

سیکھو سکھاؤ پاکستان



PROGRAM DAY-1: 21st April, 2026 (Tuesday) - Civil Services Academy, Walton, Lahore - (Gate 4)

Venue / Timings	9:30 AM – 10:30 AM	10:30 AM – 11:15 AM	11:20 AM – 12:15 PM	12:20 PM – 1:20 PM	1:20 PM - 2:20 PM	2:20 PM - 3:20 PM	3:20 PM - 4:20 PM	4:20 PM - 5:20 PM	5:20 PM - 6:20 PM
Karwan-e-Iqbal (Auditorium)	Opening Ceremony *Tilawat *National Anthem (Deaf Reach School Students) *Tarana Pakistan Learning Festival- Humein Kitab Chaihey (Sanjan Nagar School Choir) *Welcome Address: DG. Civil Service Academy (CSA) Mr. Farhan Aziz Khawja *98th PLF Lahore: A Movement for Learning- Baela Jamil, Founder of PLF *Aman Kay Rumaal- Climate Change & Social Emotional Learning Story Telling -Ambassador PLF Nadia Jamil, -Actor & Activist *Atif Badar-Ambassador PLF Daastan Goi with Students *Acknowledgements by Ameena Saiyid OBE - Advisor PLF - Managing Director, Lightstone Publisher *Special Messages - Sponsors *Address MNA- Ms Shaista Pervaiz Malik- Convenor SDGs *Remarks by the Chief Guest, Hon. Minister, School & Higher Education- Rana Sikander H	Pakistan Sign Language Workshop by Deaf Reach	Storytelling Aik Thi Kahani by Dr Narmeen Hamid & Stories With Uzma by Dr Uzma Niaz	Science Sab Ke Liye - Science Fuse (Waqas Nasir, Hafsa Tauqir, and Shayan Moazzam)	Panel Discussion: Climate Crisis & Menstrual Health in Humanitarian Contexts (Moderator: Hafiz Muhammad Talha) Policy Dialogue on Removing Pink Tax in Pakistan (Moderator: Zainab Aman and Fatima Jaffar)	Aman aur Rawadaari Kay Geet with the iconic Laal Band, Taimur Rahman, Mahvash Waqar, Salman Malik, Nadeem Hassan, and Nawaz Ali.	Plenary I: Language, Learning & Decolonization (Moderator: Dr. Shahid Siddiqui) Ms. Nausheen Adnan—MPA—Parliamentary Secretary for School Education, Govt. of Punjab; Dr. Tayyaba Tarmim: Dean, School of Education, LUMS Dr. Irfan Muzaffar, Associate Professor of Practice, LUMS-SoE Mr. Abbas Rashid, Executive Director, SAHE, Mr. Wajahatf Masood, Journalist-Human Rights Defender, Dr. Javed Ahmed Malik, Team Leader, ILmpact Program, British Council. Ms. Ameena Saiyid, M.D., Lightstone, and Adviser, PLF	Plenary II: The Promise and Possibilities of Learning in the Age of AI (Moderator: Badar Khushnood - Executive-in-Residence, LUMS) Dr. Shahid Soroya: Director General, Pakistan Institute of Education (PIE) Dr. Zubda Zia ur Rahman: Managing Director, Academics, PECTAA Ms. Hira Butt: ABACUS Ms. Basarat Kazim: President, Alif Laila Book Bus Society (ALBBS) Dr. M. Awais Shaukat: Alif Laila Digital & Ehya Education Services	Plenary III: Climate Change and Social Emotional Learning Alfa Salam, Journalist, Climate Change Activist, Trainer, and Educator Hafsa Tauqir, Project Manager - Science Fuse Ms. Shazia Rafi, former president of AirQualityAsia, a parliamentary advocacy group in the UN Attiya Anwar:Section Head, Sec School at Sanjan Nagar Anna Hassan Kazmi: CEO Alif Laila Book Bus Society (ALBBS) Baela Jamil: ITA and Pakistan Learning Festival Moderator: Arooj Khalid: ITA Acumen/Malala Fellow
Kahani Kunj (Bragad Tree Lawn outside Iqbal Auditorium)	Introducing Theme of PLF : Peace and Climate Change- Rumana Husain & Afia Salam Mahol Saheliyan (Climate-change storytelling) with Gulshan Farooq	ہم ہیں کہانی نگار (کنول میزبان) National Book Foundation	Strings & Stories By Ushna Zia	مار کو پولو بھیڑ کے رکھو اے Waqas Manzoor From Deep Now	Science Sab Ke Liye - Science Fuse (Waqas Nasir, Hafsa Tauqir, and Shayan Moazzam)		Theatrical Dramatic Readings Atif Badar		
Bagh-e-Bahar Bol Kay Lab Azad Hain Teray (Ground outside Khyber House)	Sports & Play for Learning with Right To Play Building Skills Through Games	Sports & Play for Learning with Right To Play Building Skills Through Games	Science Sab Ke Liye - Science Fuse (Waqas Nasir, Hafsa Tauqir, and Shayan Moazzam)	Sports & Play for Learning with Right to Play Building Skills Through Games	Echoes of Stories Kahanio'u'n ki BaazGasht Atif Badar		Sports & Play for Learning with Right To Play Building Skills Through Games		
Seema Malik Room (ECE) (Room 5-Ground Floor Khyber House)	Games Time Musical chair Hit the cups - Basket the balls Uzma kayani	Fun and Adventure of Reading by Ameena Saiyid and Sadia Sarmad (Suno Kahani Meri Zuban)	Art of Critical Thinking Anum Kabir Origami peace cranes and letter writing Noor Tahir Mir (Art Facilitator)	Step Into the Spotlight: Interactive Theatre Workshop Dr Sufi Javed Mustafa	Distressed Behaviour in Children Nighat Yasmeen, Founder, Holistic Foster Care Foundation)				
Seema Malik Room 2 (ECE) (Room 3 -Ground Floor Khyber House)	Letter Writing for Peace: Interactive Art, Writing Activities, and Competition.	Hankies for Peace with Alif Laila Book Bus Society	Letters for Peace: Interactive Art, Writing Activities, and Competition.	Hankies for Peace with Alif Laila Book Bus Society	Letters for Peace: Interactive Art, Writing Activities, and Competition.				
Baba Bulleh Shah Baithak (Room 6-Ground Floor Khyber House)	Origami peace cranes and letter writing Noor Tahir Mir (Art Facilitator)	Art of Speaking with Atif Badar	Listen, Imagine, and Create Writer and Illustrator Maryam Shahzadi (Writer at Samaa TV)	The Focal Point پُرکشتہ چھوڑ حساباں نوں Discussion on Sufi Poetry & Punjabi Sarwat Mohiuddin	Body, Breath, and the Earth Theatre as a Way of Listening Abuzar Madhu				
Arfa Karim Room (Room 7-Ground Floor Khyber House)	Lib.RX From Books to Experiences: Redefining Learning with Pakistan's First 3D Books (Fasih Hansmukh)	Digitallinks Ed Tech (3P learning) Better Ways to Learn (Miss Saba & Miss Amber)	TeleTaleem Hello, AI - A Hands-On Introduction to Artificial Intelligence for the Next Generation (Ahsan Aizaz, Syeda Saman Batool)	STEAM MAKERS EDU Know Your Robot! How Does It Think to Do What You Like (Maydda Nabeel)	Alif Laila Digital Reviving the Joy of Reading: Blending storytelling with Technology (Muhammad Saleem, Product Manager, AlifLaila Kids' Digital Library)				
Anita Ghulam Ali Hall (Hall First Floor Khyber House)		Leather for Peace (Interactive Quiz) by Leather Dude	Denim Drama (Upcycling Session) with Muhammad Aرسال	Khudi Ko Kar Buland: Celebrating Allama Iqbal Mohammad Zaheer Badr	Leather for Peace - Build your own JF17 with Leather (Interactive Quiz by The Leather Dude + Takeaway activity sheets)				
Zubeida Mustafa & Creative Writing (Common room, First Floor, Khyber House)	Ao Banayen Khayali Pulao! Creative imagination and writing (with Uswa Maryam)	Climate Action Challenge Board Storytelling Session (with Mina Javed, OUP)	Art of Bookmaking - conducted by Ameena Saiyid, Sarwat Mohiuddin, Tahir Alam, and Zubair from Lightstone Publisher.	The Reading Corner Storytelling and reading (with Iqra Farooq, OUP)	Ao Bacho Suno Kahaani, Ao Bacho Likhein Kahaani - storytelling and creative writing (with Muhammad Shoaib Mirza)				
Bilquis Edhi (Room 9, First Floor, Khyber House)	Life Skills- Period Pride: Bloom with Dignity, Rise with Confidence (Fatima Yaseen)	Life Skills: Interactive discussion (Hafiz Muhammad Talha)	Bahaduri Ki Kahaani, Dadi Ki Zubaani - (Menstrual Dignity Tales with Sadia Sarmad)	'Meri Kahani' Zine Making Workshop , Mahwari Justice (Bushra Mahnoor & Ayza Ali)	Gender Responsive Social Protection: Addressing Menstrual Inequities FOS Feminista Team				
Abdul Sattar Edhi (Room 10, 1st Floorr, Khyber House)	Eye Screening Camp by Sightsavers – Bringing Clear Vision to Every Child								
Madhu Lal Hussain (Room 11, First Floor, Khyber House)		Dance Workshop Energy, Rhythm & Self-Expression with Asma	Kathak Dance Drama Momina Khan	Energy, Rhythm & Self-Expression Bina Jawad, Har Sukh	Trash to Treasure Making Science Toys & Playing Science Games with Mohsin Rai from Islah Pakistan		Stories in Motion Storytelling Theatre, Peacebuilding, Kanwal Khoosat (Olomopolo Media)		
Arfa Sayeda Zehra (Room 12, First Floor, Khyber House)	Understanding Inclusion, Gender Norms, and Challenging Stereotypes in Everyday Life by Joshua Dilawar	Baat Karlo - The Art of Negotiation with Arooj Khalid	A Session on Identity, Belonging, and Safe Spaces by Heer Alvi	Interactive Dialogue on gender mainstreaming and Building Allyship Among Boys and Girls by Memona Latif	Applied Theatre Workshop on Diversity, Bias, and Social Inclusion by Joshua Dilawar & Naimat-Ur-Rehman		Humari Kahani Humari Zubaani Storymaking for Heritage Sustainability by Fareeha Hashmi Asavir Nadeem		
Shahrah-e-Ilm o Aman (Stalls Outside Bolan House)	Stalls: BoP, Deaf Reach, Right to Play, Rose Petal, Tele Taleem, PECTAA, Sayani Saheliyan Tech Rozgar, Human Appeal, 3P Learning, LibXR, Alif Laila Digital, Alif Laila Book Bus Society (ALBBS), PEF PEIMA, Signature, and Aghosh Orphan Care - Mobile Libraries - ITA- Alif Laila Book Bus Society- Chughtai Public Library Book Fair: OUP, ITA, NBF, Lightstone Publishers, Alif Laila Book Bus Society, others Food Stalls, Jewelry stall, Handicrafts -								

98th PAKISTAN LEARNING FESTIVAL 2026, LAHORE

PROGRAM DAY-2: 22nd April, 2026 (Wednesday) - Civil Services Academy, Walton, Lahore - (Gate 4)



Venue / Timings	9:00 AM – 10:00 AM	10:00 AM – 11:00 AM	11:00 AM – 12:00 PM	12:00 PM – 1:00 PM	1:00 PM - 2:00 PM	2:00 PM – 2:45 PM	2:45 PM – 3:15 PM	3:15 PM – 4:00 PM
Karwan-e-Iqbal (Auditorium)	In the loving memory of our poets Sanjan Nagar School	Raza Ki Yaad Mein (Sadia Sarmad in conversation with Baela Jamil)	Pakistan Sign Language Workshop by Deaf Reach	Science Sab Ke Liye - Science Fuse (Waqas Nasir, Hafsa Tauqir, and Shayan Moazzam)	Pak Tea House - Theater Performance by Dr. Sufi Javed Mustafa	Towards Children's Publication Ecosystem in Pakistan - Dr. Kamran Jahangir (M.D National Book Foundation), - Mr. Kazim Saeed (Chairman, Idara-e-Taleem-o-Aagahi - ITA), - Mahesh Pathirathna Global Literacy Director - Book Publishing Adviser - Room to Read - Basarat Kazim, (President, ALBBS & Ibby) - Mr Arshed, Maqbool Academy	Closing Ceremony - Highlights of 98th Pakistan Learning Festival - Participants' Voices & Reflections on Festival Activities - Showcasing Aman key Rumal, Peace Cranes - Acknowledgement Sponsors and Supporters - Closing Remarks by Chairperson ITA, Advisor PLF, and CSA Leadership	SPECIAL SESSION BY Lightstone Publishers MD Aameena Saiyid with DG CSA - Mr. Farhan Aziz Khawaja Featuring Muhammad Saeed Mehdi “The Eyewitness: Standing in the Shadows of Pakistan's History”
Kahani Kunj (Lawn outside Admin block)	Introducing Theme of PLF : Peace and Climate Change - Rumana Husain & Afia Salam کہانیوں کا دہلیز by Sadia Sarmad (Suno Kahani Meri Zubani)	Science Sab Ke Liye - Science Fuse (Waqas Nasir, Hafsa Tauqir, and Shayan Moazzam)	مراسمتیں اور حال یہاں۔ اسی دھڑتپہ دیس کے لیے گیت Rakhshanda Naveed	Theatrical Dramatic Readings with Atif Badar Hankies for Peace- Activity - Noor Tahir Mir- (alongside Theatre)	Listen, Imagine, and Create Writer and Illustrator Maryam Shahzadi (Writer at Samaa TV)			
Bagh-e-Bahar BoI Kay Lab Azad Hain Teray (Ground outside Khyber House)	Sports & Play for Learning with Right To Play Building Skills Through Games	Storytelling with Waqas Manzoor	Science Sab Ke Liye - Science Fuse (Waqas Nasir, Hafsa Tauqir, and Shayan Moazzam)	Drum circle by Khed Kahani Khalis, Pakistani	Echoes of Stories/ Kahanio'u'n ki BaazGasht with Atif Badar			
Seema Malik Room (ECE) (Room 5-Ground Floor Khyber House)	Games Time, Musical chair Hit the cups, Basket the balls Uzma kayani	SEL Storytelling Time and music time with rhymes and mime Uzma kayani	Art of Critical Thinking Anum Kabir	Happy clouds and Arts and crafts time Colouring, Stone painting, Face painting Uzma kayani	Math and literacy corner/games/storytelling Uzma kayani			
Seema Malik Room 2 (ECE) (Room 3-Ground Floor Khyber House)	Letter Writing for Peace: Interactive Art, Writing Activities, and Competition.	Hankies for Peace with Alif Laila Book Bus Society	Letter Writing for Peace: Interactive Art, Writing Activities, and Competition.	Introducing Theme of PLF: Peace and Climate Change - Rumana Husain & Afia Salam Hankies for Peace with Alif Laila Book Bus Society	Letter Writing for Peace: Interactive Art, Writing Activities, and Competition.			
Baba Bulleh Shah Baithak (Room 6-Ground Floor Khyber House)	Punjabi Literature and History by Ali Raza	Art of Speaking - Atif Badar	شاعری اور موسیقی کا یکجہ کے عمل میں کردار (ورکشاپ: کتول ہنراو)	Our Need is Green Session Climate Change (Sarwat Mohiuddin)	No Visa Musafir (Storytelling and Interactive Arts and Crafts Models with Fun and Fiction) (Komal)			
Arfa Karim Room (Room 7-Ground Floor Khyber House)	Machine Learning for Kids by Abdullah Ali	Lib.RX From Books to Experiences: Redefining Learning with Pakistan’s First 3D Books (Fasih Hansmukh)	TeleTaleem Hello, AI! & quot; - A Hands-On Introduction to Artificial Intelligence for the Next Generation (Ahsan Aizaz, Syeda Saman Batool)	Coding and Computer Science by Akhuwat STEM School and LGS	From Chalk to ChatGPT: Reinventing Lesson Plans with AI by Ghufraan Bilal			
Anita Ghulam Ali Hall (Hall First Floor Khyber House)	Leather for Peace - Build your own JF17 with Junaid Vohra- Leather (Interactive Quiz by The Leather Dude + Takeaway activity sheets)	Baat Karlo- The Art of Negotiation with Arooj Khalid	Leather for Peace - Build your own JF17 with Leather (Interactive Quiz by Junaid Vohra - The Leather Dude + Takeaway activity sheets)	A conversation on Playing for Peace - Ali Khayyam Right to Play - Maham Ali Right to Play - Arooj Khalid - ITA	Puppet-making with Alif Laila Book Bus Society			
Zubeida Mustafa Room for Creative Writing (Common room, First Floor, Khyber House)	Ao Banayen Khayali Pulao! Uswa Creative imagination and writing (with Uswa Maryam)	Climate Action Challenge Board Storytelling Session (with Mina Javed, OUP)	Art of Bookmaking - this session will be conducted by Aameena Saiyid, Sarwat Mohiuddin, Tahir Alam, and Zubair from Lightstone Publisher	The Reading Corner Storytelling and reading (with Iqra Farooq, OUP)	Ao Bacho Suno Kahaani, Ao Bacho Likhein Kahaani - storytelling and creative writing (with Muhammad Shoaib Mirza)			
Bilquis Edhi (Room 9, First Floor, Khyber House)	Guidance to understand emotions Asiya Mughal	Period Pride: Bloom with Dignity, Rise with Confidence Fatima Yaseen	Launch of Local 100 terminologies for Menstruation in Pakistan under Menstrual Health Actions & Awareness Network (MHAAN) (Fatima Jaffar- Asiya Mughal)	The Crimson Circle: If My Periods Could Talk by Tooba Urooj	Is It Too Late to Fix Climate Change? (Fatima Yaseen)			
Abdul Sattar Edhi (Room 10, 1st Floor, Khyber House)	Eye Screening Camp by Sightsavers – Bringing Clear Vision to Every Child							
Madhu Lal Hussain (Room 11, First Floor, Khyber House)	Bachou'n Kay Sunehray Geet aur Nazmay'n with Atif Badar	Trash to Treasure — Making Science Toys & Playing Science Games with Mohsin Rai	Humari Kahani Humari Zubaani Storymaking for Heritage Sustainability by Fareeha Hashmi Asavir Nadeem	Trash to Treasure — Making Science Toys & Playing Science Games with Mohsin Rai	Sufi Poetry in the 21st Century with Ali Raza			
Arfa Sayeda Zehra (Room 12, First Floor, Khyber House)	Introducing Theme of PLF: Peace and Climate Change - Rumana Husain & Afia Salam An Interactive Session on Conflict Transformation and Pathways to Peaceful Coexistence by Joshua Dilawar	The Art of Dialogue and Respectful and Inclusive Communication. Sounds structured, skill-based, and professional by Heer Alvi	Young People Leading Peaceful Change in Their Communities by Naina Samson	کہانی چلائے رہیں Stories for Peace and Sustainability With Rakhshanda Naveed	Applied Theatre Workshop on Diversity, Bias, and Social Inclusion by Joshua Dilawar & Naimat-Ur-Rehman			
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