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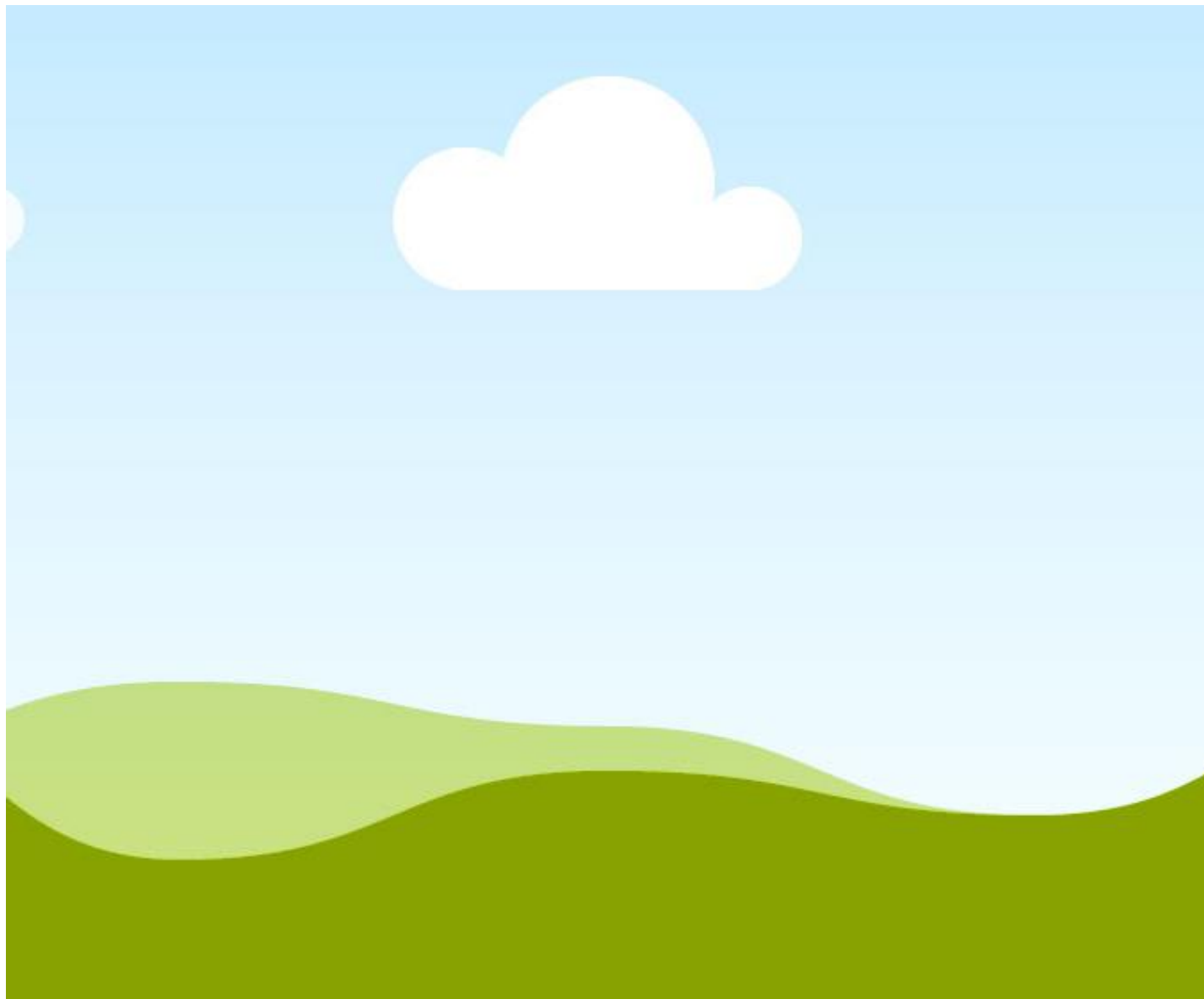
Arabic Language Week

Arabic Language Week is always a fun and educationally fulfilling week here at Elite, and this one was no different with students enjoying a range of activities to help them with their Arabic studies.

These included creative writing, story tellers, plays, etc. and we cannot forget the parents' participation.

The week aimed to enhance Arabic language skills and to educate students about the importance of mastering the Arabic language: the official language of the United Arab Emirates, and a language of global importance.

We look forward to next year!



Chemistry Lab

HIGH SCHOOL


“A laboratory is always considered as a relevant and essential part so far as the teaching of Science is concerned.”

School laboratories are the place where students can perform researches, experiments and even learn new things.

School labs are great places for students which helps them enhance their learning by understanding the theoretical concepts of science taught in classrooms.

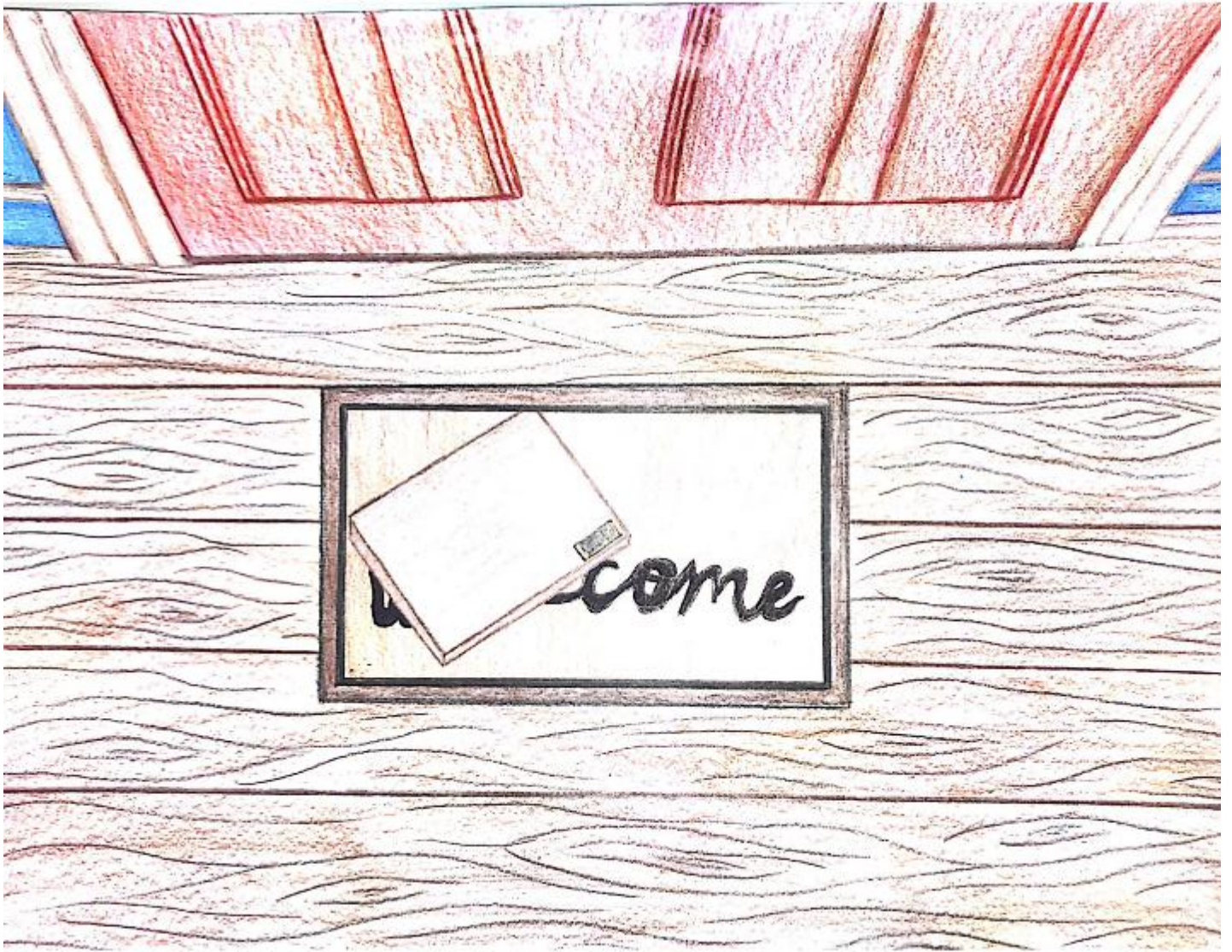
Labs give students first-hand experiences and offer better opportunities for learning. They also help in developing interactions between teacher-student and peer-to-peer, which helps them in experimentation, research, and exploration.

Our G12 students go to the lab to conduct experiments in order to observe the red-ox reactions between metals and then analyze their data to find the order of reactivity. These activities always come up with very positive results to our students.

A close-up photograph of a young girl with dark skin and hair, wearing a large orange bow. She is looking slightly to the right with a gentle expression. The background is blurred, showing other people in a crowd.

"Education is
the movement
from darkness
to light"

ALLAN BLOOM



Inside Pandora's box

Maha Mohamed Harara - 11GB

As I was applying my makeup, I gazed at myself in the mirror. I ran my hand through my long light brown hair swaying it behind my back as I started getting ready for work at an architectural firm in the city of Abu Dhabi. Strolling out of my tiny room, I walked down the stairs into the kitchen, making myself some breakfast. My younger brother Khalifa walked in behind me as I started making my meal. Khalifa and I are really close, I think that goes back to my late parents who passed away when we were just kids; we had an indescribable bond that no one could break. He is the sweetest human being alive.

His eyes always project happiness. I admired him the same way a mother admires her son, as I practically raised him. I prepared a filling breakfast for both of us, then paid him my goodbyes.

A series of unfortunate events and bad luck made my journey back home from work quite unpleasant. After what I felt like an eternity, I made it back home with a box of cookies that were once warm. I unlocked the door and looked for Khalifa but couldn't find him anywhere, so I laid the box of cookies on the kitchen counter-top and hoped that Khalifa would be here soon. I rested on the couch and



watched some reality T.V. show. Soon, I heard the sound of keys clanging against each other at the door, Khalifa appeared with a furious demeanor. He approached me with a clenched fist. Concerned, I stepped closer to him and started to ask what was wrong. I expected a reply, but instead I felt the strong force of his knuckles against my cheek. I screamed as the brutality of the punch forced me to stumble backwards. The feeling of betrayal overpowered the pain. "Why would you do that?!" I asked with fright. I always knew he had sociopathic tendencies, but I never knew that his condition would get worse to this level. I always noticed his weird behavior with other kids when he was younger, and how he didn't feel sympathy for someone else's misfortune. He didn't respond to my question, instead he pulled me from my chair and threw me on the ground.

I screamed in misery hoping that this nightmare would end. My only thought led me to grab his foot, which made him stumble then fall. I stood up, regaining my stability and ran to my phone to dial '999'. The second respondent picked up my call, Khalifa pushed my phone to the ground and once again punched me on the face. The operator heard my cry for help and sent the police to my address.

Khalifa was taken into custody for abusing a family member. He was officially diagnosed as a sociopath, giving the court of law only one reasonable consequence to sentence, which was checking Khalifa into a mental institution until further notification. I lived comfortably alone with three dogs. Life went on better than I expected, until one day. I heard the doorbell ring, so I stood up to see who it was. When I opened the door, I found a box laying on my front porch. The box was a sandy-brown folded neatly at every edge with a beige bow on top. It looked almost as if a present of a lifetime was waiting to be uncovered underneath the beautiful packaging. I walked over to it to examine it. There was no address or name on it, so I left it by the door. I went back inside trying to forget about it, however curiosity killed me. I returned to the front porch and held the box. I hesitated on whether or not I should open it, but I did. The box was empty. Confusion was written all over my face. When I looked back up, I saw Khalifa. He laughed maniacally as I heard a gunshot and darkness invaded me.



Artificial Intelligence

The Information and Computer Technology Department had the chance to guide 12th graders' to Al Khwarzmi International college to attend several workshops.

The workshops were mostly hands-on and about topics such as graphic design and programming.

The students had the opportunity to use 2D designing programs and 3D max character modelling.

The students were enthusiastic and encouraged to be part of this program.

Al Khawarizmi International
College





International Day of Mother Tongue

Abu Dhabi Police Department

Abu Dhabi Police Department has celebrated the International Day of Mother tongue with the cooperation of Elite Private School in the presence of: Captain Saeed Butti Al-Sabousi - Director of the Community Police Branch at Mussafah Police Station, Captain Mubarak Saeed, Captain Mohammed Mubarak Al-Rashdi, First assistant Shafi Abdullah Al-Hajri, First Assistant, Ali Muhammad Al-Mansoori, The first assistant is Iman Saleh Al-Jabri, a civil administrator - Salem Al-Rashdi, Civil trainer, Oshiba Khamis Al-Sanidi and a number of officers of the Musaffah police station.

The celebration aims to stress the importance of strategic partners in increasing community awareness of linguistic and cultural diversity. Students from different countries along with Emarati students gathered in our library to give speeches in their mother tongue. International Day of Mother Tongue is celebrated on the 21st of February worldwide. The Colonel Juma Salem Al Kaabi, Director of the Police Directorate for External Zones, appreciated the role of educational institutions such as Elite Private School in supporting the future generations. .

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Healthy Breakfast Day

Kindergarten

To help children understand that a healthy breakfast is very important and it will help them to concentrate, learn and feel better in school, Elite Kindergarten students prepared the healthy breakfast feast, supervised by our teachers.

Our students experienced the taste of healthy food and learned how healthful breakfasts are supposed to be, and they enjoyed having a healthy meal.





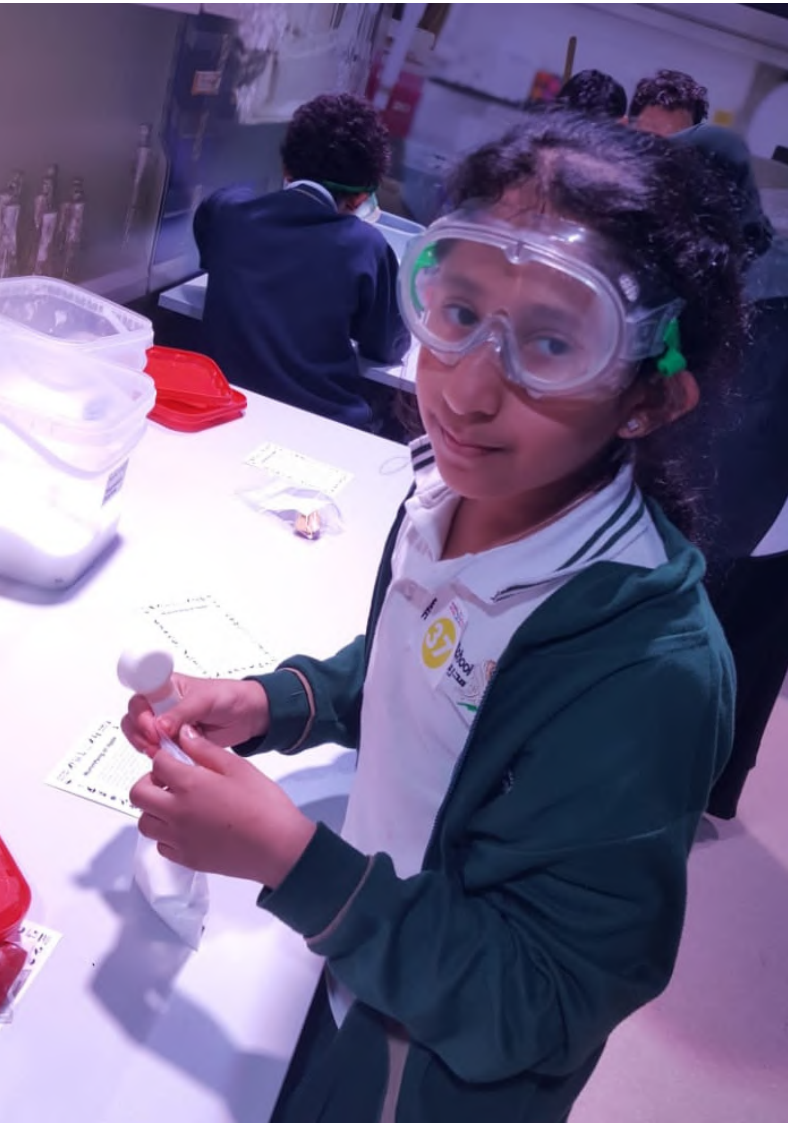
School Trips

Educational trips play a vital role in the school curriculum, which serves a wide range of benefits in several ways including learning and teaching. Elite Private School encourages students to explore more knowledge of the outer scope and helps students to learn through authentic

experiences. Our little ones had the opportunity to visit and explore many places such as The Science Festival of Abu Dhabi, Emirates zoo and Warner bros.

Elementary School







Career Day

Introducing young children to potential career options early on in school can keep students focused and engaged in subjects throughout middle and high school. It is always great to make students think and dream of

what they would like to be in the future. On the career day, Students chose their future dream career and acted it, wearing, of course, the proper costume for that career.

Elementary School





Sports Day

Elementary School

Sports day is a chance for children who have a passion for outdoor sports and team games to shine, as well as helping children to be more competitive. Sports day for children in primary school has been proven to enhance mental and physical development, as well as social skills and even improvements in academic performance. We celebrated

achievements in PE by allowing children to showcase their skills during a sports day. Students enjoyed a day full of exercises and sports. The outdoor activities in the school had offered plenty of fresh air, and the opportunity to try something new. Most students had fun playing and competing with their friends from other classes.





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**"When you
learn, teach.
When you get,
give "**

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MAYA ANGELOU



Morning Assembly

To develop a feeling of affiliation, sense of identity, unity among students and to facilitate the moral values, a teacher-in-charge and students plan and implement morning assemblies on a daily basis at Elite Private School.

Elementary School



Stars of the Week

In order to stimulate learning and to motivate good behavior, Elite Private School encourages its students by positive reinforcement in the form of praise or rewards awarded in the morning assembly.







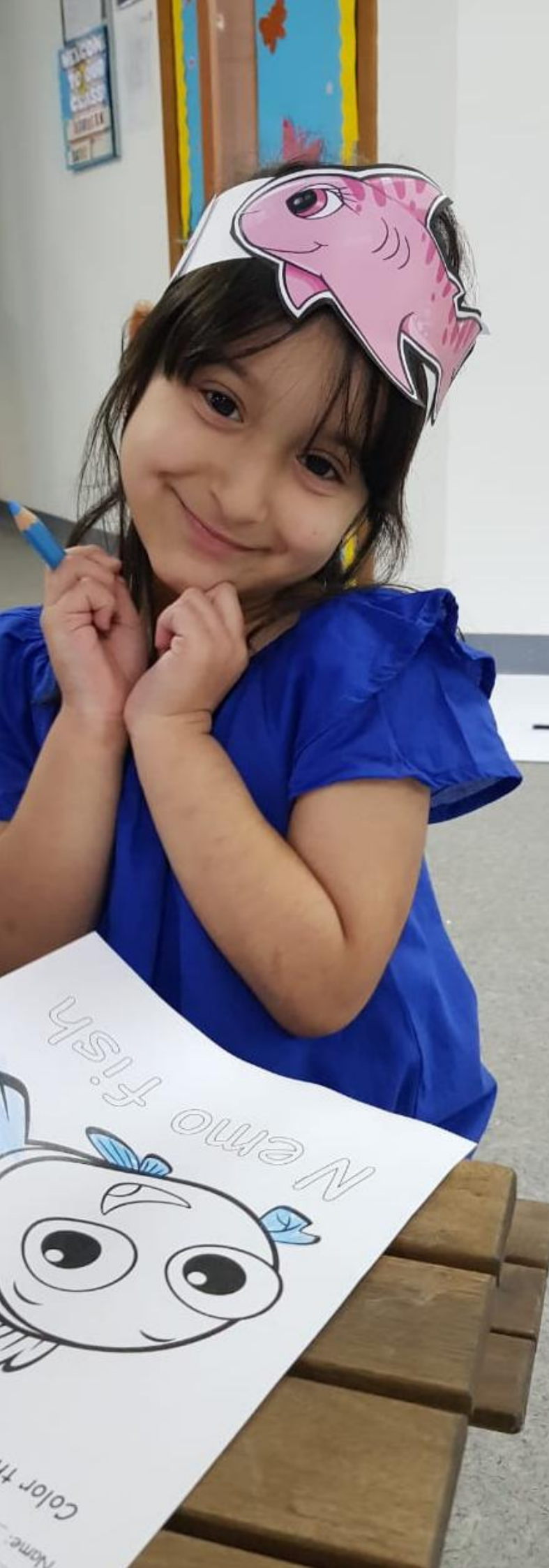
Fishing Day

To build confidence, enhance motor skills, improve coordination, and as a way to incorporate real-life learning, our Kindergarten students celebrated a fishing day. As children see they can be successful in fishing, they carry that confidence over to other parts of their life.

This activity was full of fun and engagement and it helped them learn the art of patience as well.

Kindergarten







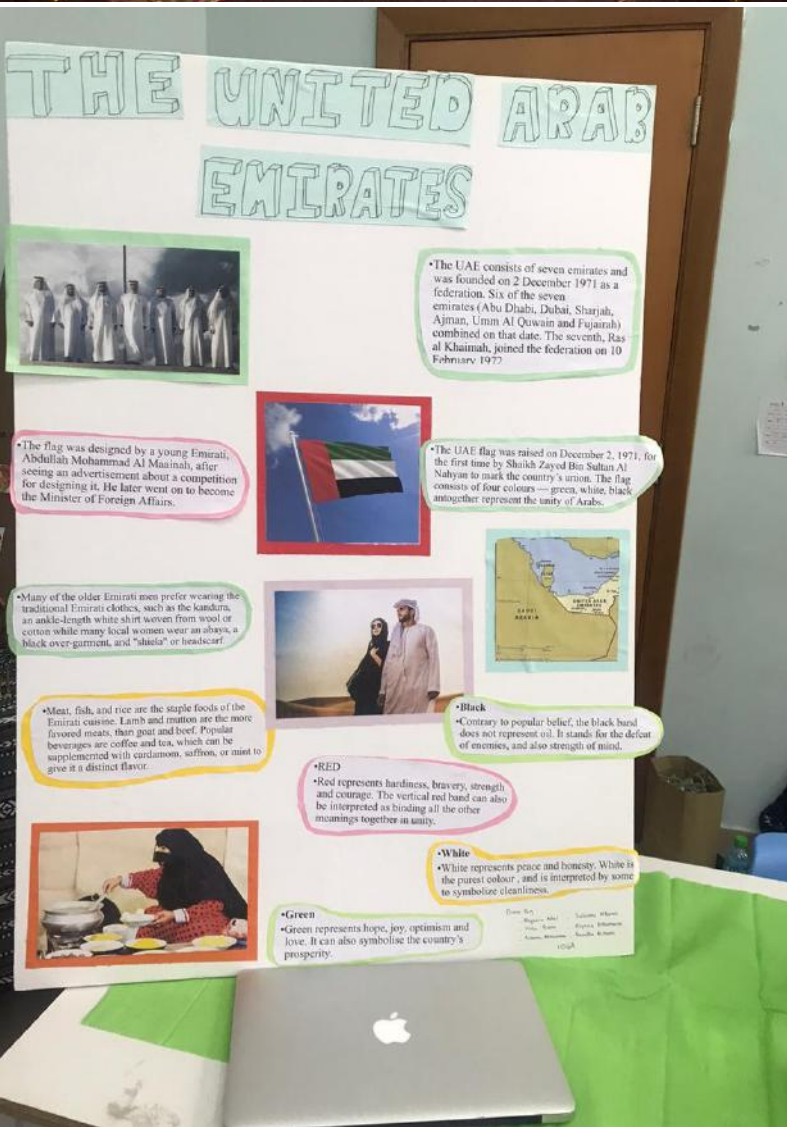


Cultural Day

Grade 10, 11 and 12 students held a cultural day in the girls' section on March 2nd. Students in each class prepared activities and posters to display as a way of introducing and displaying different countries and cultures. This was a project for World History subject. Through this event, students had to practice their presentation skills and public speaking.

In addition, they did many types of research to prepare their displays. Students and teachers from other classes were invited to the event. This event was an opportunity to expose our students to different cultures, enhance their cultural awareness and learn about the importance of cultural diversity and harmony.







Cultural Exchange & Development Day

People Impact

People Impact is the international market leader in the education sector providing soft-skills training, psychometric assessment, counseling services, and overseas exchange programs for students. They are based in Hong Kong since 2002 serving students, teachers, and parents in 8 countries. They have 3 main programs:

- **Brain Impact** that includes academic performance, divergent thinking, critical reasoning, analytical thinking, and opportunity seeking.

- **Leader Impact**, which includes self-development, leadership, and resources management.
- **Think Impact**, which includes logic evaluation, critical thinking, language skills, critical reasoning, and numerical reasoning.

A research conducted by Harvard University shows that the most successful people in the world attribute 87.5% of their success to their soft skills, and only 12.5% to their hard skills. Elite invited People Impact to come to our school on December 24th for a Cultural Exchange and Development Day.



The objectives were:

PROFESSIONAL: To share the rationale of brain intelligence, opportunities and game design of soft skills to Elite teachers.

FUN: Elite students to interact with fun and challenging soft skills (IQEQ) games held by People Impact international licensed trainers

EXCHANGE: Elite and People Impact students to understand and appreciate cultural differences and make new friends from another part of the world.

The day was full of activities and in the end, during the closing ceremony, certificates were given to all the students and teachers that made this day a very successful one.

Our students were thrilled with the event. We would like to thank the parents for bringing their children to school during the winter break for this amazing day.









Pyjama Day

Pyjama Day is a day in which KG children were thrilled with the novelty of wearing their pyjamas to school and seeing all their classmates do the same!

Children were so proud of their pyjamas and some even brought along their favorite bedtime stories and toys.

The regular morning routine was replaced with a series of

special activities including games, bedtime stories and learning about the importance of sleep in our life.

The day has certainly given the children a lot to think about and we bid the sleepy heads a good rest that night.



Thank you to the parents

We want to thank you for working in close collaboration with us to ensure your kids are achieving their best.

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