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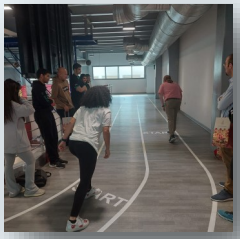
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MS/HS NEWSLETTER

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2022-2023 Issue 7

Principal Message:



The new quarter has begun. Students and teachers are working hard to finish the first semester strong. We have just a few weeks until winter break and semester exams will be in January. Our seniors went to visit the American University of Kuwait last week and learned about entrance requirements and course offerings.

Our arts department is working on preparing our winter wonderland event, which will be on December 14th. I have had the pleasure of hearing our talented choir and drum performers rehearsing, and I know you are in for a treat.

I'd also like to say a special thanks to our PTA for all their support and for hosting an ice cream day for our students today.

Finally, I am sad to say that this will be my last year having the honor of serving as the principal of Al-Bayan International School Middle School and High School. As today is American Thanksgiving, I'd like to take a moment to tell you how grateful I am to have had the opportunity to be your principal for the last three years. I appreciate the opportunity the Board of Directors and Dr. Zak provided for me to lead this school, and I am so very grateful to the families, staff, and students for their support and teamwork. I have worked in schools for nearly thirty years, and BIS is special. I have learned much about the culture and community of Kuwait, and I will take these experiences with me as I continue to work with students and staff in my next position.

Thank you for your continued support and kindness.

Lorraine Hirakawa
School Principal

***Important note**: School Uniforms will be required Jan. 3, 2023*

Parents need to take an approval from MS/HS Admin team before bringing any desserts or food to students.

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

BIS Uniforms :



we wish to gather your feedback about our new uniform by filling out this survey to help us proactively identify ways to make our service model better.

Please fill out the survey so we can learn how to serve you better!

Please complete it by Monday, November 28, 2022.

Please note that we are still waiting for more items from the supplier (Trutex), such as: Fleece Jacket , Sweatpants, V-Neck Sweat Top, White Button-down.

Please continue to check the uniform page on our website regularly, since purchase is online ONLY. **All students must be in uniform by Jan. 3**

To Follow up your order with uniform store , you're welcome to contact **uniform@bis.edu.kw ; online_services@bis.edu.kw.**

Dates to Remember & Important Notes:

EARLY RELEASE

Gates open at 7:00 am. School starts at 7:20 am. At 7:21 am students are marked late.

Check BIS Calendar for current school year 2022-2023

Students Early Release at 11:40 am / Staff PD Day on Tues, Dec. 6.

Islamic/Quran Test for HS classes on Mon. Dec. 12 -from 7:20 to 9:00am.

Winter Wonderland on Wed., Dec.14 from 5 - 7 pm.

Hot Chocolate morning - whole school on Thurs. Dec. 15. Students Early Release at 11:40 am

Winter Holiday begins on Fri., Dec.16 to Mon., Jan.2

School resumes on Tues., Jan. 3 regular hours.

Important numbers for MS/HS

Reception office: Ms. Alya ext. 8000 / Ms. Razan ext. 8040

Clinic Nurses ext. 8019 /8049

School WhatsApp 22052822

School Website www.bis.edu.kw

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NOTE FROM CLINIC :

THE Nurse NOTE

Greetings!

The clinics have been busy with students with cold and flu symptoms. Please ensure your child is staying home when sick. This includes fever and vomiting. As per the school health policy, students must be fever or vomiting free for 24 hours prior to coming back to school. Flu vaccinations are available by following this link

We have also been busy with student screening. We are measuring every student's height and weight and hope to have Middle School done by the winter break. High School will start after midterms in January and will have their blood pressure checked.

Students in grades 12 and the girls in grade 6 will be receiving mandatory immunizations this year. We do not have a date yet, but consent forms have been sent out. Please return them as soon as possible so we are prepared. Emails have been sent to all households that have not yet returned their form.

If you need a form, email the clinic at bisnurses@bis.edu.kw and we will send you one..

Thank you,

Ms. Kathy / Ms. Heba









FIFA WORLD CUP Qatar2022



On Sunday, Nov. 20 BIS celebrated the start of the World Cup, students were encouraged to wear their favorite team jerseys!

On Thursday, Nov. 17 AUK hosted our senior class for a tour and an information session about the admissions process.

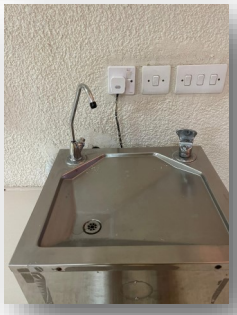


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Our new water bottle filling stations are great for our students and environment.

We encourage students to bring their own water bottles every day.





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Dear BIS Families,

Elementary and Middle School After-School Activities - Session B, is currently accepting registrations. Session A of After-School Activities will commence on November 21, 2022. We advise you to book your place as soon as possible to avoid disappointment since seats are limited, enrollment will be on a first come first serve basis. You can register and pay below. Kindly note that we have provided several payment links for families who want to pay for the entire year at once.

Registration:

Please click here to sign up for session B - Elementary School.

Please click here to sign up for session B - Middle & High School.

ES After-School Activities Schedule:

	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday
Clubs	PSG (Group 1)* I.T. Film Islamic/Quran	PSG (Group 2)* Chess Cooking	PSG (Group 1)* I.T. Film Islamic/ Quran	PSG (Group 2)* Chess Cooking

MS/HS After-School Activities Schedule:

	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday
Clubs	Crochet Performing Arts Arabic Writing Islamic/Quran	Homework Chess Sports	Crochet Performing Arts Arabic Writing Islamic/Quran	Homework Chess Sports

Payment:

Please click here to pay for 12 Sessions - 2 Days per week – KD 80

Please click here to pay for 24 Sessions - 4 Days per week – KD 155

Please click here to pay for 48 Sessions - 2 Days per week – KD 225

Please click here to pay for 96 Sessions - 4 Days per week – KD 375

For more information, please visit the After-School Activities section on our website or contact Mr. Jeff Chan, Athletics and Activities Coordinator at jeffery.chan@bis.edu.kw.



Students up-cycling cardboard into full head masks in art class.

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القارئ المتميّز

يسر قسم اللغة العربية الاعلان عن قيامه بنشاط

عزيزي الطالب / عزيزتي الطالب

- قراءة قصة قصيرة من منصة أنا أقرأ أو من أي مكان آخر.
- مدة القراءة لا تتجاوز الخمس دقائق.
- يقوم الطالب بتسجيلها بصوته الجميل ويراعي (ضبط مخارج الحروف وحسن الإلقاء ونبرة الصوت المعبرة).
- إدراج بعض المؤثرات الصوتية حسب موضوع القصة إن أمكن ذلك؛ مثل صوت: (عصافير ، مطر ، بحر ، رياح ، موسيقا هادئة).
- سيتم تكريم الطالب القارئ، وستذاع قصته في الفصول الدراسية على مدار العام.
- يرسل التسجيل الصوتي بالإيميل إلى معلمة اللغة العربية أو منسق القسم ويستطيع الطالب تقديمه بـ(فلاش مومري).



ANNOUNCEMENT





Math Stations in Gr.6





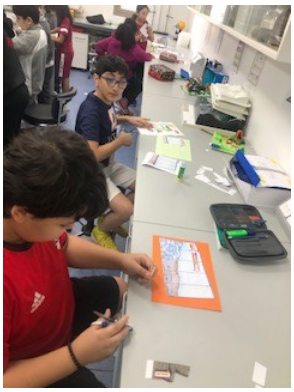
hello Sixth GRADE

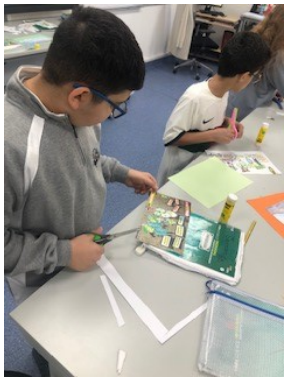


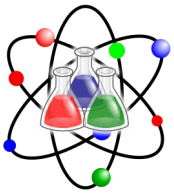


Grade 6B, busy working on primary and secondary Successions in an ecosystem.









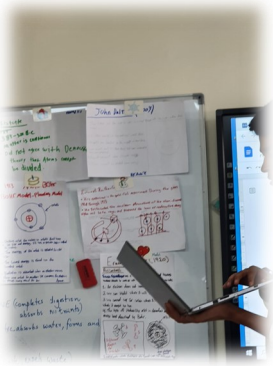


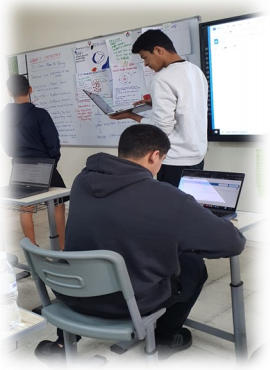
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Art class is asking for donations of old newspapers and magazines .



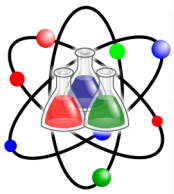




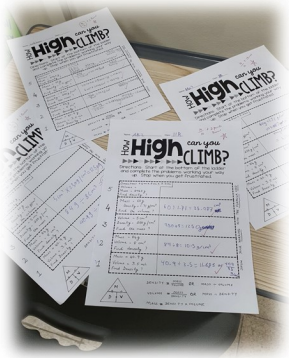


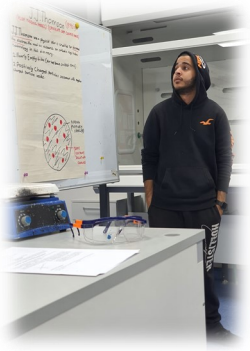


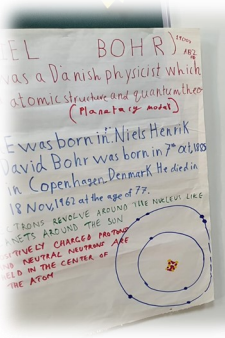


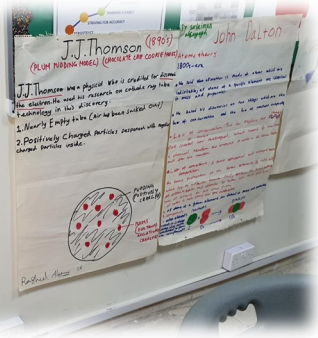


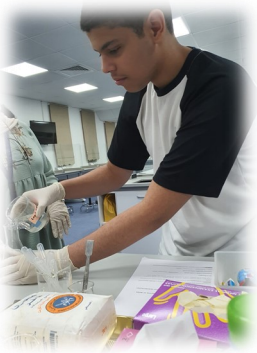


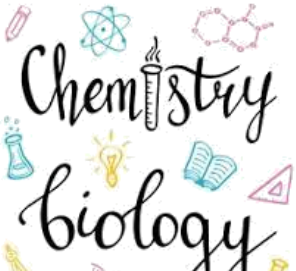












Chemistry and Biology class activities of this week in high school.







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