



STARS OF THE WEEK



Nursery: **DIAMOND:** AM – Arlo and Mawaddah. PM – Good and Amani.

Reception: **CORAL:** Nada and Jordan for trying their best. **RUBY:** Zahara for always doing the right thing. **AMBER:** Hussain and Haris.

Year 1: **JADE:** Raed for putting effort in his learning. Zainab for putting 100% effort into her learning. **EMERALD:** Anais for excellent effort in writing and Muhammed Waleed for always having a positive attitude to his learning. **TURQUOISE:** Sally and Ilyas.

Year 2: **CRYSTAL:** Marina for always being a kind friend. Lucas-Florin for being a role model student, **ONYX:** Anaya for beautiful presentation in her books. Sham for always doing the right thing. **SAPPHIRE:** Abida and Max.

Year 3: **TOPAZ:** Nabil for his excellent work in reading lessons. Salma for answering questions. **AQUAMARINE:** Abdulbari for always being ready to learn. Sara for her mature attitude towards learning. **OPAL:** Sarah, trying her best in writing. Sara-Ul-Haq, working hard in Maths and showing initiative.

Year 4: **GARNET:** Arber and Mustafa for completing homework to a high standard. Keep it up! **ZIRCON:** Maryah and Adiriana for always participating in the lessons. **AMMOLITE:** Mousa and Kenda for their neat work and positive attitude towards learning.

Year 5: **AMETHYST:** Ethan for improving his speed when writing and Safa for always doing the right thing. **MOLDAVITE:** Mohammad A and Abdulahad for making the right choice and for their attention and focus in lessons. **PEARL:** Jemimah for consistent behaviour and learning. Yusef for continually trying his best in all learning.

Year 6: **QUARTZ:** Kawthar for settling in so well and making an excellent start to year 6. Jack for settling in well and trying his best. **TANZANITE:** Ella-Diane for working so hard on improving her presentation Ikram for his brilliant attitude to learning. **LAPIS-LAZULI:** Donya for giving 100%, perfect really trying in all lessons. Jose for focusing on his reading.



LAST WEEK'S STARS ARE ON PAGE 2 OF THE NEWSLETTER. Congratulations to all our Stars and to all our pupils who have been 'Doing the Right Thing' since September.

INSET COMMUNITY DAY IS 1st NOVEMBER

Friday October 22nd is the last day of this term. On Monday 1st November our INSET will be about working with members of our school community. YOU WILL BE CONTACTED, AS WE WOULD LIKE TO KNOW HOW WE CAN ASSIST YOU AND MEMBERS OF OUR COMMUNITY, AS WELL AS THE POSSIBILITY OF YOU ASSISTING US AROUND OUR SCHOOL ON THAT DAY.

Let us work together on 1st of November as this can only be helpful for our children.



HEALTH, FITNESS AND FUN DAY IS THURSDAY 21st OCT.

To promote healthy eating, keeping fit, with a dash of fun we have invited external Health and Fitness instructors for children to lead different activities on Thursday.

Appropriate PE kit (Red t-shirt and black jogging bottom-not leggings) MUST be worn by all on the day to school.

Black History Month Dress Up.



On Friday 22nd October we will be having our Black History Month Assembly at School.

It is a non-uniform day where children can dress up as GREAT BLACK ACHIEVERS THEY ARE PROUD OF.



Try to learn at least two important facts about the person you dress up as on the day.

IT IS AN EXCITING TIME TO BE AT BRAINCROFT.

We are so proud of the progress that we are making as a school. Our teachers have been working so hard to educate the children in our care.

We are happy to share that our Governance Review Day by external visitors showed that we are working hard to safeguard over 700 children in our school, we have been working well to support a large number of children who find learning difficult because of various needs, and we have developed a curriculum which allows children to learn a wide variety of subjects which will be useful as they grow up in this 21st century.



OUR SCHOOL MANTRA:

SUCCESS in everything we do, **PERSEVERANCE** to make dreams come true. **INTEGRITY** and honesty that is who we are, **RESILIENCE** to stretch and reach for the stars. **INDEPENDENCE** to make decisions to learn and grow, **THOUGHTFULNESS** of others. **The SPIRIT** we all know.



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Nursery: **DIAMOND: AM** – Sarah, for always trying their best. **PM** - Amaan
Reception: **CORAL:** Safna and Dana, trying their best in carpet sessions.
RUBY: Naya, improved attention and behaviour. **AMBER:** Tahir and Eric for being excellent role models.

Year 1: **JADE:** Luiz & Muhammed K for good learning. **EMERALD:** Karmah, excellent effort in writing. Bakr for being helpful. **TURQUOISE:** Bushra and Mohamed G for improving their handwriting.

Year 2: **CRYSTAL:** Abdelbaki and Naser, **ONYX:** Maria and Reem for excellent effort. **SAPPHIRE:** Mohammed A and Lillian for applying their phonetical knowledge to their writing.

Year 3: **TOPAZ:** Seif, consistently working hard. Luiza for her great letter writing skills. **AQUAMARINE:** Mohammed B, trying hard this week, well done. Aya A, working very hard in Maths, completed her task correctly. **OPAL:** Adeeba- articulating like a scholar, expectations to a high standard. Mohammed Ali O - growing confidence in Maths.

Year 4: **GARNET:** Arber, beautiful handwriting and presentation. Mustafa for thinking big and helping others. **ZIRCON:** Nashad and Musawwir for always being ready when the teacher gives instructions. **AMMOLITE:** Mohammad and Mehdi for doing their homework.

Year 5: **AMETHYST:** Ayas, helping our new student settle in. Fatma for pushing herself. **MOLDAVITE:** Nawaf and Mais, determination to follow the rules consistently. Very well done! **PEARL:** Kausar (maturity in her approach to learning) and Mohamad M (excellent progress with Ms Akande.)

Year 6: **QUARTZ:** Tyler for good writing. Ayana for consistent writing. **TANZANITE:** Saleh for showing great independence. Matilde for her wonderful attitude to learning. **LAPIS-LAZULI:** Amani, Bana and Fatima for tidying up the book area.

READING IS A KEY PRIORITY IN OUR SCHOOL.

Please ensure that your child reads at home as we are trying our best to promote a love of reading in our school.

A year 1 and Year 6 Reading corner.



Tips for parents about keeping children safe online.

Children use apps and some of which do pose certain risks. As a parent, it is important to be fully aware of these dangers and understand the best ways for your child to be spending time on smartphones and tablets without it impacting their health and wellbeing and stop them from being able to do certain day-to-day things.

There are numerous apps available for smartphones and tablets, and more continue to rise in popularity every day. When keeping children safe online, it is important for you to have a good understanding of these apps, their privacy settings and how your child is using them.

Dangerous Apps such as : **Houseparty, Kik, Ask.FM, Snapchat, Meetme, Blendr, Tik Tok, Instagram, Holla, Whisper, Hot or Not** and many more, should be a 'NO ZONE' for children.



Activities in PSHE, COMPUTING and READING

