

Paradise Primary

In the pursuit of excellence

Dear Respected Parents:
Assalamualaikum and welcome to our July 2022 Newsletter.

Paradise achieves excellent results again!

Congratulations to the Year 6's for their hard work and achieving outstanding SATs results. All the best to the Year 6's as they move onto the next phase of their educational journey.

Year 2 pupils who sat the KS1 SATs also achieved excellent results. A huge well done to the Year 2's for their great effort and excellent achievement.

A huge well done to Year 1 children for accomplishing a milestone in their reading journey and achieving excellent results in their Phonics Screening test.

This success is a recognition not only of children but also the staff and parents for their continued commitment and dedication. A big Thank you to all staff for their hard work and dedication through out the year. Not merely in the pursuit of these excellent results but also nurturing and making each child a well rounded individual. We would also like to thank parents for their continued commitment and in allowing the children to achieve their potential. May the Almighty reward everyone for their efforts in both the worlds. Ameen!

CONGRATULATIONS!

Our children have achieved outstanding results in KS2, KS1, Phonics Screening and Early Years Profile Scores.

KS2 Results	Reading	SPAG	Maths	All 3 Subjects
Average Scaled Score (scored between 80-120)				
Paradise	109	112	107	
National Average	105	105	104	
% of Pupils Achieving 100+				
Paradise	96%	100%	96%	91%
National Average	74%	72%	71%	59%
% of Pupils Achieving 110+				
Paradise	52%	57%	30%	22%

KS1 Results	Reading	SPAG	Maths	All 3 Subjects
Average Scaled Score (scored between 80-120)				
Paradise	108	108	108	
National Average	100	100	100	
% of Pupils Achieving 100+				
Paradise	96%	87%	100%	87%
National Average	68%	59%	70%	59%
% of Pupils Achieving 110+				
Paradise	43%	48%	39%	30%

Year 1 Phonics	100% of pupils achieved the expected standard
Early Years Foundation Stage Profile Results	82% of pupils achieved the expected standard

Star of the Year

Congratulations for being Star Pupils!

- Year 6 - Ammaarah Raja
- Year 5 - Saifullah Deen
- Year 4 - Muhammad Khurshid
- Year 3 - Muhammad Zayd Polli
- Year 2 - Aysha Rasool
- Year 1 - Aisha Ajmal
- Reception - Saarah Habib
- Nursery- Muhammad Abubakr Hussain

★ STAR READERS ★

Congratulations to the following pupils for reading the most books in their year group and for achieving the highest 100% score in AR quizzing.

Year 6
Khadija Tukur - Highest 100% score & Most books read

Year 5
Aaminah Hussain - Highest 100% score & Most books read

Year 4
Sumayyah Habib - Highest 100% score & Most books read

Year 3
Ibraheem Ali - Highest 100% score & Most books read

Year 2
Ammaarah Habib - Highest 100% score & Most books read

Year 1
Muhammed Sayed - Highest 100% score & Most books read

Reception
Saarah Habib

Salahudin ibn Faraz
Maryam Valli

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CROSS CURRICULAR DAYS

Children Around The World

Children enjoyed an insightful day journeying

around the world and exploring the lives of children in countries and continents far away! They travelled to India, Pakistan, Bangladesh, China, Japan, North Korea, Columbia to name a few and were fascinated to learn about the commonality and diversity of cultures, language, food, clothing, schooling and daily life of children in these regions.

Whilst looking at what a day in the life of a child in Africa is like, children took up the challenge of fetching water and balancing the container on their heads. It was hard work! It helped children understand and appreciate

how lucky and fortunate they are and appreciate all the blessings they have been bestowed with. Alhamdulillah!

Children enjoyed participating in many fun activities including making African jewellery and playing African games.

Children created beautiful chinese farmers hats, and decorated them with their names using the Chinese alphabet.

Children learnt how to greet each other in different languages and loved tasting different types foods from around the world including trying to eat with chopsticks!

It was a fun filled day with lots of exciting activities, fun games, and learning!



Hajj 2022 - A Hajj expedition was organised for children to learn and gain first-hand experience of the holy pilgrimage. A model was made and set up for each significant place of worship. Children had a great Journey; from the moment of passport control to stitting in the plane to arriving in Makkah reciting the Talbiyah. Children enjoyed practicing the various actions undertaken during the Hajj pilgrimage. They slept overnight in tents in Mina, made dua at Arafat, slept the night out in the open in Mudalifa, performed Qurbani, stoned the 3 pillars and performed Tawaaf around the Ka'aba. Hajj Mabroor!



Queens Platinum Jubilee

Children carried out a range of activities to mark the Queen's Platinum Jubilee. Children got creative with their royal portraits, decorating

crowns, and making and decorating biscuits for the tea party.

Children attended an impressive tea party in the hall where they tucked into sandwiches, Union Jack biscuits, jelly and plenty of party food!

Everyone had a super time!





Drop Everything and Read (DEAR)

As part of World Book Day celebrations and to further enhance and embed the reading culture in the school and encourage lifelong readers; children participated in a drop & read session where the school fell into silence for 30 minutes. Everyone dropped everything, picked up a book and got engrossed into reading. It was great to see everyone reading with absorbed concentration and heads buried deep into books.

Vivacious, Vibrant Vocabulary Parade

The importance of reading was emphasised through various activities in and around the classroom including a Vocabulary parade. Words were brought to life at Paradise where children expanded their vocabulary and understanding through creativity. They learnt various exciting, new and necessary words by dressing up as a word definition. It was fantastic to see the imaginative and incredibly creative ideas and different ways words were dressed up! It was a fun way to celebrate world Book day and our love for reading.

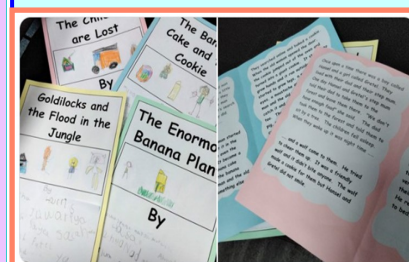


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National Storytelling Week

Paradise children celebrated the wonder of stories during National Storytelling week. They enjoyed the magic of storytelling and immersed themselves in various story telling activities. Reception children created their own splendid stories with great plots, drawings and colourful front covers. A big well done to Reception children for their wonderful stories and amazing illustrations!



World Maths Day

Children carried out a range of Maths activities for World Maths Day to help improve accuracy and confidence in arithmetic and problem-solving.

The whole school was bustling with number crunching excitement to win the competitive maths quizzes. Children used a range of problem-solving, investigative and collaborative skills; testing their mental calculation ability, speed and accuracy. It was a great, fun filled maths day enjoyed by all!

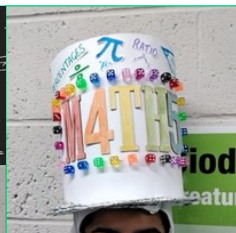
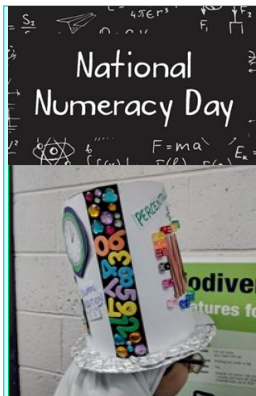


This year's theme was 'Break the Bias'- Create a world free of bias, stereotypes and discrimination, a world that is diverse and inclusive, a world where difference is valued and celebrated. International Women's day was in full swing across the whole school; prompting children to think about inspiring and influential women in History, in Islam as well as in their lives. The children carried out lots of activities and learnt about the social, economic, cultural and political achievements of Women.



On World Down Syndrome Day, Paradise children and staff participated in various activities to raise awareness and advocate the rights of people with down's syndrome.

To mark the occasion, children put some colour on their feet by wearing odd/striped/colourful/mismatched socks highlighting inclusiveness and acceptance of differences in everyone around us.



Maths Hats galore for National Numeracy Day.

National Numeracy Day is dedicated to everyday Maths and recognising that numbers are an everyday crucial skill. At Paradise, the day was in full swing with an array of amazing maths hats on display and various activities to build confidence in using numbers and appreciating how Maths is all around us in our daily lives. There were some amazing and imaginative creations of hats across the school! Excellent effort! Well done!

Children also enjoyed discussing and illustrating their ambitions and dream professions and explaining how it uses maths. Amazing imagination and ambition!



Children thoroughly enjoyed the spelling bee competition which was held with the aim of promoting high standards of spelling through out the school. Children competed with great fervour and in a friendly and supportive environment amongst their peers. Well done to all the participants who performed brilliantly, and a special congratulations to the overall winning team 'Democracy'.





This year's Safer Internet Day was themed around 'All fun and Games?' Children discussed the safe and positive use of digital technology whilst gaming, streaming and creating content, or interacting with their friends and peers. In a series of engaging lessons children examined how to use technology, responsibly, respectfully, critically and creatively.



During British Science Week, children looked at 'Plant Life Cycles' for this year's theme of 'Growth'. Children enjoyed planting their own cress seeds, taking great care of it and waited excitedly for it to grow and blossom over the next few days! Children in Early years created a 'Butterfly Life Cycle Wheel' to understand the Butterfly metamorphosis. Nursery children were intrigued by the cocoons and were fascinated to watch the butterfly transformation as the eclosion occurred. They welcomed



two beautiful and colourful butterflies into their classroom with great excitement and enthusiasm!



During National Energy Saving Week, children were encouraged to think about the topic and explore ways of helping to save energy whilst cutting down on fuel costs. Well done to the Year 3 children

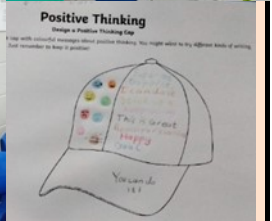


who created excellent posters on energy conservation and outlining ways to help save energy.

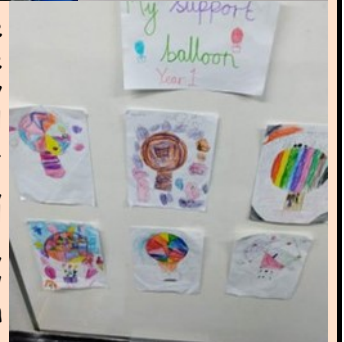


This year's theme was 'Growing Together' where children were encouraged to reflect on their emotional growth and how they can help others grow.

Children shared their thoughts on how they have grown emotionally and how to help themselves and others by writing creative Acrostic poems and designing lovely positive thinking caps. Some children illustrated their mental health support system through beautiful drawings of support balloons and making stress balls to help keep them calm and focussed. Year 6 children enjoyed awarding each other friendship crowns; discussing how their friendship has changed and developed over the years and writing down reasons for their friendship.



Children learnt how they are growing and changing all the time and in many ways. They looked at how emotional growth is a gradual development that occurs over time, and sometimes they may feel a bit 'stuck'. At these times, they were reminded how much they need others in their lives to help them keep growing and to reach out to others for support.



During Mental Health Awareness

week, children explored the theme of 'Loneliness' through participating in various activities. They looked at different scenarios where a child was feeling lonely and in groups discussed what advice would be given to that child.

They made informative leaflets with information and tips for others learning about how they can help others as well as themselves. Reception children enjoyed the emoji creations, obstacle courses and peer certificates whilst learning about wellbeing and mental health.



Special Thanks to Gail from North Kirklees School Sport Partnership who led an interactive multi-skills fitness session with key stage 1 children. They practiced their Agility, Balance and Co-ordination skills using bats and balloons and had a great time!



A huge Thanks to Hannah for carrying out an enjoyable football coaching session with the Year 5 & 6 children. They were



thrilled to learn amazing new ways to improve their skills.

Massive thank you to Joe and our school sports Leaders for leading enthusiastic sessions with the children and engaging them in trying out various Common wealth Games .



The children participated with great fervour thoroughly enjoyed attempting the different games .

Reception and Year 1 children thoroughly enjoyed Balanceability training. They practiced balancing and gliding and became excellent gliders by the end of the session!



Year 6's had the opportunity to participate in the Bikeability Cycle Training course to gain a life skill which would enable them to cycle safely, confidently and competently on today's busy roads. The children enjoyed the hands on cycling experience, which helped boost their confidence, master new skills and become safer cyclists. The children were challenged to practice their skills on the main road which helped to develop their road sense, understanding and awareness of varying traffic conditions including identifying hazards. Well done to the Year 6 cyclists who demonstrated fantastic road awareness and achieving an award certificate!



A big thank you to 'Batley Ninjas' for leading a rounders coaching session with our Year 5 & 6 girls and for inspiring and preparing them for the summer.

KS2 children were thrilled to be offered the opportunity to experience boxing for the first time. A big thank you to everyone involved and 'Training Cave' for giving the children an enjoyable experience!



The School Games Athletics event was great fun for our KS1 pupils. They had a great afternoon and really enjoyed participating in all the different games. Super effort!



A great event for Year 3 & 4 children who thoroughly enjoyed the competitive and exhilarating dodgeball experience!



KS2 children enjoyed a round of Tennis at Batley Sports Centre. It was great fun!



Year 3 & 4 children spent an enjoyable afternoon participating in a cricket tournament playing against another local school. A great effort by all and great skills displayed!



In true Commonwealth Games 22 spirit with the Mascot!

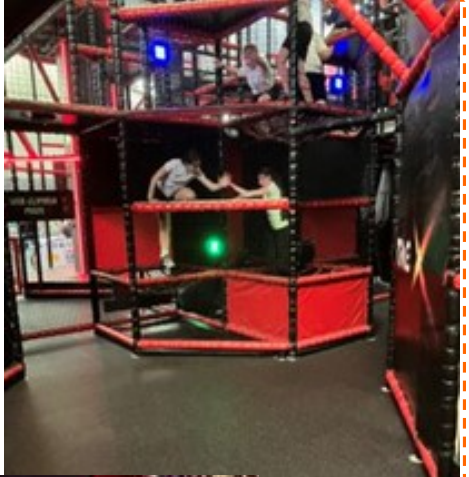
Year 5 children participated in the School Games Cricket tournament at Hanging Heaton Cricket club.



They played with fantastic skill work and thoroughly enjoyed the matches.

Great job boys!

Some year 6 children had the opportunity to take part in Tag X, a real life active gaming experience which challenged them to take part in a variety of games and challenges. It tested their agility, speed and strategy.



Some of the Year 5 & 6 girls had the opportunity to embrace the Cricket Programme. They thoroughly enjoyed playing cricket, and understood how important teamwork was and effectively worked well together. Super effort girls!



A big well done to M Uzair for his excellent achievement where he performed extremely well beating the odds!



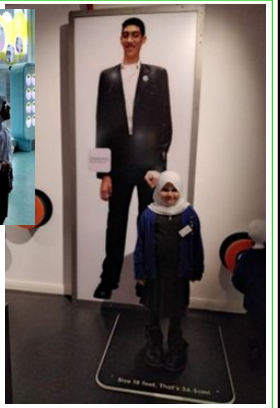
Trips, Trips, Trips.....



YEAR 1 - To end this academic year, Year 1 children visited Gulliver's Valley. Year 1 children had an incredible time experiencing the rides and the different attractions in the theme park. Children thoroughly enjoyed spotting and naming the life-sized dinosaurs which were placed throughout the park. They had a chance to enjoy the park within the theme park and loved the slides and tunnels. A fantastic day!



Year 2 - Year 2 children a fun-packed day at Eureka Museum exploring the different interactive zones. Children enjoyed learning about their bodies, how it protects us against germs and lots more scientific fun!



Year 2's had bucket loads of splashing fun at their end of year trip at Wheelgate Park. They had a wet and wild time splashing around and had a blast on the fast & furious slides!



BAGSHAW MUSEUM - Year 3's had an insightful day at Bagshaw Museum building up on their historical knowledge of Ancient Egyptians. They thoroughly enjoyed looking at the artifacts, making their own hieroglyphic papyrus cartouche and mummification.



Year 4 children had a captivating time exploring the four pavilions at Magna Museum. They enjoyed the different interactive exhibits and learning through investigation and play. Amongst all the fantastic science learning, Year 4's also loved the extensive outdoor play area! It was a great day for all!



To gain a better understanding of their History topic of 'Crime and Punishment', Year 6 children travelled back in time to experience a Victorian prison and court at Ripon Museums. They had great fun acting out role plays and exploring prison cells and punishments meted out at that time as well as standing in the docks waiting for prison sentencing! Well done to the fantastic actors who brought the 1800's courtroom to life!



Year 3 & 4 children had an exhilarating time at their end of year trip to Gulliver's Valley Theme Park. They enjoyed the thrilling rides especially the Pirate Ship, Gyrosaurus and Flying Swings. Overall it was a great day full of fun, screams and excitement!



Year 5 & 6 had a thrilling day exploring Light Water Valley theme park and experiencing the twirls, whirls and thrill of rides. They had a great time and spent the day going on various rides several times, including terrifying moments on the Eagle's Claw!



Year 6 children were extremely excited and made their last Primary school trip a memorable one, ensuring that they had a fantastic time with their friends making memories to last a lifetime!



A huge Jazakallah to all the staff and pupils at Cambridge Street School for hosting our Year 5 & 6 children to an interesting and insightful exhibition on Sahabas. The lives of the Sahabas were brought to life through various interactive activities and the children thoroughly enjoyed the experience whilst gaining valuable knowledge.



KIDZ4KIDZ
Bringing Children Together



A huge Jazakallah to all the children and parents for their generosity in raising monies for the Ummah Welfare Kidz for Kidz campaign. A total of £10,753.60 was raised which will support teachers in South Asia and Middle East as well as provide gifts and essential aid to thousands of the poor across the globe. May the Almighty reward everyone for their contribution. Ameen.



Thankyou to Jackie Ramsey for delivering an interesting talk about how everyone can play a part in helping the local community. Jackie introduced the local food bank and how they help families in crisis.



Thankyou to all the parents, children and staff for donating generous amounts of food items for the food bank and supporting this worthy cause which will help make difference in our local community. May the Almighty reward everyone for their kindness.



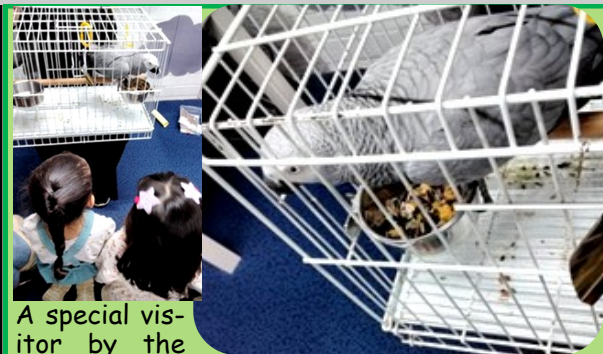
A huge thank you to Paul from Fox's Biscuits who delivered an exciting session for our KS2 children enlightening them about what goes on behind the doors of Nation's favourite biscuits. The children were excited to learn about the whole biscuit making process at Fox's!



A special Thankyou to PC Chothia for surprising Year 1 children and inspiring them with a discussion about her role. PC Chothia explained how she helps people stay safe and feel protected.



Children were enthralled to learn about her daily tasks, and job role. To the excitement of the children, they even got to hold a pair of handcuffs!



A special visitor by the name of 'Princey the Parrot' visited the Nursery children and to their delight Princey greeted them with salaam and also replied to the children's salaams. Children were very excited and asked Princey lots of questions. Princey tried his best to reply to some of the questions. Thank you Princey for your visit!

Nursery children have been learning about the life cycle of butterflies and eagerly awaited for the metamorphosis to take place.



Finally when the eclosions occurred and the butterfly transformation took place; children were thrilled to welcome two beautiful and colourful additions to their classroom!

YEAR 6

JUNIOR APPRENTICE - Year 6 children thoroughly enjoyed participating in their very own 'Junior Apprentice' project which required them to work as a team and bake and decorate yummy sweet treats to sell to the rest of the school. The children prepared for their Apprentice Project by honing their creative and entrepreneurial skills. They carried

out vital market research, brainstormed ideas, budgeted and priced their products to ensure gain in revenue. A huge variety of hand-made goodies including cookies, cupcakes, brownies, jelly cups, gingerbread men, chocolate cake and much much more was on offer. The children grasped many financial skills as well as developing excellent trading and communication skills. A percentage of the proceeds from the bake sale will be donated to charity and the remainder will be used to buy resources for the school. A huge well done to all the teams for their dedication and commitment.



YEAR 5

Year 5 children

dived into their imagination and creative flair to create their very own



story based on the book 'A hole in the real world'. Excellent stories and amazing illustrations!

YEAR 4

Year 4 children compiled an excellent class scrapbook in the style of Emily Gravette's



'Little Mouse's big book of fears' whilst writing re-counts about their fears and phobias. Excellent effort!

YEAR 3

Whilst learning

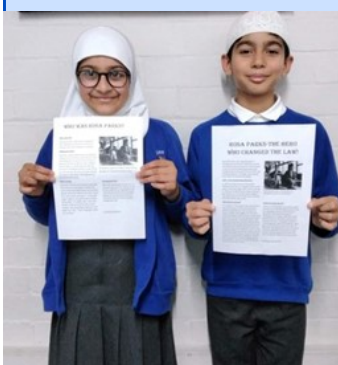
about the local area in Geography, Year 3 children enjoyed going for a walk in the locality.



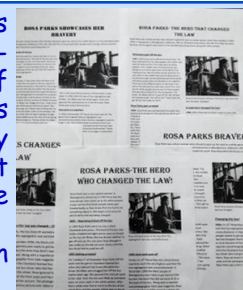
They observed the various types of buildings, shops, businesses, factories and green areas in the surrounding areas and had great fun comparing the changes that have taken place throughout the years.

YEAR 4

Whilst studying narratives of liberation, Year 4 children researched the life of Rosa Parks and the key events that changed the segregation laws in America.



After conducting their research, children enjoyed taking on the role of an editor to write and publish their own newspaper article. Great Effort, well done!



YEAR 1



Are these houses strong enough to withstand the big bad wolf? Year 1 children creatively crafted their own houses inspired by the Three Little

Pigs. A huge well done to all the children for creating some absolutely fantastic projects!

YEAR 1

To celebrate Year 1's hard work and effort to master their phonics and reading, they were treated to a great afternoon out in the fields picking red juicy strawberries. The children thoroughly enjoyed eating their own picked strawberries. Yum!



NURSERY

Nursery children looked at different masjids around the world and created amazing models of the different masjids using wooden blocks. Excellent imagination and wonderful structures. Well done!



RECEPTION

Reception children recreated amazing observational drawings of Spring flowers, looking carefully at the colours, shapes and patterns. Superb drawings!



Year 6 Leavers Message

Our journey at Paradise Primary has been memorable and we have learnt so much in these 9 years. The teachers have taught us many things, which will help us in the future inshallah. We would like to say a special thanks to our lovely teachers at this wonderful school. Paradise will always be the best. We are going to miss everyone and everything in this school.

Ammaar Patel, Qaasim Majid and Ismaeel Polli

We have enjoyed every second of this amazing journey throughout primary school. We would like to thank our classmates and every teacher who has taught us, encouraged us and helped us learn. Each year, there was an extraordinary event that took place and each one we shall remember. We would like to conclude by saying how much we have enjoyed our time at Paradise and how it has been a pleasure to have been taught by such amazing teachers.

Maariya Hazi, Juwayriya Patel and Zaynab Patel.

Our journey at Paradise Primary has been amazing and we would like to thank all the teachers that have taught us. We have taken with us some memorable moments and memories. Even though they have been ups and downs we went through it together helping each other all the time and that's how we succeeded. Keep us in your duas and we will too. Jazakallah khairan.

Khadija Amal Tukur, Aaeesha Shazad, Mariyah Mirza

We would like to thank our teachers for helping us through these unforgettable years throughout Paradise. We have learnt many things in these 9 years that we will remember in the coming years.

Anaya Ehtisham, Zahraa Afroz and Aisha A Patel

Our time at Paradise has been fun with lots of good memories and has been quite an experience! Our teachers have helped and supported us throughout the years so we would like to thank everyone at Paradise for supporting us in every way. Please remember us in your duas.

Talha Ladha, M Uzair Sayed and Muhammed Mitha

We have been in this school for nine years and now we are sadly leaving. We would like to say a big JZK to all of the apas for helping us through our roller-coaster journey and the memorable memories they have left in our minds. We pray for the school to continue growing immensely in the future. I also pray that all the children who have attended Paradise, who are still attending and all the children who will attend in the future will go on to become great people. Aameen

M Yousuf Hazi, M Lakha

Our wonderful journey here at Paradise Primary has sadly come to an end. We would like to thank all of our teachers for taking care of us and making sure we learn well and have a great time at school. We have had a really memorable time in this school and we hope and pray that we come back here once again to have an enjoyable time. Please keep us in your duas and pray that we have a good future.

Aisha Y Patel, Ammaarah Raja, Amina Abdelkadir, and Farah Vania

We have many happy memories during our time at Paradise, but sadly our time at this amazing school has come to an end. We would like to say a BIG JZK for everything all the teachers have done for us. They have been there for us and helped us through the bad times as well as good and memorable times. There have been some pretty tough times like Covid but we worked together and we eventually got out of it together. SMT have always been there for us when we needed them the most and they have always strived to do what is best for us and our future. Our parents have also supported us through our journey at Paradise Primary. We want to say a BIG JZK from the bottom of our hearts to SMT, teachers and parents for always being there for us.

Umaiza Mubashiar , Ruqayyah Umarji and Maleeha Rekhad

Assalamualaykum Year 6, Everyone at Paradise would like to wish you the best of success as you embark on your next educational journey. We pray that the Almighty always guides and protect you all and that you remain steadfast and continue to strive in gaining success in both the worlds. Please remember the school in your duas.

From, Everyone at Paradise Primary.

Sports Day - Sports day was filled with fun and competitive



aces, making it an enjoyable day for all children, parents and Apas. Children in EY also had great fun participating in the various races such as the obstacle course, egg & spoon race, balancing the ring, aim the bean bag, sack race and running race. A big Jzk to all the parents who came along to cheer their children on.



We would like to convey our heartfelt Thank you to all the staff, Parents, volunteers, members of the community and businesses who have helped the school and for their continuous support, We Pray for your success and that you are rewarded in abundance in both the worlds. Ameen.