



# ELITE CONNECTIONS



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## Activities

- April 22 Earth Day
- April 23, World Book Day
- May 15, International Climate Day
- May 21, World Day: Cultural Diversity
- Department Activities
- School Trips: Kidzania

## EARLY YEARS

### What are we Learning?

- Playing cooperatively
- Respecting others
- Expressing needs and Identifying the alphabets and their corresponding sounds
- Recognizing letters and words' formation
- Showing understanding of numbers and quantity
- Computing
- Building scientific thinking and exploring the environment



*Elite International School believes that all of us – the school, parents and community- must work together in an extended family environment to empower children with the creative, intellectual and decision making skills necessary for them to become academically, socially, physically and emotionally successful and responsible.*

***Committed to our school motto “A Tradition of Excellence”.***

***Fatima H Al Hussaini***

***Managing Director***

## Felicitations

Elite International School congratulates its National football Team's spectacular victory at the 2019, Asian Cup.



The students' council officers visit classrooms during etiquette & protocol session, to create awareness on various topics: Environment, Mutual respect, Bullying etc.

Students are encouraged to design posters towards their responsibilities at home, at school, and towards the environment.



## Student Council

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**Qatar National Day Celebration** was one of the memorable days on the campus. The young Elites along with faculty members presented melodious Arabic and English songs to represent their love for the nation.

## Learning in Foundation

Students learn to excel in foundational skills not only through writing but also through audio-visual aids, making real-life connections and hands on activities, enabling them to generate creative impulses using critical thinking.

### Engage the Senses

To have a wonderful multi-sensory experience, our kindergarteners prepared their own morning snack, a delicious fruit salad.

Fruits that were about to be used in the salad were first passed around to all pupils to be examined using all their senses. The students were encouraged to talk about:

What color are the strawberries?  
How does that pineapple feel on your fingers?

### Online Reading

Indeed, a remarkable progression from Kindergarten days!

A-Z reading program offers the best-in-class leveled reading resources, which encourage us to read independently and identify facts from informational texts. We request all the parents to let our students have a supervised online reading time.

### Lights! Camera! Action!

We love performing on stage may it be readers' theater, poetry, or singing!



### English: Cross Curricular Learning

We are enthusiastically working towards linking English, Math, Science and Geography while learning about "Marine Habitats". Look at the engrossed learners exhibiting an ambience of highly motivated learning experience.



### Creative Little Scientists!

Our young children often show an interest to discover the world around them. Our future scientists not only conduct plenty of hands-on activities in their classrooms and science lab, but also share their experiments and findings with their schoolmates on stage as part of the Science department activities.

**SST-QH Department** was privileged to celebrate International Teachers' Day/ Tourism Day as well as United Nations Day. These are not only informative activities, but also quite entertaining.



Please remember we look forward to:



**Behind Every Young Child Who Believes In Himself Is A Parent Who Believed First.**

### Physical Routine

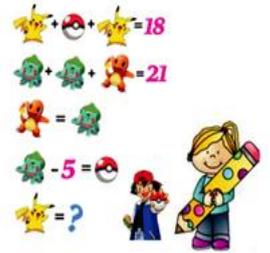
There is no better way to start the day than with the positivity of a daily Morning Warm-Up Routine!

We are proud to announce that EIS participated in a triathlon competition held in Qatar Foundation, and among many schools, our fourth grader Mohammed Khalifa successfully secured the 2nd place!



**Math is Fun!** It's more than numbers & equations. Math matters in everyday life. We all use it in daily life applications whether it is basic addition and subtraction, preparing food or shopping for the best price. We incorporate fun and creativity in learning Math so that we make a meaningful, long-lasting impact on our students.

Mashup Math



**We learn FRENCH too!**

L'activité manuelle représente de très nombreuses sources d'intérêts pour l'enfant. Selon les émotions qu'il ressent, l'activité manuelle peut être un moment de créativité. L'intelligence de l'enfant atteint un certain niveau, sans qu'il fasse usage de sa main; l'activité manuelle lui fait atteindre un niveau plus élevé, et le petit enfant qui s'est servi tout seul de ses mains présente un caractère plus fort.



**More Laurels!**

Our students participated in the competition which was hosted by French Institute in Doha. Kudos to the team for winning the second place!



**Cleanliness and Hygiene for a healthy life!**

The students' council team has been quite busy with organizing and carrying out cleanliness and hygiene activities in the school campus.

**Keep Clean** awareness strategy was successfully implemented by the team.

Apprendre une autre langue donne aux enfants une nouvelle perspective du monde, en les encourageant à comprendre leurs propres cultures et celles des autres

**ICT department** of EIS has introduced several student-friendly apps/ programs to cater to the requirements. This year grade 5 & 6 students participated in the Qatar National Scratch Coding Competition and they designed game / story-

based projects on UNESCO's Sustainable Development goals using Scratch.

ICT dept. has collaborated



**Sketch, Color & Create!**

We started the academic year 2018-2019 with a focus on shapes as well as primary and secondary colors, through a wide variety of projects related to cities and buildings, climate change and global warming, World Teachers' Day, and Qatar National Day. We'll continue to explore complimentary colors, tints and shades.



Fatima Hamad Al Jarhab - 2B



Badr Ali Al Sanousi - Grade 5

*"Creativity is contagious, Pass it on."*  
-Albert Einstein



Grade 4A

with English and Art departments in which students have created cover pages using various soft skills. Students have learned about the parts of a computer while building their own laptops on paper.

### اللغة العربية

تسعى منظمة اليونسكو ضمان حياة نشطة وصحية للإنسان وساهمت في تقليل من التلوث

كما أقر الاتحاد الدولي الاحتفال باليوم العالمي للتربة في 5 ديسمبر حيث شارك طلاب مدرستنا الصف الثالث بإلقاء أبيات شعرية عن الربيع



### التربية الإسلامية

قال الله عز وجل في كتابه الحكيم: "اقْرَأْ بِاسْمِ رَبِّكَ الَّذِي خَلَقَ، خَلَقَ الْإِنْسَانَ مِنْ عَلَقٍ، اقْرَأْ وَرَبُّكَ الْأَكْرَمُ، الَّذِي عَلَّمَ بِالْقَلَمِ، عَلَّمَ الْإِنْسَانَ مَا لَمْ يَعْلَمْ". إن مادة التربية الإسلامية ليست مادة تدريسية لتنمية المعلومات فحسب، ولكنها إتجاهات وروح وتأثر، هذا يعني أن مهمتنا ليست تعليمية فقط ولكنها تربوية شاملة.

ومن هنا تعمل مدرستنا مدرسة النخبة العالمية على إعداد جيل ناشئ عن طريق تحصينه الإيماني وتقوية نوازع الخير لديه ، وصرف الطاقات نحو الأهداف السامية التي بها تكون الشخصية الإسلامية الناضجة والمثال الذي يُحتذى في النجاح والتميز ويكون ذلك من خلال النشاطات الداخلية للمدرسة : الفقرة الصباحية لمادة التربية الإسلامية حيث يتشارك التلاميذ في عرض مسرحي ، أنشودة دينية ونشاطات صفية ، أو من خلال مسابقات خارجية على صعيد المدارس كمسابقة القرآن الكريم التي تعمد المدرسة كل سنة على اشراك التلاميذ فيها والحصول على أفضل النتائج



**Editor's Inspiration**  
Don't think of yourself as teachers or parents or guardians, think of yourself as gardener.

A gardener doesn't tell the plants how to grow. A gardener provides the seed with the right environment, tweaks it on regular basis, little more sunlight, less water, richer soil, bigger pot, and sits back and watches as the plant grows itself!

The prepared environment is the current situation your child is exposed to from all angles. It's their home life, their diet, their role models, their sleep patterns and also their class rooms. All these elements have a huge impact on the development of your child.

"Let's prepare the soil well before planting the seeds of education & we will surely see a bumper harvest for the years to come".

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