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Dear Parents,

Here we are with the updates from another action-packed week!

We have completed our NGRT benchmark tests and are currently conducting CAT4, which will continue into October. We are pleased to announce that we received the Certificates of Honour for the IBT Arabic Test for AY 2023-24 from ACER, awarded to 32 of our students.

Furthermore, we assess and enhance our students' skills through various tools and techniques continuously. Please be informed that our curricular tests for Secondary students are set to occur from October 4th to 11<sup>th</sup> and after mid-term break for Primary students. Our teachers are committed to improving their teaching methods and skills through both internal and external professional development programs, ensuring the delivery of high-quality education.

Our first Parent Voice meeting for AY 2024-25 took place on Wednesday, September 26th. We extend our gratitude to our parents for their valuable feedback and encourage their continued participation in all school events.

Our sixth-form students continue to inspire the entire school community through various events, including a field trip to Ras Al Khaimah as part of their Travel and Tourism coursework, and celebration on World Tourism Day. We also had our Annual Character Day celebration which was coupled with our 1<sup>st</sup> House Activity – Quiz, as part of our Student Leadership initiative.

Additionally, we are excited to share that our school has been selected to participate in the Mubarmji50 competition at the Mubadala Arena in Zayed Sports City, Abu Dhabi, occurring on September 29th, from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. We appreciate the support from our families.

We thank our stakeholders who have participated in the Seasonal Influenza Vaccination Campaign in Dubai Private Schools organised by the Dubai Health Authority.

## **Attendance and Punctuality**

Students with full attendance are significantly more likely to achieve proficient academic levels in Reading and Math and do better on tests. Consistent attendance also fosters social skills as well as mental health benefits, allowing students to develop relationships with peers, teachers and staff, building a sense of belonging and enhancing their desire to attend school. We would appreciate your cooperation and partnership to reduce tardiness and absences by establishing consistent routines, planning ahead, emphasising the importance of attendance and reaching out to the school counsellor if needed







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## Activities Next Week

## Monday, Sept. 30

**Primary:** Y2 Assembly

Secondary: Y8 & Y10 CAT4 Y7 Girls' Assembly Y7 Boys' Assembly Y10 D&T Boys Visit to Space Centre

## Tuesday, Oct. 1

**Primary:** Y3 Assembly

Secondary: Y8 & Y10 CAT4 Y8 Girls' Assembly Y8 Boys' Assembly

Sixth Form: Year 13 Assembly

## Wednesday, Oct. 2

Primary: Y4 Assembly

Secondary: Y8&Y10 CAT4 Y9 Girls' Assembly Y9 Boys' Assembly

#### Thursday, Oct. 3

Founder's Day and Awards Ceremony

Primary: Y5 & Y6 Assembly

Secondary: Y8&Y10 CAT4

Y10-Y11 Girls' Assembly

Y10 Boys' Assembly

**Sixth Form:** Year 12 Assembly

# Friday, Oct. 4

Teacher's Day Celebration

Secondary: Y8&Y10 CAT4

Girls' Assembly & Wellbeing

Y11 Girls' Edufair

**Sixth Form:** Friday Exam for A Level Options -Block 2

Saturday, Oct. 5

Big Family Online Quiz

Happy weekend!

Sincerely,

Susan Rubin Varghese

**Deputy Principal** 



