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## ALHODA AZHAR SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

في ظل حرص مدارس الهدى الأز هرية لغات على تشجيع أبنائها الطلاب المتفوقين في كافة المجالات ، واحتفالًا بابنائها من حملة كتاب الله ( أهل الله وخاصته ) ، وكأول دعوة لاحتفالية بمسرح المدرسة لأولياء الأمور الكرام ، قامت المدرسة بتكريم الطلاب الفائزين في المسابقة السنوية للقرآن الكريم للعام الدراسي 2018 – 2019 .

وقد شهد الحفل المشرف العام على المدارس والسادة رؤساء الأقسام التعليمية والإدارية ، وقام المستشار الديني للمدارس بإلقاء كلمة شكر لكل من شارك في المسابقة من مشايخ ومحفظات ومعلمين وأولياء الأمور .

واختُتِم الحفل بتكريم أبنائنا الطلاب من حملة كتاب الله راجين من الله عز وجل أن ينفعنا وإياهم بما علَّمهم وأن نكون وإياهم من العاملين بكتابه .



#### **Sports Week at School**

The school sporting calendar reached its climax in March. This year, the sports week was packed with enthusiasm and energy as students from all primary stages participated in a range of activities. Gymnastics, football, volleyball and zomba turned the playground into a beehive of movement and sound. The school rumbled with the cheers and chants of students who gathered to encourage their class teams.

Not only did the sports week add a tinge of joy and vivacity; skills of team work and co-operation were in evidence everywhere.



#### **BE Yourself**

That was the theme of the sports week which in turn, served the term theme. Students played, learned and had a lot of fun on that day. There were many activities ranging from mathematical games and science experiments to Qur'an riddles and puzzles. Almost most of the topics taught during the year were covered with outdoor games.



As learning English is more than just exams and grades, we are trying to support our students with more confidence to communicate and access a lifetime of enriching experiences and opportunities.

Last year, we began Cambridge English Assessment Course for the young learners, and they achieved high scores and were awarded their end of course certificate in a great

ceremony.

This year, we are completing the journey with our motivated students in an attempt to



develop their everyday written and spoken English.

# Edutainment

### A combination of education and entertainment is an art!

#### **Fractions Pizza Day**

It was an outdoor activity to demonstrate the fractions lesson through fun activities.

Students baked their favorite pizza in the school kitchen, then they divided it into halves and quarters. They had so much fun when they related their math lessons to their own daily lives.





#### **Young Engineers – Future Designers**

In an attempt to urge students to apply the mathematical concepts that they studied, the math department launched a challenging project for primary 5 and 6. Students designed different maquettes for their future houses, malls, mosques, .....etc. The maquettes were prepared according to specific measurements to calculate areas and perimeters. Projects were displayed in the school lobby and teachers were invited to vote according to a well-prepared rubric.

Certificates and rosettes were given out in the morning broadcast amid the cheers of teachers and students. The math department decided to end this event by an ice-cream party just to chill the students.

#### Plays, Songs and Sports Mark the End of Reading Campaign

In a joyful atmosphere, Al Hoda Azhar School celebrated the end of the first round of its reading campaign.

This year's celebration was different as it took place during the assembly which was held over four consecutive mornings. Students from primary 5 and 6 took the school court by storm as they showcased their plays, songs and sports amid the cheers and chants of students and staff. Younger students participated by having a range of activities and competitions related to reading.



Curtains closed on round one and the bell rang, announcing the beginning of second round of the reading campaign. **Get Ready... Get Set...Go.** 



**Field trips** are extremely beneficial. Not only do they make education a lot more enjoyable and fun, but they also reinforce the material taught in different subjects.





## الصالون الثقافي لطالبات الهدى

المناظرات الحوارية ... تجربة رائدة لطالبات المرحلتين الإعدادية والثانوية في حصص العلوم الشرعية وذلك للتدريب على المحاورة بالحجة والدليل ومهارات البحث والعرض والاستماع والإقناع حول قضايا واقعية يتحقق خلالها حرية الفكر واحترام الآخر في إطار حرص المدرسة على تنمية مهارات الطالبات يدير الحوار فضيلة الشيخ/ محمد الدومي – المستشار الديني للمدارس



#### تهنئة



لتشجيع القراءة لدى الطلاب في العالم العربي و يُعقّد سنويا في دبي.

## العيد القومي المئوي لمحافظة الجيزة ... إذاعة و معرض

فى إطار تحقيق رؤية المدرسة و رسالتها فى الحفاظ على الهوية و الانتماء قدمت طالبات المرحلة الإعدادية إذاعة بهذه المناسبة و دعمتها بمعرض تناولت فيهما ملامح ثقافية و أحداث تاريخية للمحافظة و ذلك تحت إشراف قسم الدراسات الاجتماعية



## Let's be more creative

### **Our interactive Lessons**



### **Teacher-Led Development Work programme (TLDW)**

It has been our greatest pleasure to be among the very first schools to join the Teacher-Led Development Work programme (TLDW) since it started in Egypt in 2014. The programme, that is led by the HerstCam Network in the UK, is currently led by its affiliated network in Egypt, the CairoCam Network.

As a school, we believe in the capabilities of our teachers to lead change, which makes us big believers in this programme. Through TLDW our teachers are empowered to initiate and lead development projects to enhance teaching and learning. Since 2014, projects that were led by our teachers had an extensive impact on the development of our school.

This year in particular we had the HertsCam managing group visit our school and attend with us the fourth conference for TLDW that was held Hilton Dreamland. They commented on the passion and enthusiasm our teachers have towards the welfare of their students.



Through the bi-annual conferences, teachers participating in the TLDW

programme meet with teachers in other schools to exchange knowledge and expertise. Our teachers have led a variety of workshops were they shared stories of their development work.

We are very proud of what our teachers have achieved so far and what they will achieve.

As a completion of the drama club program, Prep students have **filmed** a video about their school showing their appreciation and love for Alhoda Azhar School. They were honoured at the end of the term for their high performance and their commitment.

