

SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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**FIRST DAY
AT SCHOOL**





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IMPORTANT LETTERS

From the desk of
the Principal



Greetings to all of my students, and parents. As we approach the start of a new school year, with fresh goals set for the future, every academic is a height attained and dream fulfilled. Through sincerity and perseverance, every member of our organization is committed to making goals and aspirations come true.

The goal of SOAR is to consistently uphold the highest academic standards and offer the best possible environment for the all-around development of our students. To equip our pupils to face the dynamic global challenges of the future, we also work to instill in them the essential principles of Respect, Integrity, Compassion and Excellence.

Warm Regards,

Shehla Shahid
Principal, Wapda Town Chapter

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PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT AT SOAR

INSET PY/MY

Inset training for teachers was conducted to focus on updating teachers' knowledge, introducing new teaching methods, and addressing current educational challenges. The training ensured that teachers stay up-to-date with the latest curriculum changes and enhanced their ability to manage classrooms effectively, leading to better learning outcomes for students. At SOAR, it is now an essential for professional growth and continuous development.

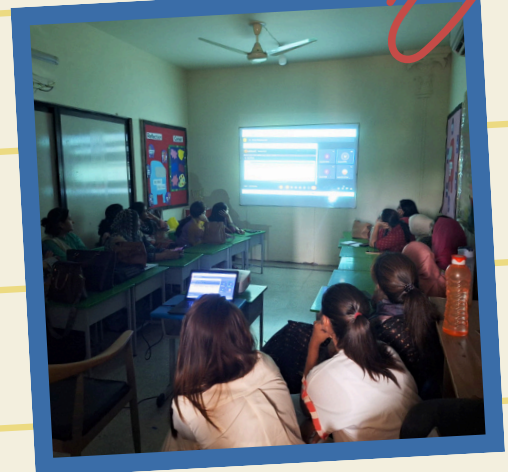


ASSESS/PREP

Keeping out STEM integration at core SOAR introduced Assess/Prep online tests that provide a platform for students to take assessments digitally, offering a user-friendly interface for both teachers and students. It supports various question types, real-time feedback, and detailed reports on performance. This tool enhances learning by making assessments more interactive, accessible, and efficient for tracking progress.

E SCHOOL

The E-School app, also another initiative by SOAR STEM Schools is a comprehensive platform designed for schools to manage communication, attendance, and academic progress. It allows parents, teachers, and students to stay updated on daily activities, assignments, and important announcements.





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INTRODUCING THE STEM ROAD MAP 2.0: A FRAMEWORK FOR INTEGRATED AND INNOVATIVE LEARNING



The STEM Road Map 2.0 is organized around five key themes:

1. Cause and Effect
2. Innovation and Progress
3. Represented World
4. Sustainable Systems
5. Optimizing the Human Experience

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THEME 1: CAUSE AND EFFECT



Movement of our
hand muscles.
Muscles (cause)
for the movement
(effect)



Relationship
between the
skeleton(cause)
and the movement
(effect)

Water Cycle, on
the Earth (cause)
therefore we
have a
continuous
supply of water
(effect).



How clouds
(cause) make
rain (effect)



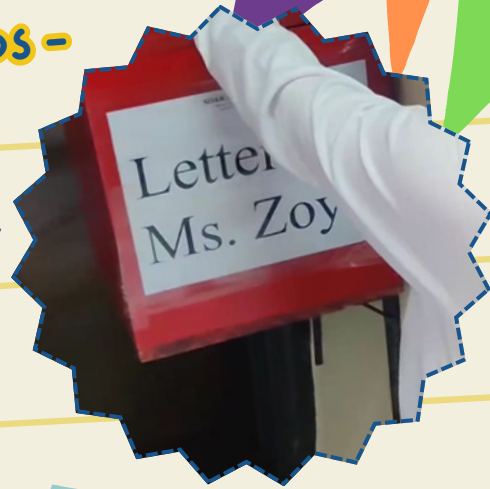
The force applied
(cause) and the
motion of the object
(effect)



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BUILDING BRIDGES THROUGH WORDS - LETTERS TO MS. ZOYA

- An initiative launched by the Coordinator Ms. Zoya to encourage an open communication without any barriers between the Coordinator and the students.
- Students wrote letters throughout the week, which were answered by Ms. Zoya every Friday



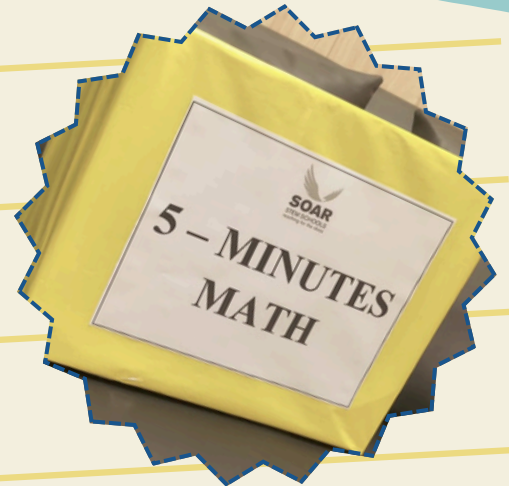
S3 GETS RECOGNISED AS BRITISH COUNCIL PARTNER SCHOOL (EME & WT-PY)



WHAT'S NEW AT SCHOOL

MENTAL MATH ROUTINE

- A mysterious box was on a round which stopped by in every class and out popped the mental math questions for the students. This box caused a lot of excitement amongst the students and will be returning to the classrooms in the coming months too.



PUBLIC SPEAKING IN ASSEMBLIES

- Introducing public speaking in school assemblies helps students build confidence, improve communication skills, and overcome stage fright. It encourages critical thinking, boosts self-expression, and enhances leadership abilities. Making it a regular practice in front of peers in morning assemblies will help prepare students for future challenges, fostering personal growth and promoting a positive school environment.

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MONTHLY BUZZ

Orientation Session

Orientation session was conducted from grade 1-8 for the parents of the newly admitted students in the school to help new students adapt, understand rules, and feel comfortable. These sessions foster a positive start by clarifying expectations and promoting school culture.



Independence Day

Teachers celebrated Independence Day at school through flag hoisting, singing national songs, and sharing stories of freedom fighters. A quiz was conducted amongst the teachers where the winning team was awarded with the trophy. This instilled values of respect and pride for the nation. These celebrations also help relive the significance of independence and the sacrifices made for our country.



CATSO Awards

Our students emerged as winners in CATSO Competition and its prize distribution ceremony was conducted. Winners were awarded certificates. Teachers and students praised the participants, encouraging them to continue striving for excellence.



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BEYOND THE BOOKS



Coding & Programming

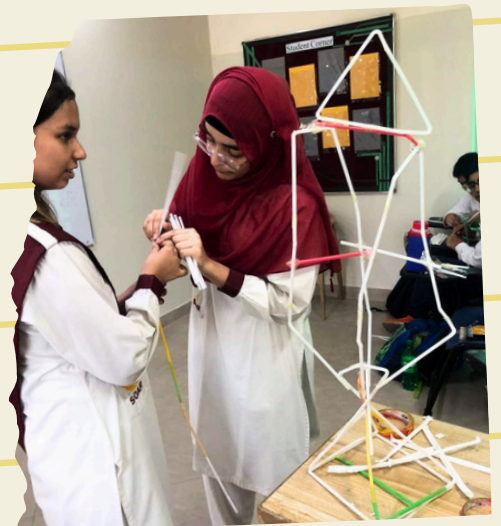


Physical Education



LEGO Robotics

STEM Activities



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STUDENT VOICES

The first month of school has been fantastic! We've enjoyed meeting our new friends and teachers. We started a fun science project and we're excited about our new reading book. Recess is always a blast.

GRADE 4

The first month at school was really exciting. We had a great time learning new things in our Arts and Robotics class.

GRADE 5

The teachers are great and have already introduced us to some cool projects.

GRADE 6

WHAT'S AHEAD

IN SEPTEMBER

- Defence Day
- Milad Sharif
- ICATS
- International Literacy Day
- Roald Dahl's Birthday
- Quaid-e-Azam's Death Anniversary
- International Day of Peace
- Student Council Elections
- Dodgeball Interclass Competition
- Coffee Morning With Mothers



STAY TUNED!