



# DIRECTOR'S WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

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## Winter Concert & Bazaar

On Wednesday, December 18<sup>th</sup>, 2019 BIS will host the annual Winter Concert & Bazaar. We are looking to our broader school community for support.

- Parents and community members are invited to donate new prizes for our raffle and/or auction.
- Community members can also elect to rent a vendors station.

Donations can be made by forwarding an email including your **name**, a description of the **donation item**, and it's estimated **cash value** to [suha.nassif@bis.edu.kw](mailto:suha.nassif@bis.edu.kw).

Interested vendors can send an email including the subject "Interested Vendor."

Vendor inquiries should also be addressed to [suha.nassif@bis.edu.kw](mailto:suha.nassif@bis.edu.kw).

All proceeds support our Student Government and Parent-Teacher Association to contribute to, and establish events that make our school-community connections stronger.

## Tips from the School Nurse

With flu season upon us, it is important that we work together to keep our children healthy. If your child is sick and has fever, keep him/her at home to get enough rest and to prevent the spread of illness to others. Also, maintain a healthy lifestyle; attention to rest, diet, and exercise and relaxation will help maintain good physical and emotional health. Wish you all a flu-free season!

## Next week is the Reading week at BIS

There will be a number of activities to celebrate reading which include: alphabet parking lot, sight-words word search, vocabulary building, and origami bookmark making. We will also have Drop Everything And Read (DEAR) as a whole school. If your child is in KG and you would like to read to the class, please contact his/her homeroom teacher.

## After-School Activities – Session B

Students can still sign up for the session B, which will be starting from Dec. 1<sup>st</sup> to Feb. 12<sup>th</sup>. Please visit our [website](http://www.bis.edu.kw) for more information or contact Mr. Ali Williamson, Athletics & Activities Coordinator [ali.williamson@bis.edu.kw](mailto:ali.williamson@bis.edu.kw).

## Winter Uniform Store

As the days get colder, please dress your child appropriately with the weather. Please ensure the correct uniform is worn by your child. BIS Uniforms can be bought from the school uniform store located in the school building, which is open on **Saturdays** from 10:00 am to 3:00 pm, and on **Tuesdays** from 3:30 pm to 6:30 pm. Alternatively, you can purchase your order online by visiting our [website](http://www.bis.edu.kw).

## RunKuwait

Reminder! RunKuwait is on Saturday, November 23, please keep your bib number with you for the race. Click [here](#) to view the race day map & program.

## BIS Attendance

This week the overall attendance is **96 %**.  
This is great, keep it up!



## BIS Upcoming Field Trips

**November 27:** Field Trip for Gr. 10 to ASCC.

Good luck to our Seniors as they travel to London from **November 22 to November 28**, for their Educational Tour.



## Dates to Remember

**November 23:** RunKuwait – Race Day.

**December 1:** Session B of After-School Club begins.

**December 10:** Professional Development Day for staff, all students released at 12:00 pm (No After-School or KG Clubs).

**December 18:** Winter Concert & Bazaar.

**December 19:** Early Release at 12:00 pm.

**December 22 – January 2:** Winter Holiday.

**January 5:** BIS resumes from Winter Holiday.

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