



# DIRECTOR'S WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

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## A Wonderful First Week of School

What a wonderful start to the 2019-2020 school year! It was sunny and bright both inside and outside BIS. Looking forward to a fun-filled year of learning and growing together!



## PowerSchool

Parents should all now have access to PowerSchool and be able to check on their child's weekly overview, attendance and learn about what their child is learning through the Learning Management System. Please visit our System Administrator Mr. Basel Al-Ali to get your child's Access ID & Access Password or contact him at [basel.alali@bis.edu.kw](mailto:basel.alali@bis.edu.kw).

Click [here](#) to view the PowerSchool Guide – English

Click [here](#) to view the PowerSchool Guide – Arabic.

Click [here](#) to view PowerSchool Learning Students Guide.



## BIS Uniform Sales Center Timings

The operation hours for the Uniform Sales Center will be as follows:

- Saturdays: 10:00 am – 3:00 pm.
- Tuesdays: 3:30 pm – 6:30 pm.

Please ensure to have the uniform by Sunday, September 8.

For purchasing the uniform online, please click [here](#).

**Note:** The uniform store is closed during official public holidays.



## BIS is a Nut-Free School

No type of nuts or nut based products should be brought to the school.



## Reminders "Drop off & Pick up" and "Parent Waiting Area"

We would like to remind you that all **KG-Grade 5** students should be dropped off at **Gate 1** each morning for arrival and picked up each afternoon for dismissal. **Gate 2** is used for **Grades 6 -12**.

All children should be dropped off and picked up promptly in the following times:

**KG 1 and KG 2:** 7:25 am – 12:35 pm

**Grades 1 – 12:** 7:25 am – 2:00 pm

Parents are welcome to wait for their children in the Parent Waiting Area if they arrived the school before the dismissal times.

## Dates to Remember

**September 15:** - 1<sup>st</sup> Semester of KG After-School Club begins; KG Parents will receive the registration form on Sunday, September 8.

- "Forms package" to be signed by the parents & students, and returned to school. You can click [here](#) to visit our website to view the forms.

**September 17:** Professional Development Day for staff, all students released at 12:00 pm (No After-School or KG Clubs).

**September 24:** Open House from 6:30 pm – 8:00 pm. (A chance for parents to come visit BIS and see their child's classroom, learn about the curricular program, hear about our athletics and after school clubs program, and seek other important information about BIS).

**Mission Statement:** Al-Bayan International School personalizes learning to achieve intellectual and individual growth of all students, empowering them to impact their community.

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