
Newsletter 24th March 2023



In His Name, the Most Kind, the Most Merciful

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Message from the Acting Headteacher

Asalaam Alaikum

Peace be upon you.

It has been a wonderful week with children and staff warmly wishing each other:
Happy Ramadan.

Thank you to all the parents and carers for making 'Hujjat Tuck Shop' so enjoyable yesterday; we appreciate all the hard work and organisation which goes into making these events successful!

This week, your children would have come home with a 'Ramadan Good Deeds Calendar Activity Pack'. You may help your child place one sticker on each coloured circle, then scratch one daily to reveal the good deed of the day. These good deeds can be showcased around the school!

I am very pleased to welcome Mrs Jessa to Hujjat Primary School from the Summer Term. Mrs Jessa is a qualified, experienced teacher, with a degree in Medical Physiology. Working with children and serving the community are her passions and, over the years, she has taught a variety of ages across primary school and volunteered in numerous projects in her community. In 2019, Mrs Jessa took time out to study faith further as an interest, passion and way of life, and continues to study different aspects of faith alongside teaching today. This year, she feels blessed to be given the opportunity to combine her love for teaching, community and faith, by taking on the role of Faith Advisor at Hujjat Primary School.

Ramadan Kareem!

Wishing you all a lovely weekend,

Mrs Saad
Acting Headteacher

Pupils of the Week

An-Noor (RW) **Rana Alshaer**

Rana has had such a great week this week!

She has worked so hard on her transition from home to school and she is coming in every morning so much happier. She has tried to make the most of skills time and has really focused on playing with others. Rana always sits so beautifully on the carpet and we look forward to having her join in more, by raising her hand and sharing her thoughts.

Well done Rana, keep up the good work.

Al-Kareem (1A) **Layla Jewad**

Layla is a polite and respectful member of the class. She continuously demonstrates integrity in school and shows compassion to those around her.

Layla has been working very hard on her reading and writing, and has enjoyed writing her own poem this week. She is becoming more confident every day and it is lovely to see her flourish.

Keep it up! Well done Layla.

Al-Khaaliq (2S) **Noor Mashkoori**

Noor has blossomed well this term. She loves to participate in class and works hard in all her subjects. I am particularly proud of the progress she has made in literacy!

Noor is always kind, respectful and a good friend to those around her.

Keep up the great work Noor!

Al-Haqq (RH) **Zahra Jafri**

Zahra has demonstrated our value of Excellence by always trying her best. She has taken ownership of her learning and is proving to her teachers that she can do it!

Zahra has flourished into a mature, confident and responsible girl.

Keep working hard Zahra! Well done.

Al-Hakeem (1AZ) **Sufyaan Mohamed**

Over the last few weeks, we have seen Sufyaan's confidence and interest in reading steadily growing. He is making a huge effort to consistently practice his handwriting, reading and mathematics and as soon as he has finished a task, he wants more challenges!

We love his positive, can do and will try anything, attitude when approaching his learning. His concentration on the carpet has improved so much. Mrs Navid and I could not be prouder of him as he has taken responsibility for his learning.

Don't stop here Sufyaan, keep pushing, working hard, tackle a chapter book soon and never stop believing in yourself, you are amazing!

Al-Wahhaab (2AS) **Muhammad Naqvi**

Muhammad has been working really hard in the recent weeks. He has been more focussed at his table and has been working to complete all his tasks. Muhammad has also been showing great listening during carpet times, which has helped with his learning.

We really hope you can keep this up Muhammad, well done!



Habib the Hujjat Primary Attendance Bear

Many congratulations again to
An-Noor (RW)
for being the class with the highest attendance this week at 98.5%

A Message from Mrs Rands

Salaam

Dear Parents and Carers,

As this will be the last weekly newsletter for this term, I would like to take this opportunity to say farewell, not goodbye, to you all. I will genuinely be very sad to leave you.

Looking back, I can still vividly remember our very first cohort arriving on their first day in our temporary accommodation at Weald Rise Primary School. There were big smiles from the staff to welcome you and of course, some tears from the children (and parents) as you hugged them and left them in our care. You put all your trust in us, as a new school, to nurture and educate your babies and it has been an absolute pleasure! There were definitely some challenges to overcome at the start, but so much fun and excitement too.

I consider myself blessed to have been present to welcome our 21-22 and 22-23 cohorts too. I have tried to get to know each child, every academic year. I have enjoyed getting to know their personalities, sense of humours, whether they love Sonic or Elsa, Minecraft or unicorns, apples or bananas. Whatever it may be, every single child at Hujjat is unique and special and I will miss them all.

A school is nothing but a building without children, and you, as parents. I have said these words to some of you already, but during my 18 years in primary education before Hujjat, I have never met such a friendly, supportive group of parents. I will genuinely miss you all, but I will take away some very happy memories.

I say farewell, not goodbye, because I hope to see many of you again at the FoHPS Eid Fair and other future weekend events.

Until then, Allah ma'akum.

Friends of Hujjat Primary School (FoHPS)



Thank you so much for visiting Hujjat's first Tuck Shop. We received some lovely feedback and it was heartwarming to see the children getting involved with their pocket money. If you have any suggestions or feedback, please let us know by emailing friendsofhujjat@gmail.com.

The Friends of Hujjat would like to give a special thank you to all the parents who participated in the packing of dates to make this happen. It was a great way to bring parents together. Due to popular demand, and the request of many parents, we are giving you another chance to pre-order dates. You are required to pre-order so that your order is packed and ready. **The dates will be ready to collect at the Hujjat Iftar on the 30th of March.** If you are able to help with packing some of these please let any committee member know as soon as possible.

A reminder to please book your tickets this weekend for the Hujjat Iftar. See below for a reminder of the event. **Please note this is not an after school club and therefore parent/guardian attendance is mandatory.** <https://fohps.sumupstore.com>

Children's Iftar - Thursday 30th March

The end of term is fast approaching, and given the children have been working very hard this term, it is time we give them the end of term send off they deserve.

On the last day of term, school will be finishing at an earlier time of 2pm. After collecting your child at 2pm, please join us in the main hall for an afternoon dedicated to learning about our most exciting time of year.

The children will have circle time to learn all about the Holy Month of Ramadan and what makes it so special, they will also have a craft session and Ramadan Rhymes. The programme will end with bringing all the children together eat an early Iftar. We will aim to complete by 4pm.

Siblings are more than welcome to join so please feel free to purchase a ticket for them too.

Tickets include all activities and the iftar. You can purchase a ticket for each of your children that will be participating using the link below above. **Please RSVP by 24th of March.** If you would like to purchase extra portions of iftar to take home for later, you can preorder portions using the same link.

<https://fohps.sumupstore.com>

We hope to see you there!

Celebrate Eid at Hujjat Primary School – Saturday 29th April

Please mark this date on your calendar. More details to follow.

Dates for Your Diary

Last Day of Spring Term – School finishes at 14:00. Wraparound Care sessions to finish at 15:30 and 16:45	Thursday 30 th March
Children's Iftar (FoHPS)	Thursday 30 th March
Staff INSET Day (school closed for children)	Friday 31 st March
First day of Summer Term	Monday 17 th April
School Closed (Eid-ul-Fitr)	Friday 21 st April
Al-Wahhaab Class Assembly at 09:30	Wednesday 26 th April
Forensic Workshops in school to celebrate Science Week (all year groups)	Wednesday 26 th April
KS1 Curriculum Workshop (on site only) Choice of 2 sessions: 14:15 or 19:15 (The content will be the same at both sessions)	Wednesday 26 th April
Eid Fair (FoHPS)	Saturday 29 th April
Bank Holiday (School Closed)	Monday 1 st May
Statutory End of KS1 Assessments in Year 2	Tuesday 2 nd May – Friday 19 th May
Al-Khaaliq Class Assembly at 09:30	Wednesday 3 rd May
Bank Holiday (King's Coronation)- School Closed	Monday 8 th May
Al-Kareem Class Assembly at 09:30	Wednesday 10 th May
Al-Hakeem Class Assembly at 09:30	Wednesday 17 th May
Al-Haqq Class Assembly at 09:30	Wednesday 24 th May
An-Noor Class Assembly at 09:30	Wednesday 7 th June