

EYFS & PRIMARY

NEWSLETTER



PSLT WEEKLY ROUND-UP



Mrs. Stokes
Head of Primary

What a busy and exciting final week of Term 2! The children had a fantastic time celebrating World Happiness Day yesterday, reflecting on what brings them joy and how they can spread happiness to those around them. Today, we also marked World Down Syndrome Day, with meaningful lessons on diversity and inclusion, helping our students understand and appreciate the unique differences and abilities that make each person special.

A highlight of the week was our SVS Community Iftar, which was a truly incredible evening. It was wonderful to see so many families come together to share this special time. A huge thank you to Mr. Abdelhamed for organising and leading such a memorable event.

Please take a moment to check this week's newsletter for a full list of Term 3 events, parent workshops and performances. Some dates have changed slightly, so please review them carefully.

I wish you all a wonderful Spring Break, and Eid Mubarak to those celebrating!

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COMING UP IN TERM 3...

MONDAY, APRIL 7

- Internal ECA Sign Up on Engage opens
8:30am – Year 1 & 2
10:30am – Year 3 & 4
12:30pm – Year 5 & 6

TUESDAY, APRIL 8

- Tunes on Tuesday resumes, 7:25 Ampitheatre
- Two for Tuesday – Year 3
- EYFS Water Day – children to bring wet clothes and towel

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 9

- Eco Warriors – Meet in Science Lab 7:30am
- ECA sign up closes – 9:00am

THURSDAY, APRIL 10

FRIDAY, APRIL 11

- Wake Up, Shake Up! Class 5A, 4F – 7:30, The Quad
- EYFS Dinosaur Dress Up Day

REMINDERS

The school will revert to usual school timings from Monday 7th April. As the heat levels continue to rise, all children must have a **hat** in school everyday.

PE/SQUADS UPDATES

PE & Sports – Term 2 Highlights!



Mrs. Teodoro
Director of Sports

Dear Parents,

What a fantastic term we've had in PE & Sports at SVS! From Sports Day to international competitions, our students gave their best in every PE lesson, training session, and competitions.

This term, **around 20 athletics school records were broken**, and we had **more students than ever qualifying for the Athletics finals**. Our athletes brought home **numerous medals in Aquathlon events**, and we can't forget the **outstanding performance of our U11 BSME team**. The PE department couldn't be prouder of our students—their attitude, commitment, and love for sports are truly paying off.

Looking ahead to Term 3, our PE focus will be on **gymnastics, dance, volleyball, and team games**, while our **swimming program will continue as normal** to prepare students for the upcoming **Interhouse Swimming Galas**. This diverse range of activities will allow every student to shine and develop new skills.

For our squads, we're excited to compete in **gymnastics competitions, the Aquathlon relay, and the basketball leagues**, where SVS will be entering both boys' and girls' teams across all year groups.

We would like to wish all SVS families a well-deserved and wonderful spring break!

Best regards,

The SVS PE Department



TERM 3 SQUADS:

- U8, U9, U10 & U11 Boys Basketball
- U8, U9, U10 & U11 Girls Basketball
- Individual Gymnastics (only until April)
- Gymnastics team (from April)
- Swimming
- Aquathlon

TERM 3 ALL SCHOOL EVENTS:

- EYFS, Y1 & Y2 - SVS Swimming shares – 5th to 8th of May
 - Interhouse swimming galas:
 - Year 3 – 26th of May
 - Year 4 – 27th of May
 - Year 5 & Year 6 – 29th of May
- (all details will be shared in next weeks newsletter)



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TERM 3 KEY DATES

DATE	EVENT	INFORMATION
APRIL		
Tuesday 8 th	EYFS Water Day	Children to wear wet clothes
Friday 11 th	EYFS Dinosaur Dress Up Day	
Monday 14 th	Year 5 Pharaohs Dress Up Day Wellbeing Parent Coffee Morning – Coping with Exam Stress	8.30am, Secondary Library
Tuesday 15 th	Year 6 Dress Up Day	Students dress up as a hero from history.
Wednesday 16 th	Y4 Islamic trip	
Thursday 17 th	World Haemophilia Day Y5 Islamic trip	Wear red with school uniform
Friday 18 th	Spring Celebration 4A Class Assembly 5D Class Assembly	16:00 – 20:00 – Quad & Astro 9.50 Primary Hall 9.10 Primary Hall
Monday 21 st	Y5 Arabic trip	
Tuesday 22 nd	Y6 Arabic trip	
Wednesday 23 rd	Year 2 Parent Meeting – Introduction of iPads in Year 3 Parents Evenings	8.15am, Secondary Library 3.00-5.30
Thursday 24 th	Parents Evenings	3.00-6.00
Friday 25 th	House Shirt Friday 4B Class Assembly 5E Class Assembly	9.50 Primary Hall 9.10 Primary Hall

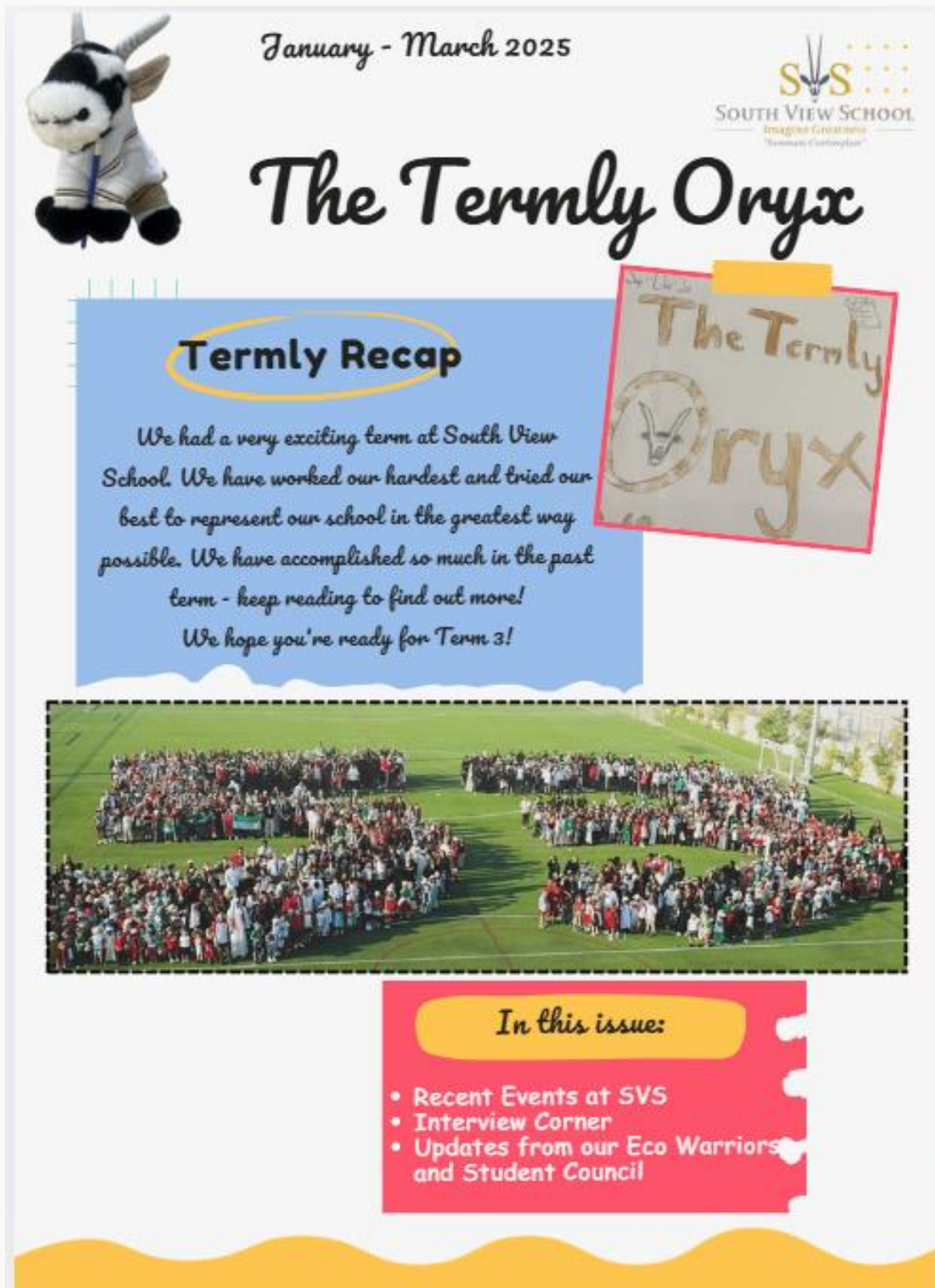
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DATE	EVENT	INFORMATION
MAY		
Wednesday 1st	EYFS Space Dome	Further information to follow
Friday 2 nd	Student led conferences FS and KS1 4C Class Assembly	Further information to follow 9.50
Monday 5 th	FS1-Y2 Swimming Shares All Week	Further Information to follow
Friday 9 th	4D Class Assembly Student led conferences KS2	9.50
Thursday 15 th	FS1 Show	8:30 (FS1A), 9:30 (FS1B) FS Hall
Friday 16 th	4E Class Assembly	9.50
Friday 23 rd	4F Class Assembly	9.50
Monday 26 th	Year 3 interhouse swimming gala	Further information to follow
Tuesday 27 th	Year 4 interhouse swimming gala	Further information to follow
Wednesday 28 th	KS2 Production	8.30, PMPH
Thursday 29 th	KS2 Production	5.30, PMPH
Thursday 29 th	Year 5 & 6 interhouse swimming gala	Further information to follow
JUNE		
Monday 2 nd	Year 2 Roald Dahl Dress Up Day	
Tuesday 3 rd	Year 3 Hero & Villain Dress Up Day	
Thursday 5 th & 6 th	Eid Al Adha**	School Closed
Tuesday 10 th	STEAM Careers Day Dress Up	All Primary
Thursday 12 th	FS2 to Year 1 Transition Talk for Parents	8.00am, EYFS Hall
Friday 13 th	Transition day	Children only
Monday 16 th	Dune production	Further Information to follow
Thursday 19 th	Year 6 Milestone Show	8.30 & 12.30, Imagine Theatre
Friday 20 th	KS2 Sports Awards	Further Information to follow
Friday 20 th	Year 1 Dinosaur Exhibition	11.00, Classrooms
Monday 23 rd	FS2 Milestone Ceremony	8.30, PMPH
Tuesday 24 th	End of Year Awards Ceremony	12.30, PMPH
Wednesday 25 th	Year 5 Ancient Egyptian Museum Exhibition End of Year Reports Published	Classrooms
Friday 27 th	Last day of Term 3	

THE TERMLY ORYX

Student Newsletter

What an exciting term it has been at SVS! Our English Champions and members of our Journalism Club have been working hard to create our termly newsletter. From exciting events to inspiring achievements, **The Termly Oryx** brings you a glimpse into Term 2 at SVS. Don't miss out—check it out [here!](#)



HEADS UP! : A WEEKLY OVERVIEW

FS1

OUR TERM 3A TOPIC:
A JOURNEY THROUGH TIME

OVERVIEW OF NEXT WEEK'S LEARNING

Maths: To sequence my daily routine.

Reading: To recognise set 1 sounds.

Writing: To explore the beginning section of our key text.

Science: To create a volcanic eruption.

Arabic: To review the letters from Alef to Ra along with words.



Ms. Walker
Head of FS1

FS2

OUR TERM 3A TOPIC:
A JOURNEY THROUGH TIME

OVERVIEW OF NEXT WEEK'S LEARNING

Maths: To explore numbers 11-20.

Reading: To read CVCC/CCVC words.

Writing: To retell the beginning section of our new key texts.

Science: To explore different dinosaurs.

Arabic: To review the letters learned, their sounds and related words.



Ms. Walker
Head of FS2

YEAR 1

OUR TERM 3A TOPIC:
BRIGHT LIGHTS, BIG CITY

OVERVIEW OF NEXT WEEK'S LEARNING

Maths: To count in 2s, 5s and 10s.

Reading: To identify Set 3 sounds.

Writing: To form a sentence using capital letters, finger spaces and full stops.

Science: To identify materials.

Arabic: To review the letters, their sounds and words.



Ms. Stanton
Head of Year 1

YEAR 2

OUR TERM 3A TOPIC:
MUCK, MESS & MIXTURES

OVERVIEW OF NEXT WEEK'S LEARNING

Maths: To compare the mass of different object.

Reading: To make predictions.

Writing: To use our five senses when writing.

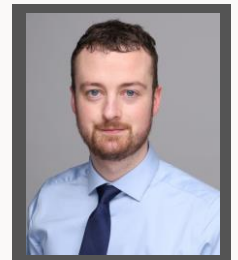
Science: To test the density of different materials.

Arabic A: To أن ينشئ المتعلم جملاً اسمية بسيطة.

Arabic B: To use the new vocabulary in simple sentences.

Islamic: To recite and understand the meaning of Surah Al-Kawthar.

MSC: To compare different types of traditional tales.

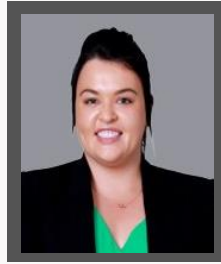


Mr. Larkin
Head of Year 2

HEADS UP! : A WEEKLY OVERVIEW

YEAR 3

OUR TERM 3A TOPIC:
VOLCANOES



Ms. Ryan
Head of Year 3

OVERVIEW OF NEXT WEEK'S LEARNING

Maths: To find unit fractions of a set of objects.

Reading: To make predictions.

Writing: To make inferences about the past.

Science: To understand what makes a surface reflective and how light is reflected from it.

Arabic A: To أن يفسر المتعلم المفردات الجديدة من خلال المعجم المصور

Arabic B: To use the new vocabulary and structures in sentences.

Islamic: To memorise and explain the key themes of Surah Ash-Shams.

MSC: To explore British Values.

YEAR 4

OUR TERM 3A TOPIC:
MISTY MOUNTAIN, CONTINUED



Mr. Didcott
Head of Year 4

OVERVIEW OF NEXT WEEK'S LEARNING

Maths: To explore tenths as fractions and decimals.

Reading: To identify vivid or interesting words and phrases in texts.

Writing: To consolidate and expand punctuation skills.

Science: To understand how animals are adapted to their environments.

Arabic A: To أن يوظف المتعلم المفردات الجديدة في جمل صحيحة

Arabic B: To use new vocabulary and structures in sentences.

Islamic: To understand the moral lessons and vocabulary of Surah Al-Balad.

MSC: To consider the idea of 'food miles'.

YEAR 5

OUR TERM 3A TOPIC:
PHARAOHS



Ms. Barlow
Head of Year 5

OVERVIEW OF NEXT WEEK'S LEARNING

Maths: To understand, use and measure angles.

Reading: To make predictions about a text from its front cover.

Writing: To identify the key features of a newspaper report.

Science: To explore the life cycle of a mammal.

Arabic A: To أن يفسر المتعلم المفردات الجديدة من خلال المعجم الورقي أو من خلال السياق

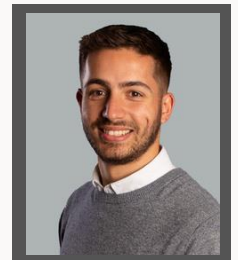
Arabic B: To write sentences using "I want to be..." and "I don't want to be..."

Islamic: To recite, interpret and reflect on Surah Al-Inshiqaq.

MSC: To identify how demands effect supplies and understand the importance of saving and budgeting.

YEAR 6

OUR TERM 3A TOPIC:
WONDER



Mr. Kavanagh
Head of Year 6

OVERVIEW OF NEXT WEEK'S LEARNING

Maths: To calculate the area and perimeter of a shape.

Reading: To identify and understand the authors' purpose in a text.

Writing: To complete a Heroes Tale Cold Write.

Science: To explore the colour of light.

Arabic A: To أن يفسر المتعلم المفردات الجديدة من خلال السياق

Arabic B: To analyse the paragraph linguistically.

Islamic: To analyse and comprehend the messages in Surah An-Naba (verses 1-16).

MSC: To compare and contrast major political systems.



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