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A quest for faith and Knowledge

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"The response from Madni School Dewsbury has been fantastic and I would like to thank each and every person that took part in this noble cause, with your support we were able to deliver shelter homes at a time when it was most needed..." Abdussamad Mulla- Country Director of Al-Imdaad UK

Attendance- term 3

Primary 1-

Primary 2-

Primary 3-

A sad farewell to Fazila Apa who will be leaving Primary 2 at the end of the academic year. We thank Fazila Apa for all her hard work and dedication and the positive difference she has made to each individual student. She has not only been a fantastic teacher but has truly touched hearts. Primary staff and students wish Fazila Apa all the best in the future.

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Dear parents, students and friends of Madni Primary...

We've had yet another busy fun packed term at Madni Primary. A big well done to our year 2 and year 6 children on their fantastic key stage 1 and key stage 2 results. Sadly we bid farewell to our year 6, we wish them all the best as they begin their exciting journey to high school. It is with a heavy heart we say goodbye to Fazila apa, a very valued teacher and colleague after 8 years of fantastic service. Apa will be missed by all, we pray the Almighty grants her immense reward for her dedication and service to the school and wish her lots of success in her future plans. Alhamdulillah I am pleased to notify parents that Madni primary is extending its current provision to include boys up to year 6. Please contact the school office for admission details.

We also propose to rebrand the school name from September 2017 to Madni Academy. This change will be reflected with a brand new logo and a change of uniform for the secondary school.

A huge jazak... to the Primary staff team for their continued dedication and efforts. May the Almighty accept it and reward you.

Enjoy the break and stay safe. May Allah SWT safeguard the entire ummah in these testing times. Aameen

Shakera Mirza

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"Highlights In Term 3"

<u>SATs -</u>

A big well done to the Year 2s and Year 6s for their exceptional efforts leading to SATs and during their SATs week. May A....h reward them.

<u>End of Year Assessments and Optional</u> <u>SATs-</u>

A huge well done to all our Primary students for their excellent effort throughout the year and during assessment week. We hope to see the same enthusiasm next year!

<u>Tree Planting</u> - Primary students got green fingered as they planted trees in Dewsbury Country Park. Children were challenged and managed to plant over 100 trees! Organisers commented on the outstanding behaviour and manners of the Primary students. Well done!

<u>Ramadhan Awareness Morning</u> – Children enjoyed a fun morning packed with informative and craft activities linked to Ramadhan. Students made a range of items including Ramadhan calendars, acrostic poems, lanterns, Sadqah box and Iftaar/Suhoor plates. Feedback from students displayed their interest and enthusiasm throughout the fantastic morning.

<u>Swimming</u> – What a huge achievement from our P2 and Year 5 pupils. Students learnt various strokes and swimming skills, working excellently in each session, with most children able to swim 5m and 10m lengths. Now that's impressive! <u>Jalsa</u> – Some fantastic talent was displayed in the various outstanding performances from Primary children. We commend all children for their hard work leading up to the Jalsa and the confidence they displayed.

<u>End of Year Trips</u> – P1 thoroughly enjoyed their day at Cannon Hall farm, exploring the animals and even had a chance to feed them! P2 and P3 had an awesome time at Lightwater Valley, enjoying the thrill of the rides.

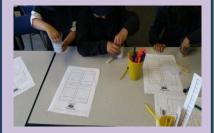
Highlights of the Year:

- * Kickboxing
- Martial Arts
- Swimming
- AL Mubarak Radio Show
- Awareness Mornings
- Student Performance
- Primary Talent Show (Winners: Bilal And Rumaisa, Ayesha Shahzad, Aleena Asif).
- Safiyah Saleem Once upon a dream Young Writer's.
- Publication of all Primary stories and poems in Young Writer's West Yorkshire edition.



Science





Primary 1 children became green fingered during our plants topic! They explored

the world of seeds, why plants disperse their seeds and the various clever ways in which they do this. They planted cress seeds and grew a bean using hydroponics and recorded what happens to them. They used various arts and design techniques to make and model their own seeds and finally enjoy the fruits of their labours!

DT

In DT we explored pizzas and discovered what a variety of toppings and bases look like, taste like and feel like. We designed and made pizza's to meet our design and evaluate it based on the criteria.





History

In history we went on a royal journey and explored the lives of queens in the past and present. We learnt what it's like to be a queen and to live in a palace and explored famous palaces in the United Kingdom and how they were used by queens in the past and present. We learnt about Queen Elizabeth I, Queen Victoria and Queen Elizabeth II and explored their lives and accomplishments as well as finding out about the lives of ordinary people during their respective reigns.





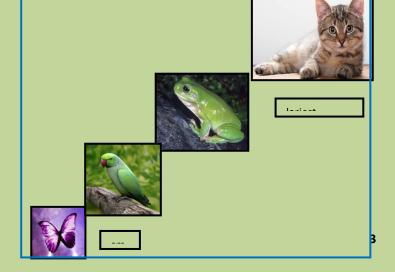
This term in ICT we used the web to find images, copy and paste to create a poster and explored different ways in which the pictures could be organised.

ICT



Geography

This term in geography we took a tour of the seven continents of the world and explored their features, people and landmark and learnt where the seven continents are on a map.





<u>Crazy Creatures Competition</u> -Huge congratulations P2's talented authors who entered the Young Writers' national writing competition. The competition got pupils' imaginations running wild and they were eager to write about their creations! Well done to all children whose marvellous mini sagas were published in Crazy Creatures - West Yorkshire! Astounding achievement!

<u>Amazing Architects!</u> A massive well done to all of P2 for designing and creating fantastic models of buildings following a specific design brief. We were blown away with all the hard work and effort everyone had put in! Well done to Fathima Imran for winning the competition! We absolutely loved your magnificent castle! A huge well done to Roqayyah for coming runner up! A special mention to:



Hafsah Saleem- excellent imagination and innovation! Well done for putting 2 design briefs together and creating one extraordinary building. Asiya Arif, Khadijah Gulraiz and Fatima Malik-Lots of creative details!



<u>Super Sewers</u>: Children had lots of fun and learnt lots of new skills in our DT sewing topic, including using a variety of stitches, pattern making, cutting and pinning. Children also learnt to sew on applique, embellishments and buttons. P2 designed and created fabulous purses and pencil cases!

<u>Let's get cooking!</u> P2 became passionate chefs and really enjoyed cooking a variety of seasonal food. Yummy! They had lots of fun learning about different dishes that can be made using fruit, vegetables, meat and fish. This topic got us thinking: Why are certain foods in season at different times of the year? Why is it good to eat seasonal food? How can we include seasonal food in a healthy, varied diet?





<u>Sounds Spooky!</u> In our Literacy Live Unit 'Sounds Spooky', P2 enthusiastically listened to an audio podcast called 'The Ghost Thief'. They then planned and wrote their own exciting spooky story podcasts in groups. Children enjoyed reading aloud and recording their stories on the computer, using a microphone and incorporating sound effects. They then added visuals to go with their story and shared their final recorded versions in assembly with all of primary. Excellent effort and enthusiasm!

Beautiful Butterflies: We enjoyed watching the incredible transformation of caterpillars to butterflies right from our classroom! We excitedly observed the butterfly lifecycle from tiny caterpillars to chrysalides to beautiful butterflies! We then had a wonderful opportunity to gently hold the butterflies and release them outside. SubhanA..h what an amazing process!

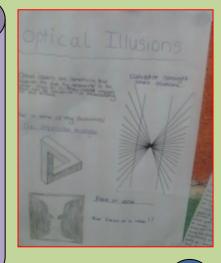






<u>Creative Project Designers</u>: What an extraordinary array of projects created by Primary 3! Students were asked to use their imagination to create a project based on their upcoming topics. We had some amazing fact files, beautiful optical illusions and even a life size flower fact plant! A big well done to all of P3 for creating some astounding projects.

Project winner: Aayah Maskell - Excellent Optical Illusion.





Amazing Artists: Primary 3 took on the challenge of researching and studying different artistic techniques when studying 'Cityscapes'. After much consideration and detailed understanding of various Artists' skills, children set out to create their own 'gallery worth' final pieces. The final results were outstanding and definitely belonged with the likes of Monet and Van Gogh!

Expert Bakers- Students became expert bakers during our last D.T topic this year. The delightful waft of cookies filled the Primary corridors as Primary 3 were busy experimenting with flavours and techniques to find the perfect biscuit recipe. The end results were delicious!





Float or sink? - Year 5 and 6 scientists took investigating into their own hands as they created the most durable boat designs to hold up weights. Taking into consideration buoyancy and water resistance and after much deliberation, students prepared their final design. The atmosphere in the classroom became tense as each group was tested with weights.....However, Apas were awed as each group preceded expectations, leading up to the winner whose paper boat design was able to hold 2.91.kg! Well done to Group Chameleon Crew and Mousetastic Titanic!





<u>What a twist!</u> – Year 6 displayed their creative flare and genius imagination when writing stories with a twist. We had a range of spine tingling chillers to clown and alien fantasies – all of them absolutely capturing and excellent!

Winners: Week 1: Aayah, Jawairiyah and Hafsah

Week 2: Aayah, Aatika and Safiyah

Week 3: Lailah, Fatimah H and Aliza

Week 4: Zainab, Hamnah and Lailah, Aliza

Business Tycoons:

Our Year 6 Entrepreneurs had some wowtastic business ideas this year in relation to their challenge. From marketing to sales, they absolutely worked their socks off! They were each given £2 and had to return it with a profit. With their fantastic business skills, they managed a brilliant profit on their business deals! This year's innovative ideas included Unicorn Frappuccino, Galactic Rice Krispies Delectable Desserts and 'The Stationary Stop'. Well done to all!







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Our Achievements





Head Teacher's Award Presented To:

Muskaan Muniza, Maryim Shari, Hafsah Mohammed.



"I started Madni in P2 and was quite timid. However, as I started settling in I loved it and had the best time. I especially adored the reading corner including some fantastic books. I then transitioned into P3. I loved it and became courageous. As the year went on my confidence grew. I'll miss Primary dearly." *Hafsah Mohammed*

"I have been at Madni for 5 years and throughout these years it has become my second home. Here I have always felt safe and secure. This has probably been the most overwhelming experience of my life and I'll certainly miss it more than I've ever missed anything. The students and staff have made Madni a welcoming environment and I have made the most stunning friendships. The lessons have been very educational as well as enjoyable. I'll miss Madni greatly."

Lailah Islam

"When I first joined Madni in Year 6, I felt nervous and worried. Now there is a big difference in my life and I am confident. All the teachers are amazing. A new brilliant time in my life has led my journey through the year. It has been the best once in a lifetime experience. It's amazing!" **Aayah Maskell**

"When I first came to this school, I was very nervous because I didn't know a single person. However, as my teachers introduced me to the class I was overwhelmed by the loveliness of everyone. I have fantastic teachers that have really helped me in all my assessments and I feel I have progressed very well and my confidence has improved."

Fatimah Hussain

"Before I started this school I was less confident in my studies, although have progressed brilliantly. I have loved this school because the teachers are really concerned about us and the children are very I have met some fantastic caring people. I adore this school and it holds a very special place in my

heart."

Hamnah Shimraz

"I love Primary hugely. I've been a student since nursery and I wish the Primary years never ended. I absolutely adore Afira Apa, Fazila Apa and Sumaiya Apa. They're outstandingly, superbly and amazingly great. The teachers are all special in their own way."

Safiyah Saleem

"I started off shy but as years passed by my confidence grew and grew until I turned into who I am today. Throughout my journey, the astonishing Apas have helped me to become who I am. I will use all the advice and education as it is all extremely helpful. I am incredibly grateful for being a part of Primary. It was totally worth it!"

Ezzah Mohammad

A sad farewell to our lovely Year 6s, who have been a brilliant asset to the school. Each individual has been an absolute star. They will be missed greatly!