

# Weekly Updates

Newsletter by and for the students of City School

*Ramadan Kareem*

Have a Peaceful and Happy Ramadan!



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# Motivational Mondays

*by Principal Richard Monteiro*

**Education is about making a real positive difference, providing every opportunity for all learners to be successful, helping them to achieve beyond their potential and developing life-long learning skills.**

**Happy Monday! Dear Students,**

**We live in an evolving world full of changes and challenges ... where we learn from the past, live and adapt in the present, and dream of a better tomorrow. It's your responsibility to create a better future. Increased respect for the planet means less littering, polluting and wasting of resources. It means more sustainable habits and efforts to conserve resources. More than anything, it means a mindset rooted in commitments to environmental change.**

**In today's changing environmental climate, society needs eco-innovation and a sustainable focus more than ever before.**



**Earth Day isn't just on April 22. It's every day!**



# SOCIAL & EMOTIONAL LEARNING

Resilience- the capacity to rebuild and grow from adversity

Resilience is recognized in students when we observe their determination, grit and perseverance to tackle problems and cope with the emotional challenges of school and life .

Simply put, resilience is the ability to overcome obstacles, to face disappointment, to learn from failure, to cope with loss and to adapt to change with a positive mindset and strong faith.

## Promoting resilience through day to day classroom activities

Simple brainstorming sessions that arouse curiosity among students help them to effectively grasp the knowledge leading to the development of collaborative skills. The students intend to dig deeper and take ownership of their learning.

Respecting peers and appreciating the differences becomes very easy. Setting brave goals and learning from mistakes makes the students more responsible and determined. Resilience is observed in students in the way they emotionally and socially handle their failures and overcome the challenges. It is very important the students develop an approach to view the obstacles as critical part of success.

Teachers facilitate resilience by helping children think about and consider various paths through adversity. They also help by being resources, encouraging student decision-making, and modeling resilient competencies.

Classroom discussions, activities, learning sessions where failure, setbacks, and disappointment are an expected and honored part of learning facilitate resilience.

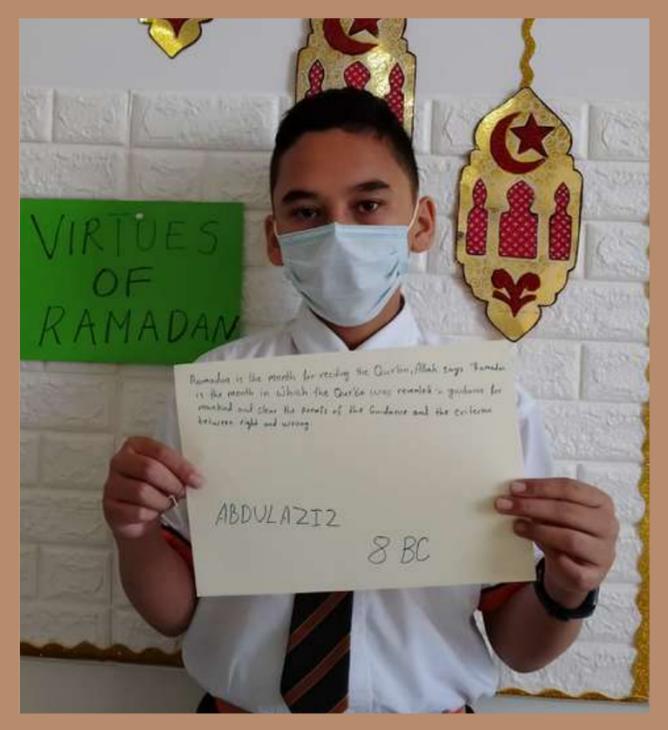


**Arun Varkey**  
**School Counselor**

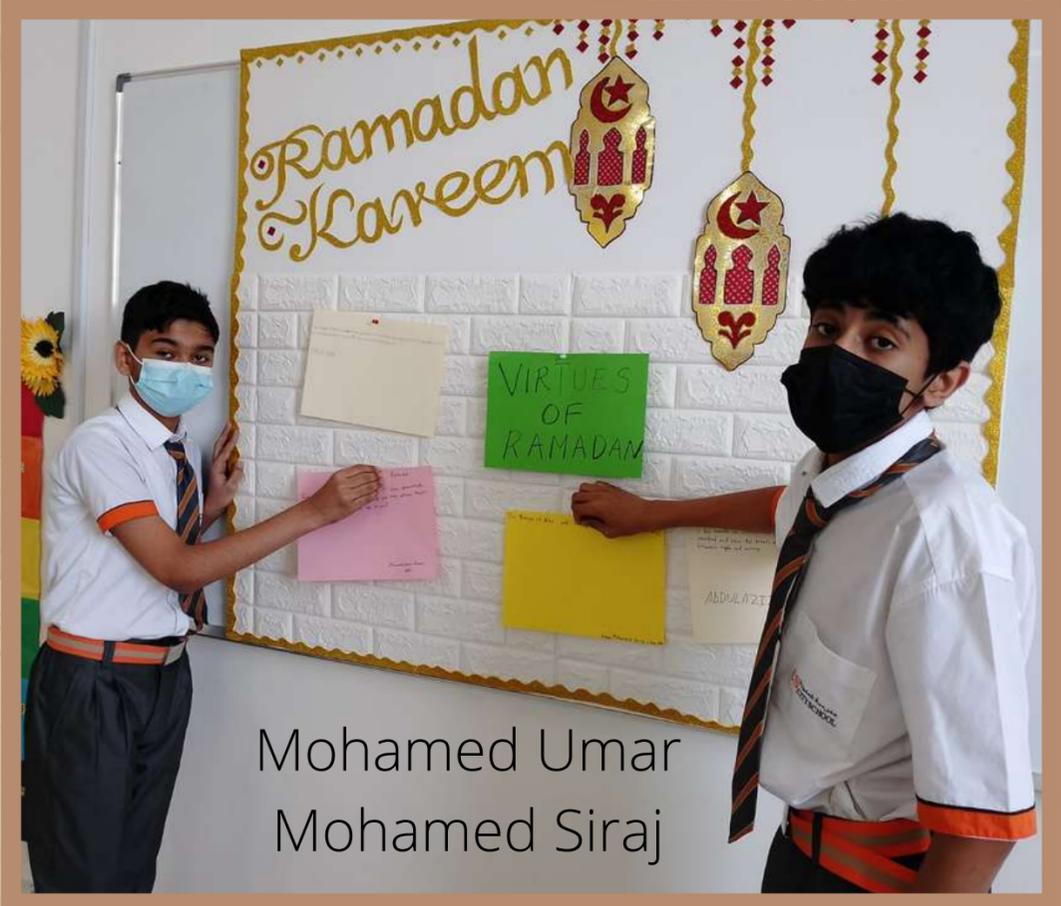
Success is to be measured not so much by the position that one has reached in life as by the obstacles overcome while trying to succeed.

# We are learning more about Ramadan

Students of grade 8 well comprehended the virtues of holy Ramadan and noted the values during their Islamic Studies class.



Saif Abdul Rehman  
Abdul Aziz



Mohamed Umar  
Mohamed Siraj



*Ramadan  
Kareem*

# **Ramadan Charity Drive**

*Upcoming Event*

**City School wishes all the Parents and Students,  
Happy Ramadan!**

**In the holy month of Ramadan, may your heart be filled  
with peace, harmony and joy.**

**Teaching our children the spirit of giving, showing them  
the importance of thinking about the welfare of others,  
and modeling kindness are important ways to help  
children grow into productive and loving members of  
our world.**

**A small act of kindness can help some one feel special.**

**Dear Parents and Students,**

**On the 27th, 28th & 29th of April 2022, we will be organising  
a charity drive and the students can bring the contributions  
as detailed in the circular which will be distributed by the  
class teacher.**



# Recycling is Interesting!

## Time to get eco- innovative!

ART is perhaps one of the earliest media through which humans expressed themselves. Through the ages, Art developed, grew and told its own story. It found expression in serene landscapes, beautiful portrait, gamut of expressions....Art also came to be seen as a mirror of society.

Art aims at using the thoughts and emotions to express yourself and the world around you.

There are various forms of materials and medium to express....today's major concern is materials that go as WASTE, which can be recycled and made into useful and creative art forms.

Few of them are expressed and shown here, I encourage students to use waste materials and recycle them to make art and craft.



Parimala Johnson  
Art and Craft Teacher

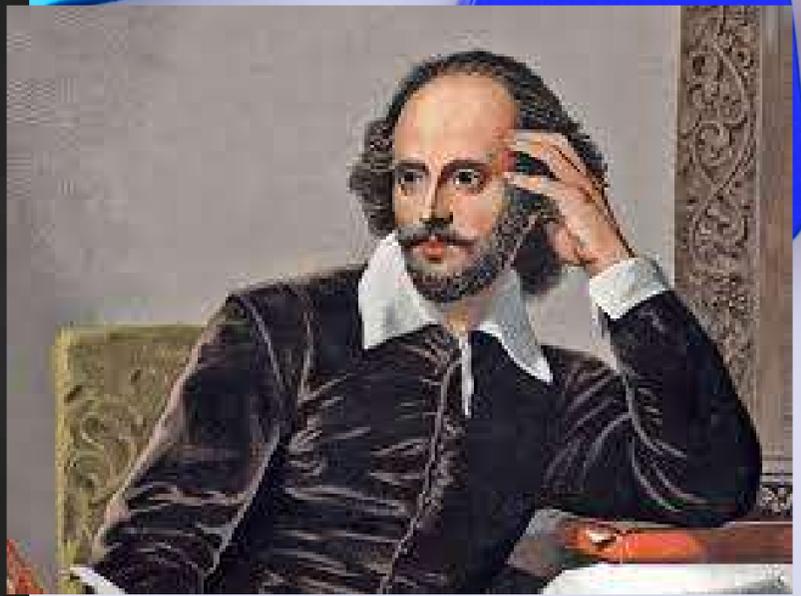


**Old file upcycled with a bright new look!**



**Upcycled craft using waste can, paper cup, bottle**





English day is celebrated across the world on April 23 every year. It was this day on which William Shakespeare one of the greatest English writers was born in 1564 and coincidentally he died on the same date in 1616.

English is the most widely spoken language around the world and the cultural contribution of this language around the world cannot be ignored.



**Happy English Day!**

by  
Fayeda Fuad  
Grade 12 Science

# Earth

Day | April 22



**Together we can  
& we will**



**KG 2H**



Samara, Mohammed Ali, Manha  
KG 2A



Muhammad Abdullah  
KG 2A



Lareen and Toleen  
KG 2A



MARYAM KG 2A



NADEEN KG 2A



SHAIKHA KG 2A



KG 2D

B612

# KG IC



Date: 22<sup>nd</sup> April  
Day: Friday



SWAT:  
BOOK 1 - 34, 35, 36

Tomorrow HL  
Book 1 - 38pg  
Books - 86pg  
CL - Friday  
- 39, 40  
Day!



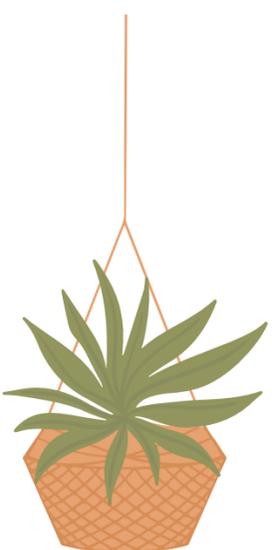
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Aliya KG 1E



Haya KG 1E



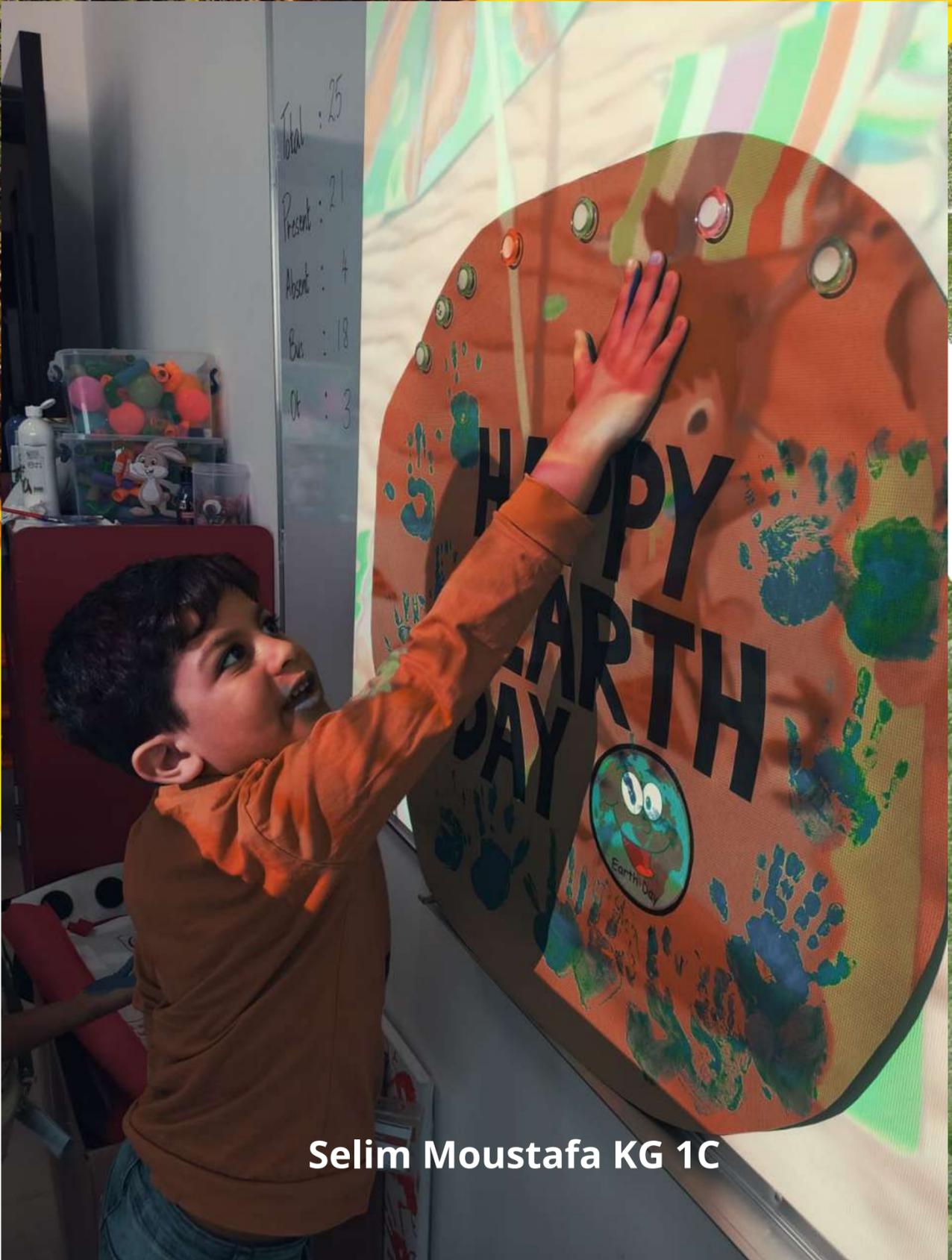
Kamish KG 1E



Muhammad Wamiq  
KG 1C



**KG 1A**



**Selim Moustafa KG 1C**

# KG 2M



# Grade 1L - Save Life Save Earth



# Grade 3C

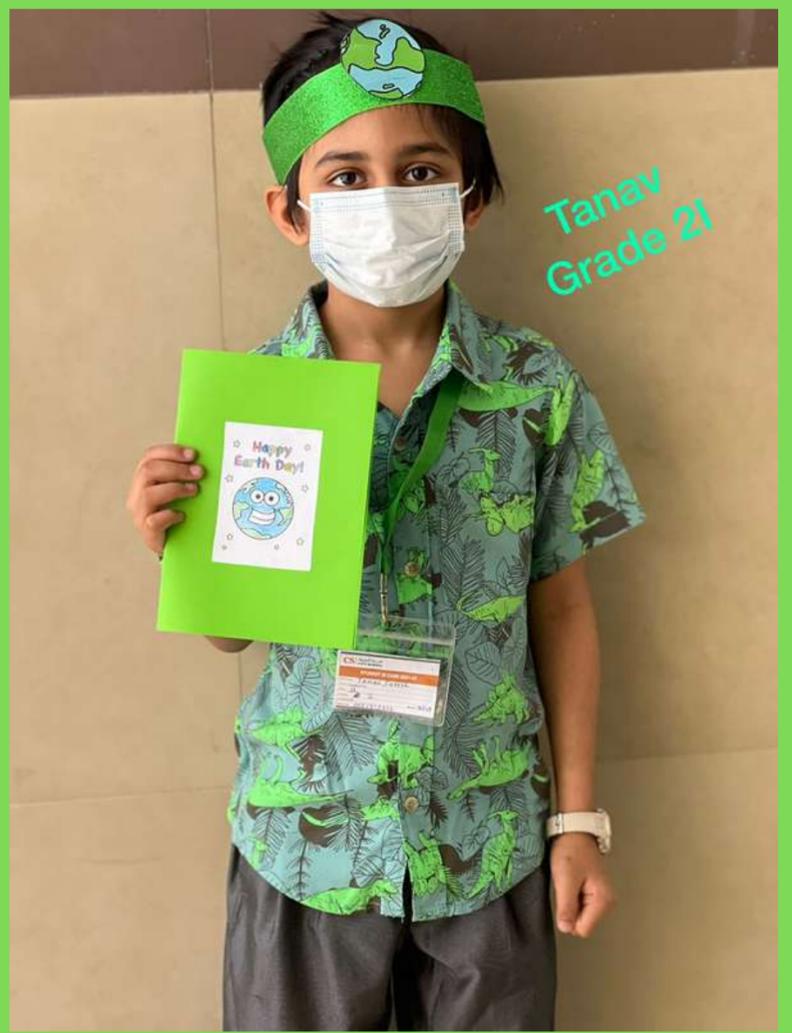


# Grade 1 G Earth Day Activity



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Leen Haithm Ali  
2E



Maryum Faisal  
2L



## Grade 2L

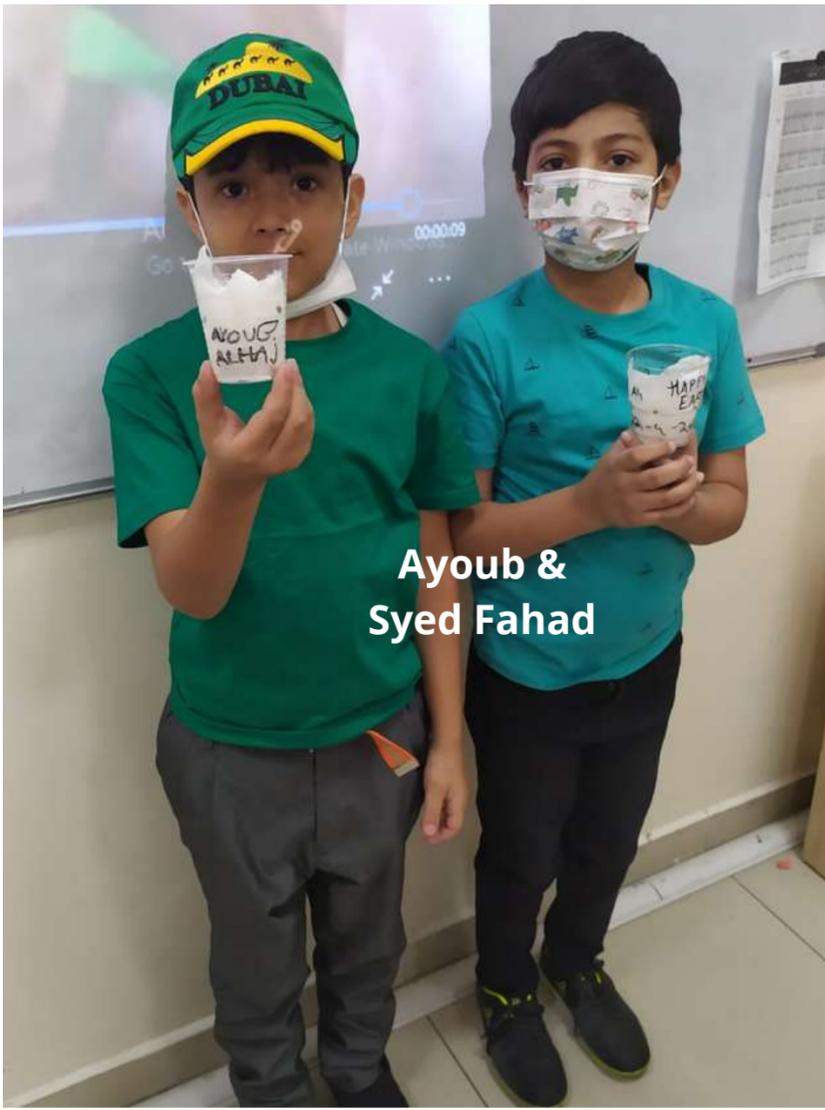


Aela Krystiane &  
Ala Abdollah 2 E



From little seeds grow mighty trees

# Seed Germination by Grade 3 G



Ayoub &  
Syed Fahad



Dema &  
Ghofran



Abdullah Saad

Noor Fatima



Mayeda



Grade 9 GA



Grade 5 GA



Suhail, 8 BC



Grade 8 BC



Grade 5 BA





**Mohammed Seraj 8-BB**



**Cyrus**

**Rihan**

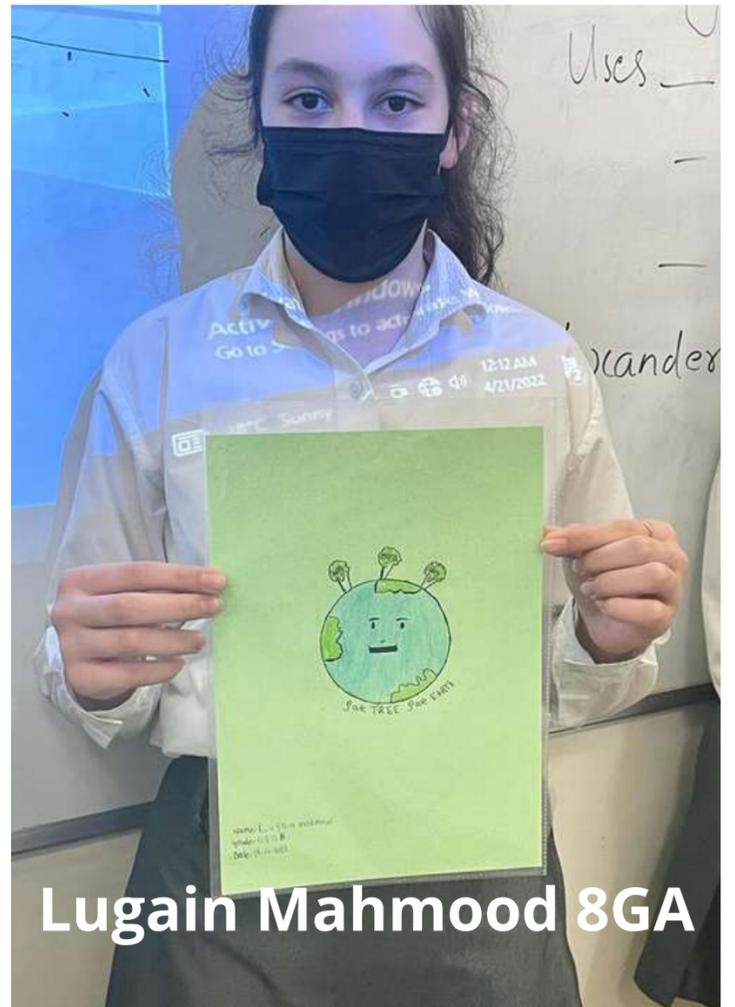
**9 BA**



Grade 8 GA



Maryam Sameer Saeed  
8 GA



Lugain Mahmood 8GA



Saja Moustafa  
7 GB



Baraa Ahmed  
7 GB



Grade 7 GB

Aleeza Butt, 5 GB



Mysha, 5 GC



**Grade 5BA**



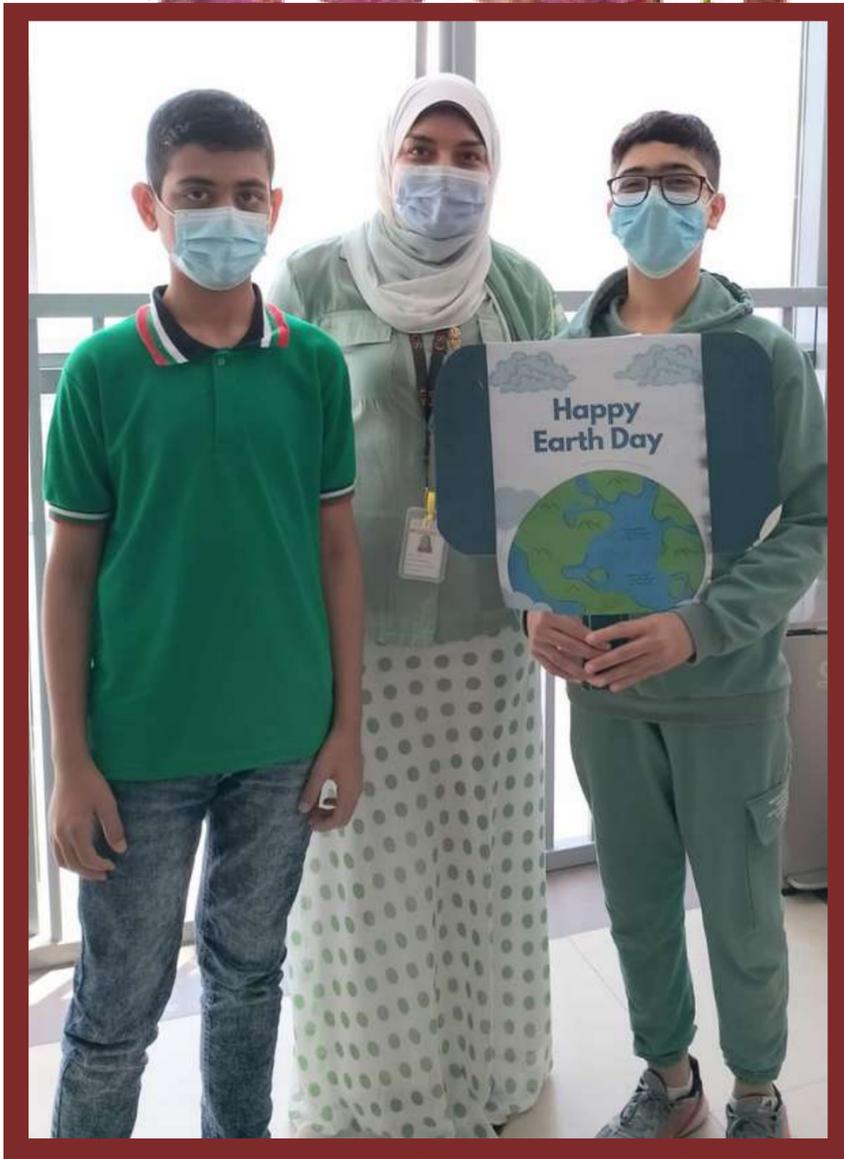


**Group presentation in the school auditorium by students of 12th grade**





**The Earth is my  
Home,  
I promise to take  
care of it!**





**Together we can  
&  
we will make  
Earth  
a  
better place!**