

EIA offers a high quality education, embedded in Islamic values, to enable students to become
RESPECTFUL, RESPONSIBLE, SUCCESSFUL
leaders and contributors to society

The Four COVID Personality Types

(spotted at the local grocery store)

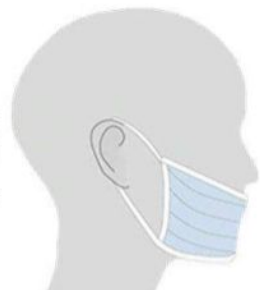
Believes
in science



Denies
science



Doesn't
understand
science



Believes in
magic



Please wear your mask, social distance, sanitize your hands and stay safe!

GRADE 8 | NEWSLETTER

January 18-22, 2021

ANNOUNCEMENTS

REPORT CARDS / PD DAY: NO SCHOOL

Friday, January 29

Please be advised that there will be no school for students on Friday, January 29th as it is a PD Day. Report cards will also be issued on this day.

SEMESTER 2 BEGINS

Monday, February 1

Please be advised that the new semester will begin on Monday, February 1st.

POETRY COMPETITION

Postponed until further notice

Please note that the Poetry competition for Grades 6 - 8 has been postponed until further notice.

EIA STUDENT COUNCIL 2020-2021

Student Council Members:

President: Safiyyah Oni

Vice President: Khaled Al-Kadri

Secretary: Umama Mir

9D: No Rep

9C: Ehsan Ibrahim

9B: Cerene Abougoush

9A: No Rep



8D: No Rep
8C: Mohamad Farhat
8B: Adam Dowaidi
8A: Ameer Jomha
7E: Jude Alzo'be
7D: Ridwan Arrale
7C: Hadi Assaf
7B: Yazid Shaftar
7A: Eiman Chaudhry

FOOD PURCHASED OUTSIDE THE SCHOOL

Lunchtime/ Anytime

Please note, due to COVID 19, any food items purchased outside the school must be consumed before re-entering the school. Your cooperation in this matter is much appreciated.

UNIFORM POLICY

Junior High Girls:

Girls are required to wear a grey school abaya and a royal blue school hijab. Both are available for purchase in the school.

Junior High Boys:

Monday thru Thursday Boys are to wear their black uniform pants and grey uniform polo shirt (long or short sleeve). On Fridays, Boys are to wear the blue uniform dress shirt and black tie, or a thob or similar form of cultural clothing. If boys want to wear an extra layer, a school hoodie with the school logo is permitted.

NOTE: ONLY SCHOOL HOODIES WITH SCHOOL LOGO ARE ALLOWED FOR ALL JUNIOR HIGH STUDENTS.

TOP TEN HIGH SCHOOLS IN EDMONTON

Congratulations to the students, parents, and staff of EIA!!

The ranking of the top ten High Schools in Edmonton is in!! Edmonton Islamic Academy is ranked number three in all of Edmonton!! Please see the following link: <https://flip.it/vO4II6>

CORE CLASSES

UPCOMING ASSESSMENTS (TEST/ QUIZ)

Subject	Monday Jan 18	Tuesday Jan 19	Wednesday Jan 20	Thursday Jan 21	Friday Jan 22
Social Studies	Chapter 7 Quiz 8B	Chapter 7 Quiz 8A	Chapter 7 Quiz 8C		
Science					Quiz Refraction
Math			8A,B,C,D: Chapter 9 test		
Language Arts					
Arabic		Major Test 8A			
Islamic Studies	8A & 8D Islamic Quiz	8B & 8C Islamic Quiz	8A & 8D Islamic Quiz	8B Islamic Quiz	8C Islamic Quiz
Health & Wellness		8B Health Quiz	8D Health Quiz		8A & 8C Health Quiz

ISLAMIC STUDIES 8A, 8B, 8C, 8D

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TOPICS:

- Islam and Logic
- Hajj and Prophet Isa

IMPORTANT DATES

- ❖ *Monday, January 18:* Islamic Quiz on Hajj and Prophet Isa 8A & 8D
- ❖ *Tuesday, January 19:* Islamic Quiz on Hajj and Prophet Isa 8B & 8C
- ❖ *Wednesday, January 20:* 8A & 8D - Islamic Quiz on Logic
- ❖ *Thursday, January 21:* 8B - Islamic Quiz on Logic
- ❖ *Friday, January 22:* 8C- Islamic Quiz on Logic

RESOURCES

- ★ Remind code: **4c2gb3**
- ★ **Google classrooms**
- ★ 8A. <https://classroom.google.com/c/MTM4ODI4NjI3ODgy?cjc=drn4ine>
- ★ 8B. <https://classroom.google.com/c/MTM4ODM1MDU4OTk0?cjc=5o5znvq>
- ★ 8C. <https://classroom.google.com/c/MTM4ODM1MDU5MTYw?cjc=r27ckad>
- ★ 8D. <https://classroom.google.com/c/MTM4ODM5NzcwMDI0?cjc=kgfohwx>

ARABIC 8A

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TOPICS

- ❖ Al-Qaida An-Nooraniyah القاعدة النورانية continuing lesson 17.
- ❖ Arabic with Husna curriculum, lesson: Ism- Review of Status Part 2 & Flexibility.

IMPORTANT DATES

- ❖ *Tuesday, January 19:* Writing Test

RESOURCES

- ★ Remind code for 8A: 8aeia
- ★ Google Classroom 8A: cdgkd4r

ARABIC 8B ,8C, 8D

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TOPICS

- Al-Qaida An-Nooraniyah القاعدة النورانية Lesson 12
- Friendship lesson

IMPORTANT DATES

- ❖ *None*

RESOURCES

- ★ Remind : @arabicgr8
- ★ Google classroom :
8B:yw36kty
8C:jwaprpm
8D: 6p26pbk

ENGLISH 8A, 8B, 8C,8D

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TOPICS

- Poetry-Literary Devices

IMPORTANT DATES

- ❖ *Friday, January 22:* Inquiry Fair Duotang due

RESOURCES

- ★ **Textbook available Online**

- ★ **Remind:**

- 8D Homeroom: @8dhr2021
- 8A English: @8aeng2021
- 8B English: @8beng2021
- 8C English: @8ceng2021
- 8D English: @8deng2021

- ★ **Google Classroom:**

- Here are the google classroom links
- **8D Homeroom:** <https://meet.google.com/lookup/cwmsjjaj6y>
- Class Code: dkolwxv
- **8A English:** <https://meet.google.com/lookup/bt56pdqsk>
- Class Code: tvbfzal
- **8B English:** <https://meet.google.com/lookup/dnlkosklxz>
- Class Code: amtd7ya
- **8C English:** <https://meet.google.com/lookup/gtdk7bbeh5>
- ClassCode: imb7nrb
- **8D English:** <https://meet.google.com/lookup/c57u6sfxjy>
- Class Code: kv67x46

SOCIAL 8A, 8B

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TOPICS

- Chapter 7 : The Spanish and the Aztecs

IMPORTANT DATES

- ❖ *Monday, January 18:* Vocab Quiz
- ❖ *Tuesday, January 19:* Vocab Quiz

RESOURCES

- ★ **Google Classroom:** 8A: qfgmbew 8B: d7aqhvo
- ★ **Remind code:** @k89hh72
- ★ Textbook: “Our Worldviews” Introduction and Chapter 1 are available on Google Classroom
- ★ Homework Student Package: Available on Google Classroom
- ★ **Google Meet for At Home learners and students in isolation:**
Tuesday 2:00 - 2:40 meet.google.com/wyq-cuqo-jrm

SOCIAL 8C

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TOPICS

- Worldviews in Conflict: The Spanish and the Aztecs - Introduction

IMPORTANT DATES

- ❖ *Wednesday, January 20:* Chapter 7 Exam
- ❖ *Friday, January 22:* Inquiry Fair Booklets Due

- ❖ *Tuesday, January 26:* Inquiry Fair Presentations: Day 1
- ❖ *Wednesday, January 27:* Inquiry Fair Presentations: Day 2

RESOURCES

- ★ Remind: @eiasoc8
- ★ Google Classroom: hburifi

SOCIAL 8D

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TOPICS

- AZTECS Chapter 7

IMPORTANT DATES

- ❖ *January 22:* Inquiry Fair Duotang due

RESOURCES

- ★ **Google Classroom:**
 - **8D Homeroom:** <https://meet.google.com/lookup/cwmsjjaj6y>
 - Class Code: dkolwxv
 - **8D Social Studies:** <https://meet.google.com/lookup/ebrbwow7gi>
 - Class Code: urqr2e6
- ★ **Remind Code:**
 - **Homeroom:** @8dhr2021
 - **Social Studies:** 8dsoc2021
- ★ Textbook: “Our Worldviews” available on Google Classroom

MATH 8A, 8B, 8C, 8D

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TOPICS

- Chapter 9: Patterns and Expressions
 - 9.1 : Analyzing graphs of linear relations
 - 9.2: Patterns in a table of values
 - 9.3: Linear Relationships

IMPORTANT DATES

- ❖ *Wednesday, January 20:* 8A, B,C,D: Chapter 9 test

RESOURCES

- ★ Remind Codes:

to join Grade 8A math class, enter the Remind code @**eia8amath**
 to join Grade 8B math class, enter the Remind code @**eia8bmath**
 to join Grade 8C math class, enter the Remind code @**eia8cmath**
 to join Grade 8D math class, enter the Remind code @**eia8dmath**
- ★ Google Classroom Codes: To join Google classroom please click on the link that corresponds with your classroom:
 - 8A: <https://classroom.google.com/c/MTMxMTk1NjY3Nzk5?cjc=k2nie24>
 - 8B: <https://classroom.google.com/c/MTUyMjA2NzU2Mjgx?cjc=5lpicgo>
 - 8C: <https://classroom.google.com/c/MTUyMjE2MjU4MDg0?cjc=ltcapeb>
 - 8D: <https://classroom.google.com/c/MTUyMjE2MjU4MTIy?cjc=oh73ilz>

SCIENCE 8A, 8B, 8C, 8D,

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TOPICS

- Unit C: Optics & Light
 - ◆ Topic 3: Refraction

IMPORTANT DATES

- ❖ *Wednesday, January 20: Quiz 2*

RESOURCES

- ★ Remind codes are as follows:

8A: scieia8a

8B: scieia8B

8C: eiasci8C

8D: eiasci8D

- ★ **Google Classroom** is as follows:

8A: <https://classroom.google.com/c/MTMxODY5NjI2MTk0?cjc=fev7dsw>

8B: <https://classroom.google.com/c/MTMxODcxNzQzMDk4?cjc=tptj5mm>

8C: <https://classroom.google.com/c/MTMxODcxNzQzMTA1?cjc=2pbjvzx>

8D: <https://classroom.google.com/c/MTMxODcxNzQzMTE3?cjc=jfphpet>

PHYSICAL EDUCATION GIRLS

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TOPICS

- Handball

IMPORTANT DATES

- ❖ *None*

RESOURCES

- ★ Google Classroom: 3b4exrn
- ★ Remind: @sspegr8

PHYSICAL EDUCATION BOYS

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TOPICS

- Introduction to Online Physical Education
- At Home Fitness
- Strength Training

IMPORTANT DATES

- ❖ *None*

RESOURCES

- ★ Google Classroom: bihtfns
- ★ Remind: eiaphysed8

HEALTH 8A, 8B, 8C, 8D

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TOPICS

- Sports and Professional Competition

IMPORTANT DATES

- ❖ *Tuesday, January 19: Health Quiz 8B*
- ❖ *Wednesday, January 20: Health Quiz 8D*
- ❖ *Friday, January 22: Health Quiz 8A & 8C*

**We will cover the topic in class first and then spend the last 15 minutes on a 1 page quiz...so don't worry about studying!

RESOURCES

- ★ **Remind 4c2gb3**
- ★ Google classrooms
8A: **nkrmdcm**

8B: iklmrrkq

8C: t6btmyw

8D: kxx2v2f

BREADTH & OPTION CLASSES

OPTIONS SCHEDULE

MONTHS	8A	8B	8C	8D
September 4th - October 27th	½ FOOD STUDIES / ½ CTS	FILM STUDIES	ART	GRAPHIC DESIGN
October 30th - December 18th	FILM STUDIES	ART	GRAPHIC DESIGN	½ FOOD STUDIES / ½ CTS
January 4th - February 26th	ART	GRAPHIC DESIGN	½ FOOD STUDIES / ½ CTS	FILM STUDIES
March 1st - April 30th	GRAPHIC DESIGN	½ FOOD STUDIES / ½ CTS	FILM STUDIES	ART
May 3rd - June 11th	½ FOOD STUDIES / ½ CTS	FILM STUDIES	ART	GRAPHIC DESIGN

FILM STUDIES

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TOPICS

- Introduction to Online Film Studies

IMPORTANT DATES

- ❖ None

RESOURCES

- ★ N/A

GRAPHIC DESIGN

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TOPICS

- Exploring Pixlr
- During this Junior High Option, Graphic Design, students will be using two online resources to create Graphic Designs. The websites used are called canva.com and pixlr.com. When using canva.com or pixlr.com students will be asked to sign up for a free account using their student emails. The purpose of the websites will be to aid students in the creation of logos, advertisements, marketing, and other Graphic Designs used for in class purposes only.

IMPORTANT DATES

- ❖ None

RESOURCES

- ★ Google Classroom: wxqimzi
- ★ canva.com
- ★ pixlr.com

FOODS

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TOPICS

- Chocolate Chip Cookies

IMPORTANT DATES

- ❖ *None*

RESOURCES

- ★ N/A

CTS

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TOPICS

- Students have a variety of topics to choose from in their CTS option class. The topics they can choose from are: 3D Design printing, Robotics, Woodcutting Calligraphy, Movie Trailer, Web Design Basics, IT Basics, Media and Comm., Lighting, and Tech Business proposal.

IMPORTANT DATES

- ❖ *None*

RESOURCES

- ★ N/A

ART

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TOPICS

- Art Prompts/Digital Art Projects

IMPORTANT DATES

- ❖ *None*

RESOURCES

- ★ Google Classroom Code: ubykuzfc