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Dear Parents,

Hope you had a great week. We appreciate the shared commitment you display which enables us to remain focused on setting high expectations for all our students. The key information in this week's circular includes:

1. Distance Learning on Friday during Ramadan
2. School Timings for Ramadan
3. Parent Webinar
4. Activities Next Week

DISTANCE LEARNING ON FRIDAY DURING RAMADAN

As you are aware, the governments of the UAE and Dubai have issued a directive regarding remote working on Friday during the holy month of Ramadan for schools and universities, if exam timetable allows for it. The school has received a communication from the KHDA to consult the parent community if this is suitable.

Please note that due to spring break, this announcement will affect two Fridays – March 24 and April 14. **However, on 24th March, due to the ongoing Mock exams, and Curricular tests in Secondary and Sixth Form, all students from Year 7 – Year 13 are required to appear for the exam at school.**

We request all parents to participate to determine the type of learning the school will follow. Kindly submit your answer no later than Saturday, 18th March 2023.

Survey Link for FS2 to Year 6: <https://forms.gle/sDh47WpvQdrtVP8c6>

Survey Link for Year 7 to Year 13: <https://forms.gle/vkxm3L358ofQdFmBA>

SCHOOL TIMINGS DURING RAMADAN

We anticipate the Ramadan to start on Thursday, 23rd March 2023*, kindly see the following timings during the holy month:

Monday – Thursday

7:30 AM to 12:30 PM

Friday

7:30 AM – 11:30 AM

Important: The dispersal time for OWN TRANSPORT students for Monday to Thursday is at 12:45PM (pick up from Taher Hall from 1:00 PM) and Friday at 11:45 AM (pick up from Taher Hall from 12:00 PM). There will be no adults to supervise if students are not picked-up on time.

**Subject to Moonsighting*



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PARENT WEBINAR

Our Inclusion department will conduct the Parent Webinar (part 2) on Saturday, 18th March, at 10:00 AM to discuss the topic, "Identifying Red Flags in SLDPs (Specific Learning Difficulties – learning differences) and ADHD (Attention Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder)".

Link to register: <https://shortest.link/kLAM>

ACTIVITIES NEXT WEEK

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Whole school: UAE Happiness Day Come dress in yellow	Whole school: -Mother's Day celebration	FS2: Welcoming Ramadan with Gratitude	Secondary: -IGCSE Mock Exams -Curricular test	Secondary: -IGCSE Mock Exams -Curricular test
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Sincerely,

Susan Varghese
Acting Principal