

QUWWAT-UL-ISLAM GIRLS' SCHOOL

Newsletter

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Ensuring every child achieves their best through high expectations for all, with a focus on
Respect-Aspiration-Responsibility

Date: Wednesday 24th May 2023

Islamic Date: 3 Dhu'l-Qi'dah 1444 AH

Term: Summer 3.1

Issue: 30

HADITH OF THE WEEK: The Messenger of Allah (ﷺ) said, "Four are the qualities which, when found in a person, make him a sheer hypocrite, and one who possesses one of them, possesses one characteristic of hypocrisy until he abandons it. These are: When he is entrusted with something, he betrays trust; when he speaks, he lies; when he promises, he acts treacherously; and when he argues, he behaves in a very imprudent, insulting manner." ~ [Al-Bukhari and Muslim].

**Assalamu'alaikum Warahmatullahi
Wabarakatuhu**

Dear Parent/Carers,

I pray this finds you in the best of health and Imaan Insha'Allah.

As we approach the end of this half term, I would like to take this opportunity to say JazakAllah Khair to all the students, parents/carers and staff for all your support over the past few weeks.

Today, the students took part in Sports Day, where pupils, teachers and parents came together for a day of competitive sport. The students participated in various sports activities, which encouraged students to have fun, to get active and to work together in various fun physical activities and challenges. The students were awarded certificates for all their efforts and achievements and a trophy for the best overall coloured team. A huge well done to all the students who took part and JazakAllah Khair to the parents and teachers who shown support. Overall, it was a great experience for all!

On behalf of Quwwat-ul-Islam, we would like to wish you a restful and safe break and InshaAllah, we will see you all back on **Monday 5th of June 2023** for our next half term.

**Kind regards,
Ms Member (Head teacher)**

Year 2 SATs



SATs tests for Year 2 children are taken in Reading, Writing and Maths. Teachers use their professional judgement based on work done during the year to assess the level at which each child is working. This judgement is then confirmed by these SATs tests. The results will be shared with parents via end of year reports.

Please find below the revised SATs exams timetable that will commence from the week beginning **Monday 5th June 2023.**

Day	Assessment
Monday 5th June 2023	SPaG Paper 1 - Grammar/Punctuation SPaG Paper 2 - Spelling
Tuesday 6th June 2023	English Paper 1 - Reading
Wednesday 7th June 2023	English Paper 2 - Reading
Thursday 8th June 2023	Mathematics Paper 1 - Arithmetic
Friday 9th June 2023	Mathematics Paper 2 - Reasoning

Sports Day

Pictures from our sports day:

The games:



The medals and trophy:



The winning team: Blue team!



Achievements

Muslimah of the Week (Week beginning 15th May 2023)

Reception: Rafa Hossain

Year 1: Zaynab Arsalan

Year 2: Sumaiyah Hussain

Year 3: Tasmiya Islam

Year 4: Huda Sherzad

Year 5: Zaynab Choudhury

Year 6: Zainab Javed

Year 7: Manal Said

Year 8: Silmi Hakee

Year 9: Fatima Ahmed

Year 10: Jumera Ahmed, Samia Jello, Inaaya Hussain & Hajra Nasim

Allah loves when one of you is given a task, that he or she does it in the most excellent manner (Ihsaan)



Week beginning	15/05/23 – 19/05/23	
Academic Year	May 2023	
Year Group	Attendance	Punctuality
Reception	88.9%	98.9%
Year 1	100%	96.2%
Year 2	99.4%	99.4%
Year 3	94%	99%
Year 4	95.3%	100%
Year 5	97.3%	99.1%
Year 6	99.5%	99.5%
Year 7	94.5%	96%
Year 8	92.9%	98.1%
Year 9	93.2%	95.3%
Year 10	99.5%	96.8%
Year 11	N/A	N/A



This week's overall Attendance: **93%**

Our overall Attendance Target: **96%**

Good attendance and punctuality are vital. At Quwwat-ul-Islam Girls' School, we aim to achieve at least **96%** attendance and to be punctual for school in the morning and for each lesson.

Year 11 GCSE

Year 11 students have started their GCSE Examinations this week. They have been working incredibly hard to strive for excellence and Alhamdulillah have demonstrated perseverance and great resolve during what can sometimes be a stressful exam period. The following is the timetable for exams:

Date	Title	Exam board	Duration	Start - Finish
Monday 22nd May	Combined Science Chemistry 1 Paper 2 (1SC0 1CF & 1SC0 1CH)	Edexcel	1hr 10mins	9:00 AM – 10:10 AM
	Geography B – Paper 1 (1GB0 01)	Edexcel	1hr 30mins	1:00 PM – 2:30 PM
Tuesday 23rd May	Religious Studies A – Paper 2 (8062/2A)	AQA	1hr 45mins	1:00 PM – 2:45 PM
Wednesday 24th May	English Literature Modern Texts and Poetry Paper 2 - (8702/2)	AQA	2hr 15mins	9:00 AM – 11:15 AM
	Citizenship Paper 2 – (1CS0 02)	Edexcel	1hr 45mins	1:00 PM – 2:45 PM
	Italian Paper 4 – Writing (1IN0 4H) Fahmida Miah	Edexcel	1hr 20mins	3:15 PM – 4:35 PM
Thursday 25th May	Combined Science Physics 1 Paper 3 (1SC0 1PF & 1SC0 1PH)	Edexcel	1hr 10mins	9:00 AM – 10:10 AM
Tuesday 30th May	IGCSE: Islamic Studies Paper 1 (4IS1 01)	Edexcel	2hr 30mins	1:00 PM – 3:30 PM

A reminder: All students MUST be onsite at **8:00am** prompt for **morning GCSE examinations**. All students MUST be onsite at **12:00pm** prompt for **afternoon GCSE examinations**.

Students are required to wear full school uniform when sitting GCSE examinations.

On behalf of Quwwat-ul-Islam Girls' School, we pray Allah (swt) blesses all of our Year 11 students with success and ease throughout this important time, inshAllah.

Year 6 SATs

The Year 6 SATs have started this week. The students have been working very hard over the past few weeks in preparation for the SATs. This is a very important week and we ask you to ensure that your children are prepared and ready for their SATs.

Make sure your children are well rested and that they have an early night in preparation for the following day. Please ensure your children arrive at school on time. Punctuality is very important, especially during SATs week. We ask at all times (and especially during SATs week) that children are not taken out of school during the day and we appreciate your cooperation in this matter.

Every morning during SATs week, the school will provide a healthy breakfast for your child before taking their end of key stage national tests. Breakfast will be provided from **7.45am-8.10am**.

If your child is unwell, please contact the school before school starts, as the SATs have to be completed on specific days.

The Year 6 SATs timetable for this week:

Day	Assessment
Monday 22nd May 2023	SPaG Paper 1 - Grammar/Punctuation SPaG Paper 2 - Spelling
Tuesday 23rd May 2023	English Reading
Wednesday 24th May 2023	Whole School Sports Day
Thursday 25th May 2023	Mathematics Paper 1 - Arithmetic Mathematics Paper 2 - Reasoning
Friday 26th May 2023	Mathematics Paper 3 - Reasoning

WE ARE ACTIVE.

WE ARE NEWHAM.

MAY HALF TERM PROGRAMME



Free activities for children and young people this half-term! Come and try a variety of activities. Sessions include Cricket, Baseball, Free Running and Flag Football!



SCAN ME

DATES:

Tuesday 30 May – Friday 2 June

TIMES/AGES:

12pm-2pm – 5-11 years

2pm-4pm – 12-16 years

VENUES:

- **Central Park**, High Street South, East Ham E6 6ET

MEETING POINT: Park Cafe

- **Stratford Park**, West Ham Lane, Stratford E15 4PT

MEETING POINT: Covered MUGA area

- **Keir Hardie Recreation Ground**, Tarling Road, Canning Town E16 1LQ

MEETING POINT: Old Changing Rooms

- **Plashet Park**, Woodhouse Grove, E12 6SR

MEETING POINT: Outside Bowls Club

- **Royal Docks Activity Centre**, 1012 Dockside Road, E16 2QT

To book: <https://tinyurl.com/NewhamWhitsunActivity>

For more information:

sports@activenewham.org or 07741 293506

MAY HALF TERM PROGRAMME

INCLUSIVE ACTIVITY

A variety of free taster sessions in a range of sports for children and young people with disabilities.

DATES:

Tuesday 30 & Wednesday 31 May

TIME: 12pm-2pm

VENUE: Stratford Park, West Ham Lane,
Stratford E15 4PT

AGE: 8+ years

ROWING

The session is aimed at complete beginners, taking participants through land training exercises, equipment handling and on-water rowing boats.

DATES:

Tuesday 30 May, Thursday 1 & Friday 2 June

TIME: 10am-11.30am, 12pm-1.30pm

VENUE: Royal Docks Adventure,
1012 Dockside Rd, E16 2QT

AGE: 12-16 years

MINI ACTIVITIES

Introducing your little ones to sport can be great fun. Come along and try our Mini activity offer including: Mini Tennis, Mini Kickers and Mini Dance!

DATES:

Tuesday 30 May - Friday 2 June

TIME: 11am-12pm

VENUES:

- **Central Park**, High Street South, East Ham E6 6ET

MEETING POINT: Park Cafe

- **Keir Hardie Recreation Ground**,
Tarling Road, Canning Town E16 1LQ

MEETING POINT: Old Changing Rooms

- **Plashet Park**, Woodhouse Grove, E12 6SR

MEETING POINT: Outside Bowls Club

- **Royal Docks Activity Centre**,
1012 Dockside Road, E16 2QT

AGE: 3-5 years



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Dates for Diaries

Monday 15th May 2023 - Wednesday 21st June 2023

- Year 11 GCSE Exams

Monday 22nd May 2023 - Friday 26th May 2023

- Year 6 SATs Exams

Wednesday 24th May 2023

- Sports day

Friday 26th May 2023

- Last day of half term

Monday 29th May 2023-Friday 2nd June 2023

- Half term holiday (school closed)

Monday 5th June 2023

- Return to school

Please be aware that these dates will be updated regularly



Assemblies for Summer 3.1

Primary

Date	Year Group	Topic
28/04/23	Ms Mahfuza	Food Waste Action Week
05/05/23	Ms Zainab	King's coronation
12/05/23	Ms Chowdhury	Mental Health awareness week
19/05/23	Ms Islam	World day for cultural diversity
26/05/23	Ms Asma	World Environment day

Secondary

Date	Year Group	Topic
26.04.2023	Ms F Ahmed	World Health Day
10.05.2023	Ms Siraj/ Ms Ferdausi	Screen Free Week (postponed to 17.05.23)

Absences before or after a school holiday

If your child is absent before or after a school holiday, you must provide evidence explaining the absence. This may be medical evidence if your child is unwell or evidence of flight delays or circumstances beyond your control.

Without this evidence you risk being issued with a penalty notice.