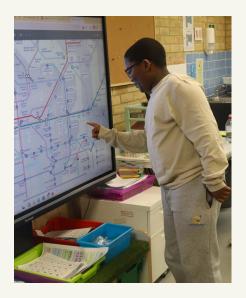
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CLUBS: LEARNING AND FRIENDSHIP IN ACTION











Clubs this term are off to a fantastic start, and students are thoroughly enjoying the diverse offerings! The Pokémon Club is seeing strong attendance and is clearly a favourite. The Board Game Club is quickly gaining traction and coming together enthusiastically. Girls Club and Zen Club are great spaces to connect and relate to one another. The Train Club is known for its knowledgeable members and engaging quizzes.

Clubs at Gesher are more than just activities. Clubs are a fun and constructive environment that contributes significantly to students' overall learning and social development. By catering to their specific interests, clubs allow students to form friendships across different classes and develop valuable skills that will benefit them in the future.

Once activities begin, the focus and dedication of participants are truly apparent, from the start to the end of each session. As the excitement builds, the rooms buzz with the lively noise of students fully engaged in their chosen pursuits.

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Kodesh Corner













Last week, we celebrated Mitzvah day, an initiative where interfaith communities and organisations around the UK get together to support those in need. As part of this fantastic initiative, the Gesher community supported 3 charities - raising money for Jewish Child's Day, collecting lots of toys for Camp Simcha and collecting food for GIFT which our primary students split and packed into food parcels to be delivered.





We also launched the Yoni Jesner volunteering award for our KS3 cohort (years 7-9). This is a highly respected award within the community which allows the students to volunteer in school and external organisations, support those in need and understand the importance and altruistic concept of volunteering. They only need to complete 20 hours of volunteering this year to achieve the award and help make a difference in people's lives.

Shabbat Shalom.

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Gevurah News











As part of their Ancient Greeks PBL project focusing on gameplay, Gevurah students have been sculpting chess pieces out of air-dry clay. Some of these creative figures represent characters and symbols from Ancient Greece. Once the sculptures are complete, the class look forward to using them in competitive matches and will incorporate the sets as part of their project exhibition. Creating these kings, queens, rooks, bishops, knights and pawns has been a true lesson in the design cycle: through trial and error, students are refining and resizing their sculptures to ensure they stand upright and fit the board.

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Conversation Corner

The suggestions of Primary and Secondary conversation starters are for a guideline only, please do feel free to use both suggestions, whatever the age, if you so wish! Also if you have any great ideas for conversation starters please do send them in to Miss Victoria victoria.rutter@gesherschool.com

Primary: Would you rather be super strong or super fast?

Secondary: Would you rather fly to space or visit every country in the world?

Announcements:

Call for Announcements:



Parents and families, we would like to feature your family announcements and any notable student accomplishments here in the Gesher Gazette. Please email any births, celebrations, bar/bat mitzvahs, special awards, sports wins or other merits to Content Manager, Zahra Axinn

(zahra.axinn@gesherschool.com) and we will include in a future edition.

Staff News:

We would like to extend our warmest wishes to Miss Rowan as she begins her maternity leave. While we will miss her presence in school, we are excited for her as she prepares to welcome her new little one.

We wish her a restful, joyful maternity leave and look forward to her return next year.

Parent Teacher Community (PTC):

Message from the PTC:

If anyone is interested to get involved with the PTC, help with events or just would like to share ideas please email gesherptc@gmail.com