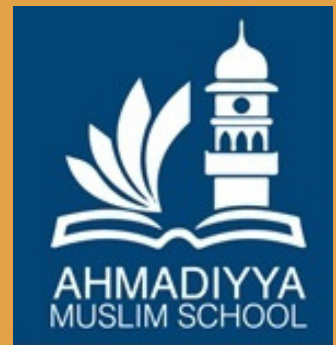


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ANNOUNCEMENT

All parents and families are requested to note that Ahmadiyya Muslim School Phone number has changed. Please use the new number for communication.

New phone number :
+ 403-355-6313

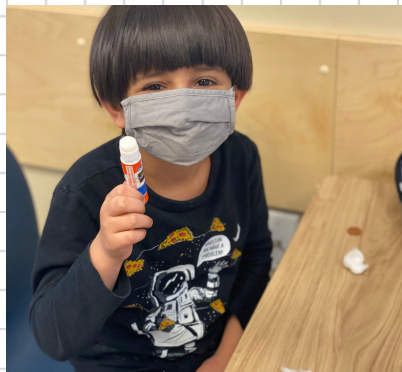
IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER

- Feb 24th - Pink Shirt Day
- Feb 26th - Muslim Leaders' Day
- Mar 12th - PD Day
No School for Students
- Mar 29th to Apr 2nd, 2021
Spring Break - No School
- Apr 5th - Easter Monday
No School for Students

GRADE 1

Science:

Students have been learning about seasonal changes in winter including fun activities, weather, and plants/animal changes. We created a craft of a black bear hibernating in the cave that students were very excited about. The grade ones went on a winter nature walk and completed a scavenger hunt. At the end of the walk, they got to slide down a snow-covered hill.



Social Studies:

Students have been discussing how they can make decisions as a group and cooperate with one another. They have played games and acted out in a play while making decisions as a group.

Language Arts:

Students have been learning about short /i/ and /o/ sounds. They are wrapping up their personal narratives and will soon have a celebration of writing. A friendly reminder to read daily with the home reading books! :)

Math:

Students have been learning how to skip count by 10s and 5s through various activities and games.

GRADE 2

Math:

Students are reviewing what they learned so far by using Prodigy and individual or classroom teacher support. We have reviewed skip counting, comparing numbers, ordering numbers, using base 10 blocks, the number chart and number line!

Health:

After learning about healthy eating and physical activity, students learned about healthy and unhealthy habits.

Science:

Magnetism lessons continue on! Students have learned that magnets are attracted to metallic substances like iron, cobalt, nickel and magnetite. They also learned that opposite poles attract and like poles repel.

Social Studies:

Students completed their mapping units and learned about concepts in geographic thinking such as cardinal directions.

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“Who Questions Much, shall
Learn Much, and Retain
Much.” *FRANCIS BACON*

Language Arts:

Students have written 3-6 sentences everyday on our daily spelling words. Students continue practicing their skills using Razkids and independent reading time. We have also started going more deeply into phonics (letter sounds).

GRADE 3

Social Studies:

We have continued our studies of countries around the world. Students have been examining the physical features of the three countries we have been studying and comparing those to Canada. We have begun our discussion on traditions and cultures celebrated around the world and compared them to our own. We did a show & tell sharing our traditions of our family.

Language Arts:

Our adventures with Roz from *The Wild Robot* are wrapping up and as we finish our novel study we will begin looking at elements of story writing. As we move forward we will be writing our own stories. A friendly reminder to complete daily home reading and reading responses.

Science:

We are in the process of wrapping up our unit on rocks and minerals. Students have been looking at the various uses of rocks and minerals in our everyday lives.

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Educating the Mind,
without Educating the
Heart, is no Education
at all. *ARISTOTLE*



Math:

We continue to look at various addition and subtraction strategies. So far we have looked at chunking, base ten blocks and number lines. Students have also been looking at the relationship between addition and subtraction and how to check their answers using fact families.

