

Monday, March 09, 2020



3rd Grade Community News

Dear Parents,

As-Salamu 'Alaykum. Insha'Allah this reaches all of you in the best of health and iman. We enjoyed seeing all of you who came to Student Led Conferences. Masha'Allah, we are very impressed with the holistic growth and development we have observed so far this year in all of our students. We hope you also see their transformation at home.

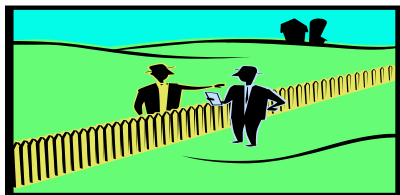
School Hours

Please remember that the school day begins promptly at 8:00 AM. Many students are coming after 8:00 AM and are then not ready to begin lessons after the morning halaqa. Coming on time is essential for student success, as it gives them time to unpack their belongings, organize their space, turn in their home study, and work on the bell work. Thank you for your cooperation.



Mark Your Calendars!!

- 3/17: Coffee Hour with the principal and Parent Workshop
- 3/30 – 4/3: YAC Literacy Week
- 4/6 – 4/10: Spring Break: No School!



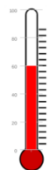
Unit 5: Interpersonal Literacy and Motion Key Concepts: Compassion, Interactions, and Consequences

Human Relations: Unit 5 explores the relationships that we share among our family, friends, communities, the ummah, and all of humanity. Students will learn that Muslims have been assigned certain roles and responsibilities to each group of people. Throughout the unit, we will develop compassion for everyone in our lives and learn the importance of interacting with all of humanity with respect and kindness, insha'Allah.

Math: Students will focus on learning geometric concepts. They will learn about the three types of angles, the different ways to classify triangles, and the characteristics of various quadrilaterals. Students will continue to build on their fluency in multiplication and model drawing.

Writers' Workshop: Students continue to strengthen their essay writing skills. They will also practice summarizing informational texts.

Literacy Lab: Students continue to work in their Book Clubs to practice all of the CAFÉ menu strategies we have learned during the year. At this point in the year, students should have built their Read-to-Self stamina to at least 40 minutes. Please make sure your child continues reading at least four nights a week for home study.



Science: Students are learning about the different types of energy. Also, students are exploring how changes in the environment affect living things. Finally, we will be studying living creatures from the past and the role of fossils in informing us about the history of planet.

Islamic: Our class discussions in the past few weeks have focused on the concept of restraining our actions, words, thoughts, and feelings. We continue to discuss the beautiful names of Allah (swt).



Social Studies: Students are learning about the interactions between the Native Americans in Michigan and the European (French) settlers. We will learn how they benefited one another and the consequences of the exchanges which happened between the two communities. Moreover, we will be learning about the natural resources found in Michigan, their uses in our lives, and the consequences of using them.

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