



Year 4 Newsletter



As-salamu alaykum (Peace Be Upon You)

We hope you've had a relaxing holiday and are ready to enjoy the spring term. We have a great deal of enjoyable learning to look forward to and can't wait to get started! Below, are a few im-

Meet the Team!

Class Name	Class Teacher	Learning Coach
Ibn Jabal	Ms Bauhadoor	Ms Faruki Mr Maqsood (1:1)
Barakah	Ms Rashid	Ms Priya
Al Farsi	Ms Ferdousi	Mr Dawud



PE Days/Water Bottles

Class Name	PE Day
Ibn Jabal	Tuesday
Barakah	Thursday
Al Farsi	Tuesday

When it is your child's PE day, please ensure they come to school dressed in the correct PE kit. It is really important that PE kit and trainers are not worn on **non** PE days. Do adhere to the school policy on uniform (by refer-



Times tables



It is highly important that your child is spending time learning their times tables from 2 to 12. By the end of the year, they should know **all** their times tables mentally. Once

Important Dates

- 07.01.19— Enterprise Week
- 23.01.19— Parent Council Meeting
- 01.02.19— Barakah Class Assembly
- 08.02.19— Ibn Jabal Class Assembly/Last Day of Half-Term
- 15.03.19— Al Farsi Class Assembly
- 14.03.19— Book Fair
- 05.04.19— End of Spring Term

**DATES TO
REMEMBER**

Here is an overview of the units this term.

Subject	Spring 1	Spring 2
Maths	Fractions, decimals and percentages. Measurement Geometry—shapes Geometry—position and direction	
English	Fiction: story in narrative verse Non-fiction: explanation text	Fiction: play scripts Non-fiction: evaluating evidence
Science	States of matter	States of matter 
History/ Geography	History — Ancient Egypt	Geography— European neighbours
ICT	We are musicians	We are HTML editors
RE	How different Christians show their belief.	How people build their relationship with God
Visual Arts	Linear drawing	Textiles
Music	Performing using our voices	Musical notation
PE	Problem solving and inventing games	Invasion games
MFL	Arabic	Arabic
PSHCE	Money matters	The real price of chocolate and fair trade

Punctuality and Attendance

If your child is absent from school, please provide a letter stating the reason for absence on their return. Please ensure your child arrives **on time every day**, so that they do not miss out on vital learning from the start of the day. If every child in the class arrives on time it will maximise their chances of receiving the fantastic, class trophy during our cele-

Home Readers



Please ensure that you are monitoring your child's reading. They should be reading for at least **30 minutes a day**. You should encourage your child to write a comment in their reading

Homework

Please ensure that you encourage your child to do their homework and take pride in it. It is an expectation that the high standards of presentation continues at home too. Please note, homework should be done in pencil only. All children must complete our *Hadith of the week* homework and should be encouraged to be creative in this part of their homework.

