



Suffah Primary School

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Head Teacher's Newsletter

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Assalamu Alaikum

I pray you and your children have had a wonderful summer holidays and you had the opportunity to make lots of memories for you to cherish and to be thankful to Allah for.

Not only are we starting a new academic year, but we are also starting a new Islamic year. May Allah make it a successful one for everyone in which we can all come closer to Allah. Amin.

Our Early Year's building is now reflective of the new energy that is flowing through it. You will notice many changes in the physical layout and in how the setting is managed, Insha Allah. I would like to thank the PTA who have contributed £3000 for two interactive screens and new resources for the EYs building.

You will be pleased to learn that 4 of the 7 Primary classes are now not only full but oversubscribed, Masha Allah.

We would like to welcome all the new pupils who have joined Suffah family this year. Insha Allah, this will be the start of the best years of their life!

We would also like to welcome Ustadah Lateefa as the new Year 4 class teacher. She will be responsible for the class till end of December. She is a qualified teacher (with PGCE) and has several years of experience, Alhumdulillah. Ustadah Aaminah will return from her maternity leave and take over the class from January onwards, Insha Allah.

We will be starting the new Islamic Studies Curriculum from this term. The majority of the parents who gave feedback opted for the new curriculum. A few parents shared their concerns with me regarding two topics which I ensured will not be taught if they were unhappy. We want to teach the broadest Islamic Studies curriculum that is engaging.

Please note from Tuesday 10th September, we will be resuming the Mile Run every Tuesday and Thursday morning from 7.50 till 8.05. The car park gate will be shut during those times. If you get caught inside, you will have to be patient until 8.05. If you have other children to drop off, then I suggest you park outside. This will remain the case until the clocks change and then the morning exercise will continue inside the building during the winter months.

Our Friday assemblies will continue to be open for parents to attend from 11:00 – 11:20. Class teachers will notify you on the class blog when their class is either performing Nasheed or the topic presentation.

Please ensure you have subscribed to your child's class blog (on our website) as that is the main method of communication between teachers and parents.

We are looking for a keen librarian for 4 hours a week, Tuesdays and Thursdays 2 hours each day from 1.00 – 3.00pm. If you are interested in the role, please speak to the school office.

If there is anything you would like to discuss regarding the newsletter or anything else please don't hesitate in contacting me on head@suffahprimaryschool.co.uk.

Kind regards

Asif Ali
Head Teacher