

# Welcome TO NEW SCHOOL YEAR.

Salam and marhaba to  
our newsletter- Term 1



بِسْمِ اللَّهِ الرَّحْمَنِ الرَّحِيمِ

Assalamu Alaikum wa Rahmatullahi wa Barakatuh, dear parents, guardians, students, and staff,

As we come to the end of our first term, I sincerely thank you for your time, effort, and support over the past few months. Alhamdulillah, it has been a privilege to watch our students grow not only academically, but also socially and personally. This term reminded us of how special our school community truly is.

One of the highlights of this term has been seeing the photos and moments shared in our newsletters. Watching students participate in activities, work together, create, and enjoy their time at school has been incredibly heartwarming. These moments reflect the joy, curiosity, and sense of belonging we want every child to feel. We hope these glimpses into school life brought a smile to your face, just as they did to ours.

Like any term, there were challenges along the way, but there was also so much to celebrate. Our students showed effort, resilience, and kindness, and those qualities matter just as much as academic success. Every small step forward is meaningful, and we are grateful to Allah for allowing us to be part of our students' journey.

To our students: We are so proud of you. Whether you tried something new, made a new friend, worked through something difficult, or showed kindness to someone else, those moments count. Keep doing your best and know that your efforts are seen and appreciated.

To our teachers and staff: This term would not have been possible without you. The care, patience, and consistency you bring each day make a real difference in our students' lives. You do far more than teach; you guide, support, and nurture. This work is an Amanah, and we are truly grateful for the sincerity and heart you bring to it. May Allah reward you for every effort.

To our parents and families: Thank you for trusting us with your children and for working alongside us throughout the term. Your communication, involvement, and support play a huge role in your children's success, and we value our partnership with you deeply.

As we look ahead to the next term, we do so with intention and hope. Allah reminds us in the Qur'an:

وَقُلْ أَعْمَلُوا فَسَيَرَى اللَّهُ عَمَلَكُمْ وَرَبُّكُمْ وَالْمُؤْمِنُونَ  
“And say, ‘Do [as you will], for Allah will see your deeds, and [so will] His Messenger and the believers.’” (Qur'an 9:105)

With this reminder, we ask for your continued support in helping students come to school on time, ready to learn, and respectful of one another. Together, we can continue to build a positive, caring environment rooted in our shared values, Insha'Allah.

As the break begins, I encourage everyone to rest and enjoy time with family. May Allah place Barakah in our homes, grant us peace and renewal, and allow us to return refreshed and ready for the term ahead.

We look forward to welcoming everyone back soon.

Wishing you a restful and blessed break.

Warm regards,  
Iheb Trabelsi Bouraoui  
Principal  
Iqra Islamic School

## Lessons From the Qur'an and Hadith

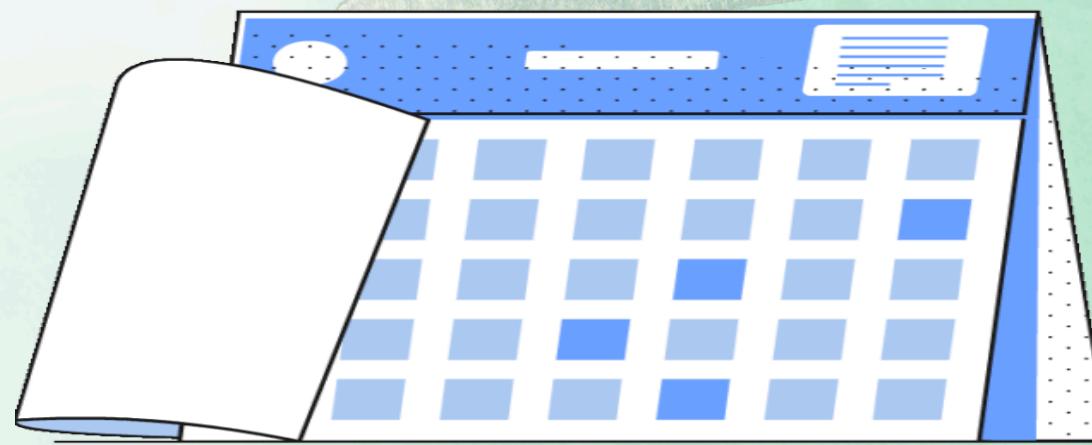
Man will not get anything unless he works hard (Surah al-Najm, 53:39).



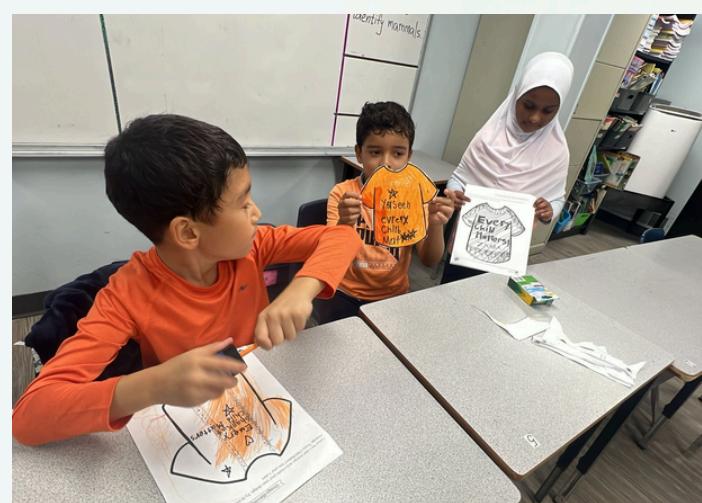
There is no doubt about the fact that man cannot make any progress without effort and hard work. For example, one who studies wholeheartedly becomes a scholar. Similarly, a farmer who ploughs the farm, sows seeds in it and waters them, is soon rewarded with crops. On the other hand, whoever is lazy and does not do any work is faced with woes and worries. Indolence and irresponsibility result in poverty and grief, and Islam dislikes these things very much. Islam regards hard work as a duty.

The Holy Prophet ﷺ always insisted upon working hard. He ﷺ is reported to have said: “One who works is the friend of Allah, and one who does not work is considered by Allah to be His enemy”. He ﷺ has said: “Allah does not love those who sleep too much, and do not work”.

# Glimpses of the Month



Orange T Shirt Day



## Islamic heritage month activities



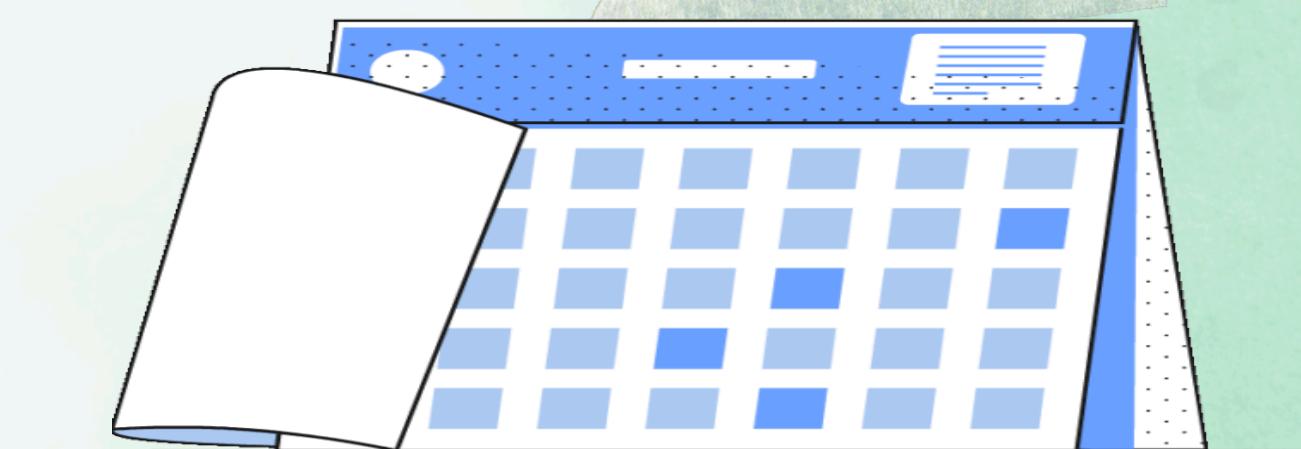
## Grade 2s making an inuksuk outdoors



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Strawberry picking at school



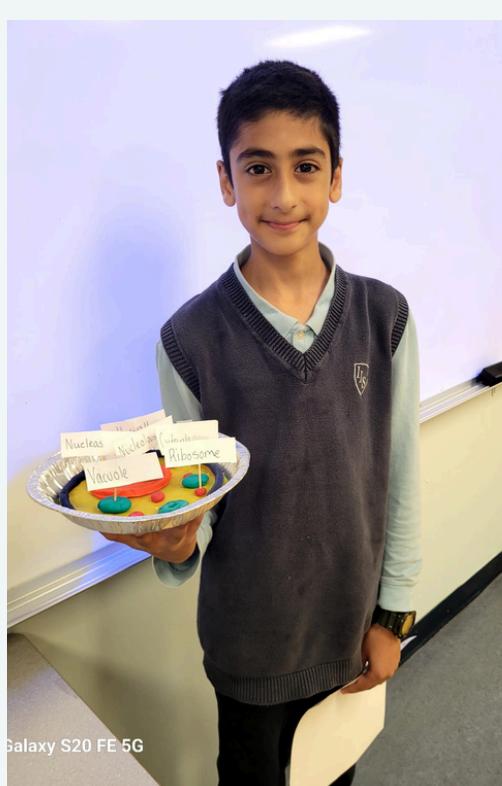
Grade 2-3 working on making a bird habitat using natural resources



Grade 2-2 learning how bird's make their nests!

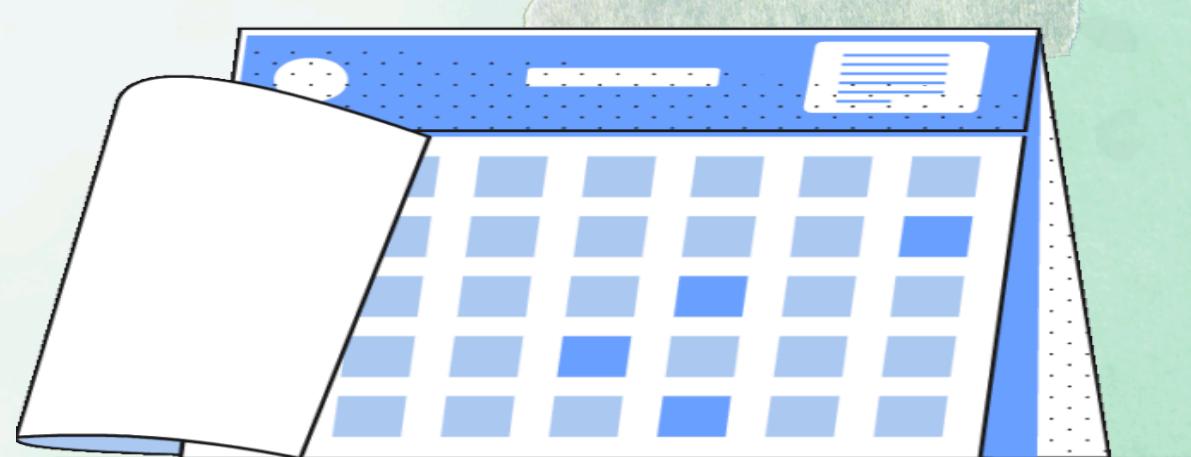


Edible and non edible cells made by the grade 6-3.



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## Fun with Sr.Irma!



G3-2 Activity - Think before speaking, it's really hard to fix a wrinkle heart!



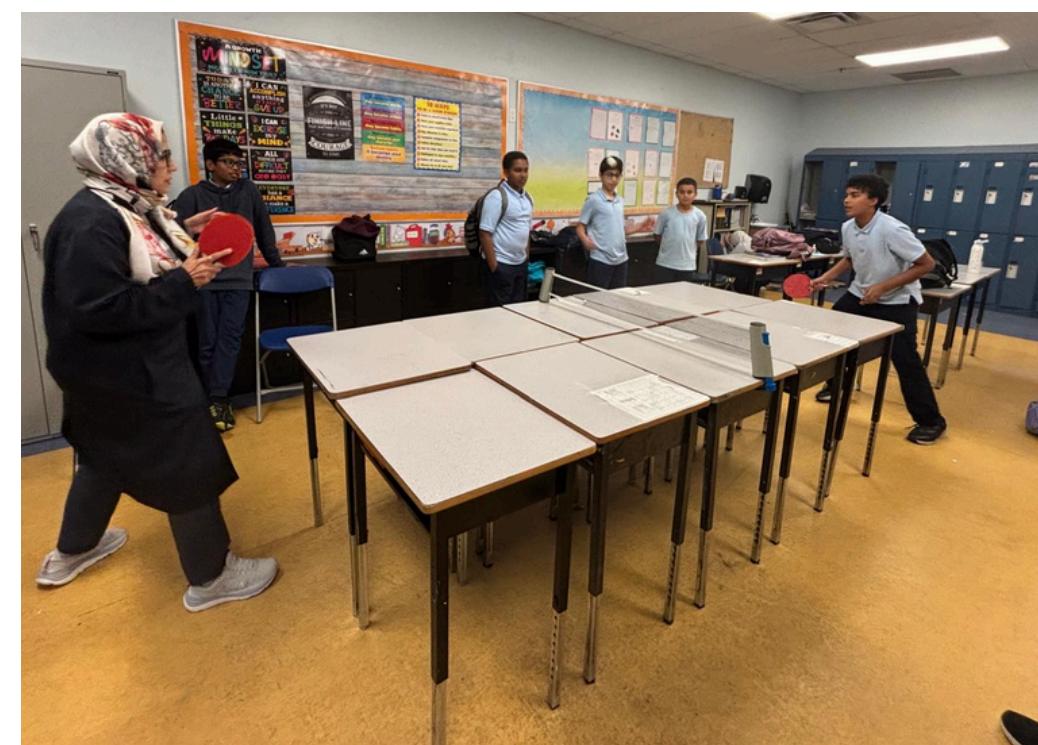
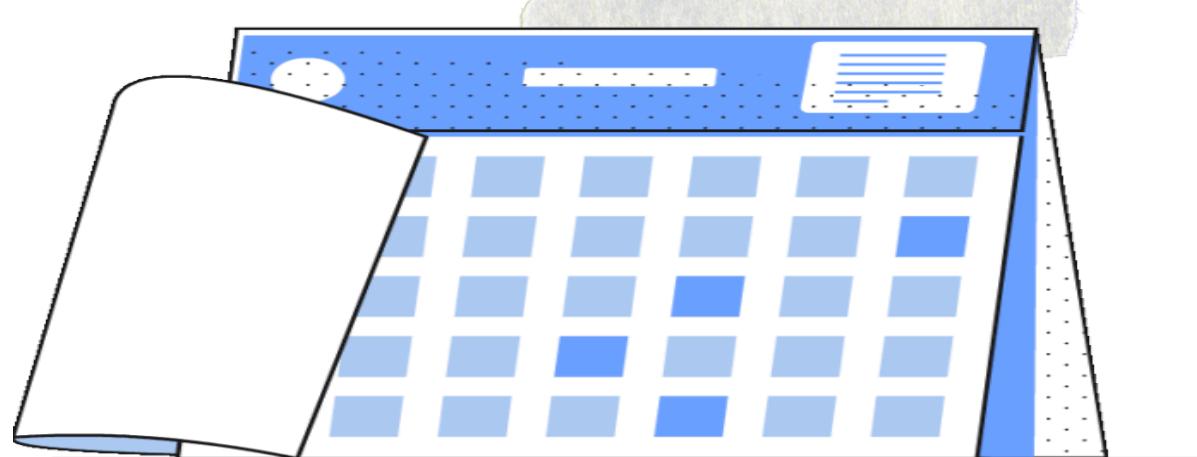
## Grade 2-3 worked on making frogs using play doh



## Gr.2-2 Art inspired by Ted Harrison



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**Grade 5-1 vs 5-2 Girls IQRA Champions League Tournament**

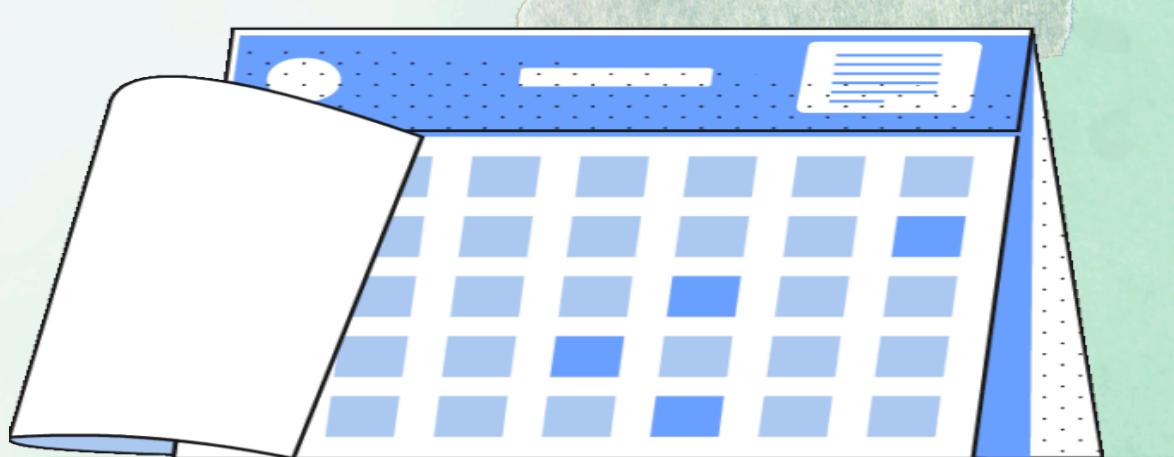


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## Grades 5-7, Iqra soccer league awards



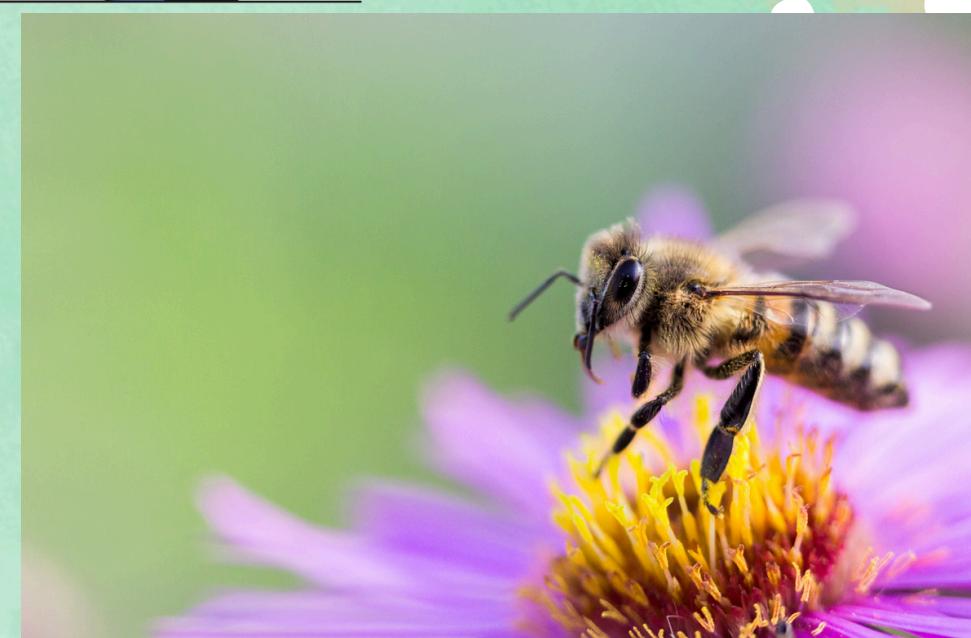
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## FIELD TRIPS

Grade 2

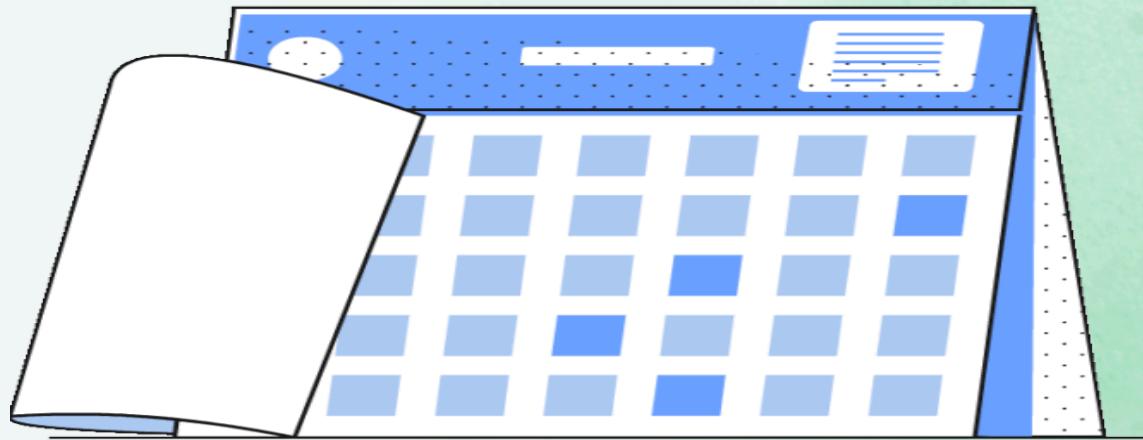
### Honeybee Centre, Surrey



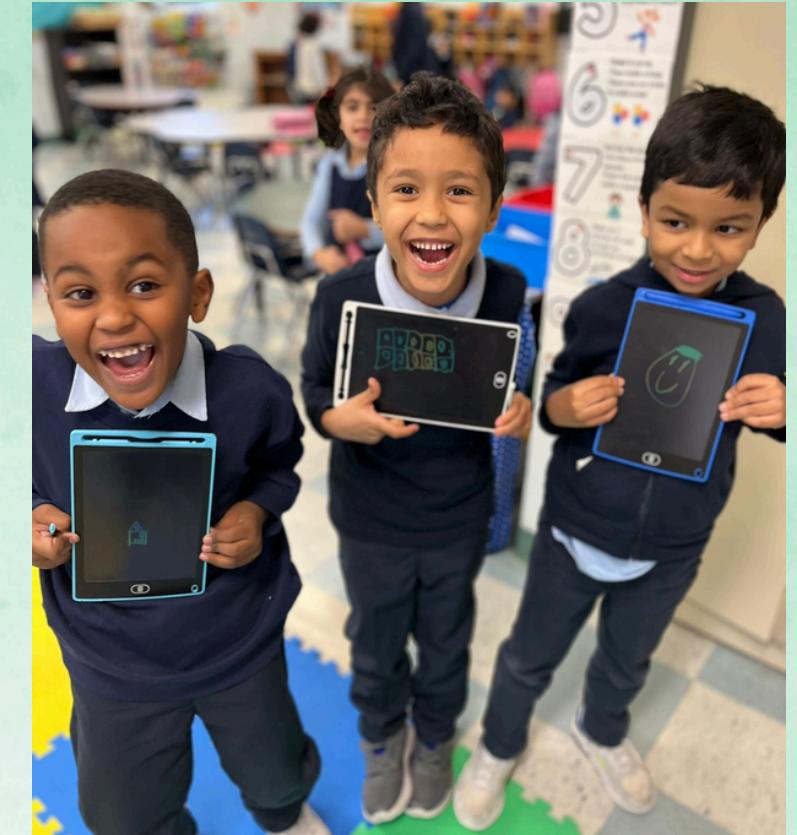
Our young learners discovered and learned so many things at the honeybee center and had so many memories and souvenirs to cherish. They learned about the fascinating lifestyles of a honeybee, how honey is created, and so much more! That day provided wonderful and important hands-on-experiences for the students, which will help them later in life.



# Glimpses of the Month



**Apple Week 🍎 KG-1 we tasted 3 different apples, made a graph of the results and created an Apple diagram. Doodle Boards are a hit too!**



Grade 6-2: Reading Time with Hot Chocolate 📖☕



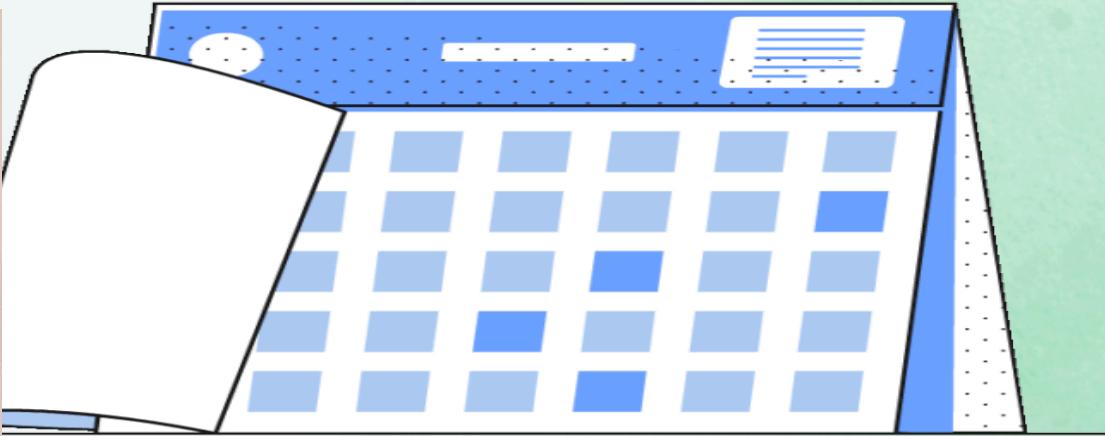
**Grade 6 presenting their STEM Islamic heritage projects to Grade 7 students.**



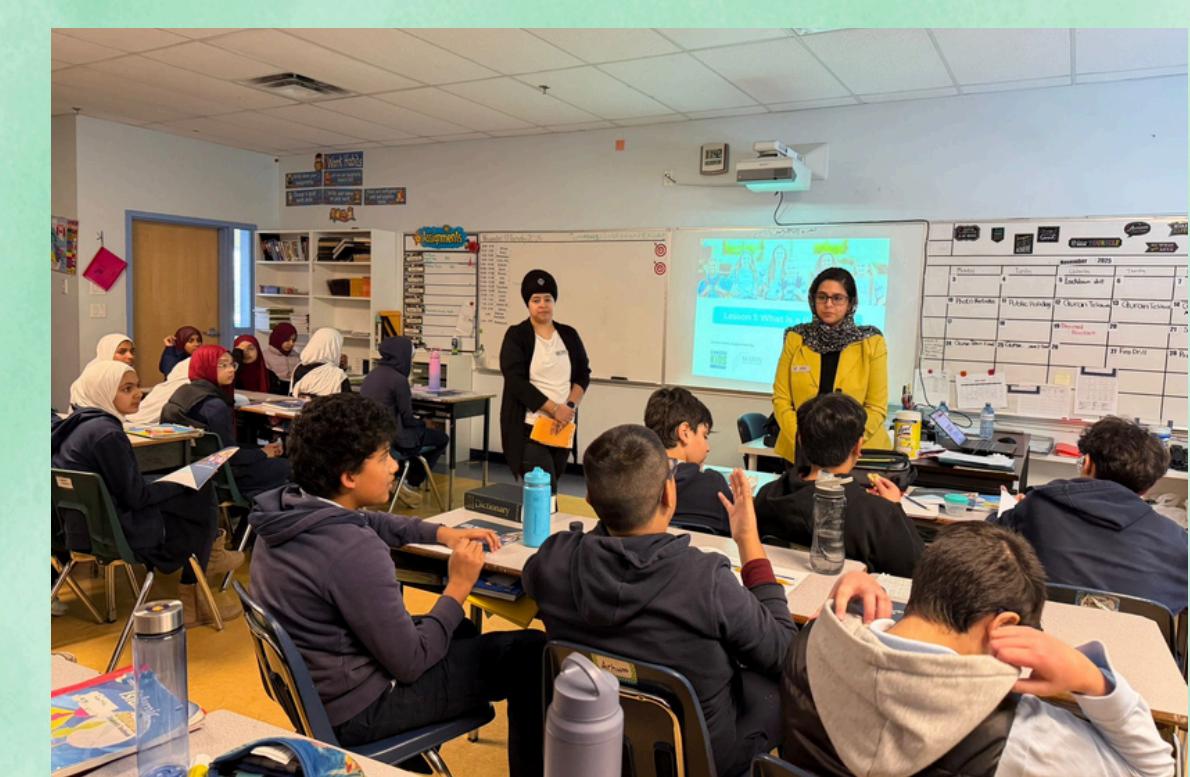
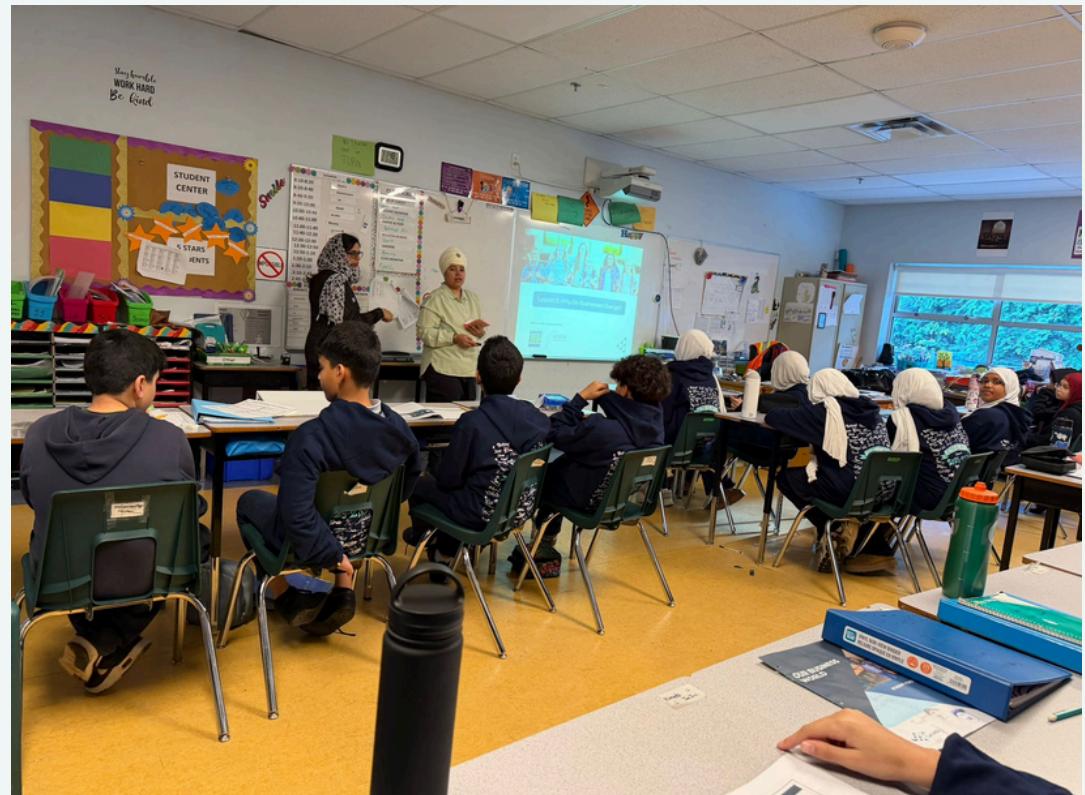
**G3-2 Indigenous art**



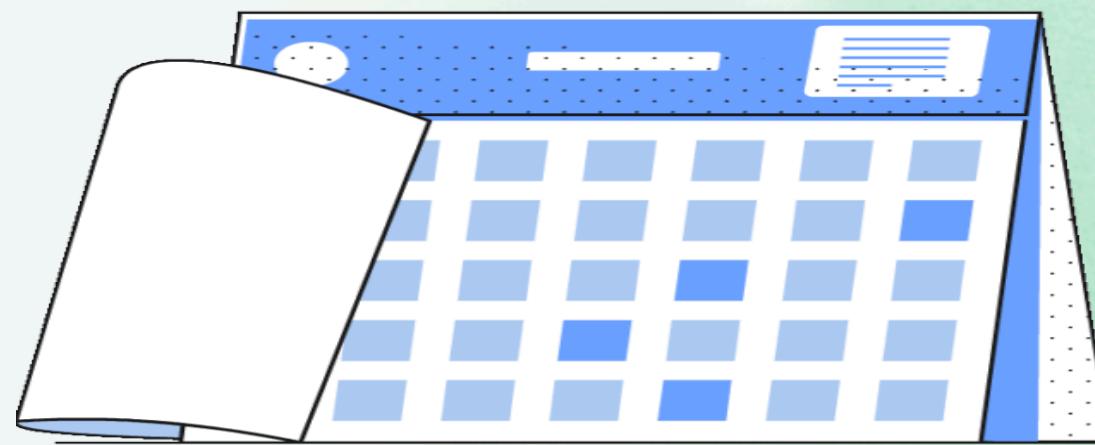
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**Grades 6 and 7 C.E Business workshops with JABC**



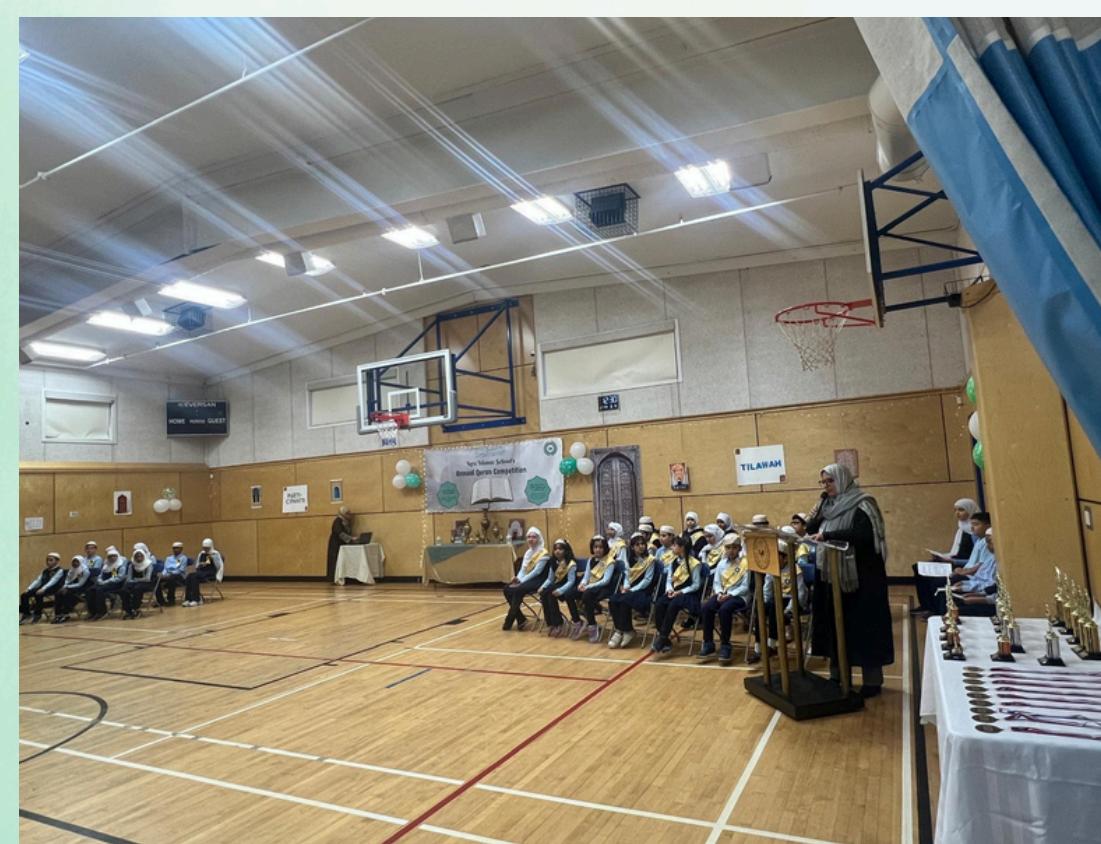
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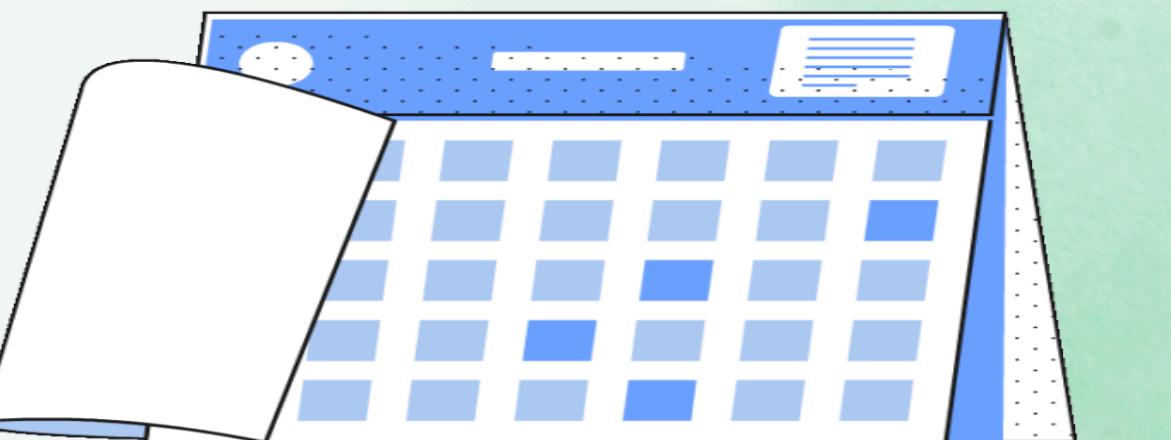
## Grade 6-3: Last session of “Our Business World Workshop” with JABC and certification



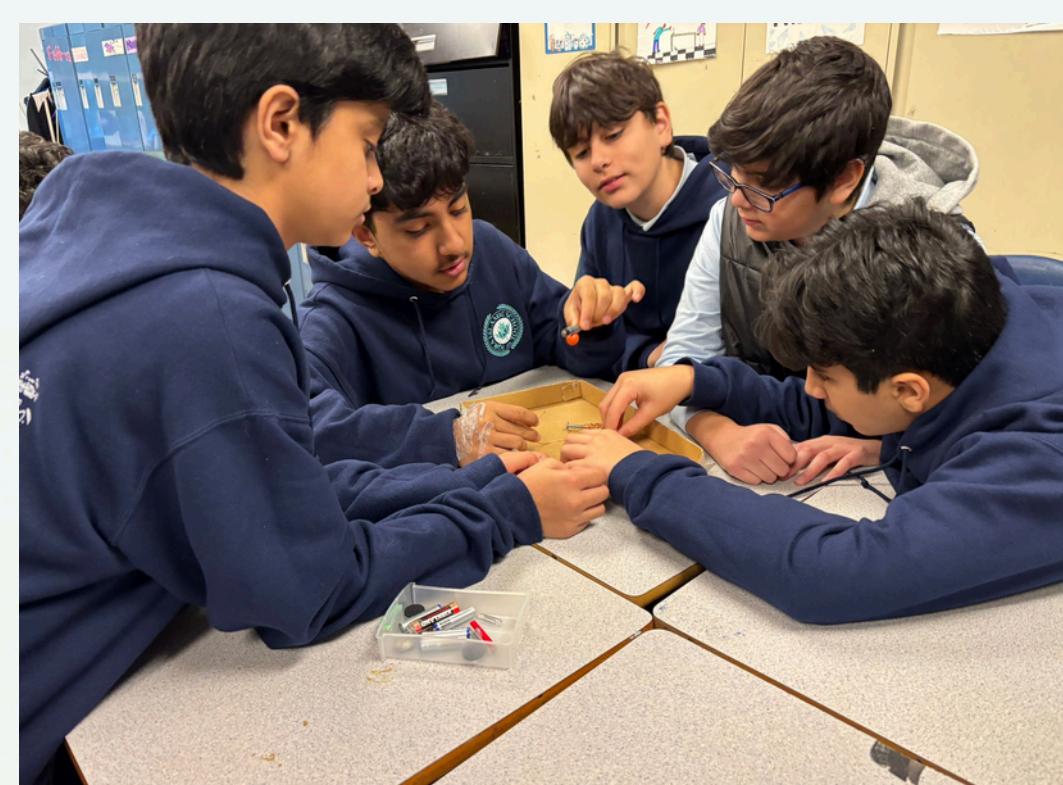
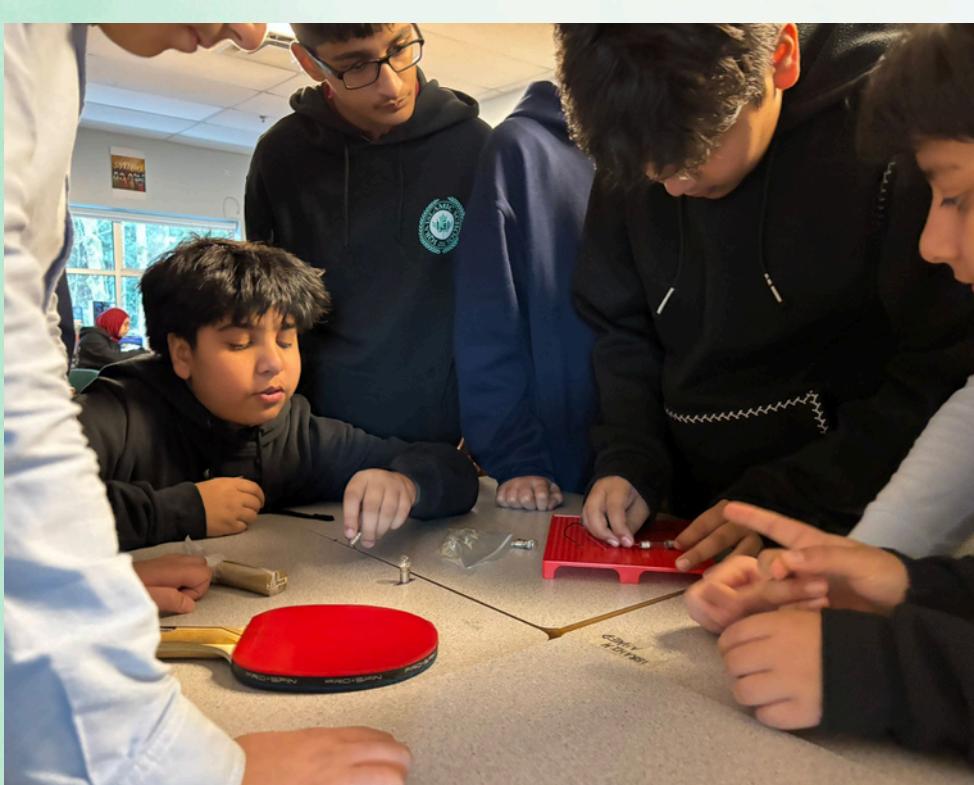
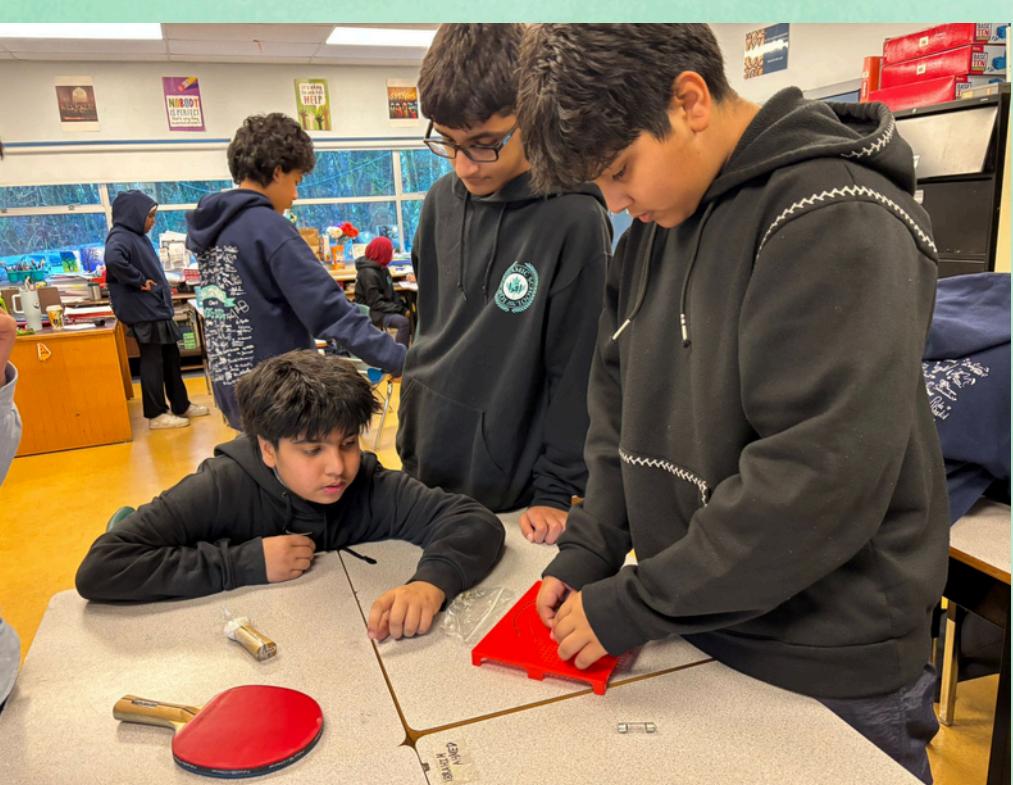
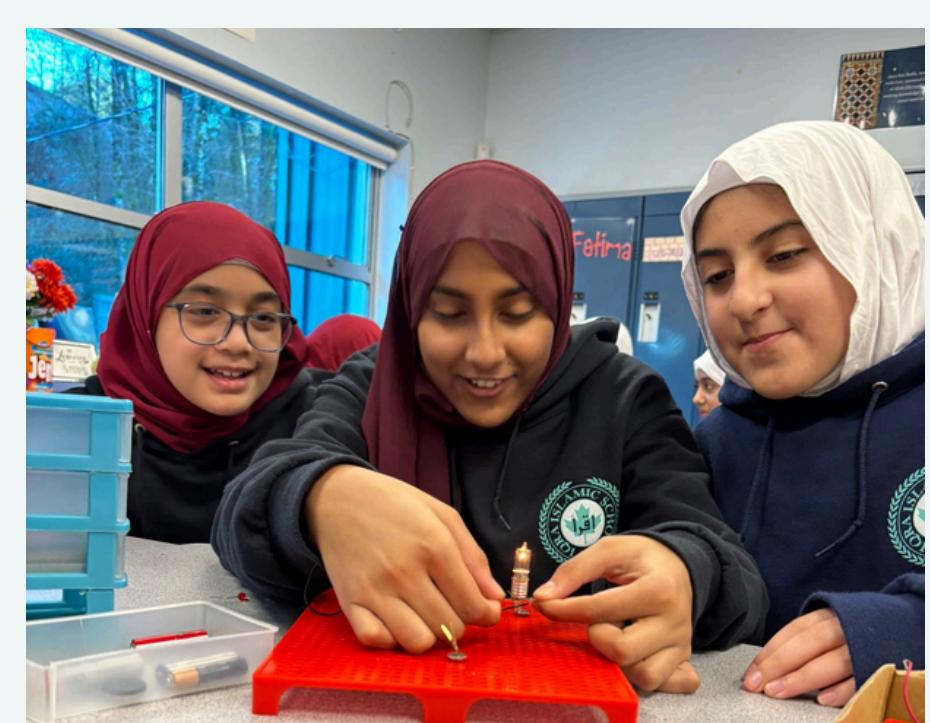
## QUR'AN TILAWAH COMPETITION WINNERS



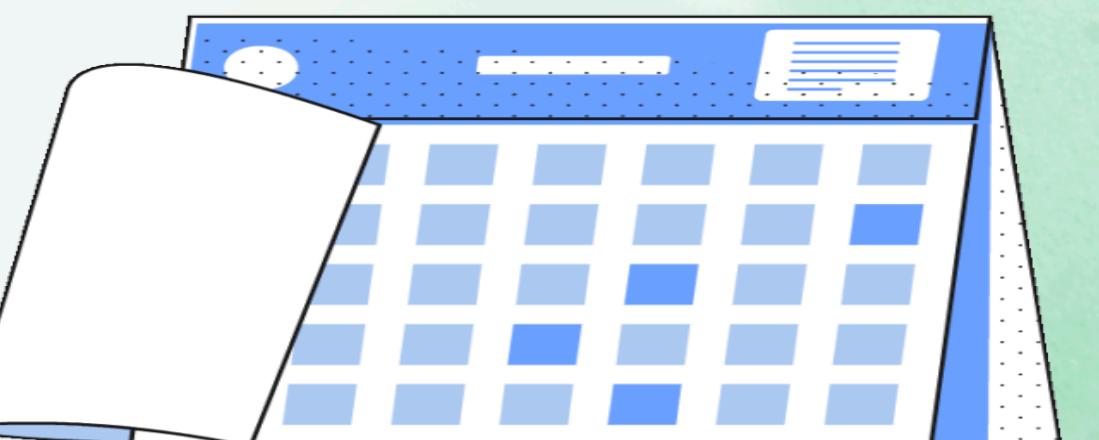
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**7-3 Lab activity**



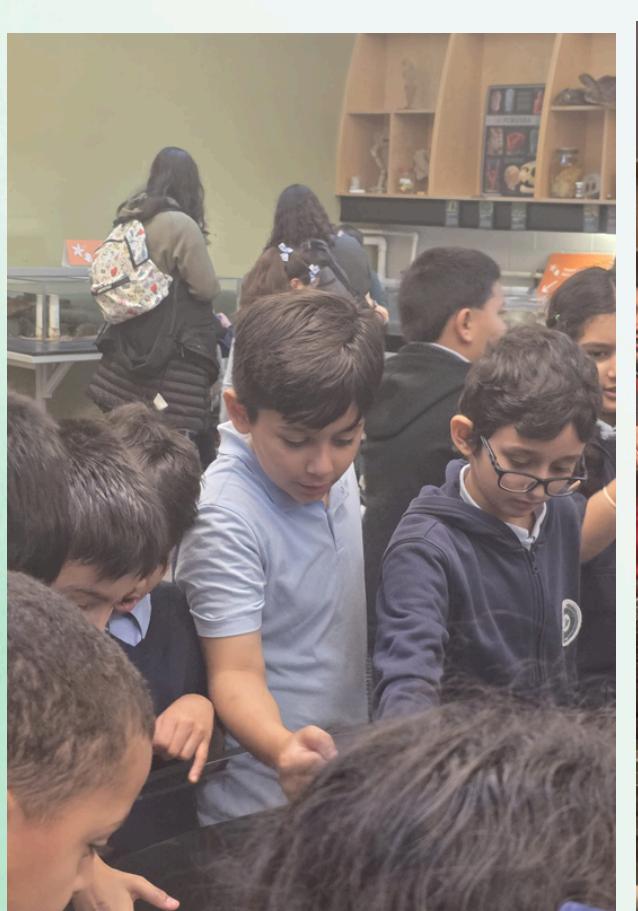
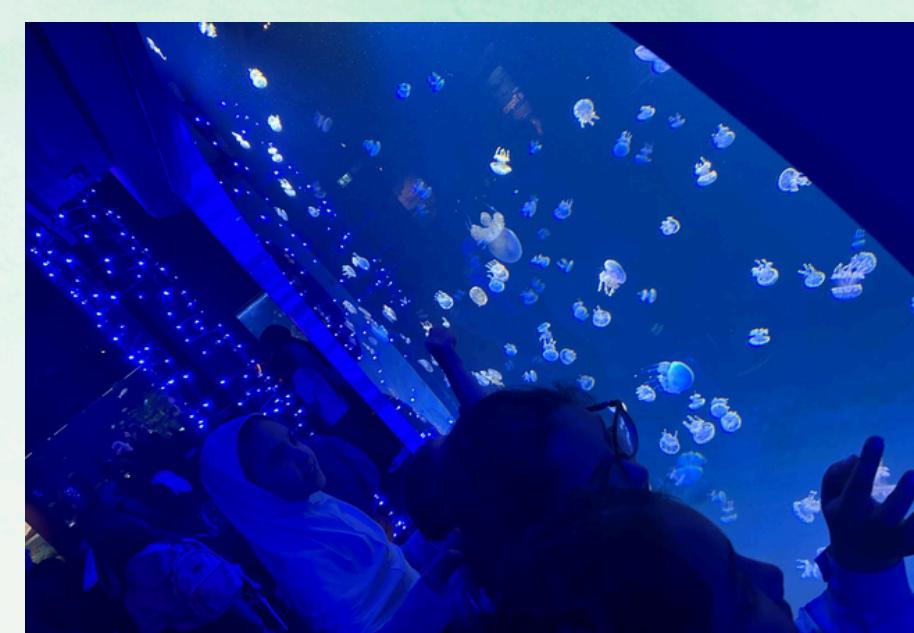
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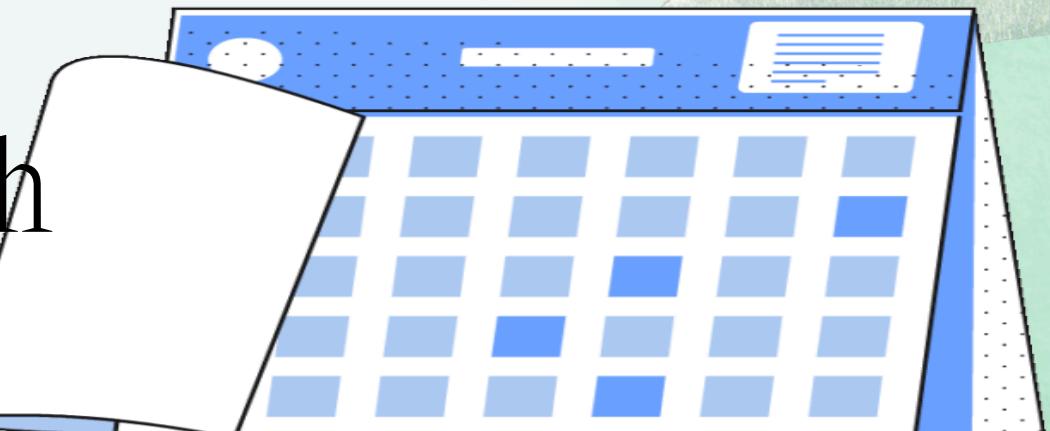
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Grade 3

Vancouver Aquarium



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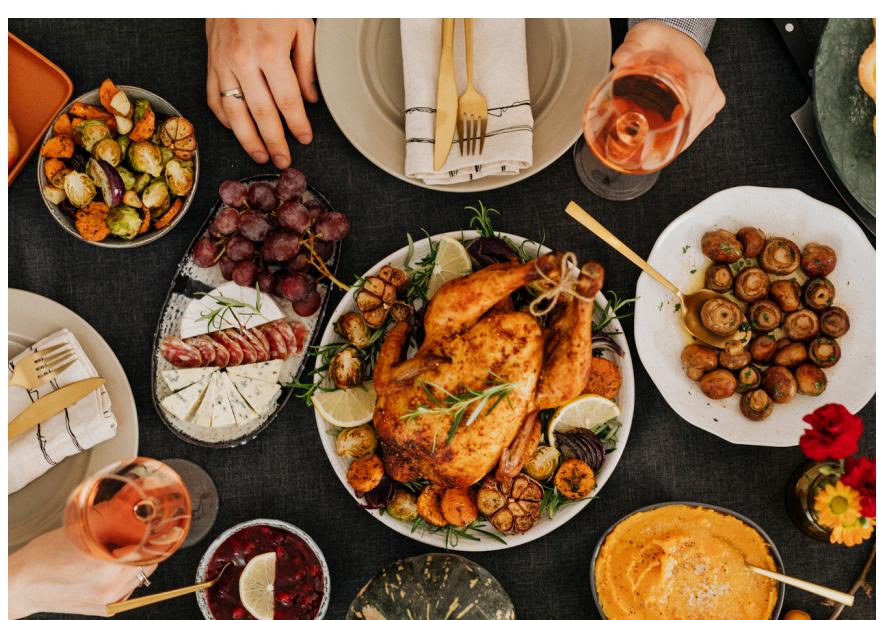


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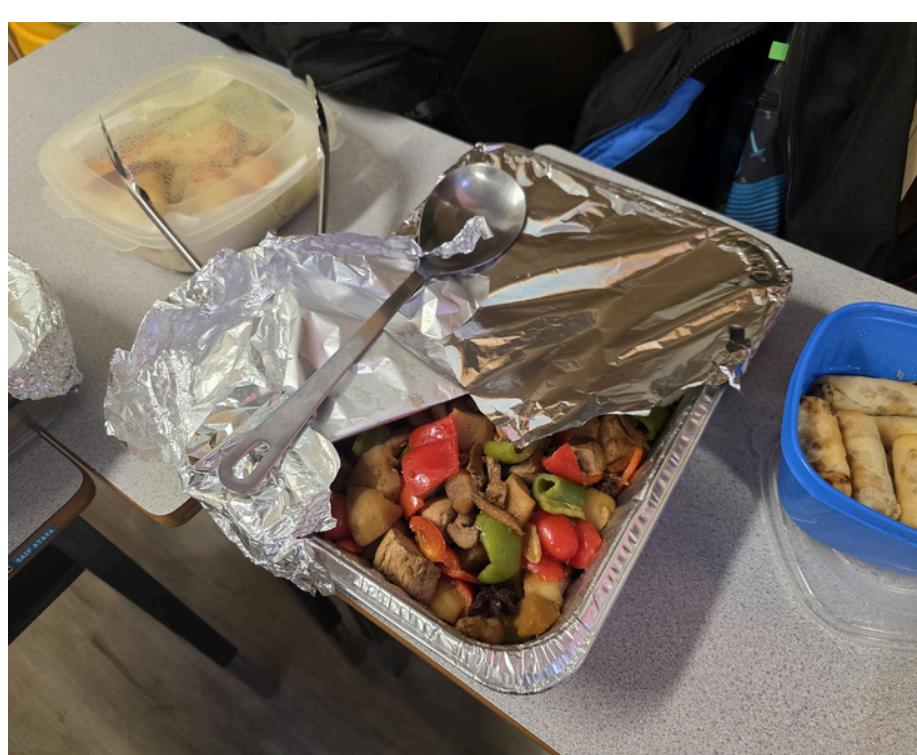
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**Grade 3-1 and 3-3 end-of-term celebration: "International Dish Party"**



# FUN FACTS

- Did you know there are nearly 2,000 thunderstorms on Earth every minute?
- Owls can't move their eyeballs! Instead, they move their neck to look around.
- A coyote can hear a mouse moving almost a foot under the snow!!

DID YOU KNOW?

## Hasanat Shout Outs

Your kindness makes our school a better place every day!



Rakan Ramadan



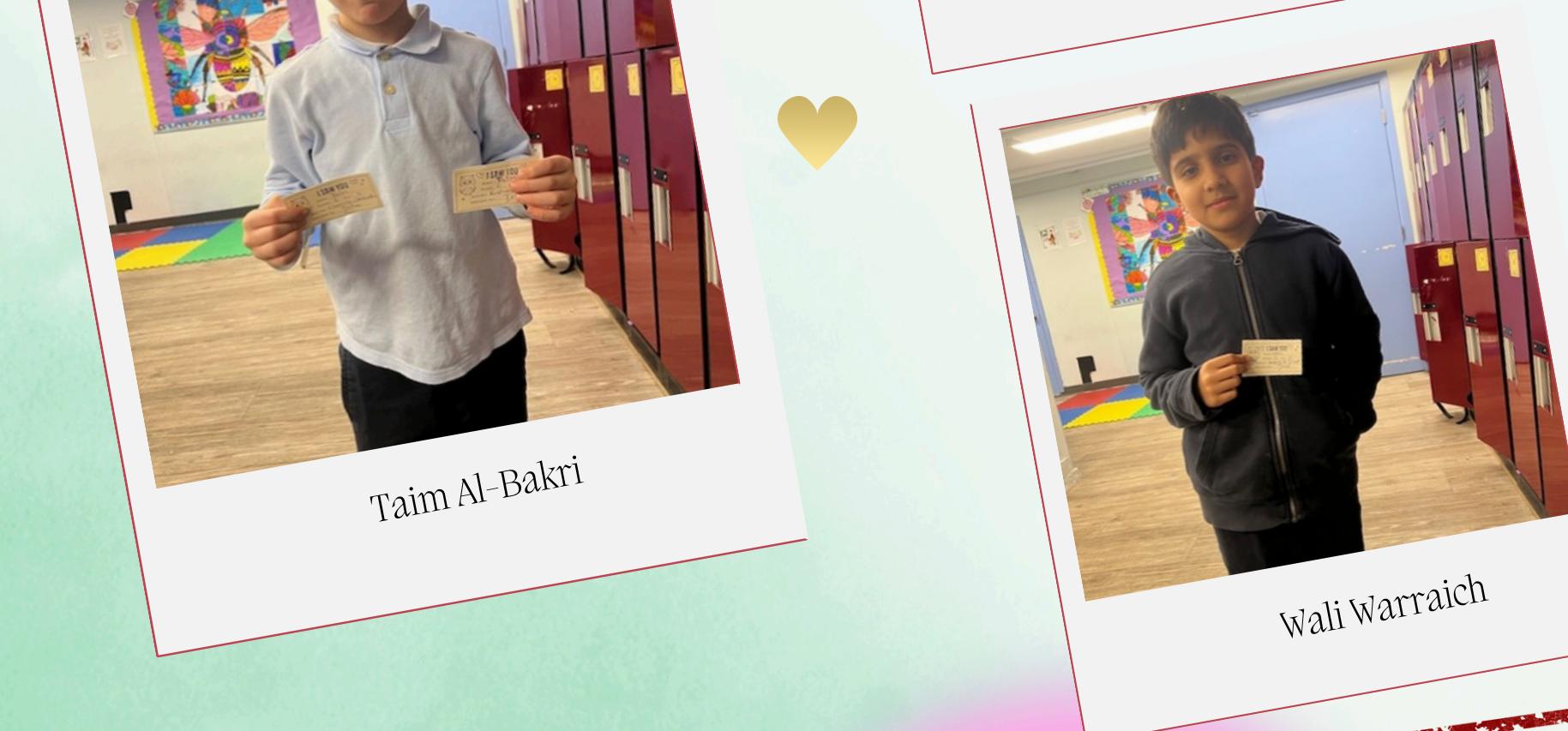
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Wali Warraich



Omar Alabar



Kareem



Asma Riyaz

Tahajud

Fajr

Dhuhr

Asr

Maghrib

Isha

REMINDER

Salat Rawatib

Read Qur'an

Dhikr

Read a Book

Charity



Winter  
Break

