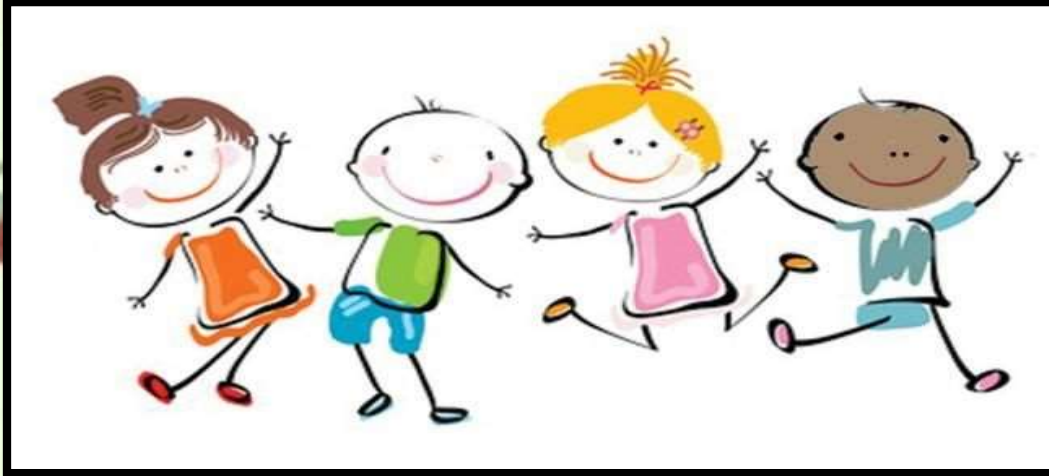




مدرسة العلم الشارقة  
School of Knowledge  
Sharjah

St. Mary's Group of Schools



**TIME FLIES WHEN YOU ARE HAVING FUN!**

# Newsletter

APRIL  
MAY  
JUNE  
2020-21

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## **VISION OF THE SCHOOL**

**Striving for excellence, striding towards success and seeking new horizons for personal growth and worth.**

## **MISSION STATEMENT**

**Each toddler walking through the gates of School of Knowledge is viewed as a talent reserve and the school works relentlessly towards empowering each and every child.**

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***“A Leader is one who knows the way, goes the way and shows the way.”***

## **Our Leaders**



**DIRECTOR**  
**Sr. Bobina Soares**



**PRINCIPAL**  
**Ms. June Amanna**



**VICE PRINCIPAL**  
**Sr. Veronica**  
**Rodrigues**

## *A message from our Headmistress*

*As I look back at this successful year, I cannot help but beam with pride at the hard work our teachers have put in to make learning happen during these tough times. Developing the right growth mindset amongst students was our goal. Our students embraced the new challenges and strove throughout for high academic achievement. The summary of news, events and activities posted regularly gave you a greater insight into various approaches to teaching and learning. It's time to wish you Happy Holidays. Stay safe! Stay healthy! God Bless.  
Best Wishes!*



Ms. Tasneem Rangwala

***ENVIRONMENT DAY***  
***JUNE 5<sup>th</sup> 2021***  
***Year 3***

***World Environment Day was celebrated on 5<sup>th</sup> June 2021 to create awareness and action for the protection of the environment.***



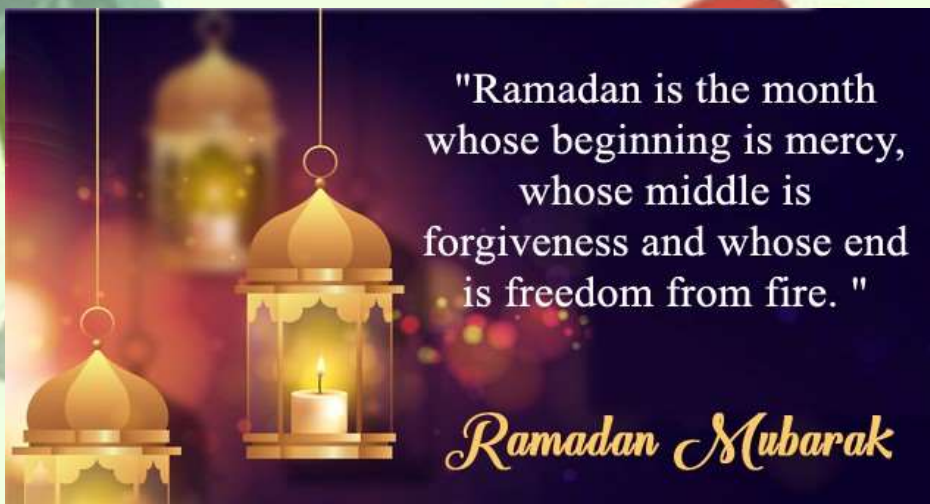
***The purpose of World Environment Day is to spread awareness about the threat to the environment due to rising pollution levels and climate change.***



# School Assemblies



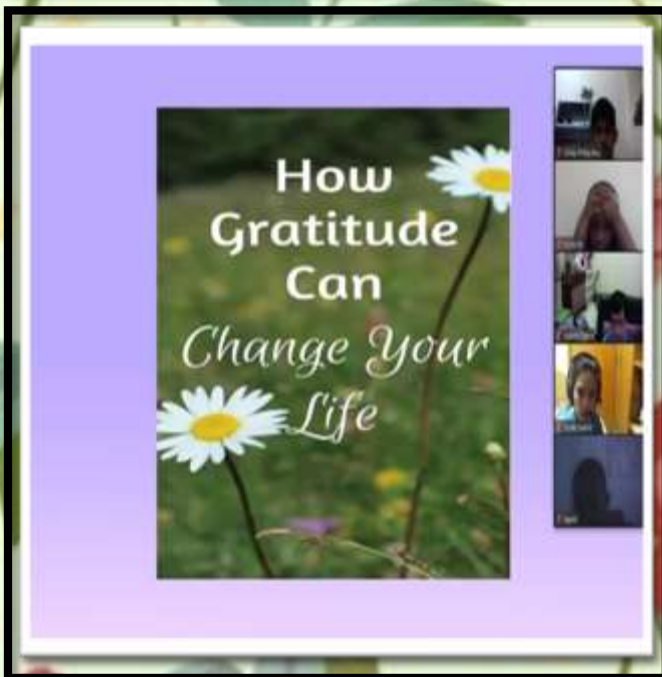
*Students of Year 4A had an assembly to welcome the students after Spring Break as well as to tell them about the importance of Ramadan Kareem.*



# School Assemblies



*The more grateful  
I am, the more  
beauty I see.  
Assembly on the  
topic- Gratitude*



*The children explored how God loves and cares for them in many different ways in all aspects of their life. They have the opportunity to reflect on this and offer God thanks and praise for his love for us. The children reflected on the questions such as: What do we have to be thankful for? How do we encourage each other to be thankful? How do we thank our friends, family and God?*

# SCHOOL ASSEMBLIES



To enhance the importance of caring for environment and to make our young students cognizant about the Environment Day Theme of 2021 , an assembly was conducted by the students of Year 3 I.

# My journey through.....

I miss my school

I miss class. I had fun learning with my teacher. We did so many activities with my friends. When I needed help on my class work my teacher helps me. I miss school so much!

♥ Thank you ♥  
teacher

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## Online Experience

Online class was hard before but now it is easy. My teachers help me very well in our subjects. Now it is interesting to do google forms and playing games. We play puzzles and all. We don't have to worry for our safety. Our teachers made our classes colourful one. I enjoyed my online classes.

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## Online Classes

We are unable to attend school due to the COVID 19 pandemic but online classes had helped us to continue learning without any difficulties. We can meet with our teachers, classmates and principals through

Success Criteria

Google meet and share our ideas. It has helped us to learn about technology like internet and computer which was not possible earlier. I enjoy learning online and wish that it should continue.

Success Criteria

## My journey in the year 2020-2021

When the new year began, I was happy I would be going to school. When my mother told it's going to be online schooling again, I was sad but was happy as I was going to a higher grade.

School started and I was happy to see all my previous classmates in the same class too. We were introduced to our teacher Ms. Jeneviere. She was a wonderful teacher. She gave us lot of independence and to be creative. Mam always appreciated us.

Each day I woke up eager to join my class. Our teacher took classes with enthusiasm and made sure all of us understood well. We celebrated birthday, Flat day, National day, virtual outings, Ethnic day. All these made class time more fun and brought us together.

I enjoyed this year and feel sad it's coming to an end yet. I am looking forward to the next year. With new hopes and promises I walk ahead with god's blessings.

Anikketh T. Saravanan - Grade 2 / Year 3 H

# PEARLS OF WISDOM

## EDUCATIONAL TIPS FOR STUDENTS

- Set goals
- Organize
- Take a break
- Set a designated study space
- Collaborate with others
- Think positive
- Test yourself
- Active reading
- Review



**By - Ms. Mizbha Jabeen**

## Qualities of a Good Student

- Self-discipline - Discipline is a must in a student's life.
- Diligent - A student should be determined towards studies or any work allotted to him.
- Punctual - Time is precious, so every student must value time.
- Be Responsible



**By – Ms. Farisa Thanseer**

### **Steps that will enhance your comprehension and retention**

- Review all chapter headings and subheadings.
  - Glance over the pictures in the text book while reading.
  - Read any bold or italicized words and make sure you understand them.
  - Read the chapter summary.
  - Try and predict the answers to the questions and find out if your predictions are correct.
  - Read aloud. Reading aloud improves comprehension and retention of information.
  - Use a pencil to circle the key terms and vocabulary in the passage.
- Once you've finished reading a passage, sit down with your parents or friends and tell them what you read and what you learned from the text.

By – Ms. Monika Cyril  
Year 3G

### **Benefits of gardening for younger children**

- It inspires healthy eating - By growing your own fruits, vegetables and herbs, you will have a sense of accomplishment with what you have grown and understand the importance of nutritious foods.
- It stimulates scientific comprehension - You will learn the basic steps of plant growth by planting seeds and monitoring them regularly, understanding how variables such as the amount of sunlight, water and soil affects plant growth.
- It teaches responsibility – *You will* understand that you have to care for your plants, see them grow and realize the importance of looking after the planet 'Earth'.
- It encourages patience -Through gardening, you will learn to be patient and realize that the Earth takes time to regenerate and grow.
- Having contact with soil during digging and planting also encourages better learning experiences and enhances creativity.

By – Ms. Jennevie Mohite





### **End of the School Year Tips for Students**

1. Keep your school day routine consistent. Stick to your after school routines to help you to stay on track.
2. Keep yourself organized.
3. You can also make certain tasks into fun games to make learning more engaging and exciting. Don't be afraid to get creative with studying!
4. As a Parent you know your child better than anyone, which means you know what kind of incentives motivate them best. It could be a new video game or something like road hockey equipment so they can play with their friends.

**By - Ms. Rabia Jehanzeb**

Dear Students

Always remember and follow the 5 p's, whether its preparing yourself for an exam, match, a competition or whatever daily routine it may be, keep in mind this slogan of 5p's they are



So plan ahead and do your best

—Navaneetha Jude

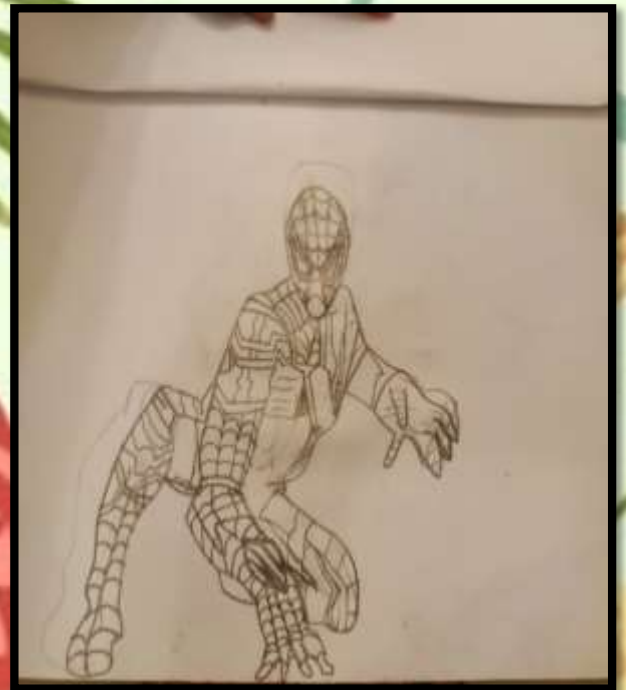


# **BUDDING ARTISTS OF SOK**

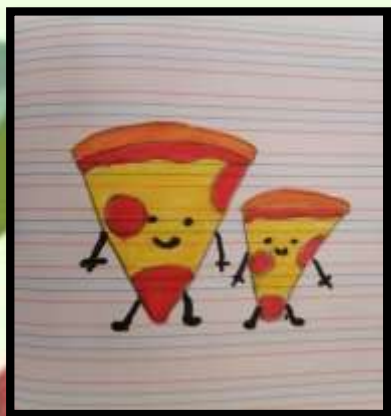
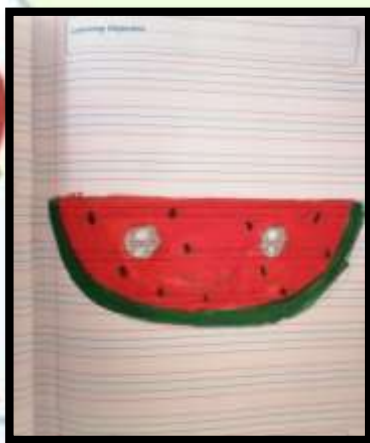


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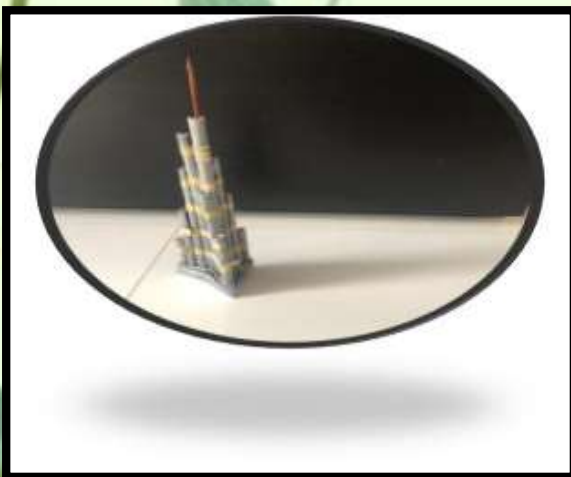
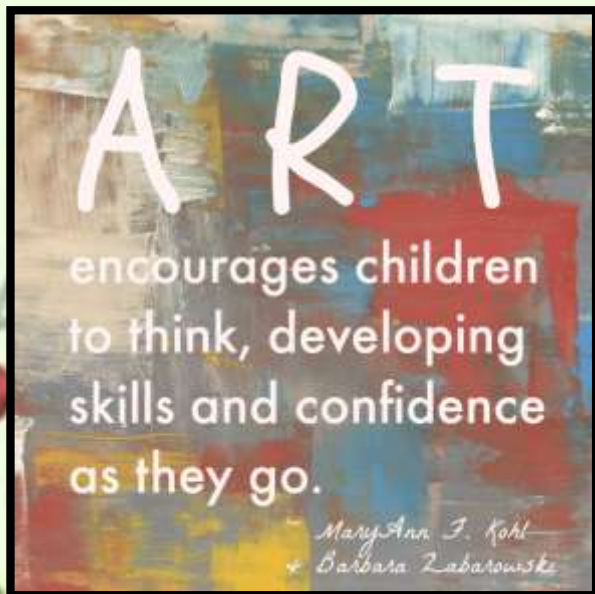


ROYCE RAVENDRAN – YEAR 3H





**EVELYN MARY – YEAR 3I**



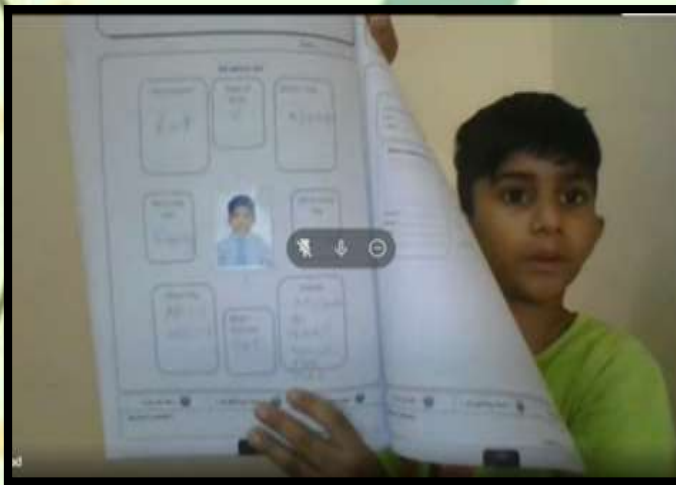
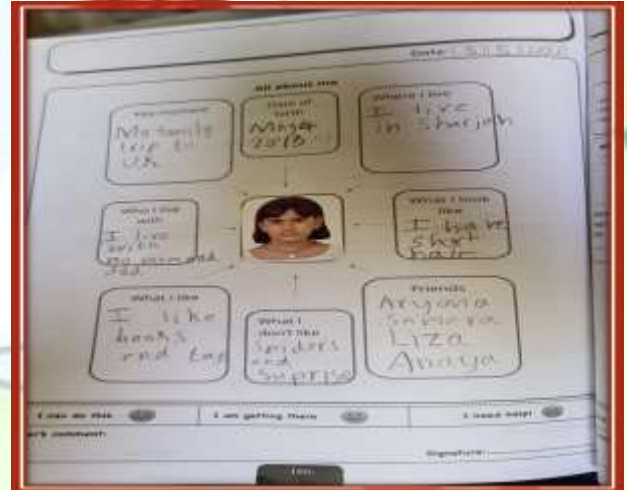
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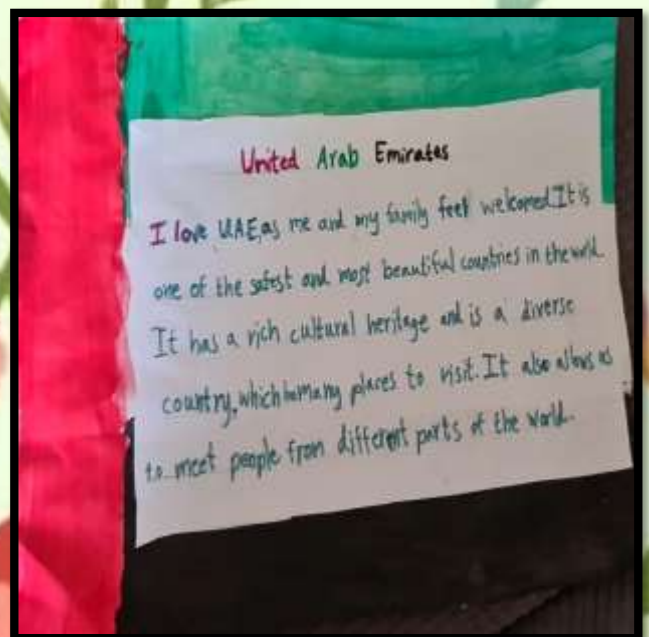
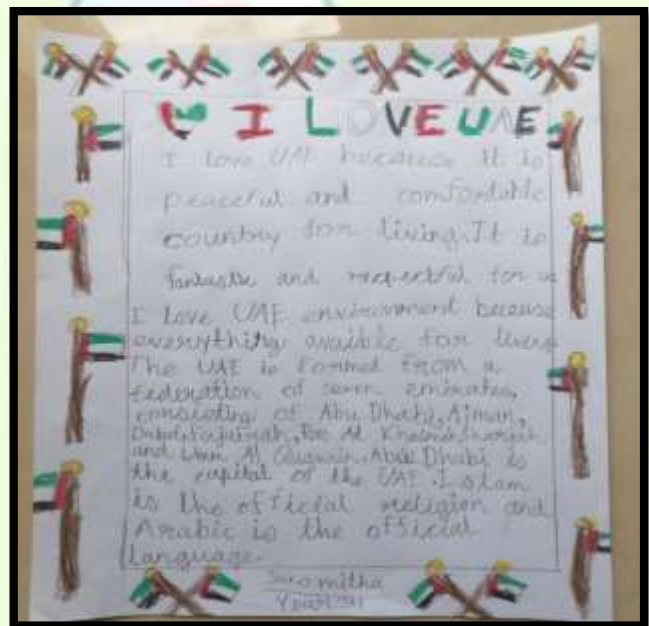
## Panorama of Term 3



**Tell me and I  
forget. Teach me  
and I remember  
Involve me and I  
learn.**







Always do your best!

## **Activities for Summer Vacations**

- 1. Engage in reading-Engage your kids in reading interesting stories and novels. Spending an hour every day helps to improve their reading skills, helps to gain knowledge, increase vocabulary, etc.**
- 2. Engage in art and craft-Help them to make new things and develop creative and innovative skills. Indulging students in these activities help to enrich their hidden talents.**
- 3. Help them to make new things and develop creative and innovative skills. Indulging students in these activities help to enrich their hidden talents.**
- 4. Writing a journal - It helps to improve their writing. This is an effective way to increase writing skills. Journaling involves writing about his/her experiences, feelings, thoughts, stress levels, etc. This way it can help to improve their self- reflection.**
- 5. Making pet rock - While going for outings, kids can choose a rock, not too big or small. They can wash it and let it dry. Kids can turn this rock into a pet by decorating with glitter, paint, googly eyes, foam, etc.**

## **Activities for Summer Vacations**

**6. Learn gardening-** Gardening is beneficial for students. It helps children come closer to nature. They can plant different types of herbs, shrubs, trees, etc. It also helps improve locomotive skills in them as they have to move from one place to another and need to carry gardening types of equipment etc.

**7. Play with science -**For example Mix baking soda and vinegar, compare rocks, etc. There are many interesting science activities you can do. Surf the net to get the list of activities and make this summer season an experimental one.

**8. Learn a skill-** Start learning a new skill that you always wished to learn by joining courses available online.

**9. Learn to cook-** Learning how to cook is very essential for them as it can be useful in the future. Listening to instructions will help them to improve listening skills and improve.

**Stay safe during summer vacation.**

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THANK  
YOU



**The Teachers at School of Knowledge  
would like to thank the parents for all  
their help and assistance.**