

The Alian Alliance

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Everyday classroom teaching is not what children will remember, but how you made a difference in their lives.

From the Principal's Desk

The second term is coming to a close with new hope and vigor especially for those who are preparing for their much awaited Board Examinations. The term was exclusively a journey towards new aura of sobriety and an inventive scope of scaling greater heights. The innumerous number of achievements accomplished by our girls and boys in Zonal, Cluster and in National levels depicts our incessant sense of spirit towards excellence in all segments. Now the teachers and students have once again fastened their belts and evoked up in their quest to prove their excellence in academics. Our inventiveness to serve you better in every field is continuing in tune with the latest trends in education and I earnestly invite your creative ideas which would definitely be impacted in terms of their merits.

Best wishes and good luck to all appearing for the board examinations. Elatedly I also extend my greetings to one and all and look forward to stronger alliance in the years to come.

Principal

Magnum opus - Outstanding achievements

Heartiest Congratulations to the athletes for adding another feather to the cap of the school by winning laurels in the Inter School Cluster Meet. One more milestone crossed when Suzana and Khaja Abdul Qavi participated in the CBSE National Athletic Meet held at PSSEMR School Devanagare, Karnataka in Nov 2018. Our students also showcased their talent and skill and bagged the third position both in the senior and junior category in the Zonal Debate Competition for the CBSE affiliated schools Riyadh chapter, held at International Indian School, on the 29 th of September, 2018. Congrats on your awesome win children!!!

Khaja Abdul Qavi
National Participation
& Cluster winner
400m-Gold
800m-Gold





Suzana
National Participation
& Cluster winner
100m Silver
200m Silver



Moh<mark>d.</mark>Yousaf Kamil zonal Shot put -Silver



Allen Reji zonal 200m- Bronze



Sharon Thomas zonal High Jump -Bronze



Reeba Bashir Shah zonal Junior : Long Jump-Gold



Nitha Haiman zonal 800m Gold,Relay Silver 400m Bronze



Gulshad Parveen zonal Long Jump-Gold Relay Silver



Manna zonal Relay Silver



Nihal zonal Relay Bronze



Sherif zonal Relay Bronze



Juval zonal Relay Bronze



Zoony Sahwa Zonal Debate Bronze



Shahama Zonal Debate Bronze

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ECE Sports —Get, Set, Go...

The idiom "All work and no play makes Jack a dull boy" holds true for all learners. A wide array of fun filled games were organized for the little ones and it was indeed a joy to watch the bubbly little ones participate in various events . The second graders performed a spectacular display of co-ordination through drill and the little ones of the Nursery enthralled the audience by presenting vibrant exercises, depicting through their formations the importance of physical fitness. The day was a fun filled fest of laughter, energy and delight. The event concluded with a fun race held for teachers.

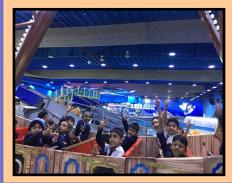






Oh what fun- picnic!

Joy was writ on each face as the little ones marched off to Riyadh gallery for their annual picnic. The slight drizzle did not dampen the ebullient spirits of the tiny tots as they played and enjoyed to their hearts content. The children devoured sumptuous MacDonald burgers with glee. It was indeed a break from the monotony of classrooms and the children returned rejuvenated and refreshed, ready to tackle their lessons.







Saudi National Day

The 88th National day of the Kingdom was celebrated with gusto in the school on the 23 of September 2018. Excitement was palpable as the students in both the Boys' and Girls' Wing delightfully reminisced the illustrious history, culture and heritage of the host country. The celebration gained impetus as teachers from the host country presented folklores and distributed traditional sweets, setting a festive ambience to the historic occasion. The mellow melodies in Arabic by our students astounded and mesmerized the audience.











Cancer Awareness Seminar

Dr. Treesa Johnson, the school Counsellor presented 'Cancer Awareness Seminar' in the month of October for the purpose of creating awareness of cancer among students so that they may contribute to fight against the fatal disease.





Fancy Dress A sight to behold









<u>In fond remembrance - Bapu</u>

Gandhi Jayanthi was celebrated on 2nd October, 2018, the birthday of the great leader who echoed the thought my life is my message. A special assembly marked the occasion in both the Boys and Girls Wing. To uphold the value of non violence, students performed skits echoing the need for peace and harmony. Speeches gave a brief insight on the various facets of Gandhiji's life. The essence of Gandhi Jayanti celebration was reflected when the students and teachers gathered together to clean the school campus promoting the Swach Al Alia drive!!!











Artists at work Creative & Curious minds











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It's Sportzzz time...

If you do your best, no matter what the score is, you win. With this maxim the Annual Sports was conducted on the 27th and 28th November, 2018 in both the Boys' and the Girls' Wing with mirth, verve and camaraderie. Under the umbrella of this much awaited spectacle, a plethora of track and

field events were held for the students. The impressive March Past of the students was a magnificent display of discipline, coordination and impeccable synchronization of all the four houses. The collective heart



beats of the athletes and the cheer cries of hundreds of students reverberated in the ground as the athletes sprinted and zoomed, each desperate to reach the finishing line and to add more points to the tally of

add more points to the tally of their houses. Amidst great cheer and merriment Ruby House lifted the coveted championship trophy in the Girls Wing and Topaz House in the Boys Wing.







Exuberant Team Spirit - Inter House Competitions

Competitions teach students the value of teamwork and how to be gracious in both victory and defeat and this competitive spirit was brought to the fore in the week long inter house competitions conducted in November. The mellifluous voice of the singers resonated through the auditorium while the dancers enchanted the audience with their lithe and graceful movements. The well drawn characters and engaging dialogues in one act plays were a true testimony to the brilliant

acting talents of the Alians and did justice to the quote that the

stage is not merely the meeting place of all the arts, but is also the return of art to life.















SPECIAL ASSEMBLIES

The morning sets the day and the assembly paves the way for our students to rejuvenate their spirits, remain rooted to the moral values and unleash their vitality. *Morning assembly* is the most serene feature and integral part of the school.

Special Assemblies were conducted in school to deliver strong messages like Say No to Tobacco and Need to Empower Women. Skits and mimes were presented on these topics to foster a sense of awareness among the students.











Industrial Visit to Almarai

As a part of their curriculum , the Commerce batch marched off for a pleasant study tour to Almarai one of the largest integrated Dairy food Company in the Kingdom on the 27th November , 2018. It was an enriching experience both for the students and teachers .





A tribute to Chachaji

Children are like buds in a garden and should be carefully and lovingly nurtured as they are the future of the nation and the citizens of tomorrow. Children's day was purely a day of great merry making, a day of fun and gaiety at AAIIS. A special assembly by the teachers marked the beginning of the celebrations were students paid their respects to India's first Premier Pt. Jawaharlal Nehru. Teachers sang songs and danced to the tunes of



the latest bollywood numbers, much to the delight of the children. The day concluded with class get togethers.









FUN ALL THE WAY

The mild November sun and the cool soothing breeze was the perfect weather for the Annual Picnic. It brought the children out from the confines of the classroom and their refreshing and broad smiles depicted enthusiasm and excitement. This time the destination was to Al Sahel Park, Thumama, known for its lush green and well kept surroundings. It was sheer fun and children enjoyed themselves immensely.





Scaling greater heights...





Individual Champions, Annual Sports 2018



| Category | Name of the Student (Boys) | Name of the Student (Girls) |
|----------|-------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| III | Abdullah Mohd.Adhil | Jewel Susan |
| IV-V | Mohd. Fatin | Fathima Hilma |
| VI-VII | Mohd. Arsel | Fajar Al Nisha |
| VII-IX | Adhil Hussain | Reeba Bashir Shah |
| X-XII | Khaja Abdul Qavi | Suzana |

Our Blooming Buds

Our Kindergarteners engaged in a myriad of activities !!!!!



The journey of a thousand miles begins with a single step....











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