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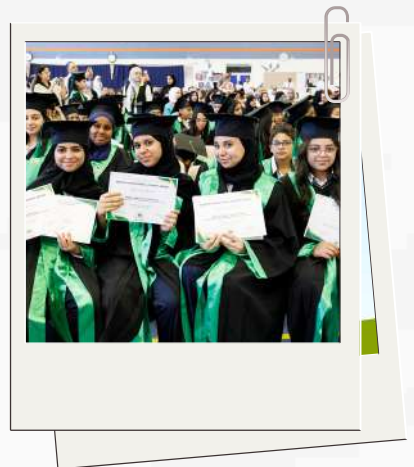
TERM 3 NEWSLETTER

"AN INTERNATIONAL COMMUNITY OF
LEARNERS, STRIVING FOR EXCELLENCE AND
CELEBRATING SUCCESS."

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PRINCIPAL *Message*

**NADIA
JANUARY**



Dear Staff, Students and Parents,

Overall, this academic year has been a very productive and successful term for all. Although some challenges were faced, we achieved our goals through our willingness to always strive to achieve the very best in everything we do. Teachers have worked extremely hard this year raising teaching and learning standards as well as providing as many opportunities through the different activities in the school.

Students have worked extremely hard to progress and excel throughout the year to achieve their best results and participate in different assessments to ensure their results are comparable and above to the standards of the UK and International benchmarks. We are very proud of their input in all the academic activities, sport and extra-curricular as well as all the competitions, trips that took place internally and externally. All these activities in conjunction with their daily academic subjects contribute to a holistic education. All areas of student development is a focus and an importance at NIA and we remain proud of every student's achievement and performance.

Parents have worked closely with their children in providing the necessary support to assist with their ongoing learning and education. We are very thankful to all the parents for their input as this remain a pillar of strength for teachers and students. Without the parents support, we cannot achieve so many goals and raise student progress progressively alongside with teachers. Parents are part of the ongoing growth and developments in NIA and we are proud to have this kind of community. We look forward to strengthening the relationships with our NIA families and the wider community.

Thank you staff, students and parents for another successful term which we all can be very proud of. We wish everyone well over the holiday and look forward to a successful start in the new academic year.

**Kind regards,
Nadia January
Principal**

DEPUTY PRINCIPAL

Message

DR. TEREZA WOOLGAR

Message from the Deputy Principal



As we bring Term 3 to a close, I want to take a moment to reflect on what has been a truly special and memorable end to the academic year at NIA Barwa. I am immensely proud of all that our students, staff, and families have achieved together over the past few months.

This term has been filled with hard work during exams period as well as a time of celebration, transition, and reflection. We marked the graduation of every year group, from our youngest learners moving up to Primary, to our Year 6 students preparing for Secondary, and our Year 12s and 13s stepping into life beyond school. Each of these milestones is a powerful reminder of how much our students grow each year—both academically and personally.

Our prize giving ceremonies were an opportunity to honour students who have demonstrated outstanding progress, achievement, and dedication. These events weren't just about academic results, but a celebration of effort, perseverance, and character. At NIA Barwa, we believe in recognising the whole child, and that has been especially evident this term.

Beyond the classroom, our students have continued to flourish through a wide range of enrichment activities, from sports tournaments and musical performances to debates, leadership roles, community projects, and more. These experiences have been celebrated in special awards events, highlighting how our students are developing the life skills—such as teamwork, resilience, empathy, and leadership—that will serve them well far beyond their school years.

Term 3 has reminded us once again that education is not just about exams and results—it's about nurturing young people who are confident, capable, and ready to take on the world.

To all our students, parents, and staff—thank you for an incredible end to the year.

Dr Tereza Woolgar
Deputy Principal
Newton International Academy Barwa

HEAD OF PRIMARY

Message

NATHAN UNWIN



Message from the Head of Primary & EYFS

As we reflect on this term, I am filled with pride, gratitude, and deep admiration for the remarkable students, staff, and families who make up our community.

This year, we embraced our vision of striving for excellence and celebrating success in every aspect of school life. Whether in the classroom, on the sports field, or through creative and cultural events, our students consistently demonstrated growth, resilience, and a genuine passion for learning. Across all year groups, we have nurtured not only academic achievement but also the character, confidence, and values that will serve our children well into the future.



It has been a joy to witness students engaging in rich learning experiences - from exploring historical civilisations and scientific discoveries to presenting persuasive writing and mastering place value. These academic milestones were enriched through purposeful trips, such as those to Oli Oli, Al Bidda Park, Hamad Port, Kidzmondo, and Quest, which brought our curriculum to life through hands - on learning.

Throughout the year, we have proudly celebrated student participation in inter-school competitions, including the Inter-Newton Dr. Jabr Science Challenge, the Spelling Bee, and the P4C event, which showcased our students' ability to think critically, creatively, collaboratively, and caringly – all hallmarks of the NIA Barwa Way.

Our specialist weeks - from Science, Arabic, and Book Week to Mental Health Awareness Month and Character Education Day - have provided dynamic platforms for students to explore their world and reflect on their role within it. Events such as the Community Iftar, International Week, and the School Fair strengthened the bonds within our diverse school community, developing inclusion, respect, and shared celebration.

One of our proudest achievements has been the continued development of student voice and leadership. From leading sustainability campaigns and kindness collections to participating in the Y6 transition and Primary Sports Awards, our students have shown that they are not only learners – they are leaders.

To the dedicated teaching and support staff, thank you for your unwavering commitment, creativity, and care. To our parents, thank you for your trust and partnership. And to our students - thank you for inspiring us each day with your curiosity, determination, and kindness.

This yearbook captures the spirit of our journey - one of shared success, joyful learning, and an ongoing pursuit of excellence. I am honoured to be part of this community and excited for what lies ahead as we continue to thrive together as a community committed to the wellbeing of all.



DEPUTY HEAD OF PRIMARY PASTORAL

Message

ANSONET OBERHOLZER

Dear Parents,

It's been a fantastic term, marked by meaningful experiences and countless joyful moments. Our students enjoyed a diverse range of trips that enhanced their learning and created treasured memories beyond the classroom.

The Term 3 themed weeks provided valuable opportunities for students to develop empathy, kindness, and self-confidence. Weekly assemblies and special events continued to strengthen our sense of community and brought our school values to life.

We proudly achieved our attendance target once again—a reflection of the strong partnership between home and school. Most importantly, our students have consistently shown exemplary behaviour, embracing our values in all they do.

Thank you for your trust, support, and collaboration this term. We look forward to another year of learning, growth, and success together.

Ansonet Oberholzer



DEPUTY HEAD OF PRIMARY ACADEMICS

Message

SONIA SANTOS

Dear Parents,

As we wrap up Term 3, we are proud to reflect on the many achievements and memorable moments that made this term so special. Our students have shown remarkable progress, resilience, and creativity across all year groups, making the most of every learning opportunity.

This term was filled with rich learning experiences—from hands-on science experiments and cross-curricular writing tasks to powerful assemblies and engaging discussions in history, geography, and citizenship. Our focus on reading and writing remained strong, with children producing some of their best work yet, inspired by exciting texts and Talk for Writing strategies.

We also celebrated personal and academic growth through well-being initiatives, teamwork in class projects, and special events like Graduation, Art Showcases, and Reading Challenges. Behind the scenes, our dedicated teachers have been working hard to review and refresh our curriculum, ensuring an even more engaging start to the next academic year.

Thank you, parents, for your ongoing support and collaboration. Together, we've helped our children finish the year on a high note—ready for a restful summer and an exciting new chapter in the year ahead!





EYFS YEAR OVERVIEW



EYFS COORDINATOR ORYX & PEARL

Message

**CARIEN
HANNA**



What an incredible term it has been in EYFS! When we look at the beginning of Term 3 , everything felt so new and full of exciting possibilities to work toward our Term 3 goals. Now, it's amazing to see how far we've come and what we have achieved in Term 3.

Together, we have conquered adventures, embraced challenges, and gained lifelong skills that will stay with us well beyond this term.

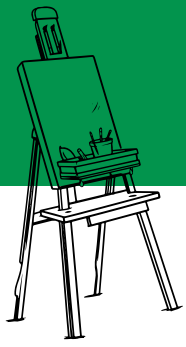
From our very first steps in Term 3, we've always taken the time to celebrate our accomplishments—both big and small. Whether it was mastering new letters and numbers, exploring the world around us, or sharing moments of joy during special events and themed days, every experience added a layer to our EYFS story.

All of this growth has been made possible by the tireless dedication of our incredible EYFS team. Every teacher and teaching assistant has poured love, creativity, and care into making our learning environment welcoming, exciting, and full of surprises. Term 3 was the perfect bow on top of the gift that was this year. Their daily efforts have helped create a place where curiosity is encouraged and every child feels safe to learn, play, and thrive.

We've seen our children blossom in so many ways. Their knowledge, academic skills, physical development, and emotional wellbeing have all grown remarkably. Each child has flourished in their own unique way, and we couldn't be prouder of their journey.

A heartfelt thank you must also go to our wonderful parents and carers. Your continued support, encouragement, and collaboration have played a vital role in making this memorable Term 3 so successful.

With warmest wishes,



EYFS

TERM 3 TRIPS AND EVENTS



Art Exhibition

Our EYFS students proudly showcased their creativity in a wonderful art exhibition! The display featured a vibrant collection of artwork created throughout each term, highlighting the children's growing skills and imagination. From bright colours to imaginative designs, the artwork beautifully captured their learning journey.



End of Year Show

Our EYFS end-of-year show and graduation was a spectacular celebration of learning, confidence and creativity! The theme "Creatures of the World" took us on a magical journey across continents, as our young learners proudly performed songs, dances about animals from around the globe. It was a heart-warming event filled with joy, proud smiles and a few happy tears as we celebrated their progress and achievements.



EYFS

TERM 3 TRIPS AND EVENTS

Water Fun Day

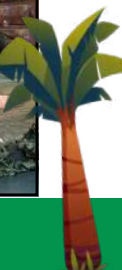
The Water Fun Day was a splash-tastic success! The children came to school full of excitement, dressed in their water clothes and ready for a day of outdoor fun. They had a fantastic time splashing in the pool, taking part in a range of water activities, and getting creative with water painting. One of the highlights of the day was using their water guns to practise their aiming skills – with lots of laughter and teamwork throughout. It was a joyful, memorable experience that **EVERYONE ENJOYED!**



✦FUN✦

The Jungle Book Show

The children were thrilled to watch a special performance of The Jungle Book by the S4K theatre company. Brought to life with colourful costumes, catchy songs, and lots of laughter, the show told the story of Mowgli, the Man Cub raised in the jungle by his friends Baloo the Bear and Bagheera the Panther. As Mowgli faced the challenge of returning to the Man Village, he used the important lessons he had learned in the jungle to guide him. The lively, musical kept the children engaged and entertained from start to finish!





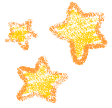
This term, our EYFS children enjoyed a wonderful variety of after-school activities as part of our Term 3 ECAs. The clubs offered something for everyone, with engaging options such as STEM Club, where children explored early science and problem-solving skills, and Sensory Club, which provided calming, hands-on experiences. Fine Motor Club and Construction Club helped develop coordination and creativity through building and small-scale tasks. Children also enjoyed expressing themselves in Arts and Crafts and staying active in Physical Development sessions.

It was a fun and enriching term for all!





EYFS STARS AT PRIZE GIVING



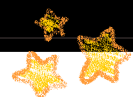
Our Shining Stars in EYFS



This year has been a wonderful journey of growth, curiosity, and joy in EYFS. Our young learners have amazed us every step of the way with their enthusiasm, resilience, and kindness.

A special highlight was our very first Prize Giving ceremony, where we celebrated some truly outstanding achievements. Awards were given in key areas such as Young Leadership, Gifted & Talented (G&T), and Character Education, recognising those who have shown exceptional promise, talent, and integrity.

Each of our EYFS stars has brought something unique to our community, and we are so proud of everything they have accomplished this year!





YEAR 1

This term has been full of fun and learning!

One of our favourite days was our trip to KidzMondo Doha. We got to try out different jobs and play in lots of fun places.



We learned so much while having a great time!



During Humanities Week, we dressed up as people from The Great Fire of London. We acted out putting out fires, learned how the fire started, and wrote diary entries just like Samuel Pepys!



We've had a super term full of miles, stories, and special memories. Well done, Year 1 – you are ready for Year 2!





YEAR 2

Term 3 has been a vibrant and enriching period for our Year 2 students. One of the standout moments was our educational trip to OliOli Doha, where children engaged in a variety of interactive exhibits that sparked their curiosity and creativity.



We also celebrated Humanities Week, with a special focus on old-fashioned transport. Students explored how people used to travel in the past, deepening their understanding of history through fun and engaging classroom activities.

In addition, Year 2 took part in a whole-school celebration for our graduating Year 13 students. Our young learners proudly created colourful and thoughtful posters to honour the achievements of the graduates and share in their special milestone.



Finally, we had a small ceremony ourselves to hand out certificates based on our school values!



It has been a joyful term filled with exploration, learning, and community spirit! We wish all the students the best of luck heading into year 3!



YEAR 3



In Year 3, we've had exciting and busy days filled with learning and exploration. Here are some of our highlights from Term 3.

We went for a walk around Barwa City where we discussed settlements, area classifications and different features of our community.

LET'S GO

ADVENTURE



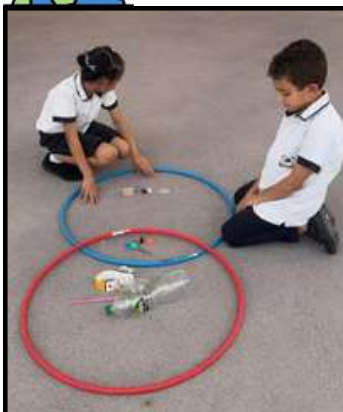
Our unforgettable trip to Quest, where we experienced thrilling rides, explored exciting reality simulators, and were amazed by the incredible virtual reality attractions.



We created 3D shapes.



We investigated forces and magnets.



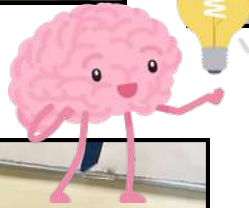
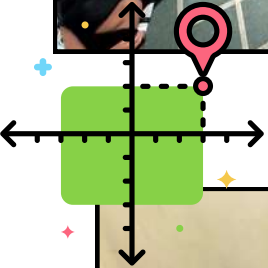
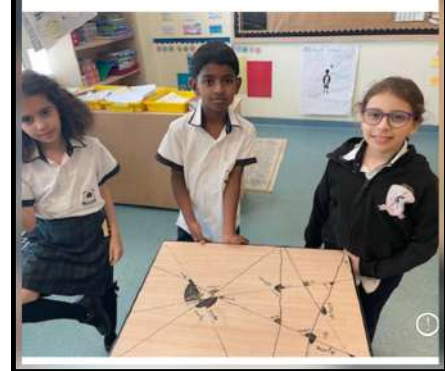
We edited our writing before publishing.





YEAR 4

This term in Year 4 has been a fantastic adventure of growth, curiosity, and memorable experiences. We've shared exciting lessons, new challenges, and moments that will stay with us for years to come.



Exciting, hands-on lessons that brought learning to life in the most enjoyable ways!



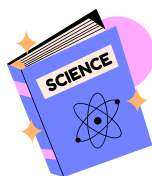
Our fun dress-up days added a splash of creativity and excitement, making our time in Year 4 even more unforgettable!



YEAR 5

This term in Year 5 has been a brilliant journey of practical learning, new discoveries, and special moments we'll remember.

We launched into Science Week with curiosity and excitement, taking part in thrilling experiments, hands-on investigations, and dressing up as famous scientists to celebrate discovery and wonder.



On World Book Day, we stepped into the shoes of our favourite characters, bringing books to life through costumes, storytelling, and a celebration of reading.



We've been on an incredible trip this term, to quest giving us the chance to explore, discover, and make lasting memories together.



Sports Day was a brilliant opportunity to stay active, cheer on our friends, and enjoy a day filled with energy, teamwork, and fun.



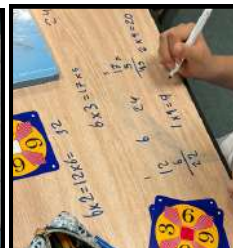
YEAR 6

What an exciting and unforgettable year it has been for Year 6!

We celebrated Anti-Bullying Week by wearing odd socks to show our uniqueness and dressing up as superheroes to stand up for kindness.



In Mathematics, we tackled fun challenges and puzzles that stretched our brains.



Science was packed with hands-on experiments, from dissecting hearts to building circuits.

We explored the outdoors with thrilling trips—zooming down icy slopes at Snow Dunes, kayaking through peaceful mangroves, and screaming on rollercoasters at Quest.



Reading with younger students brought the magic of stories to life.



You Did It!

Each moment was filled with laughter, learning, and unforgettable memories.

Year 6, you've truly made it a term to remember!

Mrs. Nahla Bagoud

بسم الله الرحمن الرحيم

الحمد لله رب العالمين و الصلاة و السلام على سيدنا محمد أشرف المرسلين وعلى آله وصحبه أجمعين، اللغة العربية ليست مجرد وسيلة تواصل، بل هي هوية وثقافة وجسر إلى عالم من الجمال والفكر. في العام الدراسي 2024-2025، شهد قسم اللغة العربية نموًا ملحوظًا في تفعيل منهج وزارة التربية والتعليم من خلال استراتيجيات تعليمية حديثة ونشاطات متنوعة تهدف إلى تنمية مهارات الطلاب بشكل شمولي وتفاعلي، اعتمد المعلمون أساليب تعليم محفزة ركزت على التعلم النشط، الإبداع، والتفكير النقدي. كما حرص القسم على تفعيل أسبوع اللغة العربية بمجموعة من الأنشطة والمسابقات التفاعلية الممتعة التي هدفت إلى تعزيز ارتباط الطلبة بلغتهم الأم، وإبراز مواهبهم اللغوية في أجواء من التنافس الإيجابي والإبداع، مما أضفى على العملية التعليمية بعدًا ثقافيًا واحتفاليًا مميزًا.



وعلى مستوى الأنشطة اللاصفية، شارك القسم في عدد من المسابقات البارزة التي تعزز حب اللغة نذكر منها :

- مسابقة الدكتور جبر النعيمي للإبداع في فنون اللغة العربية.
- مسابقة التهجئة على مستوى مدارس نيوتن، وعلى مستوى المدارس البريطانية في الشرق الأوسط (BSME).
- أولمبياد القراءة، وهي مسابقة تؤهل الطلبة للمشاركة في تحدي القراءة العربي، تُنظم على مستوى المدارس في دولة قطر، وتهدف إلى غرس عادة القراءة في نفوس الطلاب وتنمية قدراتهم على الفهم والتحليل. وفي جميع هذه المسابقات، حقق طلابنا نتائج متميزة نفخر بها، ما يعكس الجهد الكبير المبذول من قبل المعلمين والطلبة على حدٍ سواء، وحرصهم على تمثيل المدرسة بأفضل صورة. لقد كان عامًا حافلًا بالعباء والإنجازات، جسّد روح التميز والطموح في تعلم اللغة العربية.

مع تمنياتنا لطلابنا الأعزاء بدوام التفوق و النجاح في الأعوام القادمة.



Mrs. Eman AL-Chaar

التربية الإسلامية: إيمان وقيم.

في العام الدراسي 2024-2025، أولى قسم التربية الإسلامية أهمية كبيرة لغرس القيم الدينية وتعزيز السلوك الإيجابي في نفوس الطلاب، وذلك من خلال تقديم منهج وزارة التربية والتعليم بأساليب تعليمية حديثة، تجمع بين الفهم العميق للنصوص الشرعية والتطبيق العملي في الحياة اليومية.

لقد ركزنا هذا العام على تربية النشء على محبة الله ورسوله ﷺ، واحترام الآخرين، والتحلي بالأخلاق الإسلامية التي تشكل الأساس في بناء شخصية الطالب المسلم. وقد تم دعم الحصص التعليمية بالأنشطة والمشاريع التي رسّخت المفاهيم بطريقة تفاعلية وتطبيقية.

ومن أبرز مشاركات القسم:

- مسابقة المُحدّث الصغير
- مسابقة القرآن الكريم
- "أنشطة ومسابقات داخلية في الجوانب الدينية والسيرة النبوية والتطبيقات الحياتية،
- مشاريع وأنشطة صفية ولاصفية أبدع فيها الطلاب في التعبير عن القيم التي تعلموها

تاريخ قطر: جذور وهوية

تُعد مادة "تاريخ قطر" عنصراً محورياً في بناء وعي الطلاب بتاريخ وطنهم وهويتهم القطرية. وقد قام القسم بتدريس المنهج الوزاري باستخدام استراتيجيات تعليمية حديثة، عزّزت لدى الطلاب مهارات البحث والتحليل والتفكير النقدي.

تم تنفيذ مجموعة من العروض الصفية، والمشاريع، والأنشطة التفاعلية التي ربطت الطلاب بتاريخ وطنهم وإنجازاته، وعزّزت انتماءهم للدولة وقادتها.

كما شارك الطلاب في احتفالات متميزة بمناسبة اليوم الوطني لدولة قطر، عبّروا من خلالها عن فخرهم بالوطن، وذلك من خلال فقرات متنوعة وعروض جسدت حبهم العميق لوطنهم وتقديرهم لمسيرته.

لقد كان عامًا حافلاً بالأنشطة والإنجازات، يعكس ثمرة الجهود المشتركة بين المعلمين، وحماس الطلاب، والدعم الكبير من أولياء الأمور، الذين كانوا شركاء فاعلين في نجاح العملية التعليمية والقيمية لهذا العام.



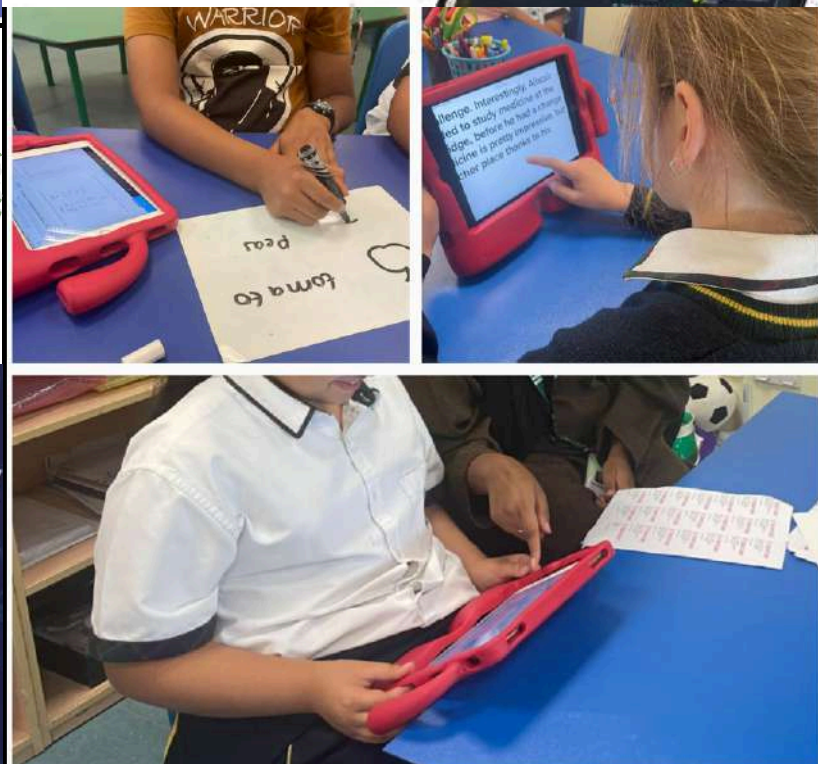
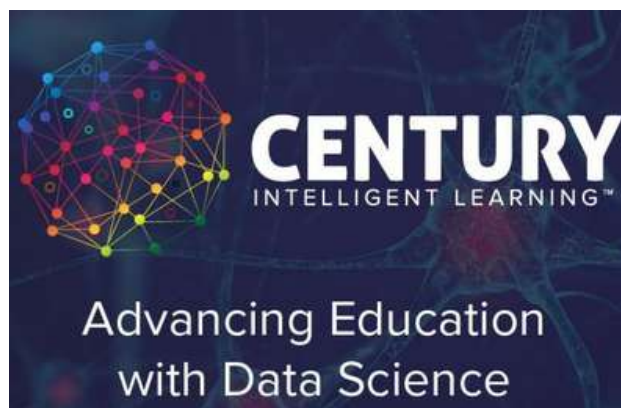
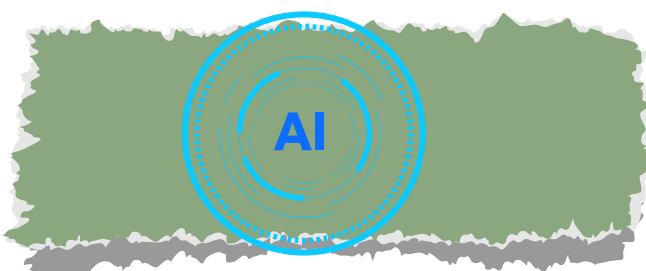
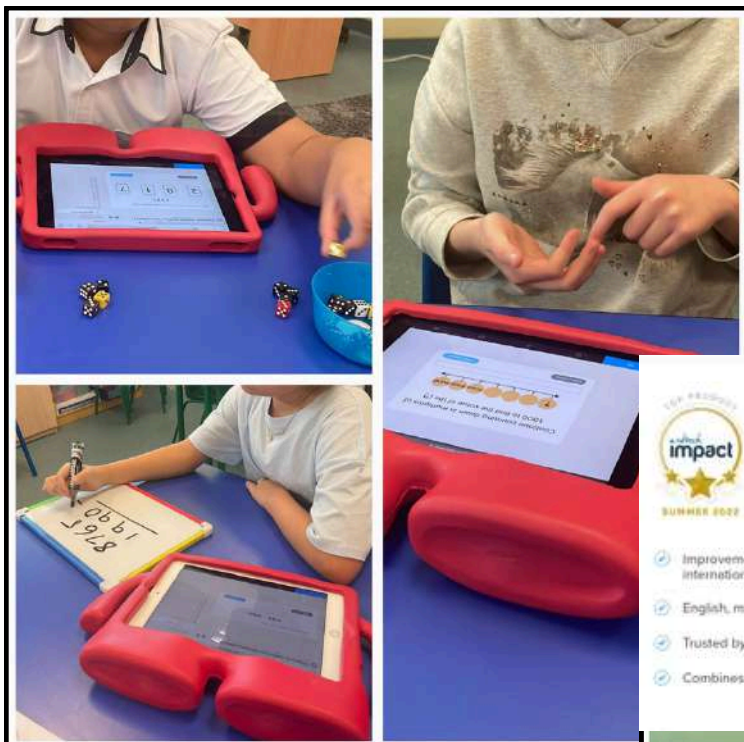


AESN

NIA has invested in our AESN department by incorporating an AI-powered academic programme through Century. Pupils complete a diagnostic assessment, after which the AI generates individualised learning pathways tailored to each child's specific needs.

These pathways include personalised PowerPoints, videos, lessons, and targeted questions designed to address gaps in learning. This approach has taken differentiation and personalisation to the next level, allowing us to target every learner's unique needs with precision.

We are confident that our AESN pupils will benefit greatly from this innovation, developing both their academic skills and self-confidence.





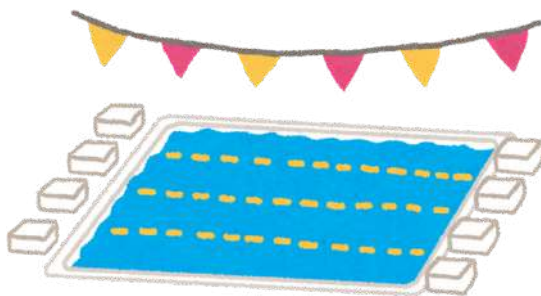
PE/SWIMMING



Primary in Term 3 got off to a fantastic start with the opening of the astro turf football pitch! In Key Stage 1 PE, students enjoyed four weeks of gymnastics with Captain Mohsen from the Qatar Gymnastics Federation, learning the basics of rolling, jumping, and balancing.



In Key Stage 2, students developed their skills in handball through focused drills and team games.



Year 3 and Year 4 also took part in swimming lessons, working on water confidence, stroke technique, and overall swimming ability.



SPORTING EVENTS



Team practices continued, with emphasis on skills, tactics, and teamwork!



We hosted a Newton Basketball and Handball Festival with 9 Newton Schools in collaboration with Al Rayyan Sports Club AND pupils had a fun packed morning.



You Can Do THIS

White Oryx Sports Academy held a festival of football. fantastic drills and competitive mini games where loved by the boys!



Our competition schedule continued in the QPPSSA, Girls and Boys U11 Basketball, Badminton Boys and Girls U10 and U11, Swimming Boys and Girls U8, U9, U10 and U11 for results please look on our Instagram account: [nia_barwa_city](#) for our daily updates.



In QSOP our pupils made it to the finals in Judo, Karate, Athletics, Taekwondo, Swimming and Gymnastics we won Medals in every sport, well done to the pupils and coaches involved!!



CHARACTER EDUCATION



This year, our character education programme played a central role in shaping the values and attitudes of our students. During our thoughtfully designed lessons, we engaged in meaningful discussions about moral dilemmas, encouraging pupils to think critically, express their views respectfully, and develop empathy for others. These conversations helped deepen their understanding of important virtues.



Our weekly assemblies provided a valuable opportunity to further explore these virtues through reflections, and interactive activities, reinforcing the lessons learned in the classroom. In addition, special assemblies and school trips enriched the programme by addressing important themes like mental health awareness, helping students to appreciate the importance of wellbeing and support for themselves and others.



A highlight of the year was Character Education Day, a whole-school celebration that included a special assembly and prize giving to recognise and reward pupils who consistently demonstrated outstanding character in their actions and attitudes. This day was a wonderful way to bring the whole school community together and celebrate the positive impact of our character education journey.



INSPIRE
OTHERS



MUSIC

Term 3 marks the end of another wonderful year filled with musical magic, creativity, and lots of fun!

Our children have been busy exploring their musical talents, growing in confidence, and making friends through song, movement, and rhythm.

This term, we sang, played instruments, and even used body percussion – turning every class into a musical adventure!

The children learned to appreciate the power of expression, collaborate as a team, and celebrate their progress together.

Thank you for a year full of happiness and song – we're looking forward to making even more musical memories in the year to come!





FRENCH



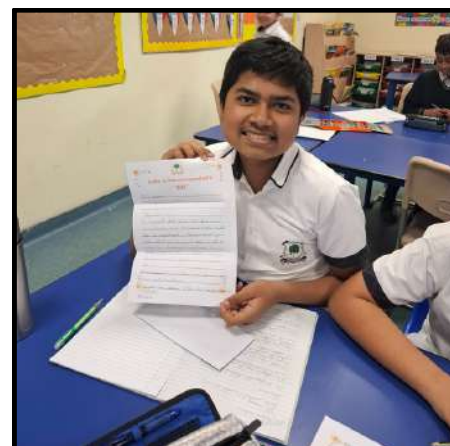
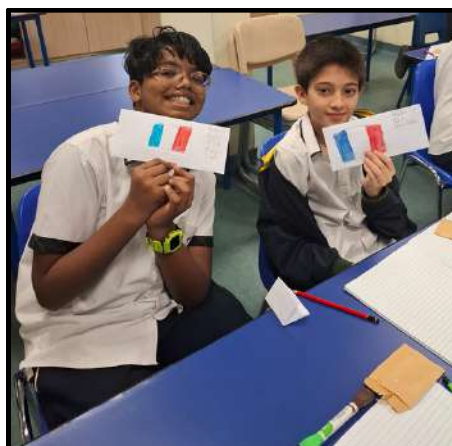
This year, Year 3 began their exciting French journey with great curiosity and enthusiasm. They learned how to greet others, count to 15, talk about their age, follow classroom instructions, and name objects in their school bag—all while growing confident with new sounds and words. Their energy and enjoyment have laid a strong foundation for future language learning. Bravo, Year 3!

Year 4 have continued to build their French skills with confidence and creativity. They've explored numbers to 31, days of the week, months, weather, and how to talk about birthdays. Their growing ability to hold simple conversations and understand spoken French is fantastic to see. Well done for a brilliant year—keep up the great work!

Year 5 have made fantastic progress in French this year, developing both their vocabulary and grammar.

They've learned to describe family members, count to 100, talk about shopping, and use important verbs like *être* and *avoir*. It's been a joy to see their confidence grow in both writing and speaking. Félicitations, Year 5—you're becoming true linguists!

Year 6 have shown great maturity and independence in their French learning this year. They've written detailed paragraphs about themselves and others, mastered key grammar including ER verbs, *être*, *avoir* and *aller*, and expressed opinions on school subjects and daily life. Their readiness for secondary school is clear—wishing them every success as they continue their French journey!





This term in P4C, we have explored a wide range of concepts and Big Ideas, including sadness, health, self-care, technology, communication, entertainment, protection, friendship, safety, and animal rights, to name just a few. The children have taken part in meaningful discussions, demonstrating caring thinking by listening carefully to others; critical thinking by asking thoughtful questions and offering well-reasoned suggestions; creative thinking by making connections and exploring new possibilities; and collaborative thinking by working together, building on each other's ideas, and speaking respectfully in group settings.

Children showing that they disagree with the thief.



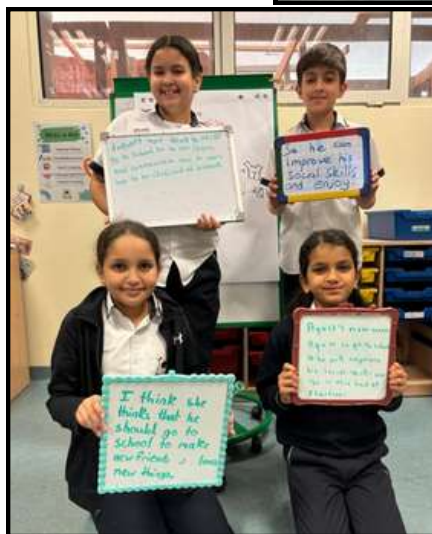
We used a concept target to identify what makes us feel calm, scared, energetic, or sad.



We used a Venn Diagram to organise our votes.



We discussed the importance of self care and then created a Diamond 9, ordering our ideas from most important/least important.



We discussed the question "Should we go to school?"



Children creating a Pool of Ideas about the concept of Fairness.



ICT



It has been a fantastic term in Computing across Years 1 to 4! Our young learners have shown great curiosity, creativity, and enthusiasm as they built on their digital skills. Through engaging lessons and hands-on activities, students have become more confident using technology, while also learning how to navigate the digital world with care and responsibility. It's been a joy to see their progress and excitement grow each week!

Year 1 students explored the world of data handling, learning how to sort and organize information in fun and engaging ways. They also began their journey into online safety, understanding how to stay safe and kind while using technology.



Year 2 built on their understanding of online safety, diving deeper into making safe choices online. They also enjoyed working with data, learning to collect and present information using simple charts and tools.



Year 3 pupils discovered how computer networks work, gaining insight into how devices connect and communicate. Alongside this, they strengthened their knowledge of online safety, discussing how to protect personal information and navigate the internet responsibly.



Year 4 focused on developing practical digital skills, with an emphasis on typing, building speed and accuracy through regular practice. They also took part in thoughtful conversations around online safety, reinforcing the importance of respectful and secure online behaviour.





From Clicks to Code!

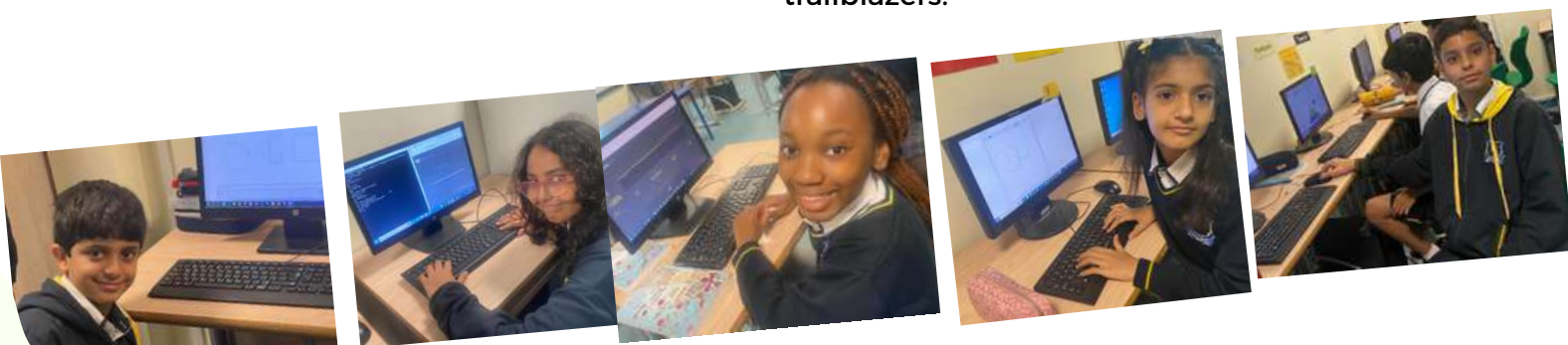
KEY STAGE 2- COMPUTING



Year 5 logged into an exceptional year of ICT, mastering online safety like true digital citizens. They cracked codes with Logo and block programming, turned into spreadsheet whizzes, and even decoded the mysteries of binary and ASCII. With a first taste of AI key principles, they proved they're more than ready to compute, create, and conquer—what a tech-tastic journey!

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This year, Year 6 didn't just click—they conquered! They unboxed the world of Artificial Intelligence, learning how machines think (yes, sort of!) and make decisions like mini digital brains. Cyber safety was top of the agenda too—they became pros at protecting their identities and staying smart online. Their coding journey kicked off with Python, where they cracked problems and built simple programs like tech wizards in training. Flowcharts and algorithms? Consider those digital puzzles solved—they learned to plan like pros. Excel became their data playground as they mastered frequently used formulas to make sense of the numbers. Barcode, RFID, and QR Codes weren't just labels—they were gateways into the tech that powers modern life. And when it came to Binary and ASCII, they decoded how computers really talk, converting 1s and 0s into meaningful messages. With creativity in full swing, students wowed us with pixel art masterpieces and animated presentations that brought their ideas to life with flair and finesse. What a year! From learning machines to mastering digital magic, Year 6 is ready to hit Secondary School full throttle. Keep flying high, tech trailblazers!





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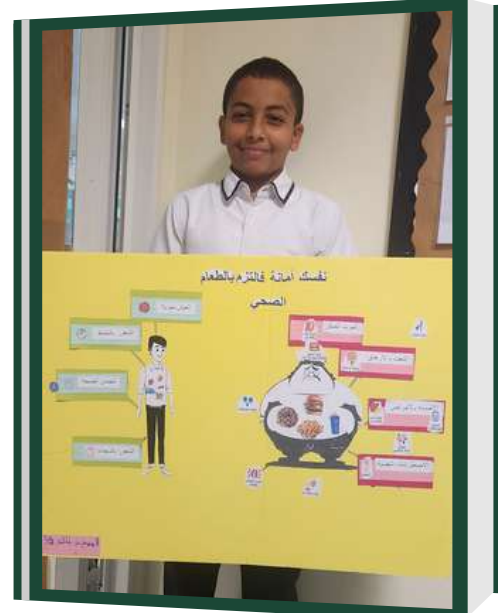


قيمي ترسم هويتي : رحلة نحو بناء الإنسان.

في إطار حرص مدرستنا على تعزيز القيم التربوية وترسيخ الهوية الوطنية في نفوس الطلاب، شاركنا بكل فخر خلال العام الدراسي 2024-2025 في مشروع "قيمي ترسم هويتي"، الذي أطلقته وزارة التربية والتعليم، متضمنًا خمس مبادرات نوعية : أصيل، نفسك أمانة، الإبحار الآمن، فطر، وإخاء.

وقد تميزت مشاركتنا بتقديم مبادرات ثرية نُفّذت بأساليب تربوية مبتكرة، جمعت بين الجانب التعليمي والتطبيقي، من خلال مشاريع صفية ولاصفية، عروض تقديمية، زوايا توعوية، محاضرات هادفة، قصص قيمية مؤثرة، وجداريات معبرة ساهم الطلاب في تصميمها وتنفيذها، و نتيجة للجهود المبذولة نشارك معكم بكل فخر تكريم مدرستنا من قبل وزارة التربية و التعليم لحصولها على المستوى البرونزي في تطبيق المشروع.

كانت تجربة ملهمة رسّخت القيم في نفوس الطلاب، وعبّرت عن رؤيتنا في بناء جيلٍ يعتزّ بهويته ويتحلى بسلوك راقٍ وأخلاق راسخة.





INTER-NEWTONS & VISITS



INTER-NEWTON SPELLING BEES AT NIA

This year we hosted our very first EYFS Inter-Newton Spelling Bee here at NIA. Children from different Newton schools joined us for this exciting event, showcasing their phonics knowledge and growing confidence in spelling. It was a wonderful opportunity for our youngest learners to shine, celebrate their hard work, and make new friends. We look forward to many more shared learning experiences in the future!



NIA proudly hosted the Inter-Newton Spelling Bee for Years 3, 4 and 5 – bringing together confident spellers from across the Newton Group. The event was filled with energy, healthy competition, and impressive displays of vocabulary, memory and focus. Our students rose to the challenge, supporting one another and showcasing their growing mastery of English spelling. It was a fantastic opportunity to celebrate academic excellence, encourage teamwork, and build friendships beyond school walls. We can't wait to host again next year!





GIFTED AND TALENTED



**What a fantastic year
for our gifted and
talented students!**

**From Maths
competitions, spelling
bees, and even escape
rooms, our children
made themselves,
and our school, very
proud!**

Congratulations!



STUDENT COUNCIL & YOUNG LEADERS

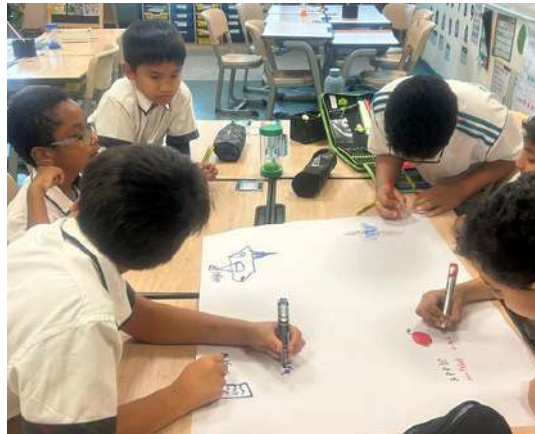
The Primary Student Council at Newton International Academy, Barwa has had a fantastic year representing the voices of their classmates. From leading initiatives and supporting school events to sharing ideas for improvement, they have shown great leadership and teamwork. Their commitment to making our school a better place has been truly inspiring. Well done to all our young leaders!



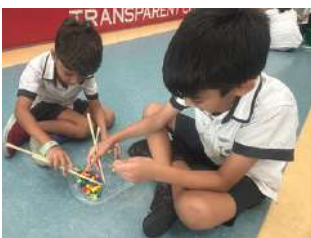


PRIMARY ECAS

Our Primary students at NIA have enjoyed a vibrant and enriching Extra Curricular Activities programme that has supported their personal growth and broadened their interests. From developing their voices in choir, expressing ideas in debate, and getting hands-on in gardening club, to building confidence through ballet, yoga, and football—there has truly been something for everyone. Highlights included the launch of our student-led newspaper and podcast clubs, where students had the chance to share their thoughts and talents with the wider school community. Whether developing teamwork in sports or nurturing a new passion, our ECA programme has played a key role in shaping a well-rounded and joyful school experience for our students.



PRIMARY ECAS





HAPPY HOLIDAYS!

STAY SAFE AND

REST WELL TILL

NEXT YEAR!

