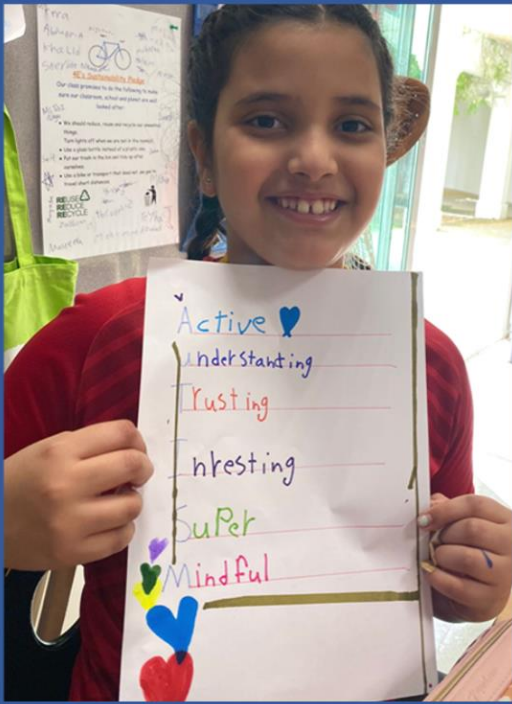


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Upcoming Events

May 1st - 9th: School Closed for Eid
May 10th - School Reopens
May 11th: G5 Exhibition . 4pm - 6.30pm
May 15 th-19th: Book Fair
May 15 th- June 2nd: Map testing
May 15th - June 2nd - Road to World Cup
Resumes

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تسعى أكاديمية قطر - الدوحة إلى تمكين طلابها من تحقيق مستويات عالية من النمو الأكاديمي والرفاه الشخصي ليصبحوا مواطنين مسؤولين متجذرين في ثقافتهم المحلية ومنفتحين على العالم

Vision

Empowering students to achieve high levels of academic growth and personal wellbeing and to be responsible citizens who are locally rooted and globally connected.

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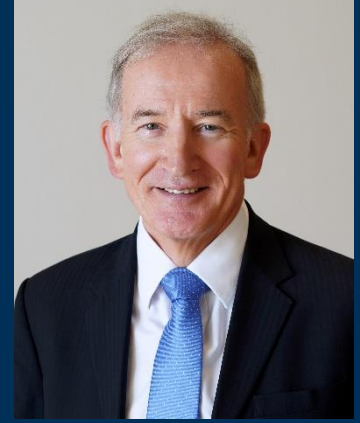


أولياء الأمور الكرام،

لقد مرّ الجزء الأول من الفصل الدراسي بسرعة كبيرة ووصلنا إلى عطلة منتصف الفصل لعيد الفطر. لقد حقق خلالها الطلاب الكثير من التّقدم في كلّ من المدرسة الابتدائية و المدرسة الثانوية .
تماشياً مع إعلان مؤسسة قطر أنها ستتبع المواعيد الحكومية لعيد الفطر ، ستغلق المدرسة بعد اليوم وستفتح المدرسة أبوابها يوم الثلاثاء 10 مايو
سيبدأ طُلاب الصف الثاني عشر امتحانات برنامج البكالوريا الدولية اليوم. ستستمر امتحاناتهم حتى عطلة العيد ، حيث يتم تحديد الاختبارات من قبل البكالوريا الدولية للمدارس في جميع أنحاء العالم تمنياتنا لهم بالتّوفيق والنّجاح.
أتمنى لكم عيداً رائعاً مع عائلاتكم
أفضل الأمنيات،
ستيغن ميك

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Director's Message



Dear Parents,

The first part of the term has passed by with great rapidity and we have reached the mid-term break for the Eid Al Fitr. A great deal has been achieved by the students in each part of the school.

In line with the announcement by Qatar Foundation that it will be following the Government's dates for the Eid Al Fitr, the school will close after today and we will re-start on Tuesday 10th May.

Whilst you are enjoying the Eid break, spare a thought for the Grade 12 students who begin their International Baccalaureate Diploma Program examinations today. Their examinations will continue through the Eid break, as the exams are set by the IB for schools across the world.

I hope you have a wonderful Eid with your family.

Best wishes,

Stephen Meek

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Principal's Message

Dear Parents,

What an amazing term of learning it has been! Not just in academics but lifelong lessons that students will remember forever. The joy of having the students participating in their education, full time on campus has been so enriching. We have had excellent attendance throughout this term and the school community has been a hub of activity again – wonderful!



Please note the dates for after the holiday and when the final MAP assessments begin. It is important that we do not miss these. End of Year Reports will be written next term also, and we wish to demonstrate student growth, student agency, character building, academic rigor and celebratory achievements.

Look out for an invitation to our Book Fair in May.

We will continue to build our environmental consciousness as an Eco School next term, on our mission for a greener/cleaner future for our planet.

We will see G5 parents at the PYP Exhibition and at the G5 Promotion Ceremony.

The QAD Road to 2022 will resume. The students are so excited to wear their shirts again, represent their countries and compete. This Knock Out competition is gathering momentum and we will play the finals over 2 days in June.....in EDUCATION CITY Stadium! Yes you heard correct! THE stadium

This week the school community has participated in celebrating Autism Awareness and Acceptance Month! **Each day** we encouraged all students and staff to **wear blue**. Thank you for your support with this .

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As a school we have done a deep dive into knowledge building, debating, watched videos and really spread our understanding of Autism across the school community. The following five (5) links provide great information and videos on this topic for your casual reading/watching.

[Neurology is not an Accessory](#)

[Describing Autism and People on the Spectrum](#)

[Autistic Person or Person with Autism](#)

[Personal Perspective on Autism by Yo Samdy Sam](#)

[Resources Supporting Preference, but Importantly Wellbeing Properties, of Identity-First Language We are Autistic](#)

G5 students and parents - Important message to you. We will see you return from Eid on Tuesday 10th to practice presenting your Exhibition to Grade 4's, and reflect on improvements. Wednesday 11th is the real Exhibition to the school community including Parents. Ensure that you do the responsible thing and attend school. See the invitation below.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank the amazing Teachers in the Primary School. Their care, enthusiasm, creativity and innovation keeps the students wanting to come to school each day. They have worked so hard this term as outstanding facilitators of student agency and learning. Their efforts are very much appreciated.

Enjoy Akhbar.


Have a peaceful end to Ramadan and a joyful Eid celebration.

Eid Mubarak!

Marie

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Autism Awareness and Acceptance Month

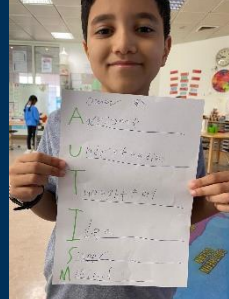
Qatar Academy Doha had a busy month celebrating Autism Awareness and Acceptance Month! Students and staff wore blue for the entire last week. Teachers shared videos and completed a variety of activities. Specialists Sara Coleman and Kim Hendon provided materials and training through presentations and webinars to support students and teachers in their efforts to learn more about Autism. The aim is to spread awareness in school and the wider community.

To create inclusive environments in schools, and to promote understanding, the resources provided included a focus on a different area each week: Understanding Autism and Autism Awareness, Communication from an Autism Perspective, Sensory Differences, and Celebrating Differences.

Sara Coleman provided an Autism Basics presentation to all staff members this week and will continue to support staff and students both inside and outside of the classroom. Both Sara and Kim have an extensive background in supporting students and families and are dedicated to providing education to QF staff throughout the year – not just the month of April!

If you have any questions, concerns or just want to talk about the latest research in Autism, please contact Sara at scoleman@qf.or.qa.

Happy Autism Awareness and Acceptance Month, and may you have a Blessed Eid.



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هل تعرف أثر التنمر على الشباب؟ اكتشف المزيد في هذه الرسوم المتحركة لل طالبة حصّة الهتمي ، من أكاديمية قطر – الدوحة. من خلال النقر على الرابط أدناه واطّلع على النصائح المفيدة حول كيفية معالجة المشكلة.

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Do you know the impact that bullying has on young people? Find out more in this animation by our QAD student Hissa Al Hitmi with useful tips on how to address the problem. Please click the link below:

<https://drive.google.com/file/d/1Lux7IFUYNTWxn5QwXWEQw7JcYmOYGpjV/view?usp=sharing>

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ماذا حصل في صفّ ثنائيّ اللغة هذا الأسبوع؟

أظهر تلاميذ صفّ ثنائيّ اللغة حماسة كبيرة وثقة واضحة حين احتفلوا بنهاية الوحدة التعلّميّة "الدفع والسحب"، بطريقة مميزة، إذ لعبوا أدوار أشخاص شاركوا في مقابلة تلفزيونيّة، عبّروا من خلالها عمّا تعلّموه خلال الوحدة بطريقة ممتعة متحدّثين عن مدى تأثير عوامل عدّة على طريقة تحرك الأشياء وشارحين التجارب العلميّة، أعمالهم والابتكارات التي قاموا بها أثناء أنشطتهم في صفّ اللغة العربيّة.

أدعوكم للاستمتاع بمشاهدة الشريط المرئيّ المرفق على الرابط التالي:

<https://drive.google.com/file/d/1H04PlzwH1hdLC8oi5jjiDtkald-Br2hz/view?usp=sharing>



What happened in the Dual Language Class this week?

KG students have shown great enthusiasm and clear confidence when they have celebrated the end of the learning Unit "Pushes and Pulls" in a very special way. They have played the role of people participating in a TV interview where they were expressing what they have learned during the UOI in an interesting way, they discussed the impact of several factors on the way things move, they explained the scientific experiments and the activities that have been done during the Arabic language class.

I invite you to enjoy watching the attached video on the link below:

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Future Film Makers in action!

Grade 4D, as part of their summative for Where We Are in Place and Time, became meteorologists to showcase their knowledge and understanding of how natural disasters can affect our homes and our societies.



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Giving is joy and happiness
Charity every day

Students in the primary stage collected donations during the blessed month of Ramadan in coordination with the Eid Charity Association, which had a positive impact on sensing the value of giving and charity as an essential part of their daily lives. May God reward you with all the good and make it in the balance of your good deeds.

How wonderful it is to start our day with giving and how beautiful it is for our dear students to get used to drawing smiles and bringing happiness to the hearts of others.

Department of Islamic Education

في كل يوم صدقة

قام الطلاب في المرحلة الابتدائية بجمع تبرعات خلال شهر رمضان المبارك بالتنسيق مع جمعية عيد الخيرية مما كان له الأثر الإيجابي في استشعار قيمة العطاء والصدقة كجزء أساسي في حياتهم اليومية جزاكم الله كل الخير وجعله في ميزان حسناتكم. كم هو رائع أن نبدأ يومنا بالعطاء وكم هو جميل أن يتعود طلابنا الأعداء رسم الابتسامة وإدخال السرور على قلوب غيرهم. قسم التربية الإسلامية



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You are cordially invited to
participate in our Grade 5
students' celebration of their
Exhibition inquiry.

"We're the generation,
We can't afford to wait,
The future started yesterday,
And we're already late"
-John Legend

PYP Exhibition

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Date: 11th May 2022
Time: 4:00 - 6:30 pm
Venue: Primary School Auditorium

We look forward to seeing you!

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