

Manchester Muslim Preparatory School

09 October 2026

Note from the Headteacher

Dear Parents,

Assalamu Alaykum

A highlight for our pupils this week was our Black History Month assembly, led by Imran Hamid, a football premier league coach. We were interested to learn that he originally qualified as a primary school teacher before deciding to pursue a career in sport. Pupils were inspired by his journey, which offered a valuable opportunity to reflect on ambition, perseverance and the different paths we can take to achieve our goals. Thank you to Imran for sharing his story with us.

I am looking forward to walking to school with pupils next week, when the walking bus scheme starts on Wednesday!

Mrs Ghafari-Kanno
Headteacher

ATTENDANCE



Most Punctual Year Group : Year 4

BEST ATTENDANCE

Year 3,4 & 6
99%



First

Year 1 & 5
97%



Second

Year 2
94%



Third

Upcoming Events

14 Oct

Walking Bus and
Movemakers Launch



22 Oct

PTA Food Fair

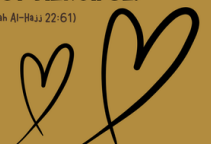
Article of the week



Hadith of the Week

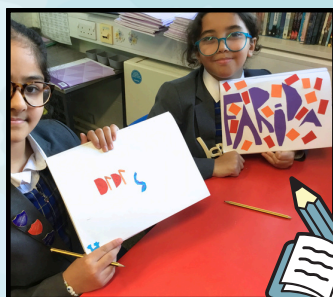
**"INDEED, ALLAH FORGIVES ALL SINS.
HE IS THE MOST FORGIVING,
THE MOST MERCIFUL."**

(Surah Al-Hajj 22:61)

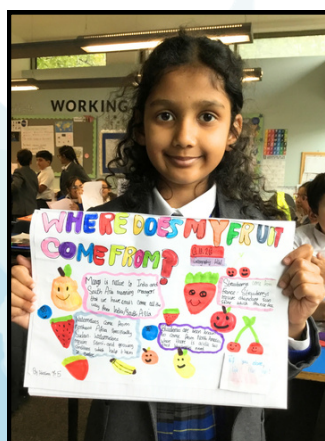




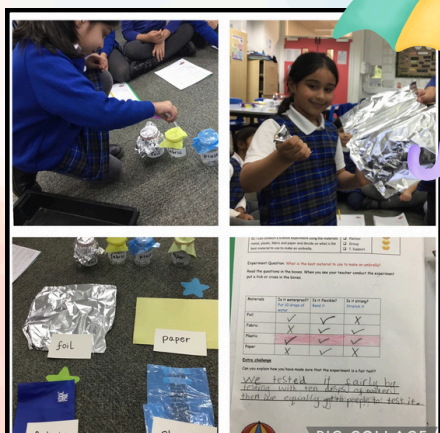
HIGHLIGHTS OF THE WEEK



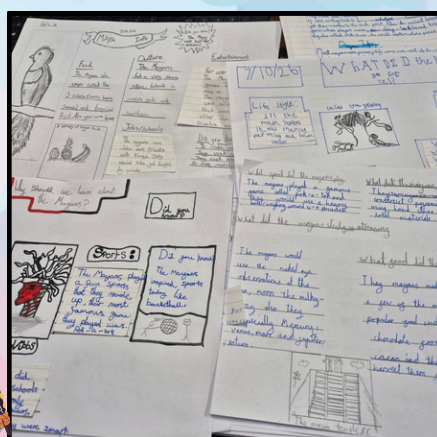
In Art, Year 5 have been creating their own typography in an intuitive and fun way.



Year 5 have been learning about the importance of understanding where our produce come from, particularly fruits and vegetables. We have also had lots of discussion about fair trade, and understanding our Islamic duties as consumers in Humanities.



In Science, Year 2 carried out an experiment to find out which material would be best to make an umbrella.



Year 6 have created fact files in English this week, linking to their History topic about The Mayan Civilisation.



Pupils joined Mrs Ghafari for a **'Headteacher Breakfast'** spending time discussing things about school over a juice and a croissant. Over the course of their time at MMPS every pupil gets this invitation.



As part of Black History Month, premier League coach Imran Hamid spoke to pupils about footballers and coaches of the past who were the first Black players in England. He also inspired with his work as an ambassador for the No Room for Racism campaign



Mrs Mian spoke to KS1 about figures from Islamic Black History, telling the story of Bilal ibn Rabiah(ra).

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