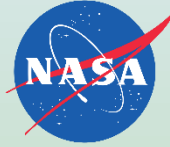




AL DIYAFAH HIGH SCHOOL



Space – The Final Frontier



Diyafites at the NASA Space Camp

On 18th March, 8 Diyafites accompanied by Mr. Colin D'costa left for New York to attend the NASA camp – Spring session. They assembled at the Dubai Airport Terminal 1 at 1:30 am for the early morning flight.



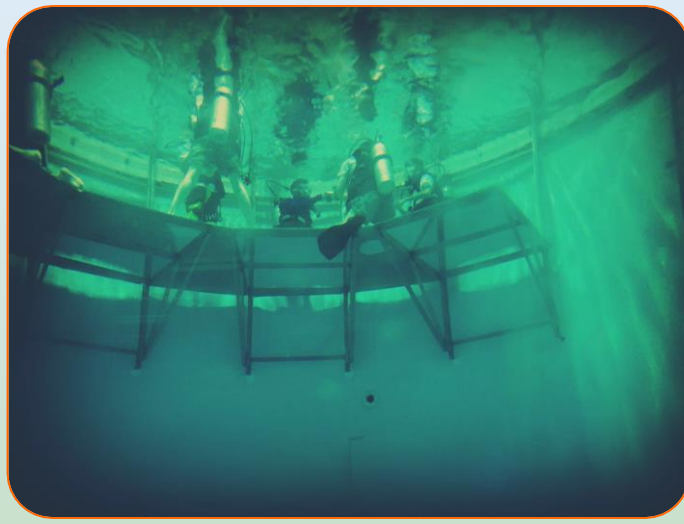
After landing at JFK, the group halted in New York for two days prior to going to the camp. They visited Ellis Island, Statue of Liberty, Ground Zero and also spent an evening at Time Square.





On the morning of 20th March they took a domestic flight to Atlanta and reached the destination in evening. Immediately the next day they were on task at the camp. They were divided in different age groups and underwent an intensive and well planned course at the space camp.





The students competed in groups, trained for careers choices, participated in outdoor activities like zip lining, pamper pole and rock climbing; and indoor space challenges like Multi Axis trainer, 1/6th Gravity chair etc.

They worked on several space missions including a Lunar Base Mission and launching a Rocket. Both the groups won several awards. Also, Ajinkya and Chitranjan won individual awards for “the right stuff”. On their way back they visited Madame Tussaud’s and explored Times square.

All happy and safe, the group returned home on 26th April.

