# **Edmonton Islamic Academy**



# **GRADE 7 NEWSLETTER**



October 7 - October 11, 2024

## **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

## **New Personal Device Policy**

We would like to inform you of a significant update that will affect all students in Alberta regarding Personal Mobile Devices and Social Media in schools. The Alberta Minister of Education has issued a new Ministerial Order (#014/2024) which states that all personal electronic devices, including cell phones, smartphones, headphones, smartwatches, and other smart devices, will NO LONGER BE PERMITTED on the school campus for students in Kindergarten through Grade 12.

This policy aims to create a focused and distraction-free learning environment. In addition, all social media sites have been blocked on the school's internet service to safeguard students. The only exceptions we will consider will be due to the following reasons:

- 1. Health and medical reasons (approved by the Principal)
- 2. After-school activities (i.e. Athletics)

## **Uniform Changes**

We have updated the school uniforms starting September 2024. The changes we have made for Junior High are the following:

- Boys pants are now casual jogger-style dress pants with stretch waists and tapered ankles.
- Boys dress shirt has changed to gray.
- Girls abayas have been upgraded for improved comfort, fit, and quality. (Gray)
- Girls hijabs have changed to forest green which is a 2 piece hijab only and can be purchased from the main office for \$10.00. Must be worn by Sept 16, 2024.
- Between September 2024 to December 2024 students will be permitted to wear either the old or new uniform.
- However, as of January 2025, all students must come to school wearing the new uniform.
- To purchase uniform items please visit the following website: https://mccarthyuniforms.ca/shop/school/7803#allProducts
- Due to recent uniform updates, wearing cultural attire on Fridays is temporarily suspended until further notice.

## **ATHLETICS**

Please click on the following link for the Junior High Legends athletics Game & Practice Schedule for the upcoming season.

Links: EIA Athletics Season 2024

To receive weekly updates join the Junior High athletic reminder Page. Junior High Code: @fb6f46

# **UPCOMING ASSESSMENTS (TEST/ QUIZ/PROJECTS)**

| Subject         | Monday<br>Oct 7                               | Tuesday<br>Oct 8                    | Wednesday<br>Oct 9                    | Thursday<br>Oct 10                        | Friday<br>Oct 11 |
|-----------------|---|-------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|---|------------------|
| Social Studies  |   |                                     | Chapter 2 Vocab<br>Quiz 7A            | Chapter 2 Vocab<br>Quiz 7B, 7C, 7D,<br>7E | No School        |
| Science         | Unit 5:<br>Topics 1-3 Quiz                    |                                     |                                       |   | No School        |
| Math            |   |                                     | Quiz Section<br>2.4: BEDMAS           |   | No School        |
| Language Arts   |   |                                     |                                       |   | No School        |
| Arabic Level 1  |   |                                     |                                       |   | No School        |
| Arabic Level 2  | Unit Test<br>(7A - 7E)<br>Ms Dania            |                                     |                                       |   | No School        |
| Arabic Level 3  | في Spelling test ) الفندق<br>(All 7s ) الفندق | Reading test<br>(7A-B)<br>في الفندق | Reading test<br>(7C-D-E)<br>في الفندق |   | No School        |
| Islamic Studies |   |                                     |                                       |   | No School        |
| Quran           |   |                                     |                                       |   | No School        |

# **UPCOMING TOPICS**

| SUBJECTS        | CURRICULUM OVERVIEW  |
|-----------------|--|
| Social Studies  | <ul> <li>Chapter 2: European Explorers</li> <li>Explain what factors led to Europeans discovering and exploring North America</li> <li>Explain who were the key figures in British and French exploration and settlement in North America</li> <li>Understand, examine, and interpret the differences between a European perspective and a First Nation perspective</li> </ul>                 |
| Science         | <ul> <li>Unit_5: Planet Earth - Topics: 4-7</li> <li>Earth's crust is constantly changing, resulting in fiery volcanoes and powerful earthquakes. What is happening inside Earth?</li> <li>Important Upcoming Tentative Date:</li> </ul>   |
| Math            | Chapter 2 Decimals: Order of Operations  |
| Language Arts   | <ul> <li>Short Stories -Understanding Plot</li> <li>What is a compound Sentence?</li> <li>Writing exercises</li> </ul>   |
| Arabic Level 1  | <ul> <li>Arabic project due for letters alf, baa, taa. Check Google Classroom for more info.</li> <li>Started letter Thaa</li> <li>Have spelling test all circled words on pages24 and 25</li> <li>Reading tests of the circled words.</li> <li>Review all pages from 18-25</li> <li>Vocab Quiz with all circled words on pages 24,25 October 15.</li> </ul>                                   |
| Arabic Level 2  | <ul> <li>New lesson وصف المسكن pg. 38.</li> <li>New vocabulary about the lesson.</li> <li>Answer comprehension questions pg. 39-41.</li> <li>Daily reading in class.</li> <li>Vocabulary test pg.38 (all words in blue box) October 7.</li> </ul>  |
| Arabic Level 3  | <ul> <li>Finish the comprehension questions of the book for the lesson في الفندق</li> <li>Start with the grammar lesson الجملة الاسمية والفعلية</li> <li>Project on أنواع الجمل</li> </ul>   |
| Islamic Studies | <ul> <li>Lesson 2:Life in the Grave(B 20-B 27)</li> <li>Understand life after death, life in the grave.</li> <li>Understand and explain the first night after death.</li> <li>Say the hadith /Ayah about death and the grave.</li> <li>Understand the causes of Athab ul Qabr and how to protect oneself.</li> <li>Learn a hadith about the grave.</li> <li>Videos about the grave.</li> </ul> |
| Quran           | <ul> <li>Surat Al- Mursalat Ayat 16-20 + meaning.</li> <li>Tajweed: The Pronunciation of letters in the Quran.(Seen, Saad, Dal, Zain.)</li> <li>Reciting Al Mursalat with proper tajweed.</li> </ul>   |

# **OPTIONS**

| UPTIUNS                 |                      |                      |                                   |  |  |  |
|-------------------------|----------------------|----------------------|-----------------------------------|--|--|--|
| M1 (Sept 3 - Nov 19)    | S1 (Nov 20 - Jan 28) | M2 (Jan 29 - Apr 8)  | Y1 (Apr 9 - June 25)              |  |  |  |
| Board Games             | Board Games          | Board Games          | French as a Second<br>Language    |  |  |  |
| Outdoor Education       | Outdoor Education    | Outdoor Education    | Outdoor Education                 |  |  |  |
| Film Studies            | Film Studies         | Film Studies         | Film Studies                      |  |  |  |
| Drama                   | Drama                | Drama                | Drama                             |  |  |  |
| Construction            | 3D Printing          | Basic Coding         | Construction                      |  |  |  |
| Drawing<br>Fundamentals | Painting Exploration | Sculpture and 3D Art | Film Making and<br>Needle Felting |  |  |  |
| Foods                   | Foods                | Foods                | Foods                             |  |  |  |
| Science Fair            | Science Fair         | Science Showcase     | Science Showcase                  |  |  |  |

## **WELCOME TO GRADE 7**

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## **GOOGLE CLASSROOM CODES**



| Math               | English    |
|--------------------|------------|
| 7A 54c73tj         | 7A mktr7qv |
| 7B poh5qpg         | 7B v2h2ljy |
| 7C ftuhjmr         | 7C jqe3jnm |
| 7D khdnjvz         | 7D a3i4mjp |
| 7E rzfxwup         | 7E kbiv3ar |
| Social             | Science    |
| 7A 46ni47a         | 7A mjanr4h |
| 7B 77ztb25         | 7B tkcwbii |
| 7C zoshykq         | 7C d7djmn4 |
| 7D lzbtf2q         | 7D esuagfj |
| 7E l3hwzeb         | 7E hwgpnld |
| Arabic Level 1     | Islamic    |
| ogkf6nd            | Jerzvdn    |
| Arabic Level 2     |            |
| 6v3j7ij (Ms. Abir) |            |

Arabic Level 2 5ttroud (Ms. Dania)

Arabic Level 3z63y2ea

## **REMIND CODES**



#### Math

7A hanna7a

7B hanna7b

7C hanna7c

7D hanna7d

7E hanna7e

## **English**

7A saleh7a

7B saleh7b

7C saleh7c

7D saleh7d

7E saleh7e

#### **Social:**

7A kassab7a

7B kassab7b

7C kassab7c

7D kassab7d

7E kassab7e

### Science

sgr7

#### Arabic Level 2

Abir2 arabicl22

#### **Arabic Level 3**

raghda3

#### **Islamic**

Islamic-7

#### 7A Homeroom

7a-hr

#### Health

hb9887f