



مدرسة الوحدة العربية Arab Unity School

British Curriculum, Affiliated to the University of Cambridge

Secondary School Weekly Newsletter

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Dear Parents

Firstly, let me introduce myself, my name is Robert Turner, and I am the newly appointed Head of the Secondary Boys section. I have now finished my second week and therefore can write a newsletter based on my observations in the first two weeks. I want to thank everyone for making me feel so welcome and tell you, as parents, how impressed I am with our boys' attitude and courteous nature. I have come to realise that it is a great time to look at the school with a fresh and unbiased set of eyes, especially at the start of a new job. I, therefore, would like to make the following announcements.

1. We are in the middle of a set of critical internal exams. They provide essential exam practice, important data for the exam boards and our internal tracking of attainment and progress. Therefore, I ask that parents reinforce the extremely high standards that are expected during exams. It is forbidden to communicate in any fashion with other children during exams; students should come fully prepared with stationary. After checking their papers, when the exam is finished, children must remain silent and in their place. I am suggesting that children in Years 7-10 bring a fiction book of their choice to read until the end silently.
2. Although the uniform is generally very good, and I know parents are awaiting some items. I am warning children that I will have a purge on hoodies and caps following winter break, which are not part of the school uniform.
3. Please note that there are no official AUS. WhatsApp groups. Please be very wary of information posted on any groups and be mindful of UAE laws.
4. Now, our National Day Celebrations are set for the 29th of November. Boys in secondary school will have an assembly and can wear a UAE garment such as a scarf, Rosette, hat, T-shirt etc.

Updating Contact Details

If there is any change in your registered contact number or email ID with school kindly update the same by sending us email on these IDs:

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Communication for Specific Year Groups

Kindly use the following email addresses for any year group specific communication so that it is easy, direct and more effective.

For Senior Boys School:

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I wish everyone a peaceful weekend and would like to emphasise how excited I am to be joining the AUS family.

Kind Regards

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