



WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

7 February 2019

After-School Art Club

ES Students have had a great time in the After-School Art Club this week. Countless studies have shown that the hands-on nature of creating art (holding a paintbrush, manipulating clay, drawing, etc.) helps children develop motor skills. The After-School Art Club will challenge them to learn new techniques and to work with materials they're unfamiliar with. The students all felt super successful and it is a really fun process.



Questions Using PowerSchool

Parents should all have access to PowerSchool. If you don't already have PowerSchool learning access or you experience problems logging in or in accessing information, please visit our System Administrator Mr. Basel Al-Ali, he will be available next week between 12:30 pm and 2:30 pm, please stop by his office or contact him at basel.alali@bis.edu.kw.

KG & ES Celebrated 100th Day of School

On Wednesday, Feb. 6, KG & ES students celebrated the 100th Day of School! The event, celebrated yearly on the 100th day of the school year, gives students the opportunity to learn about the importance of this large, three-digit figure. Students spent the day refining their math skills by participating in a variety of games and activities centered on this very important number. KG & ES had a full day of fun on the 100th Day!



BIS Parent Survey for Semester 1 - SY 2018/2019

We would like to get your feedback regarding your general experience with Al-Bayan International School. The survey will close on the 11th of February 2019. If you have not completed the survey please complete it before the deadline. If you have children who attend different schools at BIS, we ask that you complete separate surveys for each school that your children attend. Please click [here](#) to respond to the survey questions.

National & Liberation Day Holiday

Based on the official announcement issued by the Civil Service Commission regarding Kuwait's National & Liberation Day, please note that Kuwait government has declared Sunday February 24th as an official holiday. Therefore, BIS will be closed from **February 24, 2019** through **February 26, 2019**. Official working hours will be resumed on Wednesday, February 27th 2019. God Bless Kuwait.



BIS Attendance

This week the overall attendance is **96.6 %**. This is superb, keep it up!



Dates to Remember

- February 7:** International Day event will be held today from 5 – 7 pm.
- February 14:** ES Sports Day.
- February 19:** Professional Development Day for staff, all students released at 12:00 pm (No after school or KG clubs).
- February 21:** Students and staff celebrate National & Liberation Day during the school day.
- February 24-25-26:** **National & Liberation Day Holiday.**
- February 28:** Beach Clean-up (tentative).