THE WINCHESTER SCHOOL, JEBEL ALI

Date: 08/09/2026	**Audience:** Year 3 students	**Venue:** Yr 3 classrooms

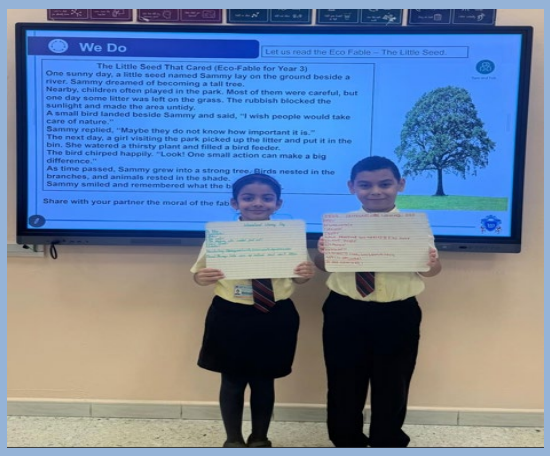
Title: International Literacy Day

Presenters/ Conductors: Year 3 students and teachers

Aims & Objective: To create awareness about the importance of literacy as a matter of dignity and human rights.

Summary: Year 3 students celebrated International Literacy Day with great enthusiasm under the theme "Literacy for People, the Planet and Prosperity." Through engaging discussions, students explored the importance of literacy around the world and reflected on how it helps individuals, communities, and the environment thrive. The children learned about the three pillars of the theme: People, Planet, and Prosperity, while also connecting their learning to the GEMS Leadership Value of Respect, including respectful communication and valued collaboration. As part of the celebration, students read an eco-fable that highlighted the importance of taking responsibility for nature. They identified the central value of the story and recorded it on decorative gemstone crafts, which were then proudly displayed on their class Literacy Tree.

Pictures / Flyers Etc:



Student/ Teacher Feedback:

Ms. Deepa Viji (Form Tutor, 3H): Students enjoyed the celebration, and it was great to see how excited they were to present their work and share their perspectives about the importance of Literacy Day.

Daksha Ratheesh (Student 3B): Decorating the Eco-tree with Sapphire Gemstones and writing our thoughts on Literacy was an interesting and enjoyable experience.

Organized by: Year 3 Students and Teachers