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Literacy	Spelling To secure the spellings of words, by adding 'er', 'est' to words that end in one consonant followed by 'y.' To add new endings to root words ending in 'e.' To add new endings to one-syllable words with short vowel sounds.  Punctuation To use punctuation namely: full-stops, question marks and exclamation marks in sentences.  Grammar To identify and use subordinating conjunctions. To understand the meaning of expanded noun phrases.	Hide your words in a picture and call out the word you want your child to find. OR ask your child to hide words in a picture and which he/she can ask you to find. You can occasionally pick the wrong one to allow your child correct you.  Share a fun way for your child/ren to practice editing for missing punctuation. Make pockets for different punctuation (full-stop, Capital letters, question marks and exclamation marks). Write a few sentences with missing punctuation on strips of paper and ask your child to drop these in the appropriate pockets.	Spellings  families lady daisy cherry army party nappy jelly  Grammar and Punctuation  Expanded Noun Phrases





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# Text Level Fairy Tales

To explore elements of Fairy Tales. To write an alternative story incorporating story elements(story opening, middle, story ending)

To use time connectives (after, meanwhile, during, before etc.) to link sentences.

To explore fairy-tale dialogue through role-play.

#### **Moral Education**

To appreciate the varieties in cultures through story telling.

To develop attributes of honesty.

**Talk** to your child about making your child's own storybook. Cut different pictures from old magazines/newspapers and ask him/her to arrange in order and stick on sheets of paper.

**Encourage** your child to create a story according to the pictures. Complete with a title, a cover page and name of writer (your child). Keep this book on the shelf with other books and encourage your child to read it to you.

**Share** the book with friends who visit.

Read/Tell your child a story with a character facing a problem how it was solved at the end. With your child act the scene. he/she just heard. Now have fun writing this story in the right order (beginning, middle, and ending).

**Talk** to your child about the essence of multiculturism and its significance through engaging stories.

**Encourage** your child to share their experiences of honesty.



Elements of fairy Tales

**Characters of Fairy Tales** 

**Character Traits** 

**Being Honest** 









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Numeracy	To read and write the time as quarter past and quarter to.	Talk to your child about his/her daily routine and ask him/her to record the time (o'clock, half past, quarter to and quarter past) of starting and finishing each activity and represent it by drawing hands on a clock.  QUESTIONS TO ASK  Where does the big hand point when it is 45 to the hour?  Where does the big hand point when it is 15 past the hour?  How do you know whether you need to say 'past' an hour or 'to' an hour?	Time  Free I-pad application Interactive telling time from App store.











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To measure and compare the length of different objects by using standard units of measurement (cm)

Encourage your child to look out for liquid items at a store and read the units. Also look for items sold by weight in a super market and make a list of 5 such items. Encourage your child to read the capacities of items like milk and juice from your shopping.

Encourage your child to measure the height of his/her siblings and friends in cms using a measuring tape

Which symbol means 'is less than'/'is greater than'/'is equal to'?

Which measurement is the shortest/longest? How do you know?

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compare capacity

Measuring Length

Length

Capacity

To estimate and compare capacity in litres and millilitres.











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To compare temperatures using terms such as "hotter", "colder", "warmer", or "cooler"

To compare and estimate, then read a thermometer and record in degrees Celsius

each case a change is happening, either by adding heat or taking heat away. Share with your child that a thermometer is used to measure the temperature of any object in degrees Celsius which is the standard unit for measuring temperature.

**Talk** to your child that that temperatute means degree of hottness or coldness of an object. Emphasise that in

Temperature

temperature

Understand that halving is the inverse of doubling and derive and recall doubles of all numbers to 20, and the corresponding halves.

Collect a number of similar objects like pebbles and ask your child to find doubles of numbers of Pebbles like 3, 5, 10 etc.

**Encourage** your child to find halves or quarters of a number of pebbles by dividing them into 2 and 4 groups respectively.

**Encourage** your child to help you pick your weekly grocery. **Share** the grocery list with your child and talk to him/her to sort objects which might weigh more/ less than a kg. Ask them to help you buy fruits and vegetables and get those weighed ,sort their bags based on less than or more than a kg.

Order these 5 objects from lightest

to heaviest.

doubles

doubles and halves

Weight

#### **QUESTIONS TO ASK**

Which objects do you think will be lighter/heavier than X?

To measure the weight of objects using standard and non-standard units.





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Science	Materials  To distinguish between an object and the material from which it is made.	Collect boxes, containers, bottles, jars, bags, made of different materials e.g. cardboard, wood, metal, plastic etc.	all about materials
	To distinguish between a natural or man-made	<b>Talk</b> to your child to sort the containers into two or more sets and <b>Share</b> what criteria they used. For example, they may make a set of shiny materials and another of hard materials (also soft, breakable, non-breakable, transparent and opaque).	natural and manmade materials  know about materials
	materials.	Encourage your child to identify if some of the materials could be put into more than one group.  Show children objects e.g. a wooden ruler or chair, a woollen jersey, a stone lampstand; Talk to them about how the natural material was altered in making these objects.	Natural and Man-Made Materials  Natural Materials  Notural Materials
	To describe the simple physical properties of a variety of everyday material.	Share with your children how we use natural materials like wool, cotton, silk and rubber to make objects like jumper, fabric or wellies.  Encourage them to research about how man-made	
		materials like glass or plastic is made.	





UAE Social Studies	Safety in the community	TALK to your child about the safety in the community do's and don'ts  SHARE with your child the rules and policies of the community.	DIFFERENT TYPES OF OCCUPATIONS
		<b>ENCOURAGE</b> your child to talk about different jobs people do in the community (policeman, firefighter Doctor etc).	
	Education in the past	<b>TALK t</b> o your child what life in school was like in the past and compare to modern day school.	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v =stj-QOS-CK0





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Arabic for Arabs	خويلد والبطاطا (قصة) -1  أن يفسر الطالب معاني المفردات الجديدة - أن يحلل الطالب عناصر عناصر القصة الفنية- أن يميز الطالب بين المبتدأ والخبر- أن يحدد الطالب سمات الشخصيات في القصة - أن يحاكي التاميذ مجموعة من الأبيات .  - أن يميز الطالب أنواع مختلفة من النصوص الشعيرة.  - أن يحلل الطالب الأبيات تحليلا أدبيًا.  - أن يقارن الطالب بين نصين مختلفين .  - أن يحدد الطالب الفكرة الرئيسة مدللا على إجابته.	*يساعده في قراءة إحدى القصص عن عالم الدجاج وتحديد عناصر ها.  *يساعده في تحديد الفرق بين الجملة الاسمية والفعلية.  * جمع صور لقصة وترتيب أحداث تلك القصة.  * تدريب الطالب بالمنزل على القيام ببعض الأعمال غير التقليدية والأشياء التي يرغب الطالب في الكتابة عنها واستخدام التعبيرات للغوية يمكن لولي الأمر الدخول من خلال الرابط المرفق لموقع قناة اللغة العربية والتربية الإسلامية الخاص بمدرسة ونشستر ومتابعة التسجيلات الخاصة بالدروس ومشاركتها مع التلميذ وتدوين ما تعلمه في دفتره المدرسي.	منصة أقرأ بالعربية قناة اللغة العربية والتربية الإسلامية بمدرسة ونشستر
Arabic for Non Arabs	The Zoo( حديقة الحيوان)  -To use the new words in a different sentences.  - To describe the zoo using adjectives.  - To create a dialogue about the zoo.  -To conjugate the new verbs with the pronouns in sentences.	In every lesson, we provide the students with new words With their meanings to help your child memorize and use in sentences of his/her own.  -Ask your child to speak about his favourite animalsAsk your child to describe the zoo, which he visited beforeAsk your child to describe the zoo Go through the links on the Arabic YouTube channel so that you can help your child learn more at home about	Animals in Arabic  The most common Adjectives in Arabic  Courses for Learning Arabic  I Read Arabic





			Arabic and Islamic YouTube Channel
	أنا أ <mark>صلي</mark> أن يحدد الطالب عدد الصلوات	. يشجع ولي الأمر التلميذ على:	الصلاة
Islamic	أن يستنتج الطالب فضل الصلاة	حفظ السور من خلال المصحف المعلم.	 الصادق الأمين
for Arabs	الصادق الأمين أن ييستنتج الطالب صفات الرسول صلى الله عليه وسلم	تعلم الأمانة والصدق من خلالل المواقف الحياتية.	
	ال ييسسنج الطالب فضل الصدق	حثه على إلقاء السلام .	<u>سورة قريش</u>
	<mark>سورة قريش</mark> أ	حثه على الصلاة.	فضل تعلم القرآن الكريم
	أن يوضح الطالب المعنى الإجمالي للسورة أن يلتزم الطالب آداب التلاوة	حثه على الالتزام بآداب التلاوة	قناة اللغة العربية والتربية الإسلامية بمدرسة ونشستر
		يمكن لولي الأمر الدخول من خلال الرابط المرفق لموقع قناة اللغة العربية والتربية الإسلامية الخاص بمدرسة ونشستر ومتابعة التسجيلات الخاصة بالدروس ومشاركتها مع التلميذ وتدوين ما تعلمه في دفتره المدرسي.	











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#### Islamic for Non Arabs

#### Lesson1: Purity and nullifiers of ablution:

To identify the meaning of purity.

To specify the nullifiers of ablution.

To show the manners of relieving oneself.

#### Lesson 2: Performing good ablution:

To memorize the hadith.

To clarify the importance of performing good wudoo and its reward.

To cite the dua (supplication) after finishing from wudoo

#### Lesson 3: Muhammad, the truthful, the honest. Learning objectives:

- -To discuss who is our prophet.
- To express the honesty within a real life experience.
- -To determine the qualities of our prophet.
- -To share what is our duty towards prophet Mohammad.

#### Lesson 4: Honesty.

Learning objectives:

- -To clarify the meaning of honesty in Islam.
- -To classify the ways of being an honest.

- Share with your child the etiquettes of entering the washroom.
- Encourage your child to abide by the manners of relieving himself.
- Encourage him to perform wudoo in the correct and proper way.
- Talk with him about what may nullify his ablution (tell him when another wudoo is needed).
- Share the hadith about ablution on page 93 of the textbook with him and encourage him to memorize.
- Let your child says the supplication of Wudoo after he finishes it.
- Share with your child the given recommendations from our beloved prophet.
- Encourage your child to have prophet Muhammad, pbuh as a model to follow in terms of qualities and deeds.

Go through the links on the Arabic and Islamic YouTube channel so that you can help your child learn more at home about the topic

**Prophet Mohammad** 

That's what Mohammad said

Cleanliness is One half of our Faith

Dua for going to the toilet

Responsibility in ISLAM (Al-Sadig and Al-Amin)

Quran Stories | AL AMEEN | Arabic and Islamic YouTube Channel