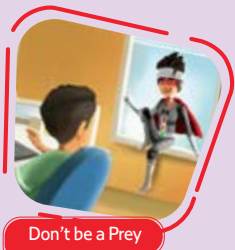


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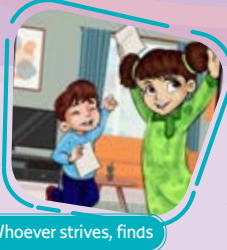
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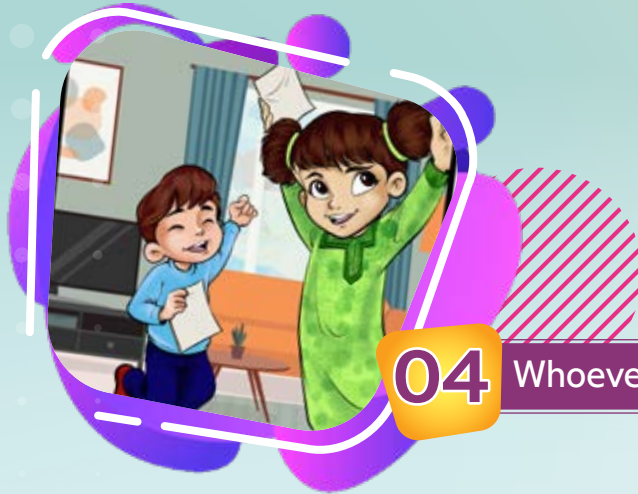
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Sweet Words

You Reap What You Sow

Welcome our loved ones

Examinations are approaching fast. Are we ready for them?

We have experienced a busy academic year and spent long hours studying and preparing for examinations so that we can reap what we have sown.

The remaining days are valuable and we can make the most of them. We will never say that time has passed, every minute is a chance to learn more and increase our chances of success. We can intensify our study hours.

- We need to focus on lessons that we did not study well.
- During this period, we should try to avoid everything that distracts us such as games, television, and electronic devices.
- Before every exam, we need to study hard and revise all lessons.
- During examinations, we need to go to bed early to be ready and fresh in the morning of the exam.

We have to trust ourselves in the exam hall, remain calm and collected, and read every question more than once before starting the answer. We must avoid stress. We have studied well throughout the year, and we just need to answer the questions with no fear or anxiety. We always trust that God does not waste the efforts of those who worked hard.

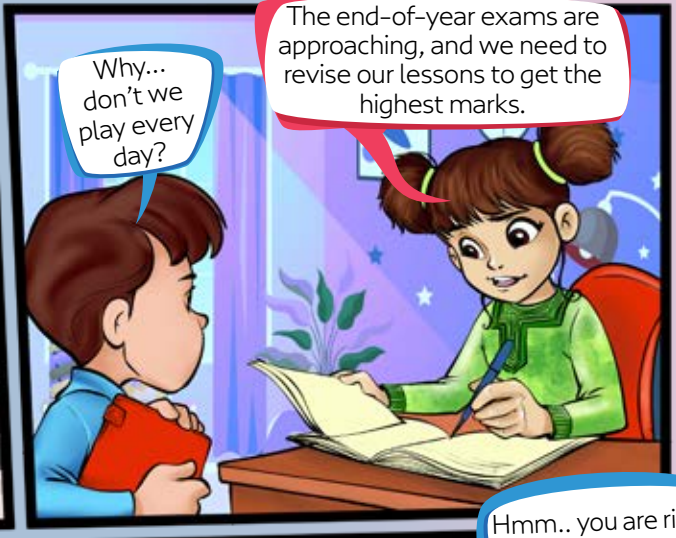
I will be eager to receive your messages and will await the good news of your success. That will make me happy and proud of you, and motivate me to sincerely congratulate you and repeat: You Reap What You Sow.

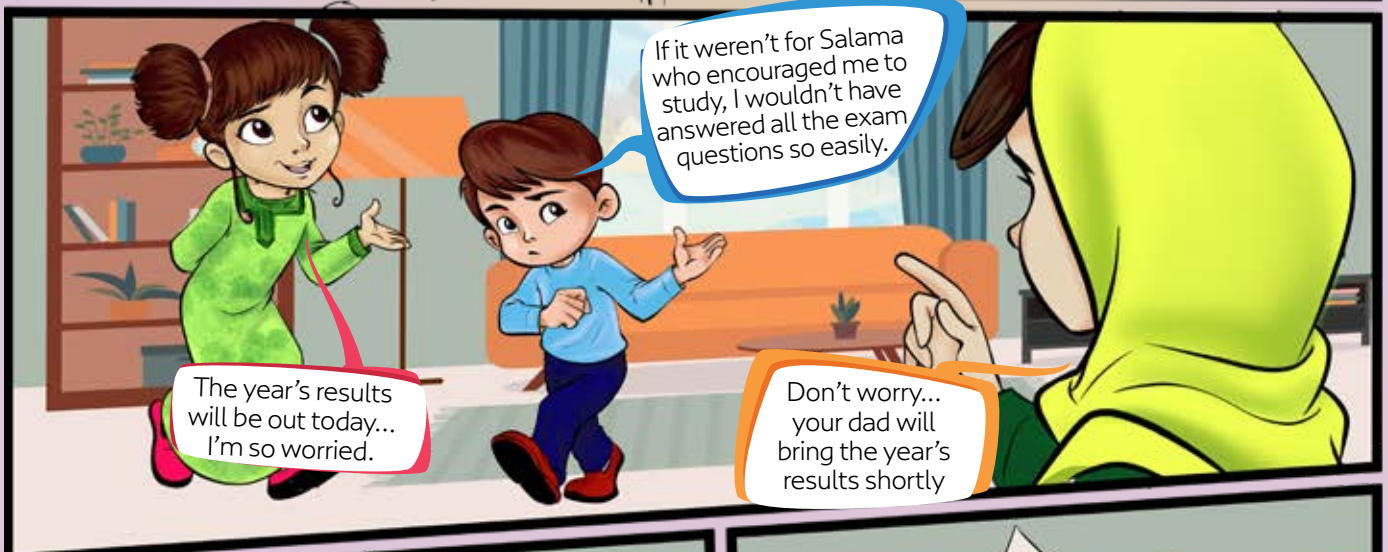
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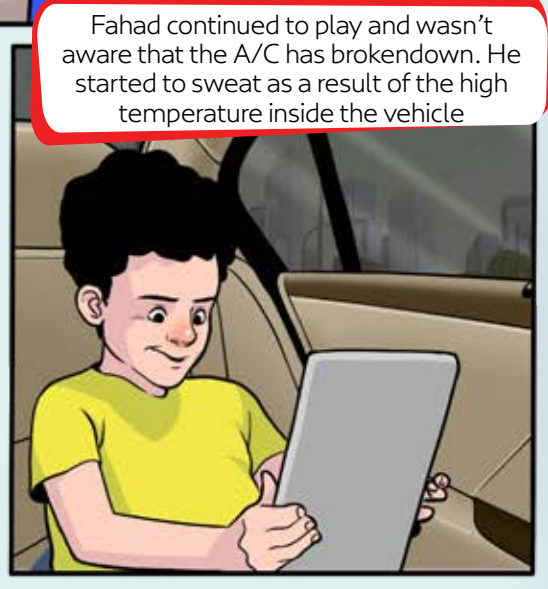
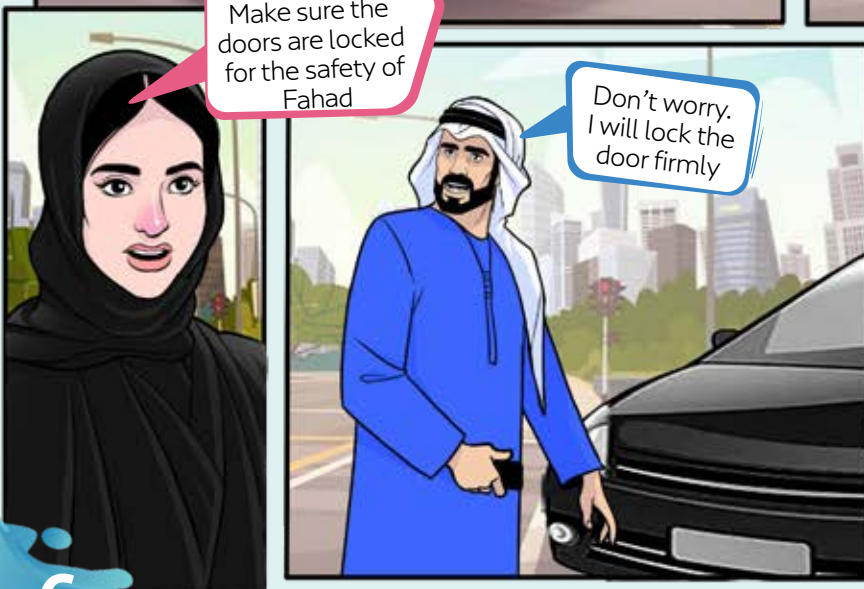
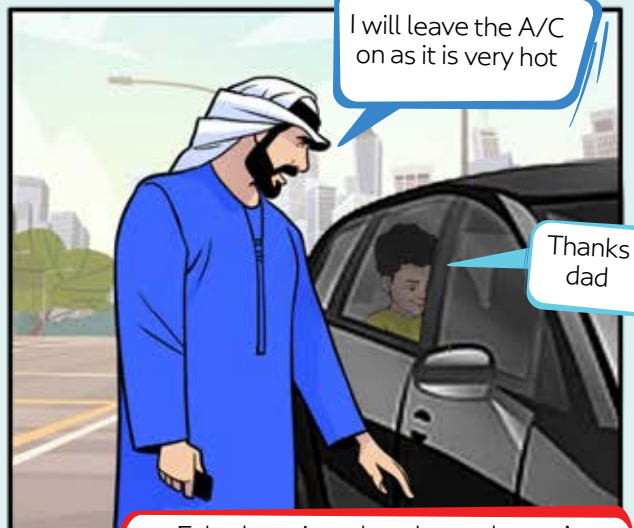
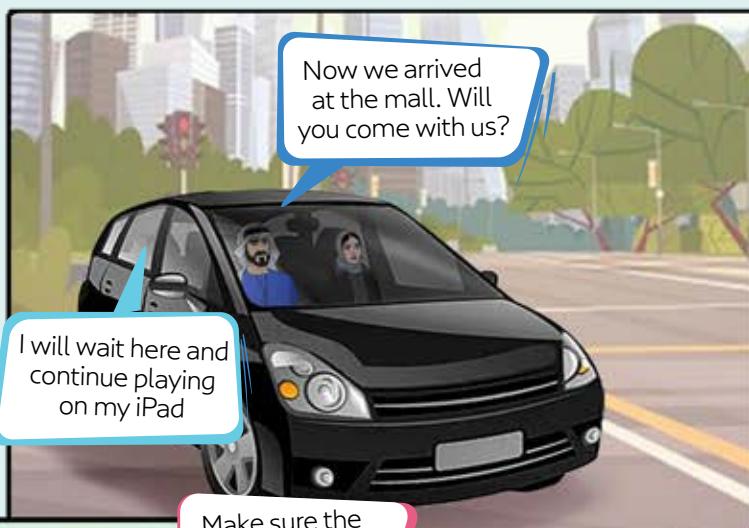




Child Onboard (1)

Illustrated by: Muhammad Qajoum

Engineer **Salem**





I feel dizzy. I need fresh air, but the doors and windows are locked



Help Me,
Save Me



Suddenly, Engineer Salim spotted the situation

Poor child. I will try to save you. Just hold on

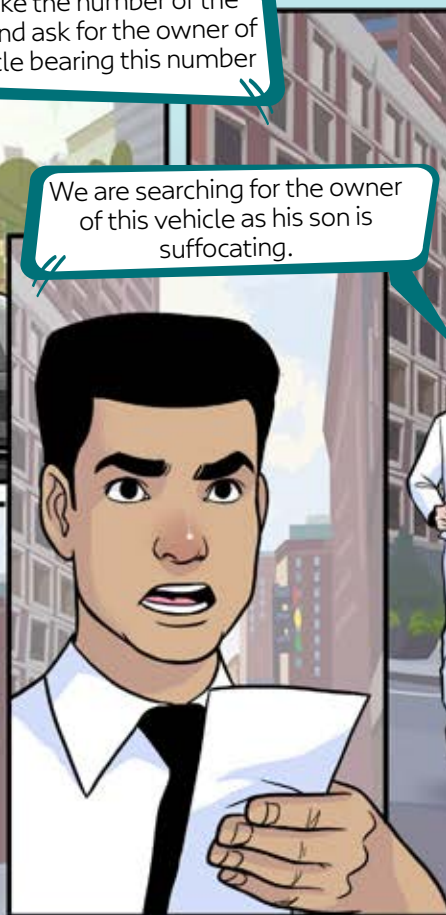


He is there in the Mall

The door is locked. Where is your father. I need him to open the door.



I will take the number of the vehicle and ask for the owner of the vehicle bearing this number



We are searching for the owner of this vehicle as his son is suffocating.



The security will surely help



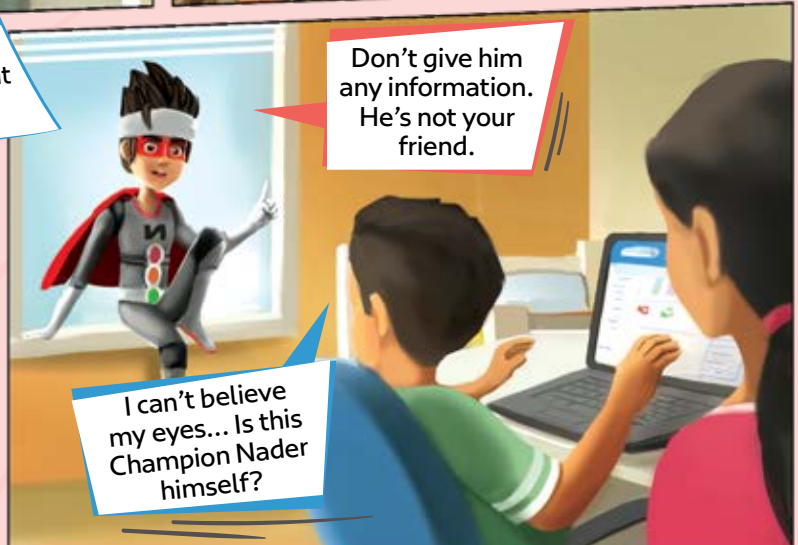
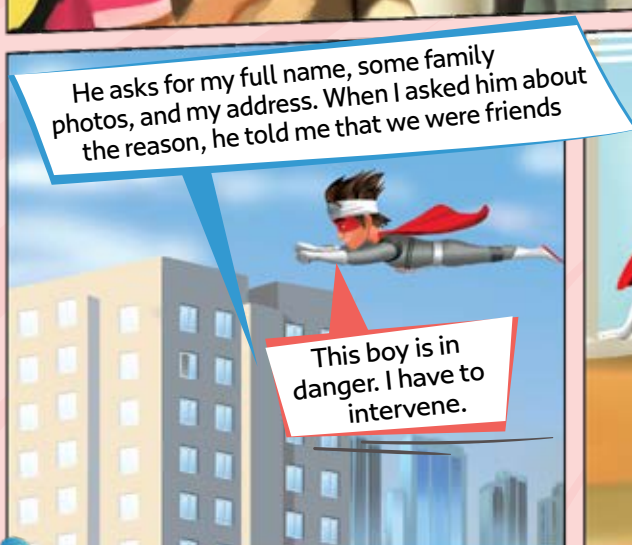
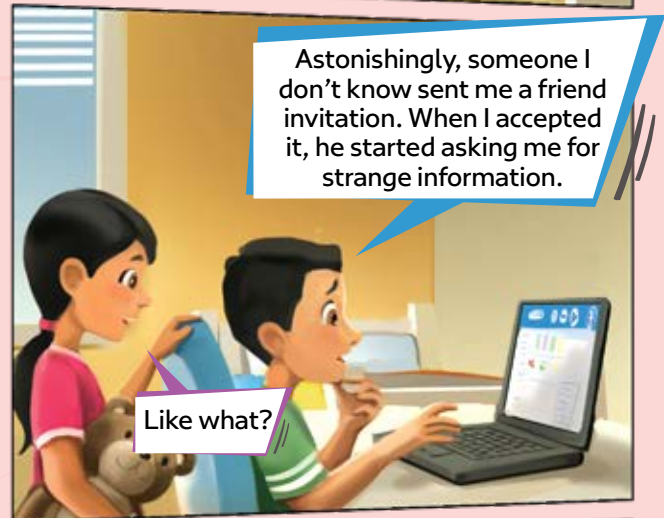
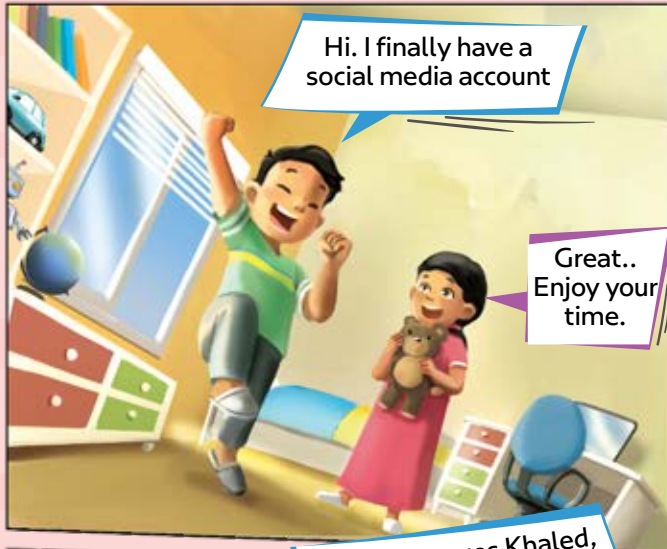
Oh, let's look for him inside the mall

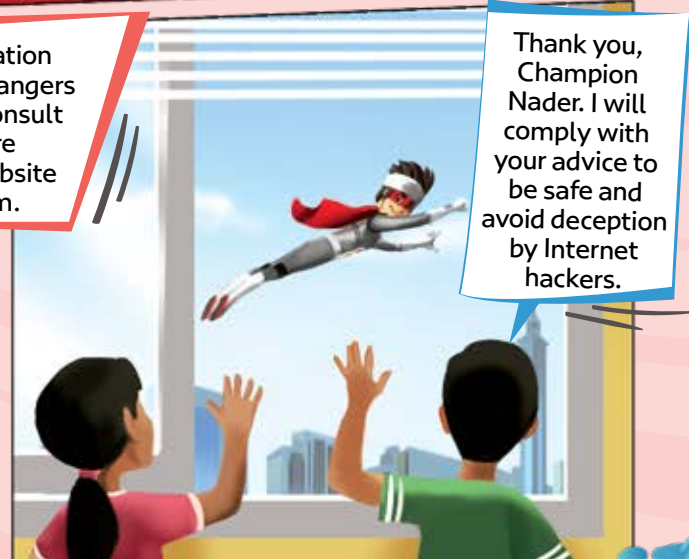
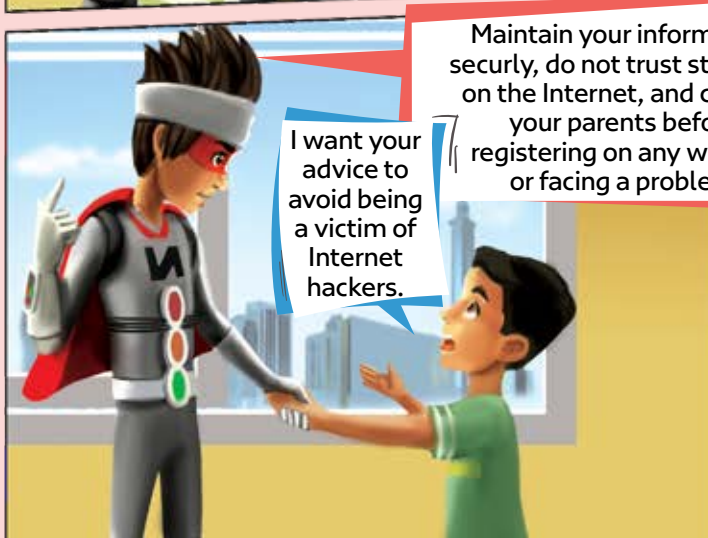
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Don't be a Prey

Illustrated by: Tarif Kalji

Champion **Nader**





Female students dismiss bullying for causing long-lasting psychological effects

Schools and parents join hands to combat bullying

By: Aisha Alshamsi – Shareef Abu Taha

The Salama Council held a session with the female students from Nad Al Hammer School - Cycle 2 emphasising the role of schools and parents in addressing bullying, which is an aggressive behaviour that causes long-term psychological and social effects. The students also discussed the causes of (school bullying), which includes unacceptable comments, exploiting the weaknesses of some students' personalities, and bragging about their social or academic level without taking into account the feelings of the victim or the effects resulting from the abuse through neglect and exclusion.

The students talked about the types of school bullying that female teachers are exposed to, or it may be behaviour or verbalization from female teachers directed at female students, stressing that they reject bullying in all its forms because it is uncivilized behaviour and does not express human values.

The participating students also explained that they were subjected to bullying, and they succeeded in confronting it and stopping the bullying party by submitting formal complaints to the school administration and following the method of advice and guidance to stop practicing psychological or physical abuse on them.



Eighth-grade student, **Mirna Ahmed**, said: "I advise parents to follow up on their children and ask about their psychological and social needs, and educate their children to avoid bullying conducts such that they will not become victims nor provokers."

Mirna also explained that students should choose their friends in the neighbourhood and schoolmates well, and stay away from strangers or older people. Bullies choose victims at random.



The role of family

Eighth-grader, **Mira Mahmoud**, said: The family plays an important role in combating bullying by educating children to respect others, refraining from humiliating people and promoting tolerance, regardless of differences in colour, race, or language.

"Parents have an important role in educating children and strengthening their personalities so that they do not fall victim to bullies. It requires encouraging children to participate in school and sports activities, and motivating children to watch cultural programmes and avoid violent movies," she added.



As for **Amna Atef**, a student in the eighth grade, she indicated the need to organize workshops and lectures that educate students about the importance of not allowing strangers to exercise their authority and power over the student, and the student must defend herself firmly, and in the event of verbal bullying, it is advised to go to the competent authorities and take a pledge on the bully.



The role of the school

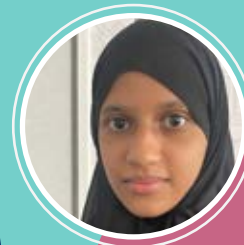
Alyazia Yahya, a fifth-grade student, said: "The school has a big and important role in treating bullying, through the role of the teacher when bullying occurs, and her role is to stop bullying and prevent the stronger party from practicing assault and warn him of any unacceptable behavior.

The teacher also has a fundamental role in helping the victim. Through listening and providing psychological and educational support to get the student out of the state of fear and distress.



Respectful Treatment

Eighth-grade student, **Marwa Jaber** called on teachers and students to observe the principle of Respectful Treatment. "Islam urges everyone to respect the elderly and be kind to the young. Based on this principle, the teacher must set an example to follow on how to deal with students and avoid bullying behaviours that may be unintended, especially towards academically-weak students," she remarked.



Eighth-grade student **Sheikha Tamim** said: "My friends and I are committed to respecting teachers and appreciating their efforts, besides avoiding behaviour that disturb teachers. We are well aware that the educational process and successful academic achievement come with diligence and developing a school environment based on tolerance and appreciation of the other."



Protecting students and preserving the rights of teachers

Ms **Maitha Al Sayah**, Security, Safety and Health Executive at Nad Al Hammer School – Cycle 2 said, "Bullying is an aggressive conduct and a social problem that many groups suffer from. Among the most dangerous types of bullying is school bullying, which requires great efforts and intensive awareness programmes to combat it through education and cooperation and respect.

"Bullying has various forms, such as physical, verbal, electronic, social, and each form requires a specific approach to the solution. The key to addressing it is having open communication, safeguarding the rights of the victims, empowering them to take their rights, enabling them to combat bullying, and advising them to be transparent with parents and the school in the event of repeated bullying or abuse. Additionally, more efforts should be made to provide psychological and social support to the victim such that he or she turns into a positive individual who embraces diversity and contributes to community building the community."

Dubai Parks and Resorts

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This place is amazing.



Indeed. Dubai Parks and Resorts offers Lego adventures that include interactive tours.

Here you'll find the first water park specifically designed for children from 2 to 12 years old and their families.

It also offers water slides, Lego models and building experiences for the whole family.

You can play and enjoy under the Joker Soaker, or build your own Lego raft and take it on a water journey.





And you can enjoy a variety of games. Here you will find more than 20 fantastic water games.



Bollywood Dubai is the first amusement park inspired by Bollywood films, and it covers an area of 25 million square feet.



Riverland Dubai is where theatres and restaurants from different eras are located, including the French Village designed in the style of the Middle Ages, and 19th century Europe.



Motiongate Dubai is a cinematic journey in the world of films. You will find charming stories, animations, and exciting rides here.

I will make sure to bring my family and friends to enjoy Dubai Parks and Resorts.

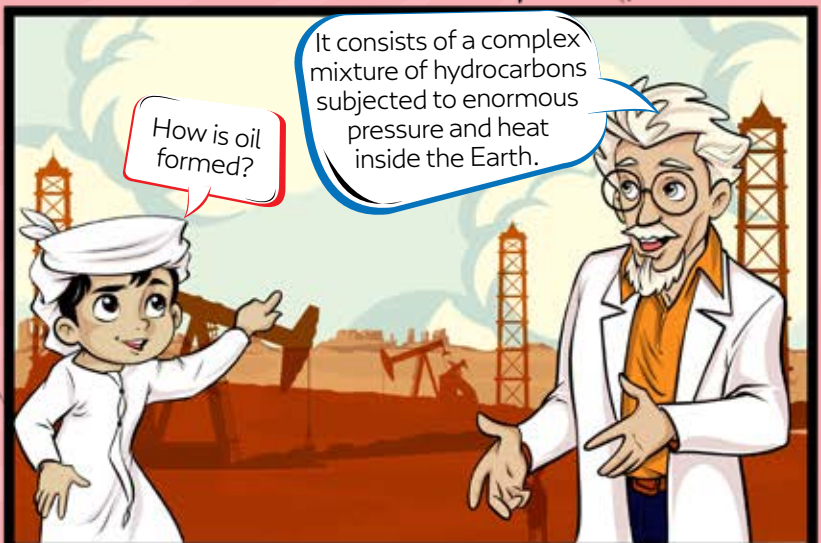
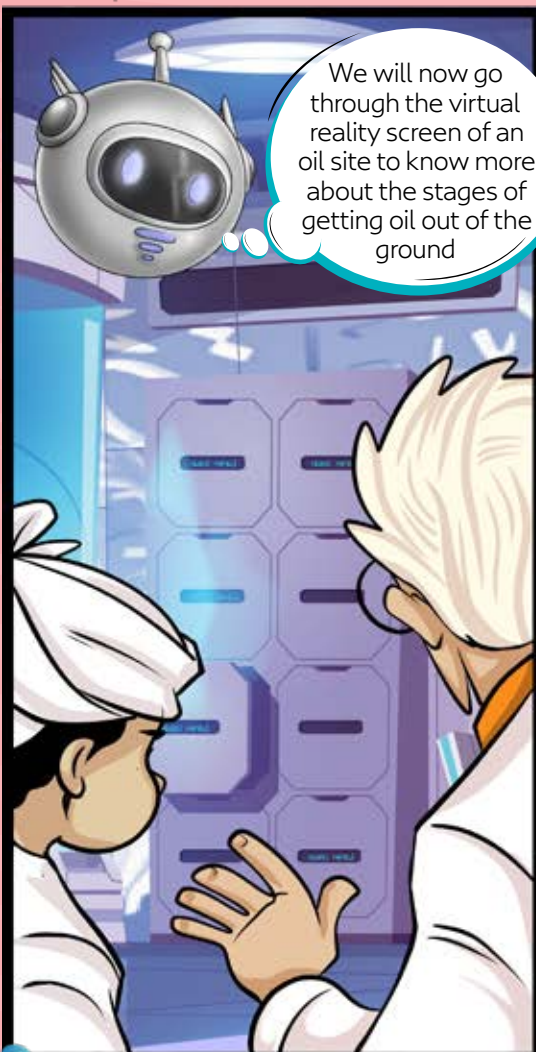


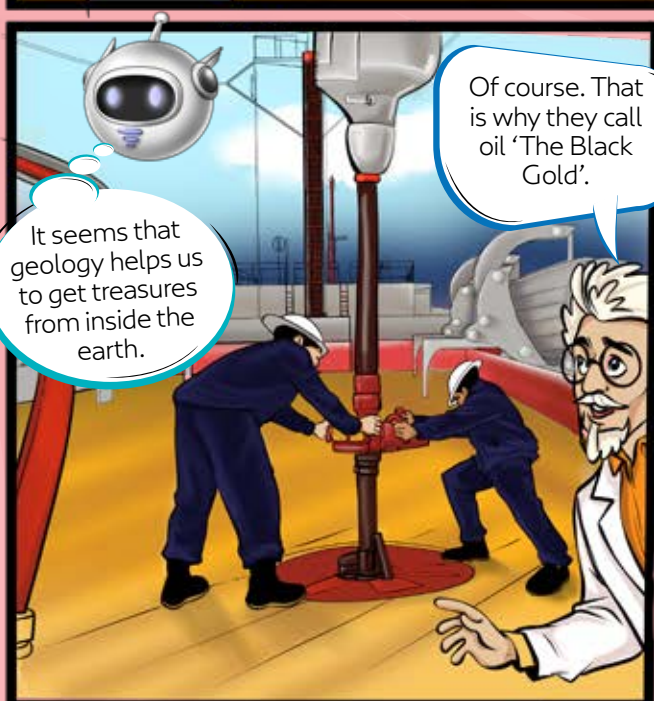
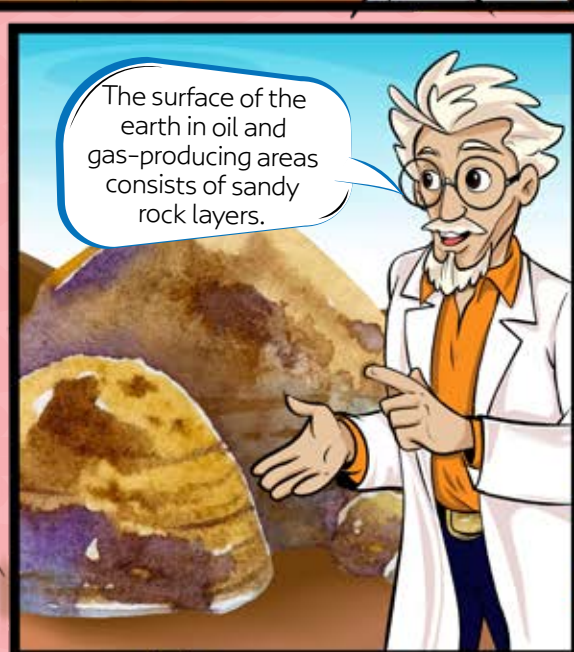
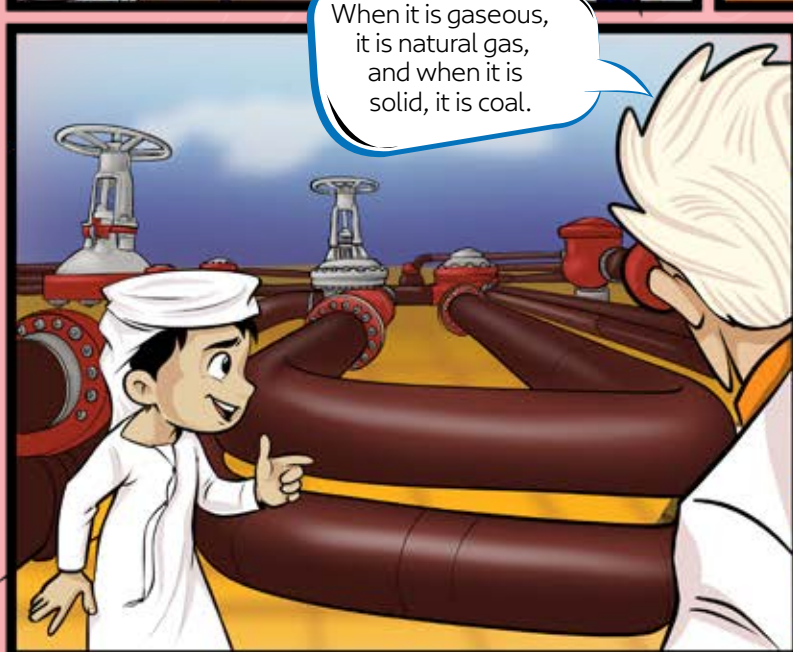
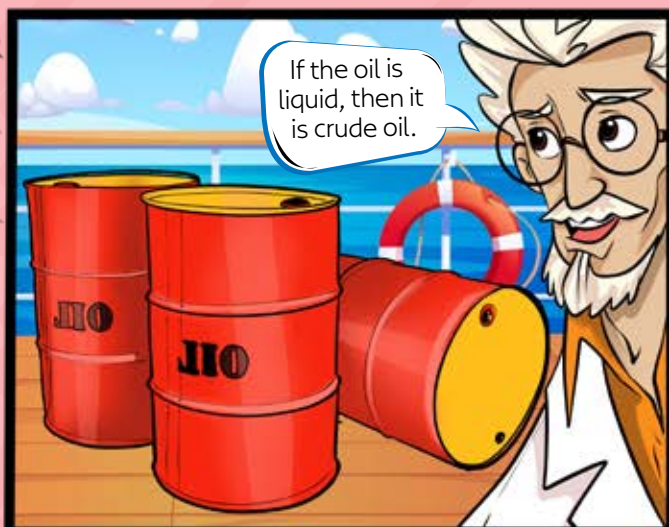
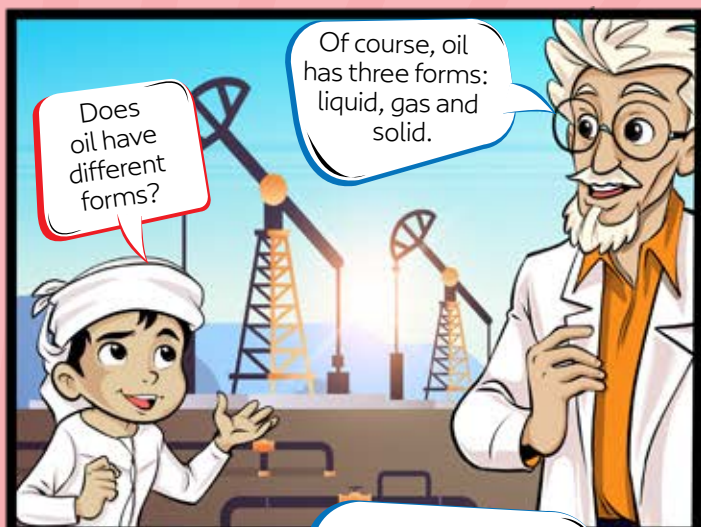
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Foreseeing

the future





Every problem has a solution

Illustrated by: Abdel Fattah Helmy



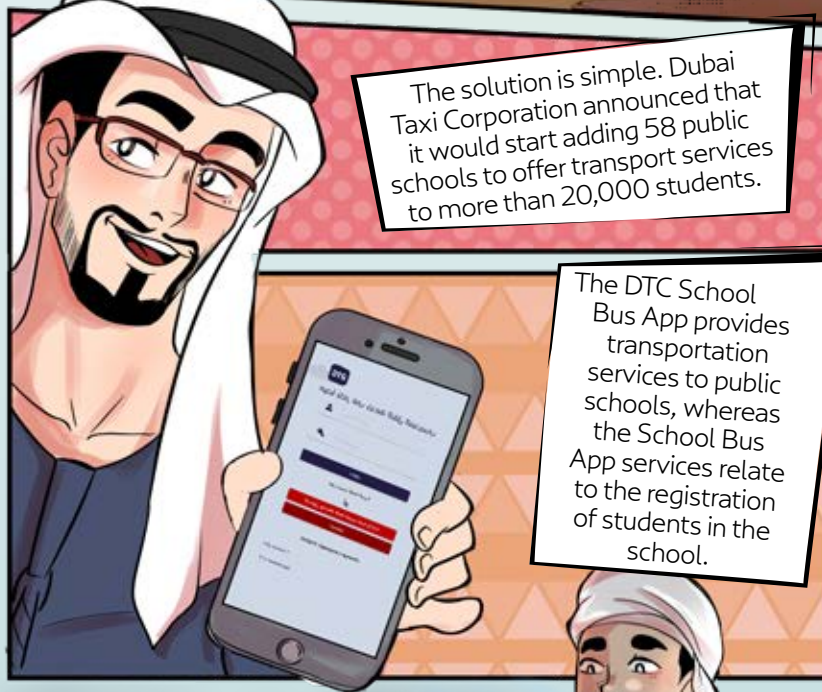
Safety Road



I am tired. Every day I have to take my son to school and bring him back home.

My sister, it is easy. Every problem has a solution.

My father has a solution to every problem, aunt.



The solution is simple. Dubai Taxi Corporation announced that it would start adding 58 public schools to offer transport services to more than 20,000 students.

The DTC School Bus App provides transportation services to public schools, whereas the School Bus App services relate to the registration of students in the school.



And the registration of parents when students arrive at school or home.

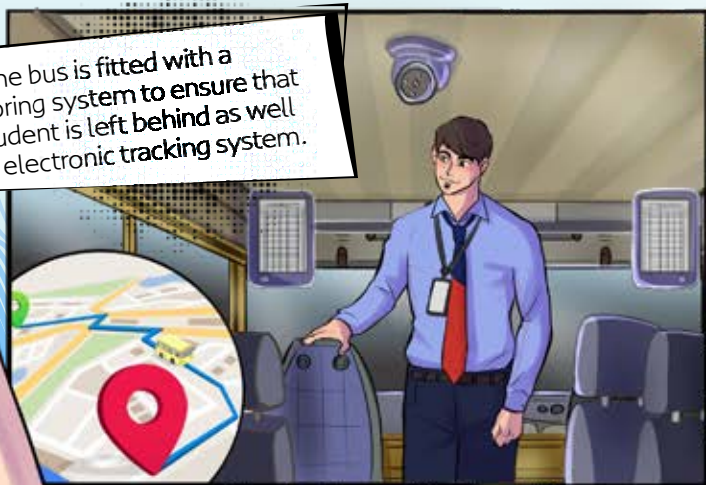


The app sends instant notifications to parents when students arrive at school or home.

Your son will be safe when you know that the service is run by Dubai Taxi Corporation.



The bus is fitted with a monitoring system to ensure that no student is left behind as well as an electronic tracking system.



The app enables the driver to monitor the number of kilometres travelled by the bus, and provides contact with the control centre.



And sends notifications during emergency cases to ensure the highest safety and security standards in the Emirate



The Dubai Taxi Corporation continues to provide specialised training programmes for drivers to ensure safe driving.



This is a great relief for me. I will download this app immediately.

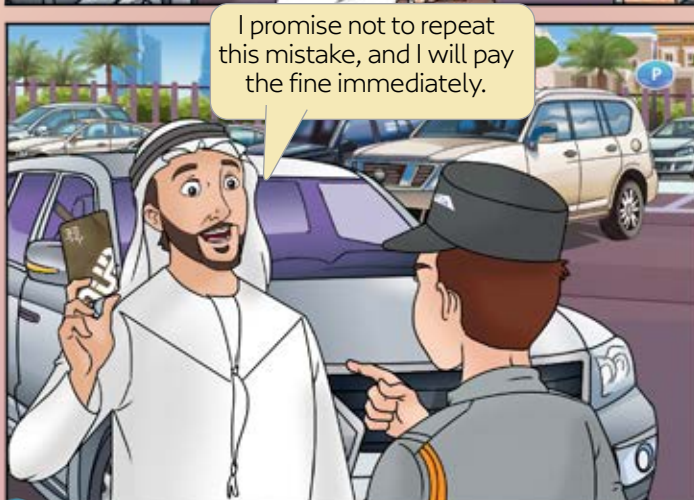


I told you aunt that my father always finds a solution to every problem.

No Parking

Illustrated by: Hossam Abdel Ghani

Inspector **Hamad**



Smart kiosk

Mahboub



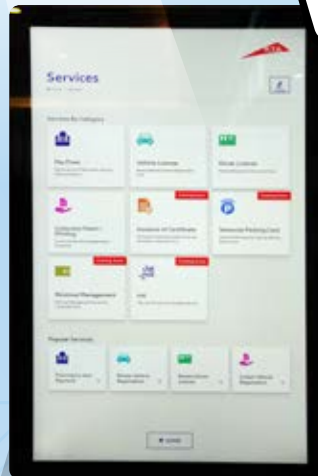
RTA introduced smart kiosks to enhance customer happiness by smooth transactions and saving customers' time and effort.

The Smart kiosks are situated at various locations, including RTA's main building as well as customer service centres in Umm Ramool, Deira, Al Barsha, Al Tawar, Tasjeel Al Barsha, JBR, Al Aweer, Al Manara, Al Karama, Tasjeel Al Qusais, Wasel Belhasa, Quick Registration, and Shamel Al Muhaisnah.

The Smart kiosks offer a range of services that include driving license renewal, seasonal parking card renewal, vehicle license renewal, fine inquiries and payments, vehicle certificate printing, document receipt, issuance of vehicle registration, and replacement of damaged/lost vehicle registration.

The smart kiosk enables customers to conveniently complete transactions without in-person assistance from staff. Additionally, the kiosk is equipped with a camera and telephone to promptly provide audio and video assistance to users in case of any procedural or technical issues.

These kiosks offer a range of services, including the issuance of "To Whom It May Concern" certificates relating to licensing matters, inquiry and payment of fines as well as the renewal and replacement of lost or damaged driving licenses and vehicle registration.



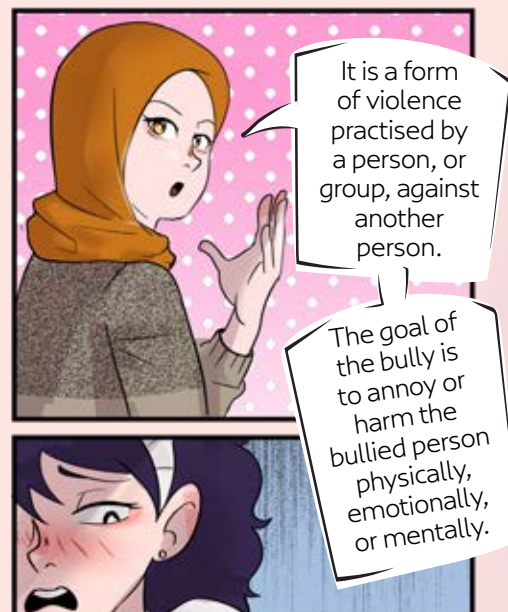
Bullying among children

Illustrated by: Abdel Fattah Helmy

Prepared by: Hamda Al Mansouri
Dubai Health Authority

Miss

Weqaya





They are many like hitting, shouting, pushing, making bad comments, and giving someone an unpleasant nickname to make fun of them.



It also includes sending harmful messages or images on social media, which is cyberbullying that could also be via e-mail and mobile phones.



Of course, bullying makes the child live in isolation, avoid social interaction, feel depressed and lack self-confidence.

Are there effects of bullying?



What are the solutions to bullying?

The best solutions could be

- 1- Discouraging bullying among children
- 2- Reporting to an adult to explain the problem if you were bullied.
- 3- Avoiding response through bullying back the other person



We have made a mistake with our classmate Bodour. Let's apologise so that she can forgive us.

Well done. Let's go to her



I immediately Bodour forgave them.

Let us always stick to the principle of No to Bullying.

Hajj Season

Illustrations: Youssef Halim

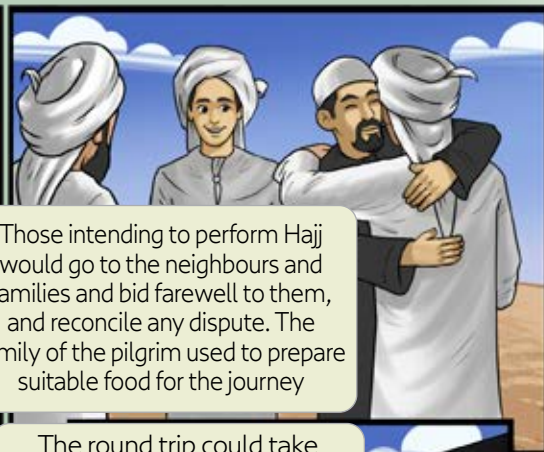
Grandma

Aousha

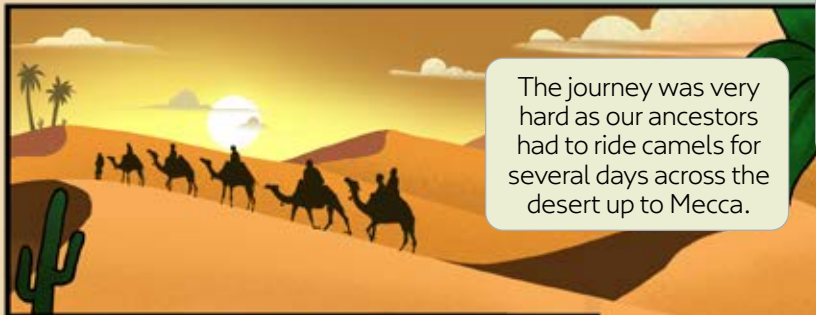


My father travelled to perform Hajj. Can you tell us grandma how you used to perform Hajj in the past when there was no modern transportation means as we see today?

Hajj is a great obligation.



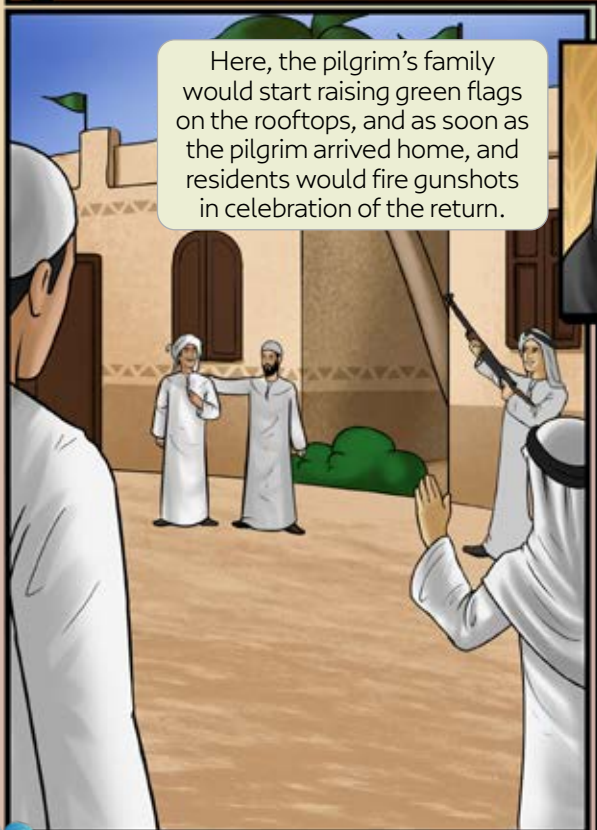
Those intending to perform Hajj would go to the neighbours and families and bid farewell to them, and reconcile any dispute. The family of the pilgrim used to prepare suitable food for the journey



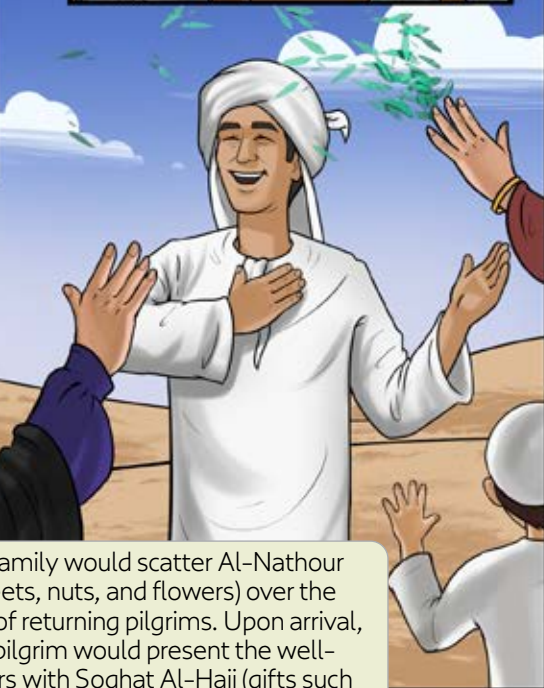
The journey was very hard as our ancestors had to ride camels for several days across the desert up to Mecca.



The round trip could take several months. After the Hajj season, Al Metrash, a frequent traveller, would tell people about the date of return of pilgrims.



Here, the pilgrim's family would start raising green flags on the rooftops, and as soon as the pilgrim arrived home, and residents would fire gunshots in celebration of the return.



The family would scatter Al-Nathour (sweets, nuts, and flowers) over the heads of returning pilgrims. Upon arrival, the pilgrim would present the well-wishers with Soghat Al-Hajj (gifts such as Zamzam water and Madinah dates).

Sign Language – Hajj

In cooperation with the Community Development Authority

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Hello, friends, let's learn about **Hajj** through sign language.

Circling the Kaaba (Tawaf) is expressed by these two signs.

Tawaf

Walking between Safa and Marwah (Saai) is expressed by these two signs.

Saai

The throwing of stones (Jamrat) is expressed by these two signs, as in the two pictures.

Jamrat

Zamzam water is expressed by these two gestures.

Zamzam water

The farewell Tawaf is expressed by these two pictures.

The farewell Tawaf

The removal of Ihram

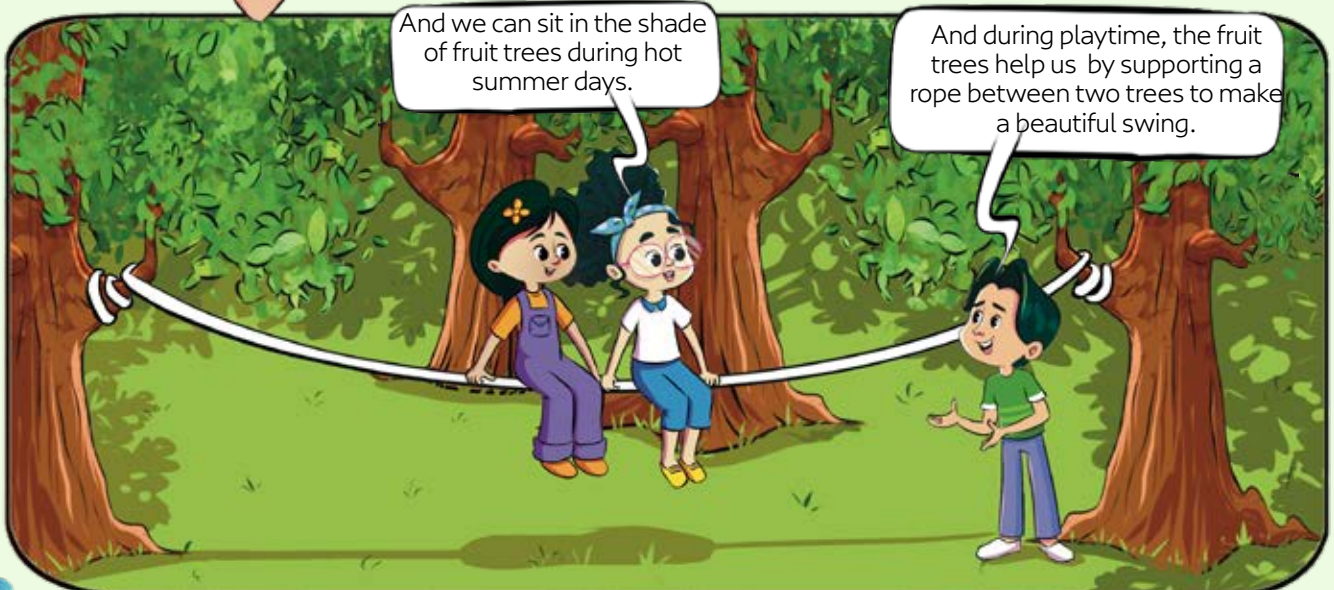
The removal of Ihram is expressed by a gesture with both thumbs, followed by a sign with the right palm, as in these two pictures.


The Blessing of Trees

Illustrated by: Ahmed Haddad

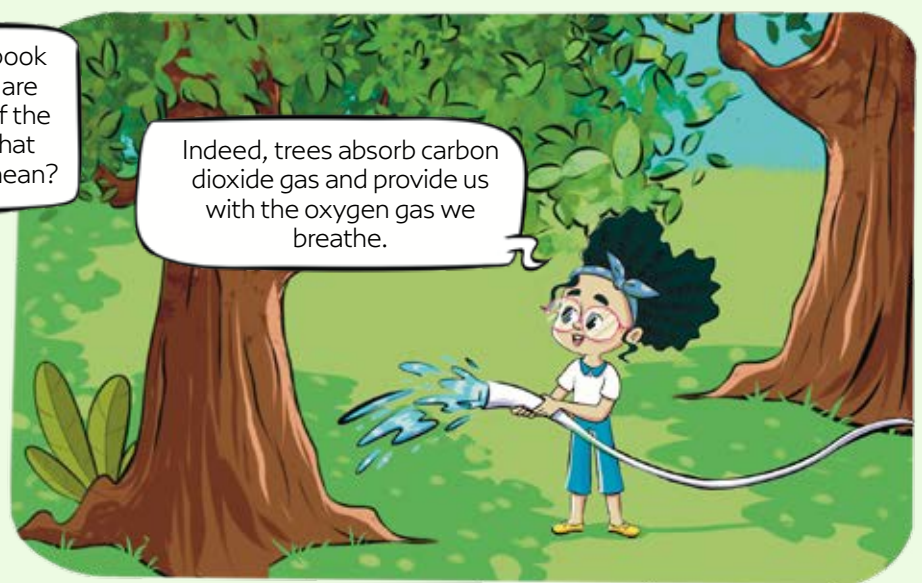
Aliaa

The Eco-friendly







I read in a book that trees are the lungs of the earth... what does that mean?




Indeed, trees absorb carbon dioxide gas and provide us with the oxygen gas we breathe.




I watched an environmental TV episode about desertification and the importance of fighting it by planting more trees.




Very true, and we can fight desertification by planting fruit trees and vegetables. The greater the number of trees, the lesser the extent of desertification.



Where are you going? Isn't it better to rest at home?



We must leave our mark. We will prepare a place to plant some vegetables.



Let's protect our homeland and our environment from desertification and achieve self-satisfaction.