



SOUTH VIEW SCHOOL

# EYFS & PRIMARY

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## NEWSLETTER



## PSLT WEEKLY ROUND-UP



**Mrs. Stokes**  
Head of Primary

This week has been a difficult one for our community. During times like these, it becomes even more important to pause and reflect on what truly matters. I would like to say a heartfelt and very public thank you to our incredible staff, who have truly embodied our SVS values of kindness, integrity and respect throughout the week. Their compassion, professionalism and unwavering care for our children and one another have been evident in every conversation and every action.

Moments like this remind us just how strong we are as a community. It is in challenging times that the true spirit of a school community shines through, and I could not be prouder of ours.

A sincere thank you as well to Mr Abdelhamed and Mr Hossam for arranging such a wonderful Community Iftar. It was a truly special evening that brought people together in a spirit of reflection and unity. To those of you who joined us, I hope you enjoyed the evening as much as we did.

Wishing you all a peaceful weekend. Please take time to enjoy those precious moments with your loved ones.

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# COMING UP NEXT WEEK...

## [PARENT DASHBOARD](#)

Log In Credentials

[parent@southview-school.com](mailto:parent@southview-school.com)

Parent123

## MONDAY, MARCH 2

## TUESDAY, MARCH 3

- Two for Tuesday – Year 6
- Year 1 Spelling Bee – Class Rounds

## WEDNESDAY, MARCH 4

- Magrudy's Bookfair

## THURSDAY, MARCH 5

- Magrudy's Bookfair
- World Book Day – all invited to dress up
- Author Visits – Charlotte Jones and Kathy Urban

## FRIDAY, MARCH 6

- Magrudy's Bookfair
- International Women's Day

## REMINDERS

### REENROLLMENT

Please check your inbox for your child's reenrollment email that was sent this week. The reenrollment form must be completed by **20<sup>th</sup> March** to secure your child's seat for the next academic year.

## WE WOULD LOVE TO HEAR FROM YOU!

Your feedback means the world to us and helps others learn more about what makes South View School so special. If you have a moment, we'd really appreciate it if you could leave us a review on Google.

[LEAVE A REVIEW HERE](#)

# SQUADS UPDATES



**Mrs. Teodoro**  
Director of Sports

## 🏆 Term 1 League Champions 🏆

We are delighted to officially congratulate our U8, U10 and U11 Girls Netball teams, along with our U11 Boys Football team, for winning their respective leagues in Term 1. This is a fantastic achievement and a true reflection of the students' commitment, teamwork and determination throughout the season. We are incredibly proud of their hard work and sportsmanship. The school has now received the trophies, which are proudly displayed in our trophy cabinet at the school reception. Please feel free to take a moment to view them when visiting the school.



### Links:

[PE & sports presentation 25-26.pdf](#)

[SVS Sports Website](#)

[SOCS Parents login](#)

## PE during Ramadan

During Ramadan, all lessons will run as normal. We kindly ask that parents of students who are **fasting clearly communicate** with their class teachers to confirm whether their child is permitted to take part in lessons or if you would prefer that they do not participate.

If your child is fasting and you would still like them to join their lessons, please be reassured that they are welcome to take **regular breaks** if needed. Students simply need to inform their PE teacher, and this will be fully supported. Thank you for your cooperation and understanding.

We would like to wish all our SVS families a blessed **Ramadan Kareem**. 🌙

## PE Trial Sessions – Basketball, Rounders & Cricket

The PE Department has started trial sessions during PE lessons for the following sports: Boys' and Girls' Basketball, Girls' Rounders and Boys' Cricket.

We understand that some students have been fasting and therefore have not participated in PE lessons during Ramadan. We will be offering **additional trial sessions specifically for those fasting students who did not take part in PE during this period**.

Please note:

•All remaining students will complete their trial sessions during their PE lessons over the next **two weeks**.

If you would like your child (who has been fasting and not participating in PE) to attend an additional trial session after Ramadan, please contact the relevant member of staff below:

### Year 3 & Year 4

•Girls' Basketball: eman.saied@southview.ae

•Boys' Basketball: pedro.correia@southview.ae

### Year 5 & Year 6

•Girls' Basketball & Rounders: sonia.teodoro@southview.ae

•Boys' Basketball & Cricket: karl.evans@southview.ae

Thank you for your continued support.

# SPECIALIST UPDATES

## SVS Shares



**Mrs. Patton**

Deputy Head of Primary

We are delighted to invite you to SVS Shares for FS1 to Year 4 on **Friday 13th March.**

This is a wonderful opportunity for you as parents to step into your child's learning world. SVS Shares opens the classroom, allowing your child to showcase their hard work, explain their learning journey, and share their workbooks with you. It's always such a meaningful event that strengthens the connection between home and school, and we can't wait to welcome you into our learning spaces.

The timings for SVS Shares are as follows:

- Friday 13<sup>th</sup> March **FS1, FS2, and Year 1:** 10:00am onwards
- Friday 13<sup>th</sup> March **Year 2, Year 3, and Year 4:** 10:30am onwards

To enable us to plan this event in enough time please sign up [HERE](#) before **Monday 9th March at 8am.**

Please note if you have more than one child you will need to complete the form separately for each child.

## Student Led Conferences

We are delighted to invite you to our Student Led Conferences for Year 5 and Year 6 on **Friday 13th March at 10:30am till 11:00am.**

SLCs are 30-minute sessions held in school, where your child will share work, they are proud of and guide you through their learning journey. This is a fantastic opportunity for your child to reflect on their progress, set goals, and build confidence, while you gain valuable insight into their learning.

To enable us to plan this event in enough time please sign up

[HERE](#) before **Monday 9th March at 8am.**

Please note if you have more than one child in Year 5 and/or Year 6 you will need to complete the form separately for each child.

## World Book Day



**Ms Falvey**

Head of English

We are celebrating World Book Day on **Thursday 5th March.** To mark the occasion, children are invited to come to school dressed as their favourite book character. We will be selecting best dressed on the day. Homemade costumes are encouraged.

Magrudy's Bookshop are hosting a Book Fair from **Wednesday 4th to Friday 6th March** in the Dance Studio (Admin Block). Your child's class teacher will let them know what day they will be visiting the Book Fair. If you would like your child to purchase a book, please send money in the envelope provided. A suggested amount is **50-100 AED.**

Families are also welcome to visit the Book Fair at drop-off and pick-up times:

- Wednesday & Thursday: 8:00-8:20am and 12:40-1:30pm
- Friday: 8:00 - 8:20 and 11:00am-12:00pm

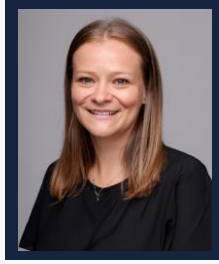
We are excited to welcome authors Charlotte Jones and Kathy Urban to South View School on Thursday 5th of March for engaging reading workshops.

We look forward to celebrating a love of reading together.

# HEADS UP! : A WEEKLY OVERVIEW

## FS1

**OUR TERM 2 TOPIC:**  
**Earth Savers**



**Ms. Walker**  
EYFS Lead

**OVERVIEW OF NEXT WEEK'S LEARNING**

**Maths:** To explore the length of objects.

**Reading:** To recognise the sounds 'c' and 'k'.

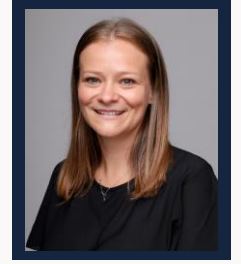
**Writing:** To retell the ending the story.

**Science:** To explore a habitat.

**Arabic:** To recognise and say familiar Arabic letters and simple words through songs, pictures, and classroom activities.

## FS2

**OUR TERM 2 TOPIC:**  
**Earth Savers**



**Ms. Walker**  
EYFS Lead

**OVERVIEW OF NEXT WEEK'S LEARNING**

**Maths:** To explore the length of objects.

**Reading:** To CVCC and CCVC words.

**Writing:** To innovate the character of our story.

**Science:** To compare habitats.

**Arabic:** To identify, pronounce, and match Arabic letters with their sounds and recall simple familiar vocabulary.

**Islamic:** To recognise simple Islamic greetings and respond correctly.

## YEAR 1

**OUR TERM 2 TOPIC:**  
**Fantastic Fairytales**



**Ms. Walton**  
Head of Year 1

**OVERVIEW OF NEXT WEEK'S LEARNING**

**Maths:** To compare and measure length and height.

**Reading:** To read and represent a description of a setting.

**Writing:** To design and describe a setting.

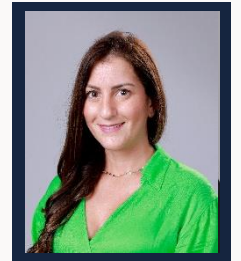
**Science:** To name our body parts and match them to our senses.

**Arabic:** To revise previously learned Arabic letters, read simple words, and use familiar vocabulary in short spoken or written responses.

**Islamic:** To name some prophets and important Islamic events

## YEAR 2

**OUR TERM 2 TOPIC:**  
**Shelters Through Time**



**Ms. Baroud**  
Head of Year 2

**OVERVIEW OF NEXT WEEK'S LEARNING**

**Maths:** To identify and use unit fractions.

**Reading:** To use clues from the text to predict what might happen next.

**Writing:** To recognise present and past tense in sentences.

**Science:** To compare materials used for the same object.

**Computing/Digital Literacy:** To identify the use of conditions in coding.

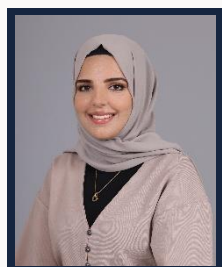
**MSC:** To discuss why someone tells stories.

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## YEAR 3

### OUR TERM 2 TOPIC:

Red Hot Rocks



**Mrs Saad**  
Head of Year 3

### OVERVIEW OF NEXT WEEK'S LEARNING

**Maths:** To measure in metres, centimetres and millimetres.

**Reading:** To explain key vocabulary related to myths and legends.

**Writing:** To apply rich and varied vocabulary in my writing.

**Science:** To investigate how distance affects shadow size.

**Computing:** To identify how ICT benefits our daily lives.

**MSC:** To discuss the role of art in expressing culture.

## YEAR 4

### OUR TERM 2 TOPIC:

Lost At Sea



**Mr. Didcott**  
Head of Year 4

### OVERVIEW OF NEXT WEEK'S LEARNING

**Maths:** To add and subtract different types of fractions.

**Reading:** To draw inferences and justify my ideas with evidence.

**Writing:** To innovate a persuasive text.

**Science:** To explore our understanding of different food chains.

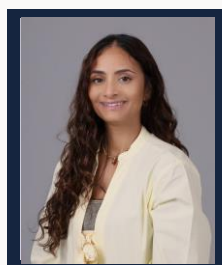
**Computing:** To use conditional statements in coding.

**MSC:** To consider ways to reduce, reuse and recycle.

## YEAR 5

### OUR TERM 2 TOPIC:

Gravity, Galaxies and Gears



**Ms. Parker**  
Head of Year 5

### OVERVIEW OF NEXT WEEK'S LEARNING

**Maths:** To use fractions as an operator.

**Reading:** To retrieve information from a non-fiction text.

**Writing:** To analyse punctuation in persuasive writing.

**Science:** To investigate air resistance on falling objects.

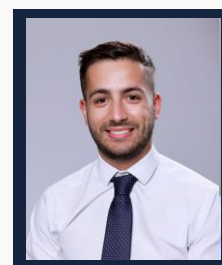
**Computing:** To identify how data is used to make decisions.

**MSC:** To understand trade networks.

## YEAR 6

### OUR TERM 2 TOPIC:

Revolution



**Mr. Kavanagh**  
Head of Year 6

### OVERVIEW OF NEXT WEEK'S LEARNING

**Maths:** To find a percentage of an amount.

**Reading:** To answer comprehension questions using specific reading skills.

**Writing:** To innovate a non-chronological report.

**Science:** To analyse evidence which supports the Theory of Evolution.

**Computing:** To use 3D design software to create basic shapes

**MSC:** To explore how civilisations evolved from the ancient period to the classical period.

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## Ministry of Education Subjects

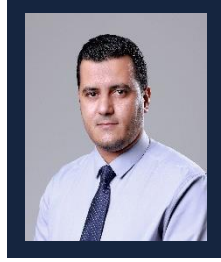
### Term 2



**Mr. Abdelhamed**  
Head of MoE



**Ms. Asmaa**  
Head of Primary  
Arabic



**Mr. Hossam**  
Head of Primary  
Islamic

Dear Parents,

Thank you sincerely to all the parents and families who joined us for our Iftar yesterday. It was a pleasure to have you with us, and your presence truly made the evening special. Coming together during the blessed month of Ramadan gave us a wonderful opportunity to share a meaningful time as one school community, and we are very grateful for your attendance, warmth, and support.

We would also like to gently remind you about our Ramadan collection in support of our staff. If you would like to make a donation, we would be very thankful for your contribution. Kindly ensure that any donations are sent before next Tuesday.

Thank you once again for your support, generosity, and for being part of this special occasion with us. We truly value your ongoing partnership and wish you and your family a blessed and peaceful Ramadan.

### Year 2

#### Arabic A:

قصة فصيح وصديقه بلبل

**Arabic B:** To identify classroom objects and use them in spoken sentences.

**Islamic:** To memorise and recite short Surahs correctly

#### Social Studies:

أن يعدد المتعلم مهنًا مختلفة، ويعبر عن مهنته التي يطمح إليها.

### Year 3

#### Arabic A:

أن يميز المتعلم حروف العطف.

**Arabic B:** To identify farm animals and use them in meaningful sentences.

**Islamic:** To describe the Five Pillars of Islam in simple sentences

#### Social Studies:

أن يحدد المتعلم عناصر الهوية الوطنية ويميز سلوكيات الانتماء للوطن

### Year 4

#### Arabic A:

متابعة كتابة النص الوصفي.

**Arabic B:** To identify vocabulary related to the winter season.

**Islamic:** To explain the meaning of selected Quranic verses in their own words

#### Social Studies:

أن يوضح المتعلم دور مؤسسات المجتمع ويبيّن دورها في رعاية الأفراد.

### Year 5

#### Arabic A:

أن يحدد المتعلم الصفات الداخلية للشخصيات في قصة ياسمين وزهرة دوار الشمس.

**Arabic B:** To talk about transportation and compare land, sea, and air transport.

**Islamic:** To differentiate between good and bad behavior according to Islamic teachings

#### Social Studies:

أن يعدد المتعلم الإمارات السبع ويحددها على الخريطة.

### Year 6

#### Arabic A:

أن يحدد المتعلم ركني جملة كان.

**Arabic B:** To identify the new vocabulary related to the lesson "A Newborn."

**Islamic:** To apply Islamic values and teachings in real-life situations and daily decisions

#### Social Studies:

أن يوضح المتعلم أهداف تأسيس مجلس التعاون الخليجي والدول الأعضاء.



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