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MS/HS WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

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Assist Principal Message:



Dear BIS Community,

I'm thrilled to share great news with you this week. Al-Bayan International School was recently awarded full accreditation from the Council of International Schools (CIS). Based on December's site visit, they concluded that our school provides an excellent climate for teaching and learning and is committed to providing a high quality international education for students. CIS also noted that the students are highly engaged in their studies and feel safe and supported in the caring environment created by our school. Parents, thank you again for your support and contributions over the years; your efforts are greatly appreciated!

February's MS/HS theme for Student of the Month is Thinking Flexibly. This month in particular, we're encouraging students to be open-minded and willing to try new things, use higher order thinking and problem solving skills, and adapt and change as we learn new ideas and skills. Students who demonstrate their ability to think flexibly will be recognized for their hard work and receive a certificate at the end of the month.

Finally, the MS/HS team is launching a new program called PBIS (Positive Behavior Interventions and Supports) this February. Our staff will be recognizing students on a daily basis in their classrooms as they practice the BIS Good Habits and Expectations. Specifically, when students are acknowledged for demonstrating good behavior, teachers will email the student and parent to communicate their accomplishment. In the email, students will earn a rewards ticket that will be entered for individual and homeroom prizes. We're excited to begin the program and believe it will have a positive impact on student learning and behavior. As always, your support is truly valued.

Let's make it a fantastic week and a great start to semester two!

COVID RESPONSE



As part of our continued active approach to keeping our staff and students safe, we have quarantined three classes this week.

We continue to be vigilant about protecting our students and staff. Based on the size of our campus and staff, we have determined that if we reach 60% of homeroom classes in quarantine, we would require our campus to revert to online classes for 7-10 days. Please continue to monitor the COVID dashboard for information.

Quarantined classes are required to attend online daily w/ cameras on.

Important note from school nurse:

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 first and second vaccine, please email the school nurse on heba.abouharb@bis.edu.kw and antony.delecta@bbs.edu.kw.

Send the vaccine note for confirmation.



Dates to Remember & Important Notes:

Check the announcements and schedules in Schoology and PS.

Semester 2 started on Wed. 26 Jan.

Report cards available on PS portal on Tues. Feb. 1 at 12:00 PM

REMOTE LEARNING Day and early release on Tues. 15 Feb. at 11:40 AM. Zoom schedule posted on schoology group.



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Parent Support: **For any support with PowerSchool or Schoology, please contact: Mr. Ahmed Mohamed**
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My MedBot

A gentle reminder, all students must have My MedBot submitted daily.

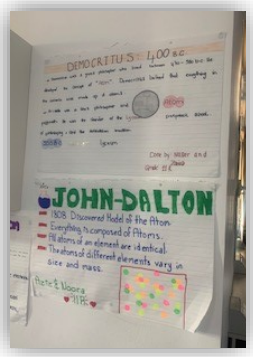
Please do your best to help us keep all of our students and staff safe by completing the MyMedBot application

MyMedBot

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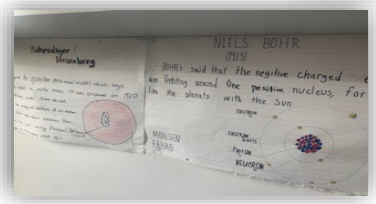
If any one in your house has COVID, please do not send your son/daughter to school and contact school nurse antony.delecta@bbs.edu.kw.

Gr. 11 Chemistry Poster project

















We are proud to announce that BIS has achieved International Accreditation in just 2 years from the official application in November 2019.

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