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Dear Families,

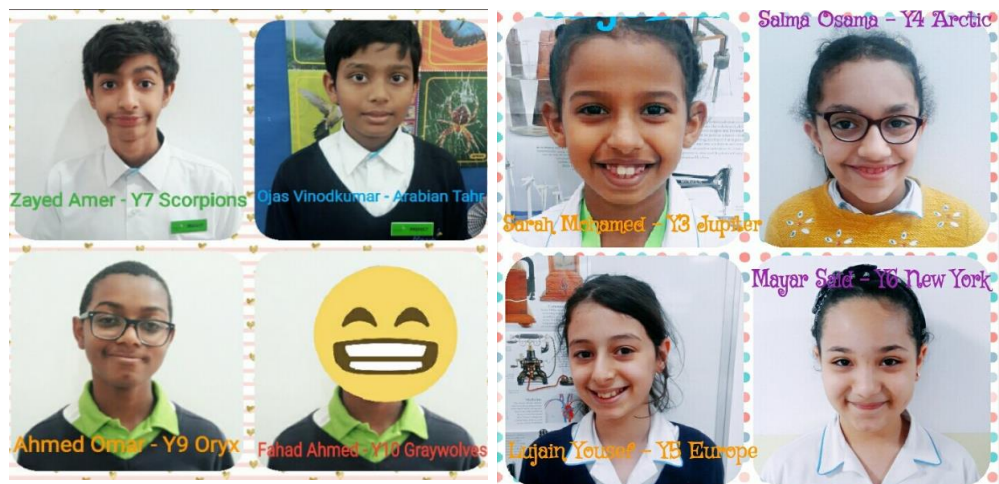
We were very pleased with the feedback from the five ADEK inspectors who visited our school this week. They had many positive and insightful observations that will assist us in our journey of reflection and continuous improvement. Whilst the feedback is confidential at this stage we will be sure to share the full report with you all once it is published.

I would like to sincerely thank all Reach staff and parent council member who worked so hard to ensure we were well prepared for our inspection.

Dene Bright | Principal



Top Borrowers for the Month of February



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| 10 th -14 th March 2019 | Primary Assessment's Week |
| 12 th March 2019 | International Mother's Day |
| 13 th March 2019 | Open Admission Morning (10 AM-12 PM) |
| 17 th -21 st March 2019 | Arabic Language Week /Arabic book fair |
| 17 th -21 st March 2019 | Sports Week |

Foundation Stage

Vroom...vroom...vroom

As part of our Transport theme our FS1 and FS2 children had the opportunity to show off their innovation skills in the EYFS School. Children were asked to design and construct a cardboard box car with their parents which they had to bring to school on Thursday, 21 February. From very early on in the morning cars came flooding in. Big cars, small cars, pink cars, branded cars and character cars arrived at all the different classrooms. The children as well as the parents were clearly very proud of their wonderful creations. A little later we drove and parked our cars at the "Drive-in" in the hall where we were ready to watch the Cars movie while snacking on some popcorn and juice.

Our Drive-in movie day was a huge success and the children had tremendous fun!



Primary School

For Friendship Week Year 4 pupils focused both in class and at break time on making everyone feel included. There was an emphasis on group work during lessons and everyone using their special skills. Our week culminated in our assembly where Mr Daniel's Mediterranean class lead the Year Group in brainstorming good examples of friendship and creating a mind map.



Year 3

In the Science Week Year 3 we have been learning all about volcanic eruptions. We made our own volcanoes and we made a volcanic eruption using baking powder, red food colouring, washing up liquid and vinegar. The baking powder reacted with the vinegar to make a volcanic eruption!

Secondary School

A big congratulation to our Year 8 boys today who won 5-1 against Al Rabeeh Academy. All boys conducted themselves very well. All parents should be very proud. Also a very big thank you to Mr Mark and Mr Ciaran for organising the fixture and the transport.



Wow! Look at these incredible paintings of falcons by the Year 8 Foxes! Special mention must be made to outstanding painters Nasser Muatasem, Dani, Omar and Suleiman.



The Year 8 girls have been working incredibly hard on these colourful paintings of palm trees... Prateeksha, Sama and Areesha are pictured here with their strikingly beautiful artwork.



Year 7 Scorpions had an exciting Art lesson today, making their own interpretations of collages by the French artist Henri Matisse. Like Matisse's work, their artwork was inspired by sea creatures, and featured geometric and organic shapes.

Arabic

اللغة العربية تواصل رحلتها الممتعة مع الحروف وتحديدًا "حرف العين" حيث تعرف طلاب السنة الأولى والثانية على الحرف وأشكاله وكلمات تحتوي على هذا الحرف. كما قام الطلاب بالعديد من الأنشطة المسلية بتشكيل علم ولعبة (البين كات) الجماعية منها والثنائية والفردية وكذلك باكتشاف حرف العين من البيئة الصفية ومن خلال النشيد الوطني باستخراج كلمة علم.



كما تعودنا في **التربية الوطنية** هنالك كثير من الأنشطة الإثرائية التي تنمي قدرة الطلاب على ربطها بحياة الواقع . درسنا للسنة الثانية هو "المهن" ولقد تعرف طلابنا على المهن الموجودة سابقا في دولة الإمارات العربية المتحدة كما تعرفوا أيضا على المهن الحديثة وما هي فوائد كل مهنة وتم ربطها بالحياة من خلال تمثيل الأدوار و الأنشطة.



Arabic for Non-Arab

And two students, one drawing the shape of the tree and leaves and the other is cutting.



Two students search for the names of the prophets and form a tree and write the names of the prophets



Parents Workshop

We recently had the pleasure to meet with our Parents and Carers in a short workshop/information session to help parents understand the best ways they can help their children with reading at home. Many parents talk to their child's teacher about struggling with getting them to read at home or not being sure of the best way to do it. Our purpose is to build fluency, comprehension, word solving and a love for reading in a supportive loving environment using text at an independent level.

We discussed and explained the following points:

- Make reading visible; have books available in your home.
- Read mysteries with your child and try to figure out the clues together
- Encourage your child to sound out letters and to write notes, journals, and stories about their own trips, event, and daily life.
- Ask your child to draw a comic strip about what happens in the story.
- Reading across the curriculum and focus reading activities.

Parents Workshop

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**How can I help my child
with reading ?**

"Readers are future leaders"

Presented by:

Sue Miller & Tasneem Zayed

Day & Date: Sunday

10 February 2019

Session 1 : 8:00 am - 8:45 am

Session 2 : 1:30 pm - 2:15 pm

Location: School Multipurpose Hall



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