

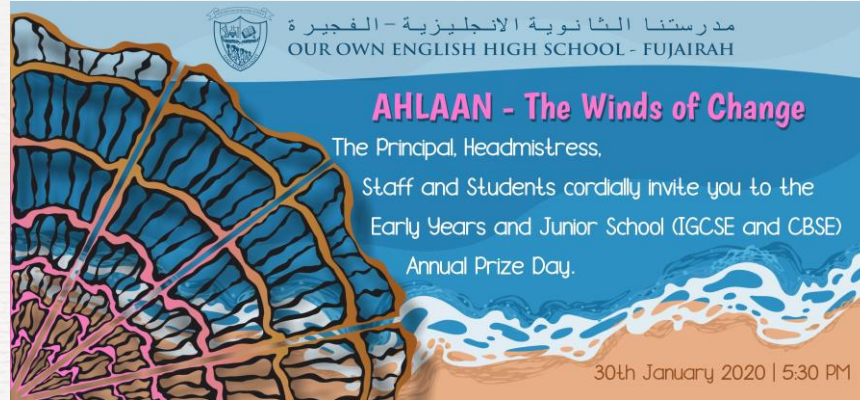
# Term End Highlights of the Junior School 2020!

*Gr & Jr 1 (IGCSE & CBSE)*



# Annual Prize Day!

## “AHLAAN-The Winds of Change”



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# ANNUAL PRIZE DAY!

## “AHLAAN-The Winds of Change”

*Junior School organized its Annual Prize Day 2020 on 30<sup>th</sup> January to celebrate and acknowledge the academic achievements and prowess of its students. Presence of His Highness Sheikh Abdullah Bin Hamad Al Sharqi, as the chief guest added more grace to the event. The programme started with the report by the school principal Mrs. Saleema Mahmoodi, highlighting the achievements and the progress of learning at the school. The inaugural speech was followed by the words of the Headmistress Ms. Dorett Watt, highlighting the innumerable accomplishments of Junior School.*

*The most anticipated part of the evening began with lots of gusto and excitement as the meritorious and hardworking students were awarded for their outstanding performance in the field of academics. The parents of the award winners turned out in unprecedented numbers on this memorable occasion.*



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*Teachers were awarded for 100% attendance and felicitated for their zeal towards education and their dedication to learning.*

*An event just for show-casing awards is definitely a good one, but a reprieve from the same is always appreciated.*

*The audience was enthralled by the musical interludes and the students also put forth the theme ‘Expo 2020’, in a fusion that highlighted different nationalities, their culture and music. The series of toe tapping dance performances kept the audience captivated.*



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*The Prize winners for the academic year 2018-19 expressed their joy by singing a song “ We are stars”. The students were smartly attired in their uniforms and a sash with a glittering star on their shoulders. They truly looked “ The Stars Of Junior School”. Each Prize winner walked on the stage with confidence and pride to receive their prize from the chief guest.*



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*Expo 2020 Dubai's theme, “Connecting Minds, Creating the Future”, will provide a platform to foster creativity, innovation, and collaboration globally. It is based on the belief that sharing innovative ideas and building partnerships will provide golden opportunities for people to shape our future in the most positive way possible.*

*OOEHS young team will now take you all to an adventurous journey to explore more about Expo history and achievements.*



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*EXPO 2020 is a huge event that aims at connecting minds and exposing creative ideas to the world. Our Own junior students—the future of this wonderful country are also part of this creative world.*

*The students of grades 1 and 2 present these thoughts in the form of dances that exhibited the varied cultures of countries but still showed that all are one big family. Parents sat back and felt the cultures of 5 countries—each presented by 20 students and more. It was evident that parents and guests enjoyed watching this fusion just as much as students enjoyed presenting it.*



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*The memorable occasion was brought to a close with lots of love, laughter and joy. The evening was a resounding success due to the vibrant involvement of all students and the efforts of all staff involved.*



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# OPEN HOUSE!

## "We Meet To Make A Difference"

*Open House gives teachers a chance to gain parents' support, create a personal connection with them, and establish ways for continued communication throughout the school year.*

*On 29<sup>th</sup> January 2020 Junior school teachers met the parents of their students to discuss the journey of their ward in school.*

*We do believe that parents can be very powerful allies in any child's education— from preschool up through twelfth grade. Keeping parents informed and inviting them to become part of the educational process can significantly influence any youngster's scholastic success.*



# HOUBARA WEEK

“THE PRIDE OF UAE”

*Houbara week was organised from 4/02/2020 to 11/02/2020 in Our Own English High School Fujairah under the aegis of Social Science department. The new initiatives aims to engage and motivate students across the school to discover the importance of the Houbara bird and to create awareness about the need to conserve and protect the Houbara which is on the verge of extinction. "The Houbara conservation was initiated more than 30 years ago by the Father of the Nation, late H.H. Shaikh Zayed Bin Sultan Al Nahyan.*

*Students of both IGCSE and CBSE streams participated in the School Exhibition, colouring activities and research study to learn more about the Houbara Bustard Bird.*



# Annual Sports Day!

## Houbara Bustard - The National Bird of the UAE

*Annual Sports Day is an important event in the life of every school. Sports themselves have a vital role in making a child sound- physically as well as mentally.*

*The Annual Sports Day of the Junior School of OOEHS was held on 12th of February 2020 on the soccer field of the school. Our Principal Mrs. Saleema Mahmoodi, in the presence of the senior management, administration staff and students presided over the event and declared the meet open.*

*Our Principal and the SLT welcomed and honoured the chief guest , our school CEO- Dr. Nabhan Emdookh.*



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*The sports day began with the UAE National Anthem followed by the Gr. and Jr. 2 march past of the 4 houses. All the dignitaries took the salute and then the oath taking ceremony was held.*

*The theme for this year's Sports Day celebration was 'Houbara Bustard'. The ground looked beautiful when the students of Grade/ Junior 1 and 2 kicked off with the drill display. The Houbara Bustard caps, colourful wings and their perfect coordination was an attraction for the day.*



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*The Taekwondo Drill showcased the self-defense techniques by the Junior boys and girls. They enthusiastically displayed the Korean martial art with vigour and zeal.*

*This was followed by the Novelty races and the 50 and 100 meters flat races. The students showcased their multifaceted talents. It was a mega event which culminated with the award ceremony, where the students were awarded the medals by the dignitaries.*

*Not only the students but also the parents took part in races. It was an exciting day for students of the Junior School. It highlighted the importance of sports and sporting spirit to our future generation.*





# Class Assembly Gr 2A

“To develop desirable values, orientations and positive attitudes in pupils”

*The topic was ‘Cleanliness is next to Godliness’ based on the theme “Happy School”. The assembly commenced with a Surah which is believed to provide peace and serenity to our minds and souls.*

*The students were made aware of the importance of keeping themselves clean and protecting themselves from being affected by the corona virus. The assembly came to end with the golden words on the importance of cleanliness from the principal Mrs. Saleema Mahmoodi, the headmistress, Ms Dorett Watt and our supervisor Mrs. Dibba Sidique.*



# Moral Educational Programme

## “Virtues of Life”

*An Interactive presentation was shown and it strengthened their idea about the objective of the lesson:-*

*“To understand how to behave themselves in the society, school, classroom and home”.*

*Students of J1 made ‘Bouquet of a good person’ as their group activity and then they did an individual task in the notebook. Homework task was given to the students to capture their moments when they were demonstrating to be a good person and stick in their MEP note book,*

*Students of J2 wrote 5 facts that would make them good people and then listed down what aspects they would like to change about themselves to make them better human beings!*





# The Finale of the NMTQ!

## “Never Mind the Quiz”.

*The finals of the NMTQ—Never Mind The Questions—the year long quiz program was held in the Junior Library on 24th February 2020.*

*The finalists among the students of grade 1 had their competition first, followed by the competition for the students of grade 2. Ms. Udaya Nanjundan and Ms. Cressida Dean conducted the quiz with ease and élan, respectively. They maintained a high standard of quizzing interspersed with pep talks to motivate the students.*

*The finalists from grade 1 were—Vian Bawa, Angel Cici, Anam Fathima, Aysha Fathima, Nandana Krishna, Abhay K, Nair.*

*The finalists from grade 2 were—Parvathy Manu, Sreelakshmi, Abhinav, Aarav, Aidan and Ayya.*

*The winners of the day were Vian Bawa (Gr 1 A) and Parvathy Manu (Gr 2 C).*



# The Finale of the SPELL WELL!

*The programme was held in the A.V. room on 27th February 2020. It was witnessed by our Headmistress-Ms. Dorett Watt. A short welcome note by a student was followed by the competition conducted with confidence and poise, by Ms. Sunita- class teacher of J1H, for grade 1 and by Ms. Cleeta D'Souza—for grade 2.*

*All the 6 finalists were well prepared and performed with confidence and alertness. The SPELL WELL CHAMP for grade 1 was Sai Sushant Pant of grade 1 A and the winner for grade 2 was Srijan Kumar Pandit from grade 2 C.*

*Ms. Dorett and Mr. Alex very graciously did the honours of giving away the trophy and certificates to the winners and participants.*

*Both grades' competitions concluded with a vote of thanks delivered for students.*



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# EDUCATIONAL EXCURSION

“Learning beyond walls”.

*The students of grades 1, 2 and J1-H went on an educational trip to Khorfakkan Park on 20<sup>th</sup> February, 2020. They were accompanied by their class teachers, Arabic and PE teachers.*

*Excitement was in the air and joy writ large on each child's face as the children boarded the buses on that cool Thursday morning.*

*On the way, they identified various important landmarks, discussed about the east coast cities and applied all that they had learnt in the classrooms, outdoors too.*



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*They thoroughly enjoyed their day out—playing, sharing, caring, chatting and relaxing with their friends and classmates. They explored the Almighty’s creation in the form of tiny snails on the grass, insects on trees and bushes. The children enjoyed having their snacks out in the open, sitting on mats and sheets spread out on the grass.*

*All students returned safely tired yet happy after their enjoyable day out!! They expressed their gratitude to their Supervisor who saw them off in the morning and to the MSO—Mr. Ahmad Hassan, who received them back in school. It was a memorable day, indeed!*



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# Learning Is Fun in Jr. School.

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*Junior School spice up their classroom learning environment by working to make learning more interactive!*

*Students engage to create their own arrays and wrote the multiplication statements for their arrays.*

*Learning the names of 2D shapes and exploring their properties enable students to be in tune to the world around them and see the connection between the objects.*

*They collaborate with their peers to solve problems. Moreover, they enjoy learning.*



# Values for life

“Instill good values in students”.

*We observed one week as ‘values for life’ week. The students watched a power point presentation about good values and how they can use them in their daily lives. Values such as honesty, obedience, self-control and kindness were discussed.*

*Students then wrote about the values they have and what they need to improve on. Some also made kindness cards for their friends.*



# Astronaut Hazzan Al Mansoori

## "The First Emirati in space."

*Science is one of the most important subject, a child can learn because of its relevance to our lives and its capacity to apply these vital life-skills to everyday activities. At the core, science provides the answers to many of the questions that young children ask,*

*There's a lot of talk in the green scene about how there's only one Earth and we need to take care of it, and this couldn't be more true. But it's captivating to look beyond our own small, blue planet and survey the rest of the solar system.*



# COVID - 19 AWARENESS PROGRAMME

*A new type of coronavirus, abbreviated COVID-19, is causing an outbreak of respiratory (lung) disease. It is important to plan for any possible outbreaks if the risk level increases in the future.*

*Concern over this new virus can make children and families anxious. Acknowledging some level of concern, without panicking, is appropriate and can result in taking actions that reduce the risk of illness.*

*OOEHS Health department conducted an awareness program to enforce illness prevention habits such as avoid close contact with people who are sick, stay home when you are sick, Cover your cough or sneeze into your elbow or a tissue, and then throw the tissue in the trash, Avoid touching your eyes, nose, and mouth. Clean and disinfect frequently touched objects and surfaces using a regular household cleaning spray or wipe. including frequent hand washing or use of hand cleansers.*





# Learning Continues....


## e-Learning

*e- Learning is learning utilizing electronic technologies to access educational curriculum outside of a traditional classroom. In accordance with the Ministry of Education initiatives to counteract COVID-19, Our Own English High School, Fujairah now delivers distant learning through Class Dojo and Microsoft Teams.*

*We, in Junior School utilize Class Dojo, the most child friendly application to deliver effective online lessons.*

*Students are gradually getting used to this new mode of learning and seem to be enjoying it as well! Kudos to our highly adaptable teachers who are quickly moving with the times and acting according to the need of the hour!*





Enjoy e- Learning  
& Stay Home Safe!!!