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Date: May 5, 2023

Dear Parents,

We hope this message finds you well. As we approach another weekend, we want to express our gratitude for your involvement in our school community. Your ongoing support in your child's education such as attending PTMs, volunteering in AUS events, or assisting in home learning, each and every effort makes a difference. Special appreciation goes to our Parent Forum, we welcome your ideas and suggestions and are always looking for ways to improve our educational programme.

Reminder: Re-registration for AY 2023-24

We remind you to re-register your children for the new academic year 2023-24 as soon as possible, as we have limited seats left in the Primary, Secondary and Sixth Form sections. We value your continued trust in our school to enhance your children's academic skills and ensure that they are supported. Kindly clear any pending fees before re-registration as the Accounts Department **will not accept** any re-registration fees when pending fees have not been cleared in full for the current academic year. You are strongly encouraged to complete the re-registration latest by Saturday, 13th May 2023, as there is no guarantee for seat availability once the school accepts new admissions from Monday, 15th May 2023.

Wellness Hub

We are pleased to announce the launch of our new Wellness Hub at our school.

As we celebrate Mental Health Awareness Month, the primary objective of this initiative is to ensure the wellbeing of our staff, parents and students assisting them to maintain a healthy lifestyle and promote positive mental health. The Wellness Hub will have a range of personalised resources such as mental health support, mindfulness training, guidance on healthy eating and exercises, stress management and other initiatives that will help our stakeholders to achieve optimal well-being. We believe that AUS Wellness Hub will play a critical role in ensuring a healthy learning environment and we encourage you to take part in this as positive changemakers of school and the wider community. Thank you for your continued partnership in encouraging and prioritising mental wellness in our school community.

Click here for more details: <https://shorturl.at/jsyK8>



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International Benchmark assessments

Please note that the GL Progress tests (PTS, PTM & PTE) and National Group Reading Test (NGRT) are scheduled in the month of May to June 2023. We strongly urge parents to ensure that children attend school regularly so that they can adequately prepare for these assessments. Your support is crucial in helping them achieve their full potential, and we appreciate your commitment to their learning journey.

Activities Next Week

King's coronation being an important part of UK's history, our students will be engaged in a range of age-appropriate tasks integrated in the curriculum to experience an enriched learning.

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Whole School: Mental Health & Stress Awareness	Whole School: Mental Health & Stress Awareness	Whole School: Mental Health & Stress Awareness	Whole School: Mental Health & Stress Awareness	Whole School: Mental Health & Stress Awareness
Primary: Science Week	FS: Tea Party	Primary: Science Week	Primary: Science Week	Primary: Science Week
Secondary & Sixth Form: CAIE IGCSE, AS & A2 Exams	Primary: Science Week	Secondary & Sixth Form: CAIE IGCSE, AS & A2 Exams	Secondary & Sixth Form: CAIE IGCSE, AS & A2 Exams	Secondary & Sixth Form: CAIE IGCSE, AS & A2 Exams
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Last day of the Academic Year 2022-23

As informed earlier, please note once again that the last day of this academic year of school is 7th July 2023 for students. We encourage you to plan your summer activities accordingly and ensure your child is present on the last day for the smooth closure of the academic year.



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School Calendar for AY 2023-24

Winter Term 2023

First Day of Term One	Monday, 28th August 2023
<i>Prophet's Birthday*</i>	Friday, 29th September 2023
Staff INSET Day	Mon-Tues, 16th-17th October 2023
Half Term	Wed-Fri, 18th - 20th October 2023
<i>Commemoration Day*</i>	Friday, 1st December 2023
National Day	Saturday, 2nd December 2023
Last Day of Term One	Friday, 8th December 2023

Spring Term 2024

First Day of Term Two	Tuesday, 2nd January 2024
Half Term	Mon - Friday, 12th - 16th February 2024
<i>Ramadan Starts*</i>	Sunday, 10th March 2024
Last Day of Term Two	Friday, 22nd March 2024

Summer Term 2024

Staff INSET Day	Monday, 8th April 2024
<i>Eid Al Fitr Holiday*</i>	Tue - Friday, 9th - 12th April 2024
First Day of Term Three	Monday, 15th April 2024
<i>Eid Al Adha*</i>	Mon - Tuesday, 17th - 18th June 2024
Last Day of Term Three	Friday, 5th July 2024

*Actual dates are subject to change – do not book any holidays until confirmed by the school.

Have a great weekend!

Sincerely,

Susan Varghese
Acting Principal