteria/ guidelines are available on BOSTES website.
5. It is also advisable that all Year Twelve students access past Half Yearly Exams in the library and Moodle to practise writing responses to exam questions under time constraints. Please note students should feel free to send responses via email to their teachers to obtain feedback over the break.
6. If you are part of a study group for a certain subject then set up study session to study together. Study groups are effective for the purpose of motivation and peer assistance.
7. Do not isolate yourself from your peers and maintain resilience to complete readings especially in academic (content rich subjects).

Learning resources will continue to be available on Moodle and it is a great pathway to remain engaged with academic work. Mr Nand will continue to be available via e-mail over the break in the event you have any queries regarding senior mentoring programme work and or record keeping for university related applications in 2024.

Enjoy your break Year Twelve!



**SUMMER  
BREAK**



## Year Ten Graduation Ceremony 2024

On Monday 25 November, the Year Ten Graduation Ceremony was held to commemorate the end of the Year Ten studies and mark a new chapter for our students as they prepare for the journey ahead. The event celebrated the students' achievements and contributions, acknowledging their efforts and setting the stage for their future years in senior high school.

The MC for the ceremony was Leen Mansi, who guided the program and introduced each segment of the graduation. The ceremony began with a beautiful recitation of the Holy Qur'an by Mustapha Darwish, followed by an inspiring Principal's Speech delivered by Mr Alwan. He praised the Year Ten cohort for their dedication and resilience throughout the year and highlighted the exciting expectations for the year ahead. This was followed by a heartfelt religious lesson by Sheikh Fawaz Jamous, reminding students of the importance of faith and values.

A highlight of the ceremony was the screening of the school video, which showcased a summary of the year's events and accomplishments. This was followed by a touching Year Ten speech from Yara Mhalhal, who reflected on the year's memories and expressed gratitude to the teachers for their guidance and support.

The awards segment was conducted by Mrs Halabi, recognising the exceptional efforts of students across various categories.

The event concluded with the graduates joining the principal to cut the celebratory cake, officially marking the end of their Year Ten journey.

### Special Achievement Awards 2024

#### Year Ten Arabic Language Award

Fawaz Jamous

#### South West Connect Award - Work Ethics

Maysaloun Hammoud

#### ADF Long-Tan Leadership and Teamwork Award

Leen Mansi

#### Defence Force Future Innovators Award

Koda Tebbo

#### Ampol All Rounder Award

Yara Mhalhal

#### Values Awards

- Zahra Sultan
- Jude El Tayeb

#### Consistent Effort Awards

- Salim Alwan
- Kamilah Diab
- Zaara Yasir

#### Achievement Awards

- Leen Mansi
- Moustafa Darwich
- Yara Mhalhal

#### Principal Awards

- Amna Bhalli
- Rama Dannoun
- Omar Zein

#### Most Outstanding Student of Year Ten

Ruqayah El Omari

### Sports Awards

#### Sportsperson of the Year

- Boys: Omar Zein
- Girls: Maysaloun Hammoud

#### Sports Age Champion

- Boys: Zayd Obeid
- Girls: Aisha Bilajac

#### SRC Members

SRC Members: Salim Alwan and Koda Tebbo  
Vice Captains: Leen Mansi and Jannah Sahyouni  
Class Captains: Galeb El Hussein and Yara Mhalhal

#### Choir and Chanting Band

- Lana Awad
- Leen Mansi
- Yara Mhalhal
- Maysaloun Hammoud
- Aisha Bilajac
- Jenan El Moubayed
- Moustafa Darwich
- Fawaz Jamous
- Mahmoud Marabani

The event concluded with the graduates joining the principal to cut the celebratory cake, officially marking the end of their Year Ten journey.

Al Amanah College extends its warmest congratulations to the Year Ten cohort and wishes them success as they step into their senior years.





## Year Ten Graduation Ceremony 2024





## English Literacy Week Winners: Celebrating Creativity and Talent

This year, the secondary English Faculty proudly hosted its annual Literacy Week, celebrating the creativity and talent of our students through a series of engaging activities and competitions.

Students eagerly took part in various challenges, including handwriting competitions, where a winner was chosen based on their unique style, as well as bookmark and book cover design contests. The faculty carefully reviewed all the entries and was impressed by the creativity and effort displayed.

Congratulations to all the participants for their hard work and enthusiasm! Special congratulations to the following winners for their outstanding contributions:

### Year 7 Winners

- 7G: Ayesha Bhalli
- 7B: Mohammed Al-Tarazi

### Year 8 Winners

- 8G: Zaima Riaz
- 8G: Afiya Rehman
- 8M: Fatima Elbaba
- 8B: Mohammad Ghannoum

### Year 9 Winners

- 9M: Batul Kazemi
- 9M: Marwan El Sayed

### Year 10 Winners

- 10M1: Ghofran Al Assad
- 10M2: Jude Eltayeb



### Major Winners

- 8M: Ali Kazemi
- 8G: Huda Khan
- 8B: Ibrahim Elibad
- 7M: Fathiha Abdurahiman
- 9M: Sherin El-Ghourani
- 8G: Rodina Zeinelabdein

Well done to everyone who participated! The creativity and enthusiasm shown this year were truly inspiring.

A big *thankyou* to all students and staff for making Literacy Week such a memorable and successful event. We look forward to seeing even more creativity next year!





## Year Seven - Nine Presentation Day: Celebrating Success in 2024

On December 6, 2024, Al Amanah College celebrated its Year Seven - Nine End of Year Presentation, marking a close to the academic year for our secondary school. The event, filled with much enthusiasm and pride, was hosted by Year Nine student, Khaled Bajouri, who welcomed students, parents, and staff. The ceremony commenced with a recitation from the Holy Quran by Year Nine student, Jinaan El Baba, followed by the National Anthem and the School Song, reflecting the unity and multicultural pride that defines the Al Amanah community.

The school principal, Mr Alwan, delivered an inspiring speech highlighting the students' achievements throughout the year. This was followed by a religion lesson from Sheikh Samer Alshafie emphasizing the importance of learning religion with sincerity and for the sake of Allah.

The audience enjoyed the annual school video which summarised the school's major milestones. Nour Kfoury delivered an Arabic speech celebrating the Arabic language as a vital communication skill within the community. An SRC video showcased the impactful contributions of the Student Representative Council, highlighting their role in organising events and voicing student opinions.

Mrs Dabboussi then led the awards presentation, recognising outstanding academic and personal achievements. She expressed gratitude to the school leadership, teachers, and parents for their unwavering support. She also acknowledged the contributions of the outgoing staff member, Mrs Halabi, who will take on the role of secondary school coordinator at the expanding Bankstown campus.

As the event concluded, attendees were reminded that student reports would be available on Sentral, a new system introduced in the 2024 academic year.

Congratulations to all students for their achievements, and best wishes for a restful holiday and a prosperous year ahead!





## Year Seven - Nine Presentation Day: Celebrating Success in 2024





# Healthy Family Bulletin

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Information current as of 1 November

## Your very own health coach



How to eat better, get active and stay at a healthy weight are some of the free support you can get from the Get Healthy Service. The confidential coaching service is available to anyone over age 16. The university qualified health coaches can help you set and work towards your health goals. A free Get Healthy in Pregnancy Service is also available. [LEARN MORE](#)



### Test your habits

You can spring clean your lifestyle by taking a healthy habits [quiz](#).

The quick quiz is part of the [Healthy Eating and Active Living program](#).

It helps you look at your current food and exercise habits and think about your goals and the changes you might like to make.

The quiz can help you get started but remember to also talk to your doctor or contact the Get Healthy Service.

To join the free **Get Healthy Service** or **Get Healthy in Pregnancy Service**, [click here](#).

## Get active with your family



New families and residents in south west Sydney can have lots of fun being active each day. Choose from activities like [parkrun](#) at Casula, Chipping Norton or Campbelltown.

If you like bike riding, join the [Western Sydney Cycling Network](#) or visit the [Campbelltown Bicycle Education Centre](#). Families can also pack a picnic and explore [Casula Parklands](#) and [Western Sydney Parklands](#).

A range of fun activities are also available for the over-55s. Key in your suburb, put on your joggers and get started.

- In **Campbelltown**, the fun includes pilates, gentle exercise for seniors and the Steady Steps program.
- In **Liverpool**, join the Liverpool Seniors Wellbeing and Social Group or Living Longer Living Stronger.
- In **Bankstown**, try dance fitness, easy linedancing, cardio-core flex and more. [CLICK HERE](#)



South Western Sydney Local Health District

# Healthy Family Bulletin



## South Western Sydney Local Health District Healthy Family Bulletin

### C is for childhood experiences - First 2000 Days of Life series

The way we're treated when we're little plays a big role in our whole lives, not just when we're kids. The early years can influence our health and wellbeing far beyond childhood.

Positive experiences in the early years of life can help children do well at school and grow up to be as healthy as possible as teenagers and adults. A safe and caring childhood can reduce a person's risk of obesity, depression and diseases like diabetes and heart disease in later life.

Even brain function in later years can be impacted, with links between early experiences, memory loss and premature ageing. The good news is that everyone can help kids have a happy start to life. Good role models and relationships in the first 2000 days of life can help babies grow up healthy and strong! [Click here](#) to learn more.

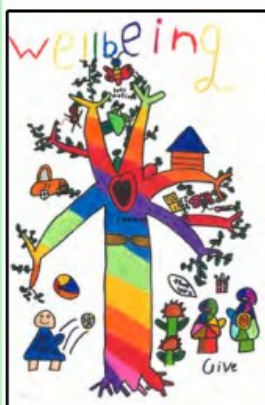
**Next month:** Series final. Support from your village.



#### Maternity Service Open Days

You're invited to our Maternity Service Open Days at Liverpool Hospital on 9 November and Bowral & District Hospital on 30 November from 10.30am-1.30pm. [Click here](#) to learn more.

### Students win art prize that celebrates mental wellbeing



#### 8-9 years winner:

Brody Seabrook,  
Picton Public School.

A big congratulations to the winners of the 2024 Five Ways to Wellbeing Schools Creative Project.

More than 220 entries were received this year, making it one of the most successful years of the competition. The annual art prize celebrates Mental Health Month. It invites school children to create an artwork based on one or more of the Five Ways to Wellbeing - Connect, Be Active, Take Notice, Keep Learning and Give. School students learn about the five ways so they can use these actions throughout their lives.

- To see the winning artworks, [click here](#).
- [Register here](#) for the 2025 competition.



#### 16-18 years winner:

Kiera Suon, Cecil Hills  
High School.





## Parent Health Tips

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#### In the swim for pool safety

As the weather warms up, more of us will go swimming in pools at home, friends' places or public pools. These are fun places but they can also be where illness spreads.

Some germs are not easily killed by chlorine. Swallowing even a small amount of contaminated pool water can cause diarrhoea and vomiting.

Here are some tips to help your family stay healthy when swimming in pools:

- Anyone who has been sick with diarrhoea in the past two weeks should avoid pools.
- Wash young children thoroughly (especially around the bottom) with soap and water before they swim.
- Older children and adults should be clean before swimming. Have a shower, if you can.
- Change nappies away from the poolside.
- Take young children for regular toilet breaks to avoid accidents.
- Use disposable 'swimming' nappies, or add tight-fitting swimmers.
- Wash hands with soap and water after changing nappies, using the toilet and before eating.



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#### What's on



#### Sun smart app at your finger tips

**November:** 1-30  
November. [Grow a Mo.](#)

**National Recycling Week:** 11-17  
November. [Join in.](#)

**World Kindness Day:** 13 November.  
[Learn more.](#)

**World Diabetes Day:** 14 November.  
[Read more.](#)



##### Sid the seagull's message

Don't forget the five easy steps to protect your skin from the sun's rays: Slip, slop, slap, seek and slide. [CLICK HERE](#)

Families can have fun in the outdoors over summer and protect their skin from sun damage at the click of a button.

The [SunSmart app](#) helps people check the UV levels at any location so they can use the right protection. You can set up daily alerts to tell you the times when sun protection is needed.

- The app is available in eight languages including English, Chinese, Spanish and Italian.
- It can be used in Australia and around the world.



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