



Circular AUS/2021-2022

15 February 2022

Dear parents and students,

**APPROVED REVISED DATES FOR THE HALF-TERM BREAK**

Due to the new weekend arrangements in the UAE, AUS requested **the half-term break to be shifted to Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> of February till Friday 18<sup>th</sup> of February**. KHDA approved these revised dates. There will be no school during this half-term break and everyone is due back in school on Monday 21 February. Please stay safe and healthy while enjoying the time with family and friends and rejuvenating for the second half of the term.

**SPRING BREAK DATES**

School closes for Term 2 on **Friday the 25<sup>th</sup> of March for the two-week Spring Break**.

School opens for Term 3 on Monday 11<sup>th</sup> of April.

**LATE ARRIVAL OF OWN TRANSPORT STUDENTS**

Thank you for the support to ensure your children arrive on time every morning. More than 90% of our students are joining classes from 7.30am. That is a significant improvement from earlier and we are also observing a further positive trend over the past two weeks since the new truancy tracking procedures have been introduced.

Please remember the school's policy shared in the Parent-School Agreement regarding Tardiness (late arrivals to school or lessons) is as follows:

- **The first written warnings will be sent to relevant parents after five incidents since the start of our new procedures.**
- After an **additional three incidents**, the relevant parents and student will be called to a meeting with the relevant Head of Section and will have to sign a written pledge not to repeat the offence.
- **Any additional incidents** may lead to an **official notification that the student will not be re-enrolled in AUS for the next academic year.**

**ADMISSIONS FOR SIBLINGS FOR 2022-23 ACADEMIC YEAR**

The admissions for siblings of our current students for the 2022-23 academic year already started and the relevant link is available on the new school website to initiate the registration process for siblings.

If you have any queries with regards to this process, please contact the Admissions Officer on the following email address: [admission@arabunityschool.ae](mailto:admission@arabunityschool.ae)

Please stay safe and healthy – especially over the short half-term break for the rest of this week!

**Leonard Murphy**  
Principal