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MS/HS WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

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Principal Message:



We are close to wrapping up our first quarter of school! It seems like it has gone by very fast. This week was another first week. Students moved through their schedule, traveling to all eight classes and teachers were very happy to create their own classroom culture with their students.

Some of the highlights for this week included: seeing students imitate Michelangelo by drawing while lying on their back, seeing students in the art room creating water color paintings, and seeing the grade 11 students present on the Harlem Renaissance. Our students and teachers are doing great things.

Reading week kicked off this week and our students are using both Read Theory and MyOn to work on reading goals.

Finally, to allow time for teachers to attend PD and parent meetings, we will have ZOOM synchronous instruction from 7:25 am – 11:50 am. On all half days, we will post on Schoology zoom links.

Upcoming Student Council Dates:

⇒ Student Council Nominations - Due **Sunday Oct. 31st.**

⇒ **Sunday Oct. 31st** applicant's first meeting from 2.10 - 2.30 in the Art room.

⇒ Student Council Campaigns - **Sunday Oct. 31 to Tuesday Nov. 9** via Schoology.

⇒ Student Council Elections- **Wednesday Nov. 10** in Home room via Schoology.

House Mentors	Teache Angelique Malik	Teacher Bessie Moaaz	Teacher Saada Tony	Teacher Igor Brian

Important Notes from school nurse:

Dear MS/HS parents ,

If there is any kind of illness with your son/daughter. You need to inform the school nurse and nurse is the one will decide to bring a sick note or a PCR test result.

COVID Vaccination :

BIS Students who get the vaccine, please email the school nurse on felsy.robert@bis.edu.kw or heba.abouharb@bis.edu.kw



Send the vaccine note for confirmation.

Healthy snack:

Please pack healthy options for student lunches. Remember, no peanut products or energy drinks. For some ideas use this link.



Dates to Remember & Important Notes:

Check the announcements and schedules in Schoology and PS.

MS Reading Week Oct.24 - Nov. 4
HS Reading Week Oct 31- Nov 4

Mon. 1 Nov. Parent presentation: Internet Safety. Flyer is attached w/ Zoom link.

MAP Make-up testing for MS / HS will be on Tues. & Wed. November 2-3

Thurs. 4 Nov. End of QRT. 1

Mon. 8 Nov. Progress Report sent home and on PowerSchool.

Students early release on Tues., Wed. and Thurs. 9,10,11 Nov. at 11:40 am. Parents conferences on 9,10 Nov. Gate 2 **More details on page 3.**



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Uniform Center:

Uniforms can only be **purchased online**. Please click here. **You can exchange or pickup uniforms on Sat. 10 am – 3 pm or on Tues. & Thurs. 3:30— 6:30 pm.**

The new Uniform Center is located at **BBS campus on Beirut Street, near gate 6. Uniforms are required for in-person learning. (School and PE Uniforms) .**

Students may get BIS jackets also at our uniform center.

Parent Support: For any support with PowerSchool or Schoology, please contact:
Mr. Ahmed Mohamed ahmed.mohamed@bis.edu.kw | ETM System Administrator

PowerSchool PARENT & STUDENT PORTAL

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Photo Gallery from MS/HS

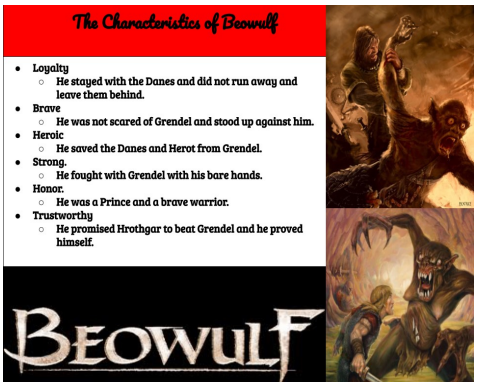




"Beowulf" is an Epic Poem that the grade 12 students have been studying during quarter1. They completed an Instagram page and a Brochure to be displayed on the school's electronic billboards for the Reading Week in High School.



King of the Danes Hrothgar, has built a wonderful hall called Herot, where his subjects gather and celebrate.
King Hrothgar build Herot because he wanted a place for the Danes to feel safe and to have a joyful life. The Danish King was a trustworthy and loyal King to his people and he rewarded his warriors for their courage in fighting.

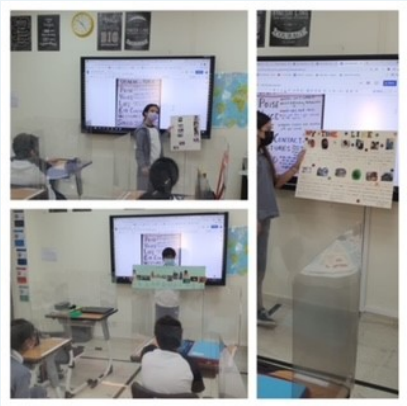




Gr. 8 painting like Michelangelo.



6T presenting their personal timeline.



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Family Conferences:



November 9th and 10th we will be having our first quarter family conferences. This year, we are going to adjust our structure to address student, parent, and teacher needs. Please see our schedule below.

November 9

Remote classes via ZOOM 7:25 am – 11:40 am
(students will log into all 8 classes for 25 minute periods, links will be sent November 8)

Invitation Conferences 12:30 pm – 3:00 pm
(homeroom teachers will invite some families to meet with all core teachers)

Evening Conferences 4:00 pm – 7: 30 pm
(use the PTC fast link to sign up for a conference time with specific teachers, you may not get to see ALL teachers)

November 10

Remote classes via ZOOM 7:25 am – 11:40 am
(students will log into all 8 classes for 25 minute periods, links will be sent November 8)

In-Person Conferences 12:30 pm – 3:00 pm
(fully vaccinated parents may use the PTC fast link to sign up for a conference time with specific teachers, you may not get to see ALL teachers)

November 11

Remote classes via ZOOM 7:25 am – 11:40 am
(students will log into all 8 classes for 25 minute periods, links will be sent November 8)

MyMedBot - Important Updates:

We have made changes to MyMedBot, making it easier for parents/families to fill in and submit for their child(ren).

MyMedBot will ask parents to say if their child(ren) are attending school or not. MyMedBot now also includes a link to the Student Sick Leave Form for easy access.

All students must have MyMedBot submitted for them daily before entering school. As of Sunday October 31, students who do not have MyMedBot completed will not be allowed on campus.

MS Reading Weeks Oct. 24 -Nov. 4

Students were and still competing using the ReadTheory app .

MS Reading Week 1 winners

1. Mariam 7M
2. Khadijah 7B
3. Soud W 8B
4. Abdulaziz R 8J



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