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KUWAIT ENGLISH SCHOOL JUNIOR DEPARTMENT
PARENTS' WEEKLY NEWSLETTER
WEEK BEGINNING: SUNDAY, 11th October 2020



Sunday, 11th October	
Monday, 12th October	9.00am Year 3 Big Sing
Tuesday, 13th October	9.00am Year 4 Big Sing
Wednesday, 14th October	9.00am Year 5 Big Sing
Thursday, 15th October	9.00am Year 6 Big Sing World Maths Day #1 🎉🎉🎉

- We had a wonderful **Poetry Day** last Thursday. We were delighted with the poetry read and produced by our students. They certainly inspired us with their creativity! Please continue to listen to your child reading poetry and stories at home to help develop their fluency and pronunciation. Ask your child about what they have read - this will improve understanding and critical thinking skills.
- This Thursday is **World Maths Day #1** and all students are invited to dress with a mathematical theme to their costume. We look forward to an exciting day where students will be involved in a variety of Maths challenges.
- We are very lucky to have Mrs Al Mujaibel, Mrs Read and Miss Priya in the Junior Department to give students the opportunity to work with their peers in **small groups**. This will give them some much-needed social interaction. All students will have the opportunity to do this during the course of e-learning.

- Please come and collect a **Handwriting exercise book** for your child if you have not already done so.
- Thank you, again, for overseeing your child's independent learning at home. We are impressed with our **students' commitment** to punctuality, attendance and focused attitude. All students should now be working independently with their teachers and classmates.
- Students are not permitted to use lesson links or to **create their own Meets** outside of school time on their school account on their Chromebook or on another device to connect with students socially or to complete work together. This has been made clear to students.
- Please remind your child to have their **camera** turned on at all times during e-learning unless advised otherwise by their teacher.
- Heads of Year have produced a list of key skills students are aiming to master during Term 1a for your information:
 - [Y3 Skills](#)
 - [Y4 Skills](#)
 - [Y5 Skills](#)
 - [Y6 Skills](#)
- You may wish to speak to your child about **digital permanence** - the fact that, in many cases, once you post something online, it's there for anyone to find for many years to come. It is wise for your child, if they stop using an online service, such as a gaming account, YouTube channel, etc. to delete or deactivate the account. The data won't disappear but this will make it much harder for others to find in the future.
- This newsletter can be updated during the week - please check back from time to time for any amendments or additions.

JUST AROUND THE CORNER

- **Half Term Break - 23/10**



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UP HAVING HAD
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