

WEEKLY BRIEFING

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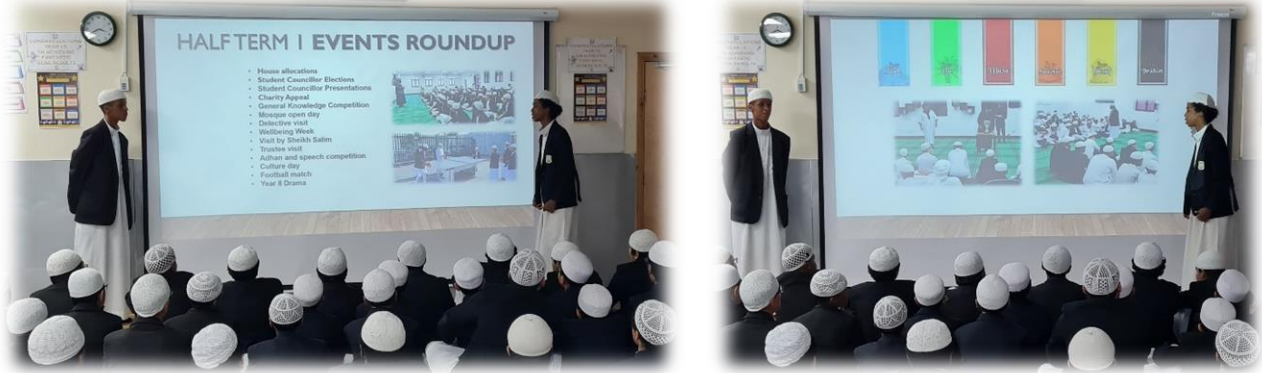
Dear Respected Parents and Carers,

Assalamualaikum wa Rahmatullaahi wa Barakatu. We make du'a In-sha'Allāh this briefing reaches you all in good health and emaan.

Please read about our eventful week full of learning, fun and personal development, Alhamdulillah.

HALF-TERM HAS ARRIVED

Alhamdulillah our first half-term has been completed. Darul Uloom pupils had a super start to this academic year, ending it with some assessments to check everyone's progress. Our Year 7 pupils have established themselves as fully fledged house members and students of knowledge – we are very proud. Well done to all!



Two of our Year 11 student's, Bilaal Diriye and Muhammad Shire delivered a hilarious and entertaining presentation recalling all the fun activities, competitions, visits and more this term. The wonderful presentation was created by our media team, Saaim Ahmed, Zuhayb Hasan, and Abdullah Choudhury.

USING OUR HOLIDAY TIME

All parents are requested to ensure your sons utilise this precious holiday time effectively. Ensure they are praying in Jammāt in the Masjid, they refresh themselves with family fun activities and they also continue their learning such as Hifdh of new sabak, holiday homework, subject retrieval and preparation for exams. Remember, our end of term assessments will begin after four weeks which includes GCSE mocks!

SAFEGUARDING

Have you considered the risks your child faces in school, out of school and at home? Have you noticed any change in their behaviour? Talk to us about it – even if it seems small.

The wellbeing officer, Moulana Junaid and DSLs, Ustaadh Azmol, Ustaadh Abir, Moulana Shahidullah, Moulana Ibrahim, and Ustaadh Azharul are on hand to discuss any worries. Call us or simply email!

WORK EXPERIENCE FOR YEAR 10



Our Work Experience Scheme takes place on **4-8 March 2024** and will involve your son undertaking a one-week work experience placement. We expect that every pupil will take part in this excellent opportunity to gain valuable employability skills, knowledge, and a work reference for further studies/job applications.

Please assist your son in securing a great work placement!

NASIHAH

Our head of Hifdh, Moulana Abdullah Al-Mamun delivered our weekly nasihah talking about the importance of repentance. He explained the concept of tawbah, the method of tawbah and the teachings of our beloved Prophet ﷺ regarding tawbah. This is very important for our pupils to understand that we will make errors along the way, but we must respond with tawbah to be successful in both worlds.



May Allah ﷻ bless our pupils, scholars, and teachers, Moulana Abdullah Al-Mamun, the staff and pupils, and give them all jazaa/khair in this world and the hereafter.

KHUTBAH

Our Year 9 pupil, Abdur Rahman delivered a great khutbah on Friday reminding everyone of the importance of utilising our time – a perfect time to give this advice. He was able to share ayat from the Holy Qur'an and advice from the sayings of the Prophet ﷺ with confidence regarding this topic.

The adhaan was also beautifully recited by our Year 7 pupil Muhammad Mustafa Khan, Alhamdulillah.



May Allah ﷻ reward them both in abundance, make them great scholars and da'ees and guide all of us to the straight path, Ameen.

YOUNG LEADERS IN THE MAKING – SCIENCE PRESENTATIONS

As part of Dr Khan’s science lessons, Year 7 pupils are being trained to deliver presentations on the topics they are studying in order for them to better retain important information as well as strengthen and develop their own communication skills. These presentations will continue throughout the year, with plans for one-two pupils delivering them on their most current topic weekly.



This week our Year 7 pupils Mikail Shahji Mohammed and Saleh Aldayel delivered outstanding individual presentations, filled with amazing detail, on the digestive system, ending it with questions from other pupils. Wow, are they really in Year 7 you may ask? Yes, they certainly are! They were both brilliant, demonstrating confidence in their subject knowledge, which was only possible through their efforts and hard-work in their studies and presentation preparation, Masha’Allah. May Allah Azzawajal bless them both in abundance and make them strong leaders, scholars and daees, Ameen.

CLUBS & BOOSTERS

Day	Club	Time
Monday	Year 7 English	4:15pm – 5pm
Tuesday	KS3 Football	4:15pm – 5pm
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Wednesday	Year 8 English	4:15pm – 5pm
	Homework	4:15pm – 6pm
Thursday	KS3 Basketball	4:15pm – 5pm
	KS3 Arabic	4:15pm – 5pm
Friday	Reading	4:15pm – 5pm

KS4 subject specific boosters take place every day from 5pm-5:30pm, parents will be informed if a pupil must attend.

UPCOMING EVENTS

School Re-opens Tuesday 7 November as the usual time
Our Hifdh & Alimi boosters will start too as usual, from 7:30am
Online Parent Conference, 9 November 10:00am – 11am
UK Parliament Week, 6-12 November
Sports Competitions, 13-14 November

DAR WINNERS

Our last day ended celebrating our pupils' achievements, the top house points earners and our Dar winners. The top house point earners are the most hard-working pupils as it demonstrates perseverance, consistency in their efforts and good actions, Alhamdulillah. We recognised the top house point earners in each house through presenting them with house certificates. The top house earners were Cusmaan Masare, Musa Phipps, Ibrahim Aziz, Hasan Mashood Karim, Abdulrahman Abdulkadir, Muhammad Ismail Alum, Masha'Allah.



The Dar winner for Term 1.1 were Dar Yusuf, Masha'Allah. A brilliant achievement for the whole house gaining their points through team work, winning competitions, along with consistently working hard and performing good actions. They managed to keep on top of Dar Nuh by only 15 points, their closest competition throughout the term and have vowed to retain this dominance throughout the year. Well done Dar Yusuf with this brilliant win, may Allah Azzawajjal bless you all in abundance.

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