



## Note from the Principal

Dear Parents,  
Assalam o Alaikum,

Welcome to the year 2022! How swiftly time takes wings! It seems like yesterday the new academic year started and here we are ready to start the second term already. There is much to be grateful for the year that has passed. For once, we were able to take onsite classes for the most part of the first term. Children, teachers and parents were able to breathe easier and feel freer as they enjoyed the different activities we offered to the young minds we have undertaken to nurture with love and care.

I hope this new year brings with it the courage to fight against all odds, the patience to bear all adversities, the mindset to reflect on possibilities and the heart to feel gratitude for all things we take for granted – our parents' struggles, the food on our plates, our teachers' efforts, trips to doctors, social relationships and the special place we call home. It is our duty as parents and teachers to make the future generation realise and appreciate the time and effort exerted by people around us who make it possible for us to live lives worth living.

Wishing you all a warm, safe and enjoyable winter season. ♦

Amna Zubairi

## Footprints Quote

"Online learning is like a rising tide. It is going to lift all boats."

- Anant Agarwal



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## Parents' Orientation Day

Parents' Orientation Meeting was held online in August for parents of newly admitted students. ♦

## Teachers' Appreciation Day

EBS honoured its teaching and admin staff on Teachers' Appreciation Day in July with great gusto. Distribution of Appreciation Certificates and special mementos of gratitude made the staff's day! Congratulations to the dedicated staff of EBS! We cherish your continued support. ♦



## Independence Day Celebration

Independence Day was celebrated online with high spirit, great zeal and zest at EBS on Friday 13<sup>th</sup> August 2021.

Celebration started with the recitation of the Holy Quran followed by National Anthem. A short video was shown on the importance of freedom. Students passionately participated in various activities like singing national songs, speeches and quotes on the value of freedom and paid tributes to the freedom fighters and their sacrifices for Pakistan.

Ebians looked adorable dressed up in white and green attires with badges and small flags. All these activities added to the festive mood of the occasion. ♦



## Defence Day Celebration



Students had an amazing time celebrating Pakistan Defence Day with great patriotism and passion on Monday, 6<sup>th</sup> September 2021.

Children participated in different activities like patriotic speeches, national songs, heart-warming poems and beautiful art displays. Teachers briefed children about the significance of the day and narrated stories about nation's brave soldiers and armed forces and their undying courage to safeguard our motherland. ♦



## Urdu Speech Competition

Secondary students got a chance to display their oratory skills at the Inter-house Urdu speech competition held on 24<sup>th</sup> September. It was a delight watching our contestants perform with great exuberance. Congratulations to the winner and runners-up:

- 1<sup>st</sup> position: Bisma Khan - XA - Antarctic  
 2<sup>nd</sup> position: Fatima Mansha - VIII-A - Arctic  
 3<sup>rd</sup> position: Shajia Fatima Shirazi - XA - Arctic ♦



## Activity Day - Best out of waste

Our artists in the Primary section along with their talented mothers participated in 'Best out of waste activity' using recyclable material to create useful objects. The participants were judged by the teachers on child's involvement in the activity, creativity, product usefulness and presentation. The activity enlightened the students on how to reuse waste products and make the most of them, instilling a sense of social responsibility in them. The winners of the activity were given prizes in a special school assembly. Good work champs!

### Class I:

- 1<sup>st</sup> position: Pariha Maryam  
 2<sup>nd</sup> position: Afia Junaid  
 3<sup>rd</sup> position: Sufiyan Shakir  
 and Mahad Zubairi

### Class II:

- 1<sup>st</sup> position: Mekyle Faisal  
 2<sup>nd</sup> position: Daniya Memon  
 3<sup>rd</sup> position: Tayyab Hilal

### Class III:

- 1<sup>st</sup> position: Arifah Faizan  
 2<sup>nd</sup> position: Hania Moiz & Mir M. Moiz  
 3<sup>rd</sup> position: Hareem Mansoor

### Class IV:

- 1<sup>st</sup> position: Areen Ameen  
 2<sup>nd</sup> position: Huzaina Adnan & Zainab Asghar  
 3<sup>rd</sup> position: Khadija Sumair & Inaya Noor

### Class V:

- 1<sup>st</sup> position: Zunera Zubair  
 2<sup>nd</sup> position: Amna Niaz  
 3<sup>rd</sup> position Tooba Noman and Aiza Junaid ♦



## English Elocution Contest

Primary students had a whale of a time at the Interclass English Elocution Contest on 14<sup>th</sup> October. Finalists from each class fought for the first and second positions by displaying their poetry elocution skills at their best. The following students outshone the rest and bagged the first and second places:

### Class II:

1<sup>st</sup> position: Maryam Adil

2<sup>nd</sup> position: Mekyle Faisal

### Class IV:

1<sup>st</sup> position: Zainab Asghar

2<sup>nd</sup> position: Muntaha Zeeshan

### Class III:

1<sup>st</sup> position: Affan Haris

2<sup>nd</sup> position: Anabia Samad

### Class V:

1<sup>st</sup> position: Arham Harris

2<sup>nd</sup> position: Aiza Junaid ♦



## Student Council

The Prefect Council of Education Bay School held its Head Boy / Head Girl Election campaign in September. The candidates showed great zeal preparing posters and delivering speeches to reach out to voters during the pre-election campaigning process. Candidates also gave away campaign freebies carrying their names and campaign slogans ☺. On the much-awaited Election Day, the school was abuzz with voters lining up in front of the ballot boxes to cast their votes. The Ebian Student Council 2021, following in their predecessors' footsteps, attended the Annual Oath taking ceremony creating beautiful memories as they stepped into their leadership roles to work for the betterment of the student community they represent.

Head Girl – Manahil Ahsan

Deputy Head Girl – Anushey Tariq

Head Boy – Ubaidullah Farooqui

Deputy Head Boy – Muhammed Munir Iqbal ♦



## Outstanding O Level Result

Education Bay School commends its brilliant Class of 2021 for an outstanding CAIE O Level result! Hats off to the Ebians! As always, they nailed it once again with 90% A\*, A and B grades and no U grade at all for thirteen consecutive years, Alhamdulillah!

We congratulate the batch for its impressive performance and extend an equally well-deserved note of thanks to the dedicated teaching staff for giving their best to the students. May this result be just the beginning of more spectacular achievements of our students' lives! ♦



## Students' Day

O Level students of classes IX-XI participated in Students Day held in September. Students took on the roles of the Director, Principal, teachers as well as the domestic staff. The aim was to inculcate the value of all the hard work the school administration and the teachers go through day in and day out for the benefit of the students. The students had a constructively enjoyable day. ♦

## Spellathon - Primary

The Spellathon contest was conducted on 26<sup>th</sup> October with great energy and enthusiasm displayed by Ebians throughout the rounds. Kudos to all the winners!

### CLASS II

- 1<sup>st</sup>: Mahnoor Omer
- 2<sup>nd</sup>: Tayyab Hilal
- 3<sup>rd</sup>: Laiba Kamran

### CLASS IV

- 1<sup>st</sup>: Rayyan Naseeb
- 2<sup>nd</sup>: Ayesha Hilal
- 3<sup>rd</sup>: Areen Ameen

### CLASS III

- 1<sup>st</sup>: Shiza Faisal
- 2<sup>nd</sup>: Hanzala Shaikh
- 3<sup>rd</sup>: Ayesha Faisal

### CLASS V

- 1<sup>st</sup>: Aiza Junaid
- 2<sup>nd</sup>: Sukaina Rehman
- 3<sup>rd</sup>: Aunib Elahi ♦



## Arabic Speech Competition

The eager beavers of secondary section gave an excellent performance in the Arabic speech competition held on 28<sup>th</sup> October.

The winners were:

- 1<sup>st</sup> : Fatima Hussain - class VIII A (Arctic )
- 2<sup>nd</sup> : Hassan Bin Roman - class VIII B (Arctic)
- 3<sup>rd</sup> : Humna Khalid - class VII A (Atlantic)
- 3<sup>rd</sup> : Manahil Anis - class VI A (Arctic).

Congratulations on the wonderful performance! ♦

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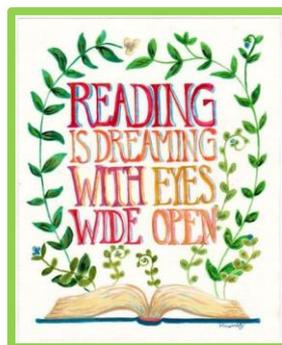
BOOKS FOR PARENTS

The Island of Missing Trees

Elif Shafak

How to stay sane in an age  
of division

Elif Shafak



Clap when you land

Elizabeth Acevedo

Anna and the Swallow Man

Gavriel Savit

The Ice Monster

David Walliams

BOOKS FOR CHILDREN

## Inter-house Qirat Competitions

Interhouse Qirat Competitions were held on 5<sup>th</sup> November for classes II-V and classes VI-VII on 12<sup>th</sup> November in school. Quran Nazira teachers prepared students for the events. Winners were awarded prizes and certificates of achievement. ♦



## EBMUN 2021

The second session of EBMUN took place recently over a period of three days (5<sup>th</sup>, 6<sup>th</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup> November) and proved to be a diplomatic success for all our students! This year's EBMUN conference featured three committees:

**UNGA Nuclear Proliferation**

**UNSC Foreign Military Bases**

**UN Women Ending Violence Against Women**

The committees proved to be significantly enlightening for all delegates as rounds of fiery debates reverberated in the halls. On the last day of EBMUN, 20 of the best delegates were selected for a round of intense debates involving the Crisis Committee which resulted in passionate speeches and resolutions highlighting the issue of Kashmir. ♦



## Bake Sale

Secondary girls (VI – XI) held a booming bake sale on 11<sup>th</sup> November 2021. Homemade mouth-watering food items did a roaring business among students. Everybody loved the sweet treats and indulged their sweet tooth. The amount generated was donated to charity. ♦



## Awareness Program

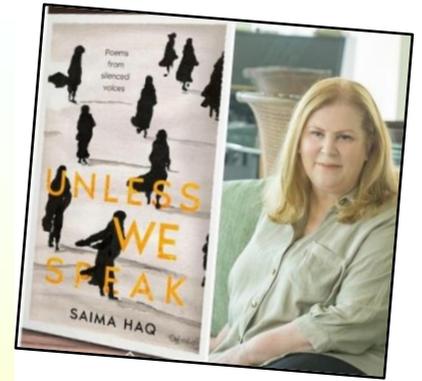


S.A.N.D (Student Anti-Narcotics Division) conducted an awareness campaign at Education Bay School on 24<sup>th</sup> November 2021. Class IX-XI students took part in this session that covered topics ranging from general wellbeing, drug abuse, mental health and healthy life style. It was an interactive session with a short presentation and involved

the evaluation of students at the end with some scenario-based questions to gauge their level of understanding. ♦

## Inhouse Teacher Training

Saima Haq – Founder of Parentsplus – A technology platform for special needs parents and caregivers, Founder and Principal of SCEI, speaker at TESOL international conference and author of ‘A Woman’s Place In Verse’ joined EBS on 30<sup>th</sup> November for a poetry writing workshop to help teachers explore different forms of expressions. She shared her book ‘Unless we speak’ as a sociolinguistic teaching tool to address the challenges of a woman living in a patriarchal society. ♦



## Final Exams & Bonfire night

First Term Exams were held in the month of December for classes II–XI. Report cards will be given out during the PTM to be held on 14<sup>th</sup> January 2022 for all classes. Kudos to all students for their excellent performance.

O Level students also had a great time after the exams on Bonfire & Movie night organized on the school premises on 10<sup>th</sup> December. ♦

## Field Trips

Pre-Primary students from Discoverers and Explorers sections went to Dolmen Mall for their field trip on 11<sup>th</sup> December whereas little ones from Inventors – Class II went for an exciting field trip to TDF MagnifiScience Centre on 14<sup>th</sup> December. Our young learners had a time of their lives with friends and teachers on both occasions! ♦

## Sports Day

Our younger lot from Pre-primary section and Class I had a fun-filled term that culminated in the Annual Sports Day attended by parents on 16<sup>th</sup> December. The parents' race delighted the audience and all students went home with medals awarded by the Principal. We aim to teach the little ones values of sharing and sportsmanship. ♦



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