



# **Elementary School**

#### Weekly Curriculum Newsletter

Every other Thursday excluding holidays, you should receive a Weekly curriculum newsletter from your child's Homeroom teacher. It will be posted on their Google Classroom page and or sent to you via Alma email. You may also view specific subject newsletters on the special area teachers Google Classroom page. However, all the links are available for you in one location from the Homeroom teacher's page.

## **MAP Testing**

Please be reminded that MAP testing has begun and will continue into next week as per Mr. Michael's Assessment communications.

#### **Charged Device**

Please make sure your child has a fully charged device for each day next week. Please note that the iPad mini is not compatible with the MAP test, so, if possible, please send your child in with a laptop, regular iPad or tablet.

### Online Platforms

If you are having any technical issues regarding Google Classroom or any of our other platforms please contact Nizar at: it.support@igniteschool.ae. If necessary, you can bring your child's device to school and Nizar will configure it if either you or he has any relevant device password information.

#### **Planners**

There was a slight delay in distributing the planners. Next week we will implement making use of the agenda / planner books in G3-4. If your child doesn't have a planner, please send a message to your child's Homeroom teacher. The purpose of the planner is to help our child develop organizational

skills and awareness as well as to help you see what your child is doing in school or is expected to do at home for homework.

### Homework Policy

Please note the Ignite HW Policy here.

# Reading Log

We will also begin using the Agenda as a space to record your child's Reading Log. The Reading Log is part of our efforts to develop our culture of literacy. Much more about this to follow.

#### After School Activities

Our non-Gulfstar Afterschool Activities (ASA) are being coordinated through the Admissions office and a communication has been sent to you to sign up for your child's Sunday / Monday activity. These fun educational activities will take place on Sundays / Mondays from 3:10-3:45. Please view the Admissions communication for more details.

