



Preschool Palm Tree Newsletter



We created a cupcake using puffy paint. It looked so delicious, that we could eat it all up!



We did sequencing of our routine before bedtime and we also practiced writing our numbers.

Activities Covered:

Last week, we continued with the theme Community Helpers, focussing on non-emergency helpers.

In **Communication and Language**, we learnt new vocabulary names of all the kinds of Community Helpers that we may encounter in our daily lives. We focussed on the role of a chef and did some baking, making delicious cookies.

In **Personal, Social and Emotional Development**, we learnt the role of a pilot and a flight attendant and listened to the story '*Maisy Goes on a Plane*'.

In **Physical Development**, we learnt about the role of the hairdresser and practiced our cutting skills cutting along curvy and straight lines to make strips of hair.

In **Literacy**, we learnt a new jolly phonics sound /l/ and made an awesome lion craft to remember the sound.

In **Maths**, we focussed on the crescent shape, and we also learnt all about sequencing events and did an activity to sequence our routine of what we do before we go to bed.

In **Understanding the World**, we learnt about garbage cleaners and the important role they play in cleaning up our neighbourhood. We had fun listening to a cool song all about 'The Garbage Truck'.

In **Expressive Arts and Design**, we continued the role of the chef and made a baker's hat and decorated a picture of a cupcake with puffy paint. It was so much fun and looked so yummy that we wished we could eat it!

On Thursday, we went on our school trip to KidZania, and wow, what a day it was! We had such an eventful morning exploring all the different community helpers we find in Qatar. It really was a great day!

Upcoming Activities:

It's a new week, and this week is all about books. Our chosen author this year is Heather Amery, who is famous for writing the Usborne book series.

In **Communication and Language**, we will be introduced to our book called "*The Naughty Sheep*". We will read the story and make a craft to remember the story.

In **Personal, Social and Emotional Development**, we will play a game about what kind of behaviour makes us happy, sad, or angry. We will also do a quiz to see what we understand about our emotions.

In **Literacy**, we will learn the sound /f/ through its action, song, and formation. We will also make a fish craft to this new sound.

In **Understanding the World**, we will put on a Talent Show. All the children will get a chance to perform a song or dance of their choice, and we will have a judge to come watch. This will help prepare them for our upcoming concert and gain some confidence. This sounds like a lot of fun!

It's going to be an interesting week ahead, listening to many different stories from the author, Heather Amery.



Baker, Baker, bake me a cake! We all looked the part playing bakers making our own cookies to eat. It was so awesome!



At KidZania, we visited the Pediatric ward, being the paramedics, rescuing Ms. Lisa and checking out the surgery room.

Tips for home:

- Read the **weekly newsletter**, so that you keep up to date on what is happening.
- Turn off all **screen time** at least **1 hour before** bedtime.
- Please ensure your child **gets to bed** at a reasonable hour so he/she is ready to learn when they get to school.

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Brotherhood Initiative:

Let us be keen on raising awareness among our children about the dangers of bullying and its profound impact on both the psychological and social levels. Let us show them that bullying harms not only the victim but also affects the community and its cohesion.



Watch out!
Make a way
for the
police on
the road!
Patrolling
the streets
to keep
everyone
safe.

Upcoming Events:

Wednesday 23rd - World Books Day

Children are asked to come to school dressed as their favourite book character and bring along their favourite book. We will parade at 8:00 a.m.

Thursday 24th - Book week activities

We will rotate classes to learn about the other books of Heather Amery that each class has selected and complete a unique activity based on these stories.



Call 999, we need the fire brigade. Well done firefighters for putting out the fire!

Brotherhood Initiative

"Bullying is weakness, kindness is strength."

To see more photos of our adventures in learning be sure to visit our [website](#), [Facebook](#) and [Instagram](#)

Final Note:

A gentle reminder that children should arrive and be collected on time. to avoid missing out on lessons or causing class disruptions.