

ISLAMIA PRIMARY SCHOOL
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AS-SALAMU ALAYKUM



Jumuah/Friday Bulletin



Headteacher's Message

As Salam Alaykum wa Rahmatullahi wa Barakatuhu

Surah Kahf, the 18th chapter of the Holy Quran, contains 110 verses and is a Makki surah located in the 15th–16th paras. Its name means "The Cave," and it centers on four interconnected stories: the People of the Cave, the companion of two gardens, Musa and Khidr, and Dhul Qarnayn. These stories illustrate different forms of temptation (Fitnah) and guide believers on how to resist them. The surah emphasizes righteousness, sincere worship, and faith in Allah's mercy, offering spiritual guidance, forgiveness, and a reminder of the meeting with the Creator.

At Islamia Primary School we instill a love for Surah Kahf by having it read, recited, listened to on Friday's during the day, at Khutbah's, read by children and we encourage our parents to also support your child in reading, reflecting and reciting this surah on Friday's - Thank You!

Alim Shaikh

Curriculum Corner



School Council

This week marked an exciting and important event in our school calendar - the School Council elections.

Our new Citizens UK and School Council Leader, Teacher Dilshad, commenced the School Council Elections for the new academic year.....we will shortly be hosting an online page of activities for the School Council along with details of their activities, events and plans!

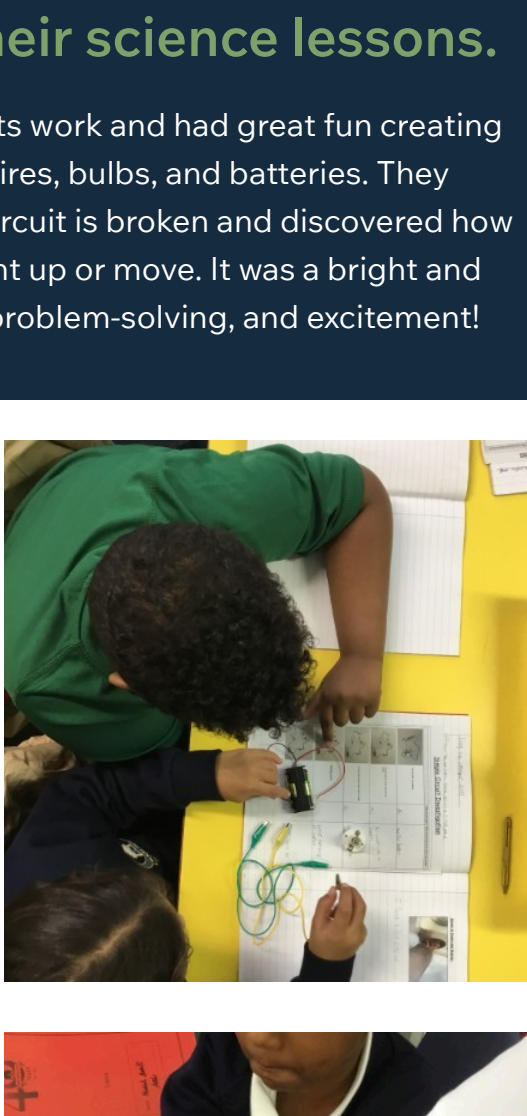
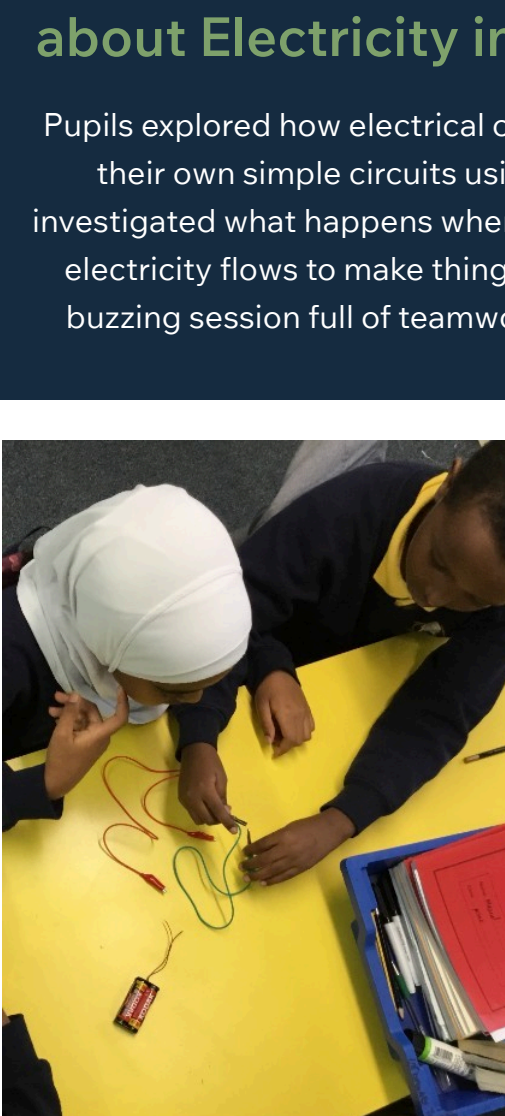
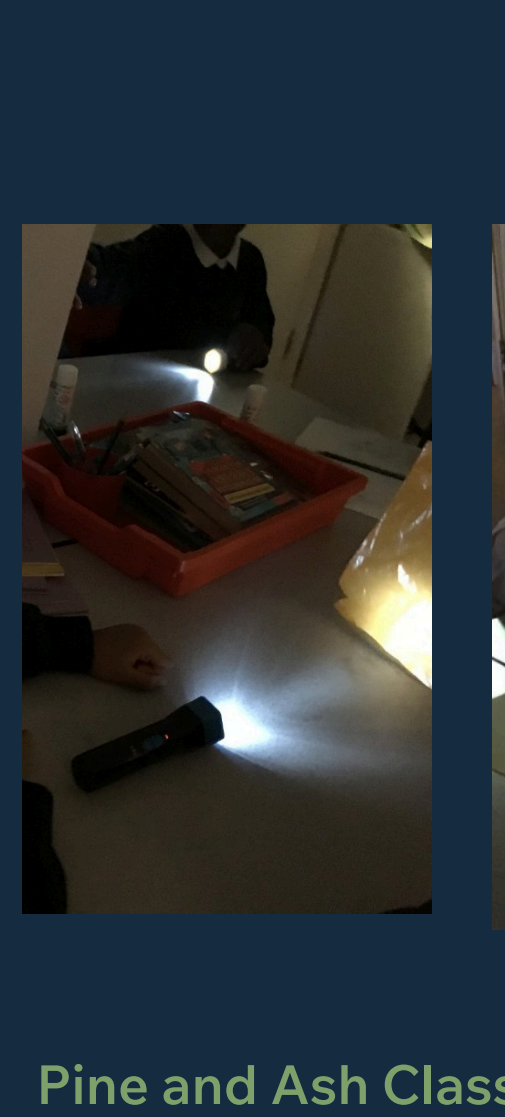


School Councillors

- Year 6 Hawthorn Idris
- Year 6 Oak Hamza
- Year 5 Cedar Najma
- Year 5 Palm Mohammed
- Year 4 Pine Tasneem
- Year 4 Ash Ayman
- Year 3 Beech Jana
- Year 3 Elm Hadiya
- Year 2 Sycamore Huda
- Year 2 Birch Israa

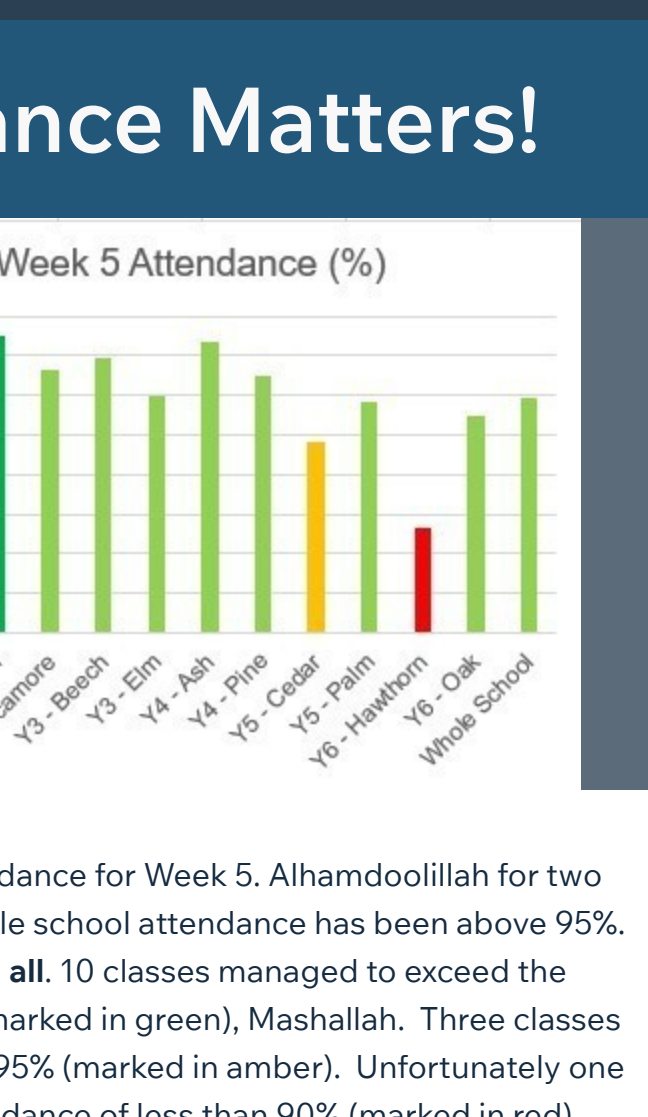
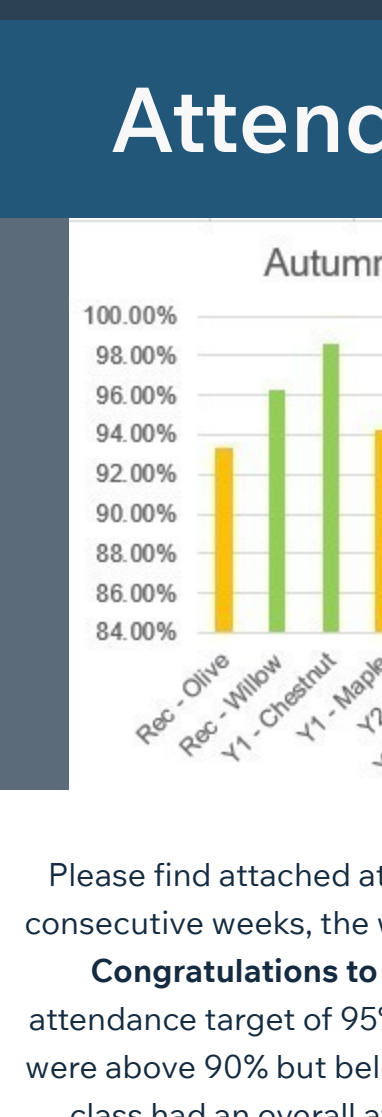
Newly appointed Class Councillors

Our newly appointed Class Councillors had the opportunity to explore the streets around our school during a Citizen's UK Listening Walk. They observed their surroundings carefully, noting what they could see, what was working well, and what could be improved to make the environment and community safer and more pleasant for everyone. Following their observations, the councillors will decide on an action they would like to take forward, with the Deputy Councillors joining to support the project. In our next meeting, we'll be thinking about why these issues matter and how we can make a real difference. We also hope to connect with other local schools to strengthen our action and work together for positive change in our community.



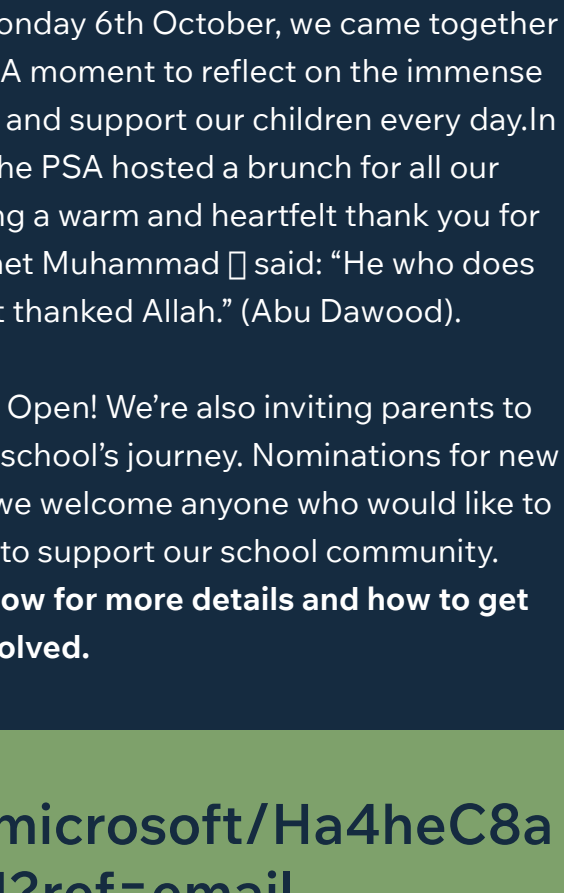
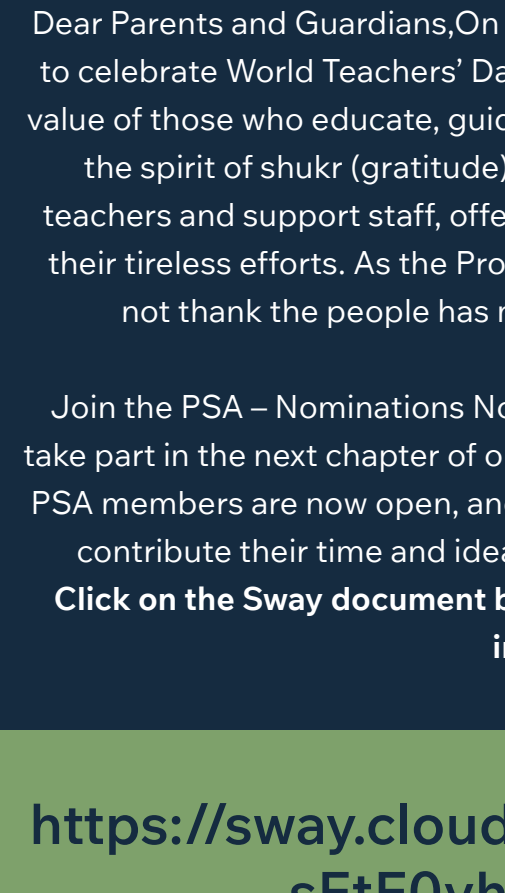
Our Year 3 pupils have been busy scientists this week, investigating how shadows are formed.

As part of their topic on Light, they experimented with different objects and a light source to see how they affect shadow. The children were fascinated to discover that when an object blocks light, a shadow is created and they had lots of fun making predictions and testing their ideas. It was wonderful to see so much curiosity and teamwork in action!



Pine and Ash Class have been learning all about Electricity in their science lessons.

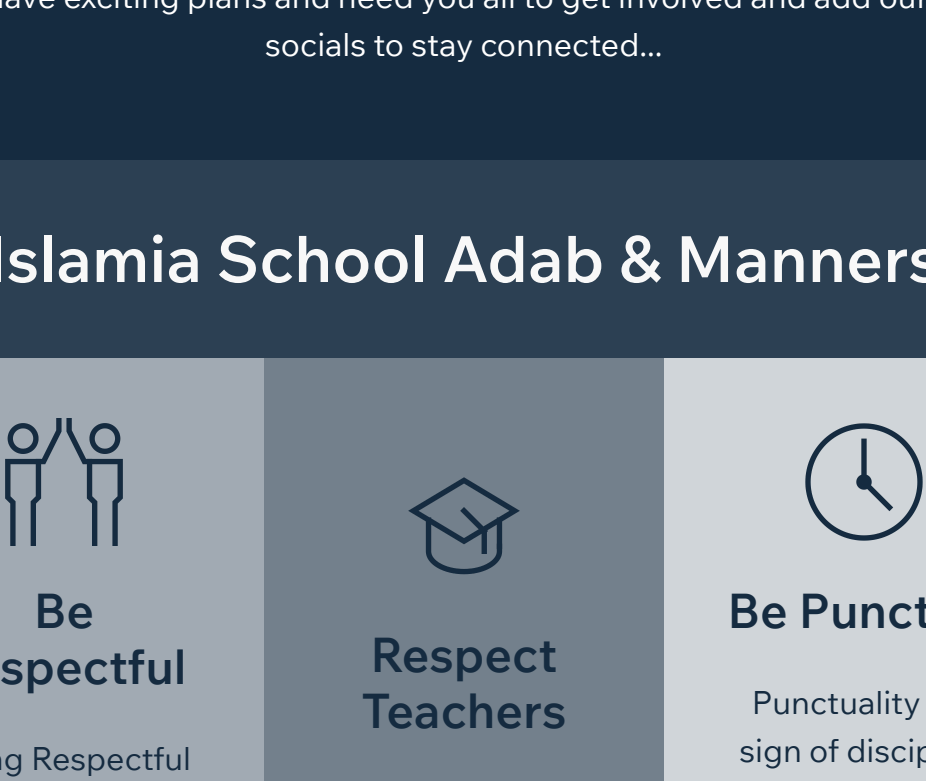
Pupils explored how electrical circuits work and had great fun creating their own simple circuits using wires, bulbs, and batteries. They investigated what happens when a circuit is broken and discovered how electricity flows to make things light up or move. It was a bright and buzzing session full of teamwork, problem-solving, and excitement!



Attendance Focus

School attendance is a legal duty, vital for academic success and future earnings, with persistent absence (below 90%) linked to lower grades and earnings. Parents must ensure their child attends school every day, only absent due to illness or authorized exceptional circumstances. At Islamia Primary School we have renewed our focus on attendance this academic year and whilst some positive progress was made during the previous year, there is still much to do. It is only through working with you, our parents, that we can make a difference to your child's success - so please join us in making the difference!

Attendance Matters!



Please find attached attendance for Week 5. Alhamdulillah for two consecutive weeks, the whole school attendance has been above 95%.

Congratulations to you all. 10 classes managed to exceed the attendance target of 95% (marked in green), Mashallah. Three classes were above 90% but below 95% (marked in amber). Unfortunately one class had an overall attendance of less than 90% (marked in red). Inshallah, let us strive to ensure that we can sustain this impetus and aim for all classes to meet the attendance target next week.

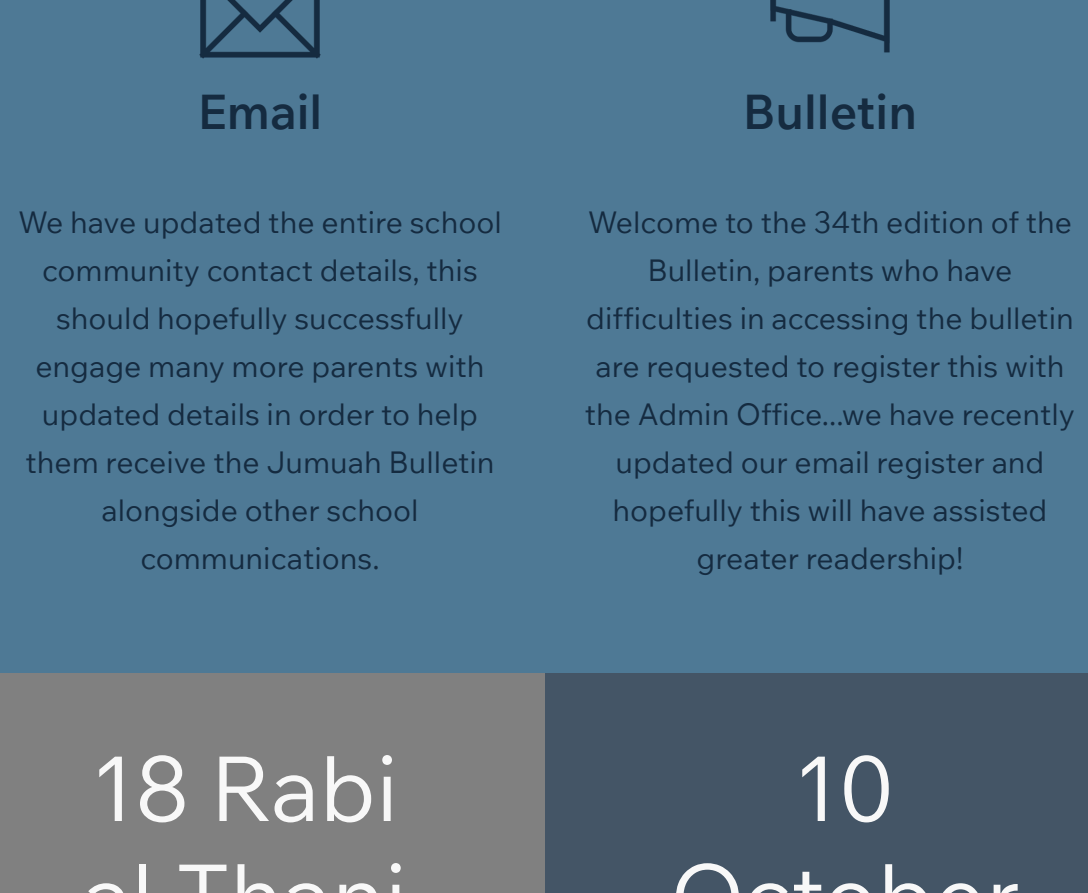
Congratulations to Birch class (KS1 Winners) for the best attendance of 99%, Mashallah! Well done to Willow (EYFS Winners), Chestnut, Sycamore, Elm, Beech, Ash (KS2 Winners), Pine, Palm and Oak who also exceeded 95%.

Attendance Winners

This week, winning classes received an attendance award. Please see pictures. Thank you to Willow Class parents for your continued support in helping us maintain high standards for learning and achievement.



PSA: Parent Staff Association



Honouring Our Teachers on World Teachers' Day

Dear Parents and Guardians, On Monday 6th October, we came together to celebrate World Teachers' Day. A moment to reflect on the immense value of those who educate, guide, and support our children every day. In the spirit of shukr (gratitude), the PSA hosted a brunch for all our teachers and support staff, offering a warm and heartfelt thank you for their tireless efforts. As the Prophet Muhammad (ﷺ) said: "He who does not thank the people has not thanked Allah." (Abu Dawood).

Join the PSA – Nominations Now Open! We're also inviting parents to take part in the next chapter of our school's journey. Nominations for new PSA members are now open, and we welcome anyone who would like to contribute their time and ideas to support our school community.

Click on the Sway document below for more details and how to get involved.

<https://sway.cloud.microsoft/Ha4heC8asEtE0yhU?ref=email>

PSA... Celebrating World Teachers Day

Our teachers and staff play a vital role in shaping the character and future of our children, and we pray that Allah (ﷻ) continues to bless them with wisdom, patience, and reward for their noble work.

Social Media

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Islamia School Adab & Manners

Be Respectful

Being Respectful means treating others the way you want to be treated. It's about using kind words, listening when someone is speaking, and valuing different opinions. Whether you're talking to a teacher, a classmate, or a friend, showing respect builds trust, creates a positive environment, and helps everyone feel safe and included.

Respect Teachers

In Islam, teachers hold a place of honor and respect, as they guide us toward knowledge and good character. The Prophet Muhammad (ﷺ) said, "I have been sent as a teacher." Respecting our teachers—by listening, valuing their efforts—is part of our adab (good manners) and a way of earning Allah's pleasure.

Be Punctual

Punctuality is a sign of discipline and respect in Islam. Allah reminds us in the Qur'an about the importance of fulfilling our trusts and commitments. The Prophet Muhammad (ﷺ) was known for honoring his promises and being on time. Being punctual—whether for prayer, school, or appointments—is a way of showing respect to others and being trustworthy in the eyes of Allah.

Jumuah Reminder

"The most beloved actions to Allah are those performed consistently, even if they are few" Prophet Muhammad (SAW)

Jumuah Bulletin Updates

34th Bulletin - Newsletter

Opened Weekly 61%

Email

We have updated the entire school community contact details, this should hopefully successfully engage many more parents with updated details in order to help them receive the Jumuah Bulletin alongside other school communications.

Bulletin

Welcome to the 34th edition of the Bulletin, parents who have difficulties in accessing the bulletin are requested to register this with the Admin Office...we have recently updated our email register and hopefully this will have assisted greater readership!

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