

raising EXPLORERS

"The After School Learning Club"

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NEWSLETTER

A WHOLE YEAR WITH RAISING EXPLORERS





Kaja is truly thriving at **Raising Explorers**, and it's a joy to see her growth shine through each day. Her maturity is blossoming beautifully, and she's building warm, positive relationships with both children and adults across the setting.

Well done, **Kaja** — keep excelling and embracing every new step forward!

GETTING ON TOGETHER

Here at **Raising Explorers**: We've launched a brand-new project exploring different countries. From **discovering** foods that look a little surprising to hearing new languages and music, our young explorers are full of curiosity and excitement.

Along the way, they're **learning** about cultures, arts, religions and traditions, while developing an awareness of diversity and learning how to show tolerance and respect for people of all **backgrounds** and **dispositions**.

Our aim of building **lifelong learners** is well under way!



CHILDREN IN NEED

December holidays at **Raising Explorers** Holiday Club are packed with festive fun, laughter and unforgettable adventures.

🕶️ **VR Escape Rooms** – Can they crack the clues before time runs out?

🔫 **NERF Wars** – Action-packed fun to burn off those mince pies

🍪 **Gingerbread cookie making/baking** – Sweet treats, festive smells and sticky fingers

🎨 **Creative crafts & Hama beads** – Perfect for making Christmas keepsakes and gifts.

🤸 **Insane Air trip** – Bounce, flip and fly into the holidays

🏛️ **Trip to Eureka!** – A magical day of hands-on discovery

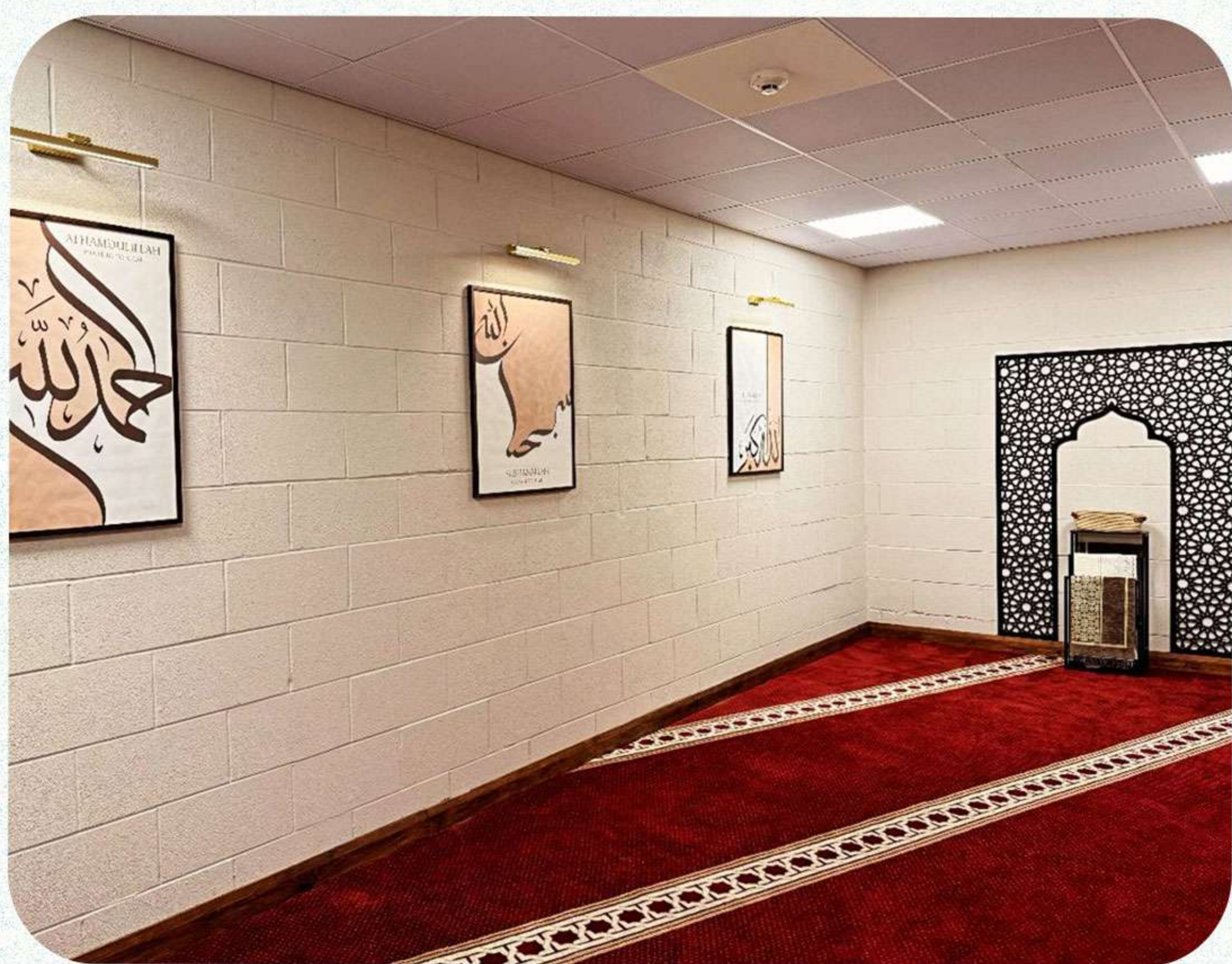
🎮 **GameZone & FIFA tournaments** – Friendly competition with festive bragging rights
Safe, structured days. Happy, tired children.



COMEDY SHOW

This **December**, Raising Explorers proudly partnered with **Human Appeal** for their annual Takeover Comedy Show, and it was an absolute hit. The room was filled with non-stop laughter and smiles, made even more special by a surprise appearance from the **brilliant Guz Khan**.

Our **Raising Explorers** stall was also a highlight of the evening — we loved sharing **free mojitos and sweets** and catching up with families and familiar faces. With laughter, generosity, and a wonderful community atmosphere, it truly was a night to remember for an **amazing cause**.



SPOTLIGHT STAR



This month's Student Spotlight goes to **Zakariyyah Riyaz**, a child who brings good vibes wherever they go!

This month he has **excelled** in his Madrassah studies and set a great example for others. We're so proud of him and love celebrating the little stars who make **Raising Explorers** such a special place. 🧡



NEW PRAYER ROOM

One of our **biggest highlights** this month was the official opening of our new prayer room — and wow, it looks **beautiful**!

The room has been **thoughtfully** decorated to create a calm, peaceful space where our children can slow down, focus, and feel comfortable during prayer time. It's already become a **much-loved** part of the day, and seeing the children use the space with confidence and care has made us so **proud**.



WINTER WONDERLAND

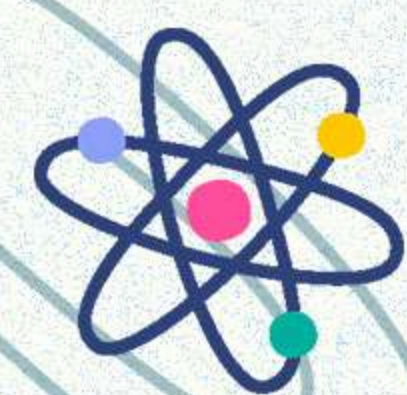
At **Raising Explorers**, the **December holidays** are set to be packed with endless activities and **winter** fun. Children will have the chance to jump into a world of imagination with festive crafts, exciting trips, and baking. Baking has quickly become one of our most popular activities, and this **Christmas** we're taking it to the next level with festive holiday cake pops.

The holiday club will also include an action-packed adventure at **Flip Out**, which we know the children will love. These **fun-filled** activities are designed to keep our children smiling and enjoying every moment of the holidays.



SPOTLIGHT STAR

Our spotlight star for this month is **Alyaan Saleem**. **Alyaan** is a talented sports star who always gives his best on sports day and in every activity. He is a fantastic role model to younger children, sharing his passion for sports with **enthusiasm** and **positivity**. Through his time at Raising Explorer, **Alyaan** has developed strong teamwork skills and confidence while fully enjoying every activity.



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SPONTANEOUS SPORTS

Raising Explorers isn't just about trips—it's also about learning. We teach children about fitness and the importance of health while offering a wide range of **fun activities**.

All sports are designed to meet every child's needs and **interests**, ensuring everyone can play a sport they enjoy. Our inclusive, well-planned activities, led by supportive staff, help build confidence, discover new talents, and make new **friends**.

