

News From FS1

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Welcome to a new academic year in FS1 and the first of our weekly newsletters.

In our newsletters you will find out about all the exciting and fun experiences the children encounter on their learning journey through FS1.

So let's see what everyone has been doing!



FS1B have settled in to class and are learning the new routines with lots of confidence and loads of smiles! They have been enjoying the new experiences and getting to know their specialist teachers. We have decorated some butterflies and made some lovely sunshine smile mobiles.



FS1H children have enjoyed investigating different areas of the classroom. Shiny snails have loved Story time, their favourite story is 'The Gruffalo'. They have been producing some really great pieces of art work and have really enjoyed movement games and singing songs in class.



FS1W have made wonderful progress as they settle into their new routines. They are learning lots of new vocabulary during calendar time each morning. The children love 'choosing time' where they can decide where they want to learn through play. The house role play corner and water table are their favourites! Well done Bumblebees!



FS1E have had a really fantastic start to school. They were very excited to make some playdough and enjoyed playing with the building blocks to make a pretend cave for the 'Gruffalo'. They have also enjoyed free painting, sticking, sand and water play.

FS1L have had a fantastic start to school. We have enjoyed exploring all the different fun and exciting things opportunities we have had. We were really excited to celebrate Camellia's birthday this week and loved eating birthday cake.



FS1S children became acquainted with their classmates and were introduced to the morning routines and the class rules. In circle time we had weekend talk, story telling and singing songs. We played with the playdough, puzzles and construction.



FS1D have had an excellent start to their first year at CES. We created a big collage outside the class and made painted handprint grass for our giant caterpillar display. We also made caterpillar headbands. The children learned the classroom rules and made lots of new friends.



FS1G We have had a great first week of school. The children have settled in and are learning the routines well. We always begin our morning calendar by singing songs about the days of the week and the months of the year. We have also learned some new nursery rhymes. We are looking forward to an exciting year.



Just a few reminders:

Don't forget to send in a set of spare clothes **including** underwear and socks. Please make sure that all of your child's items are clearly labelled with their name and class. Make sure that your child has handed in the FS1 Book Pack and All About Me booklet.

Outstanding Forms: If you haven't already done so, please be sure to send in the completed **Health Form** and the **Parent Home/School Agreement**.

Climbing Frame: please note that FS1 children are not permitted to use the climbing frame in the mornings before anthem. Please ensure that when dropping them off they go straight to their class line up.

Healthy Eating: Please note that in FS1 we promote healthy eating habits. Sweets, popcorn and all sugary items, including chocolate, is discouraged. Fresh fruits and vegetables, such as apples, celery or carrots would be a better alternative. For more super ideas about a healthy lunchbox have a look in the Foundation Stage section of the school website.



As part of our daily routine we enjoy sharing fruit during our **Fruit Circle**. We would ask you to provide a piece of fresh fruit each Sunday. We will cut and share these as a class. Fruit Circle promotes happy, social interactions, it is also an opportunity to learn about (and taste) a variety of healthy fruit!



September Birthdays

- FS1S:** Jan Labib - 12th
Taya Moawad - 29th
FS1B: Rashid El Zoghby - 11th
FS1G: Ibrahim Hamzawy - 21st
FS1W: Youssef Banoub - 13th,
Youssef Akmal - 17th
Eric Kaldas - 23rd
FS1D: Omar Donkol - 1st
Abdelmonem El Habety - 5th
Abdelrahman Wahed 9th
Yi Fan Zhang - 24th
Alia El Demerdash - 28th
Youssef El Shiekh - 30th
FS1E: Hassan Bassem - 2nd
Yassin Kamel - 17th
Fayrouz Mohamed - 19th
Ibrahim Mohamed - 23rd

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- قام الأطفال بعمل بعض التَّدريبات لمُساعدة على التَّحكم في القلم من خلال تتبع النُّقاط والتَّلوين داخل الشَّكل.
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