

Reaching for Light

12/3/12

Current Concepts

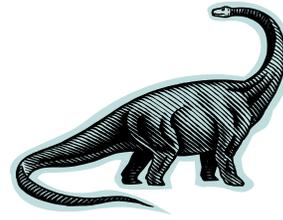
Our new unit is Useful Knowledge. We are searching for knowledge that can help us grow and reach for nur/light. We are learning beneficial prayers/duas that may bring Allah's protection and guidance, Inshallah. We will study chapters from the Quran that Inshallah, will protect us from harm. "Searching for knowledge is a must upon every believer" (Prophet Mohammed, SAW).

Students will begin interpreting and recording data. We will be using tally marks and tables to record information. Students will then practice transferring the data on various types of graphs such including line, bar, and picture graphs. Also, students will begin to examine and use maps. Students will learn to identify locations as well as features of maps. Inshallah, we will create landform maps as well which should be an awesome hands-on experience for our students.

We are focusing on personal hygiene as well. Taking good care of our bodies is just one of our goals in this unit. Students are asked to wash up properly each morning and night. The washing should consist of brushing and flossing teeth. Also, students can try to make wudu before going to sleep each night. Inshallah, they can recite Quran and make dhikr as Prophet Mohammed (SAW) has taught us to. On the other side of this newsletter is a record log for students to fill out. These logs will help students keep track and get into the habit of washing regularly. Inshallah, students will understand that purity is obligatory in Islam.



Prehistoric Times



We will begin digging into the past. Students will learn all about dinosaurs and work on several fun and engaging projects. Students will dig out fossils in class using fun and educational fossil kits. Students will explore prehistoric times in order to learn of Allah's past creations. We will be focusing on Allah's creations in order to better understand the Creator, Allah (SWT).

Students will need support from home to research dinosaurs. Students will need to go to the library and get books about the dinosaur of their choice. I would like for the students to do the research, so select books they can easily navigate and read.

Parent Teacher Conferences

Alhamdulillah, we have a great group of students thanks to your support at home. I look forward to meeting our parents this Friday. Inshallah, conferences will begin at 9:00 am this Friday morning and conclude at 6:00 pm in the evening. A break is scheduled for teachers to eat lunch and pray Salat Al Jummah from 12:30 - 2:30 pm, and to pray Asr from 3:30-3:45. Please email me as soon as possible if online registration was not successful. Thank you very much, and I look forward to seeing you soon, Inshallah.

I hope this finds you all healthy and happy. If you need to reach me you can send a note, call the office, or send an email.

All the Best,

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Washing Record

	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Morning							
Night							

Please place a ✓ or ✗ to keep track of washing each morning and night. Thank you very much, and please bring this sheet back next Monday.