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"Our Mission"

Inspired by the principles of Islam, the mission of Dhahran Ahliyya Schools is to empower each student to be a compassionate, thinking, lifelong bi-lingual learner, who makes a positive difference locally and globally.

"Our Vision"

Our vision is to provide a world class education with an Arab and Islamic identity through a pioneering learning community that is sustainable and socially responsible.

Our school is supervised by the Ministry of Education and accredited by The Commission on Accreditation and School Improvement (NCA CASI)



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Dhahran Ahliyya Schools Honored for Contribution to "One Ocean" Initiative

Dhahran Ahliyya Schools were recently recognized by KBR-AMCDE for the active participation of their students in the "One Ocean" initiative, which aims to raise awareness about plastic pollution in the ocean. The school was among the first to engage in this important initiative during the 2019-2020 academic year.

The honoring ceremony took place on Monday, October 7, at SciTech Hall, under the patronage of Her Royal Highness/ "Abir bint Faisal bin Turki Al Saud, Chairwoman of the Board of Trustees of the Eastern Region Council for Social Responsibility 'Absar' "in collaboration between KBR-AMCDE, the Eastern Region Education Department, and the Eastern Region Council for Social Responsibility 'Absar', at the Prince Sultan bin Abdulaziz Center for Science and Technology (Scitech). The event was attended by our school principals from both the boys' and girls' sections, Mr. Abdul Mohsen Baltyour and Ms. Lama Al-Akkas. The "One Ocean" initiative involves KBR experts and engineers who volunteer their time to educate students in schools across the Eastern Province about ocean pollution. Through this collaboration, students gain a deeper understanding of the environmental impact of plastic waste. The initiative is set to continue throughout the 2023-2024 school year, offering an enriching experience that combines education with hands-on learning opportunities for students. This recognition underscores Dhahran Ahliyya Schools' ongoing commitment to environmental sustainability and the importance of engaging students in meaningful, real-world issues.



Please check the schools' website regularly for any inquiries and appointments



DAS Students Shine at DPSL Table Tennis Championship

On Saturday, October 19, 2024, Dhahran Ahliyya Schools proudly participated in the DPSL Table Tennis Championship, competing in the U19, U16, and U14 categories. The event, which saw participation from students across various private and international schools, was a great success for our athletes.

Our students brought home several impressive medals:

Rayana Abu Ahmed earned a bronze medal and secured third place in the singles category.

Hana Yasser and Lina Juraid claimed the silver medal and second place in the doubles category.

Leen Al Rahma also achieved a bronze medal and third place in the singles category.

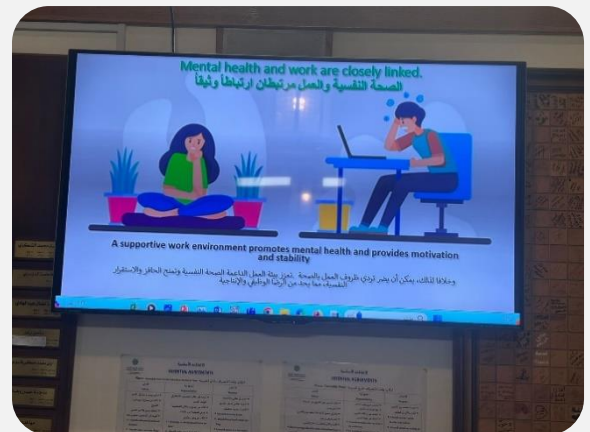
Aisha Al Naimi and Leen Al Rahma finished in second place, earning the silver medal in the doubles category.

Congratulations to our talented students for their outstanding performances, and we look forward to even more achievements in the future!



StuCo and Counseling Office at DAS Raise Awareness for World Mental Health Day

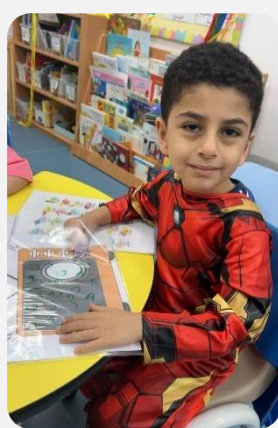
In observance of World Mental Health Day on October 10th, 2024, and in collaboration with DAS' Counseling Office, the Student Council produced an informative video to raise awareness on the importance of mental health under the theme "mental Health at Workplace", presented on the screen Gate 1. This collaborative effort helps maintain the mental health within the school environment and educates students and faculty on its role in improving our quality of life.





Kindergarten Department Celebrates the Launching of Classroom Libraries

The Kindergarten Department recently celebrated the launching of its new classroom libraries, featuring a diverse collection of books in Arabic and English. Students participated by organizing the books, bringing in their favorite titles, and dressing up as their favorite characters. The event included fun activities designed to encourage a love of reading and familiarize students with the library. This initiative highlights the importance of reading in developing skills and shaping future leaders.





“Bedtime Story Activity”

To foster stronger collaboration with parents, the Kindergarten Department held the “Bedtime Story” activity for KG 3 & 2. This initiative encouraged mothers to spend quality time with their children, engaging in circle time, movement activities, and reading prayers. The main goal was to nurture a love of reading by allowing children to choose a story and discuss its events with their mothers using higher-order thinking questions. This activity helped deepen the connection between parents and children while supporting early literacy development.





Discover Them to Nurture Them: National Program for Discovering Talents

The National Program for Discovering Talents is now open for registration. This initiative targets students from grades 3 to 10 in government, private, and international schools, as well as students in Saudi schools abroad.

Registration Details:

- First Registration Period: October 15 to November 18, 2024

- Second Period (Qiyas Centers Open): November 19, 2024, to January 13, 2025

Please note that registration for all offered tests will be available during this period, and early registration is recommended to secure a seat.

How to Create an Account on the Mawhiba Platform:

Watch this tutorial: [How to create an account on Mawhiba]

<https://youtu.be/l2yO93T5f5o?si=SciEV5daB1aeP6TD>

Registration Steps for Mawhiba:

For a detailed guide, download the registration steps here:

[\(Method for registering in Mawhiba Scale 2024.pdf\)](#)

Registration for the Bebras Informatics Competition Now Open!

The Bebras Informatics Competition is now open for registration, targeting students from grades 3 to 12.

[Bebras Informatics Competition 2024](#)

Competition Overview:

The Bebras Challenge consists of a series of short, interactive, and fun problems that can be solved online. These tasks require logical thinking, but no prior knowledge is needed to participate.

Target Audience:

General education students from grades 3 to 12.

Previous Question Models:

<https://www.bebrasksa.org/Pages/questions.aspx>

Registration Link:

Encourage all students to register for the competition via the link:

<https://www.bebrasksa.org/Pages/register.aspx>

Deadline for Registration: 8/6/1446

Trial Test Link:

To try out a sample test, visit: <https://arabic.bebrasksa.org>



DAS Students Celebrate World Teachers' Day with Community Service

In honour of World Teachers' Day, the students of Grade 3/B, guided by their class teacher Latifa Al-Dossary, participated in a meaningful community service project. They visited the 10th Elementary School in Al-Thaqbah, where they donated a collection of stories to support the school's library and benefit the students.

During the visit, the students expressed their heartfelt thanks to the teachers for their dedicated efforts in preserving the Arabic language, the language of the Qur'an. The event was filled with a strong sense of social responsibility, emphasizing the values of giving and selflessness.

