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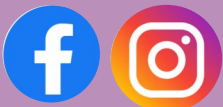
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SCIENCE MONTH

Celebrating Science Month at Al Ain Juniors School

Al Ain Juniors School dedicated the entire month of September to celebrating the wonders of science and sustainability. Students eagerly participated in a variety of engaging and educational activities designed to inspire curiosity, foster innovation, and promote a deep understanding of sustainability and environmental stewardship.

Each week was themed to provide a comprehensive exploration of different aspects of science and sustainability:

Week 1: Innovation Week

Students delved into the world of innovation, exploring cutting-edge technologies and creative solutions to global challenges. Activities included students in groups conducted a brief, fun science experiment within 5 minutes and then provided a 5-minute explanation about the experiment. Students of grade 8 worked in groups to design and build their tower using Tooth pick and marshmallows, fostering teamwork and collaborative skills.

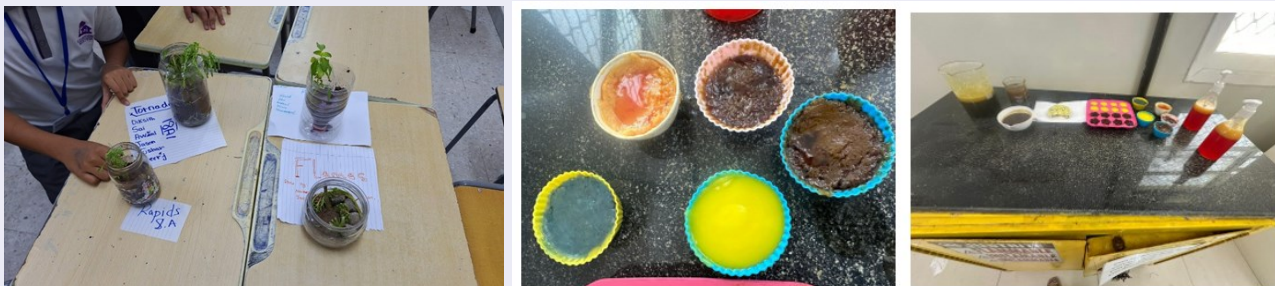


Innovation Week



Week 2: Sustainability Week

Focused on sustainable practices and environmental stewardship, Students of grade 7 gathered plastic bottle caps from the surrounding areas and use glue sticks to create attractive models within 40 minutes. Students of grade 8 constructed mini terrariums inside cleaned plastic bottles, incorporating soil, small plants, and decorative elements to create a sustainable, self-contained ecosystem.



Week 3: Science Exhibition: Greenovation

Our Science Exhibition on the 19th of September showcased our students' incredible projects. Greenovation, a premier Science Exhibition designed as part of Science Month, ignited young minds and celebrated their creativity and scientific curiosity. This event provided a platform for young, bright minds to showcase their innovative ideas, scientific experiments, and impactful projects. Students had the opportunity to explore their passion for science and present their work to the school community.

Week 4: ERGA Week

ERGA Week emphasized Environmental, Renewable, and Green Alternatives. Students engaged in making Collage of Nutrient-Rich Food Items. They identified and categorised food items that are rich in essential nutrients such as proteins, vitamins, omega-3 fatty acids, and carbohydrates. The activity promoted awareness of balanced diets and helps students understand the role of these nutrients in maintaining good health. Students of grade 8 designed Healthy Snack packaging Using Virtual Designing Tools. The focus was on emphasizing the nutritional content, portion size, and the benefits of choosing nutritious snacks



Sustainability Initiatives as part of Science Month

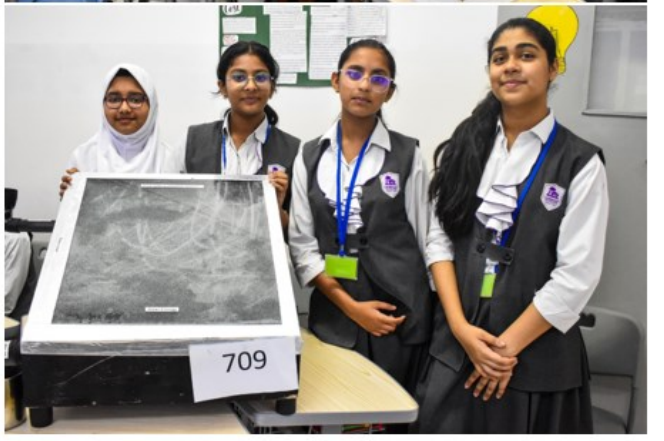
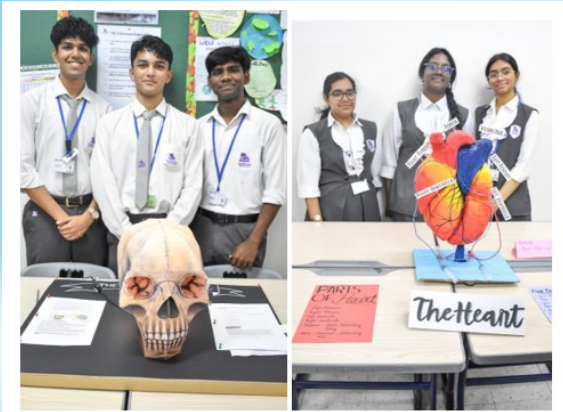
The Science Department undertook a remarkable initiative to promote sustainability by transforming a specified location near the Vice Principal's office to resemble an aquarium. To complement the visual transformation, students also performed a beautiful song on sustainability. The aquarium-like setup and musical performance effectively raised awareness about sustainability among students and staff.

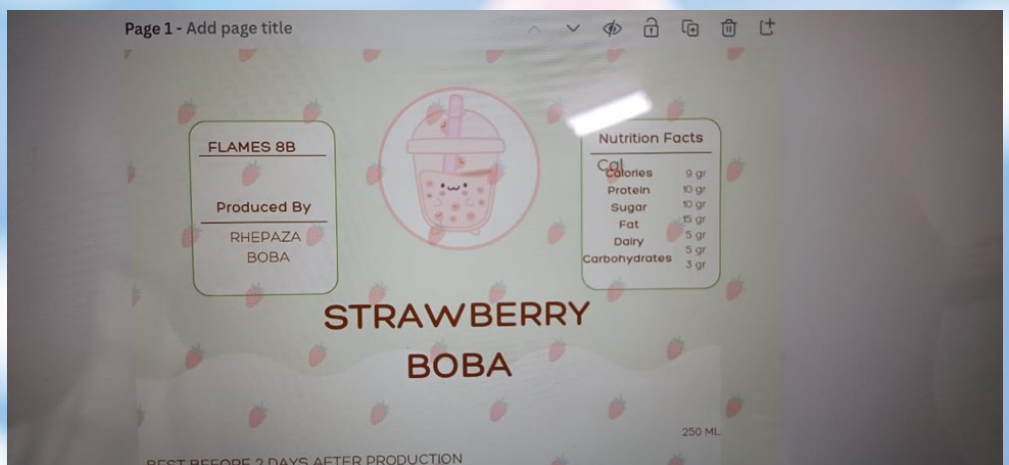
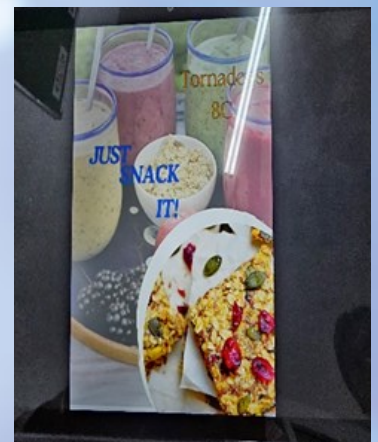
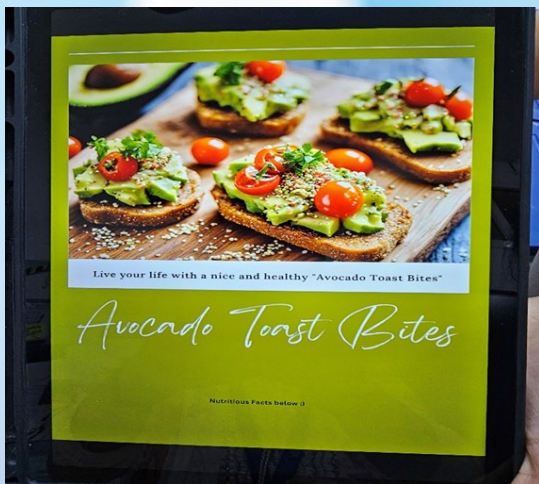
Soap Making Event as part of Science Month

As part of the September Science Month festivities, the Science Department organized a soap-making event for Grade 11 students to demonstrate the practical application of chemistry concepts in everyday life. Students through the soap-making process, explained the chemical reactions involved, such as saponification. Emphasis was placed on safety protocols, including the proper handling of chemicals and use of protective gear. Students gained a deeper understanding of chemical processes and their practical applications.

Closing Assembly: Celebrating Achievements

On the 24th of September, we held a grand closing assembly with an exciting lineup of performances and presentations to celebrate the hard work and creativity of our students. The assembly highlighted sustainability and innovation, bringing the Science Month to a memorable finale and leaving students inspired and motivated to continue their pursuit of sustainability, knowledge and innovation.







The important thing is
not to stop questioning.
Curiosity has its own
reason for existing.

Albert Einstein



"The science of today is the technology of tomorrow."

- Edward Teller



CAREER FEST

Our Al Ain Juniors School - Indian System Grade 11 & 12 students took charge and organized an incredible Career Fest! From career booths to insightful talks, it was a day filled with inspiration and future possibilities.

A huge shout out to the students and teachers involved for making this event a huge success! We're so proud of our future leaders taking these important steps toward shaping their dreams.



Congratulations

IAA TEACHER EXCELLENCE AWARD 2024 WINNERS

Congratulations to our Al Ain Juniors School Principal, Mr. Mohammad Gaffar and teachers, Ms. Smitha Rajesh and Mr. Ahammed Navas for winning IAA Teacher Excellence Award 2024, the prestigious recognition, awarded by the Indian Association Ajman in collaboration with the Consulate General of India, Dubai during the Teachers' Day celebration.



EXTERNAL COMPETITIONS



Winners of the AI Presentation Competition!

Second Prize and Third Prize in
“Welcome to the world of AI Innovations”
organized by Lulu Hypermarket



Champions of the “Smart Learning Solutions” Debate Competition!

Secured First Prize, Second Prize and Third Prize
in the debate competition organized by
Lulu Hypermarket Kuwaitat



Congratulations to Our Winners!



Turning Waste into Wonder!

Secured Third Place at EEG ART Competition



SDG CHAMPION AWARD

Secured SDG Champion Award organized by the Ministry of Education



Prestigious Certificate from Indian Embassy

Received Prestigious Certificate signed by the Indian Ambassador during the Hindi Diwas celebration to five students who scored 95+ in the CBSE board exams.

Congratulations to Our Winners!

Secured 2nd Place in Long Jump and 2nd place in High Jump in the CBSE UAE Cluster Athletic Meet!



THANK YOU!