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### **Islamic Studies**

Please come along and meet our Islamic Studies team on the following dates at 2.55

Year 1 & Year 2 on 15th January Year 3,4 & 5 on 22nd January

#### **Year 4 Educational Visit**

Our year 4 class will be learning about Ancient Egyptians in their History lessons this term. To support this fascinating topic a workshop has been arranged at the British Museum. Pupils will be able to examine ancient Egyptian artefacts more closely.

## **Year 4 Science Trip**

In support of Science week the year 4 class will be attending a Science workshop at a local secondary school on the 12th January where they will be able to take part in some exciting hands-on experiments.

#### **Half term Dates**

We will be off for half term from

12th February 2018—16th February 2018

# Uniform

Please ensure that your children come to school prepared for the school day eg P.E kit.

The full and correct uniform must be worn daily and sweatshirts, coats, and jackets should be clearly labelled.

# **Swimming Classes**

Our Year 3 class will inshallah begin swimming classes on Thursday 18th January The children will walk to the local public swimming baths in Brixton and participate in a 30 minute session. We ask that parents ensure that the pupils have their full and correct swimming kit on the relevant days.



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12th January 2018 Autumn Term

## **Hadith of the week**

Allah's Apostle said, "If anyone of you enters a mosque, he should pray two Rakat before sitting."

Sahih Bukhari

### **Welcome**

A very warm welcome back to all our families, in particular our new Nursery children. We have a very full and busy term a head of us with many educational trips planned so please remember to check the school website regularly.

Iqra School will be participating in 'Ready Steady Read' from the 15th to 19th January.

So lets get the children sponsored and get reading—the more money raised the more books the school will have to read

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# **Science Trip**

Our Year 5 enjoyed a very interesting work shop on the 5th of January, held in the Science Department of a local Secondary school. The children were able to enjoy taking part in different activities from those they experience at Primary school, all as part of our Science week.

## **Reception 2018 Admissions**

If your child's birthday falls between 01.09.13-31.08.14 you must apply for a reception place via the borough you live in by **15th January** 2018.

A supplementary form— Iqra Admission form can be completed and returned to the school office, however Reception places are allocated by Lambeth Borough not by Iqra School.

If your child was born between 01.09.13-31.08.14 and has turned 3 they may be eligible for a Nursery place in January 2018 if there are vacancies, please enquire via the office.

# **After School Clubs**

Our new clubs have begun as follows

French Club on Tuesdays years 3-6 Gymnastics Club on Tuesdays years 1-6

Martial Arts on Thursdays years 1-6 Football on Thursdays years 1-6

### **Lateness**

Unfortunately, lateness continues to be a concern. Whilst we do appreciate that sometimes this cannot be avoided, where families are persistently late, this has a huge impact on our children's learning and effects the school's overall attendance, which is then picked up by Lambeth Council. Children must be in class for Registration at 8.30 and will be marked late if they arrive after this time. If a child arrives after 8.40 they will be registered with a 'U' mark which signifies they have missed a morning's lessons



#### **BFI Southbank**

The Year 6 class will be visiting BFI Southbank on the 16th January. The visit is in relation to the World War Two topic they have been studying. The trip will provide an invaluable insight into this period of history.



## **Pizza Express**

Our year 3 class are currently studying balanced meals as part of their Design Technology topic. In support of this they will be visiting Pizza Express and participating in a workshop where they will be preparing

healthy pizzas.

