

Senior School Akhbar



QAD Vision

Empowering students to achieve academic excellence and be responsible citizens.

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Director's Message

Dear Parents,

I hope that you and your children have had a good week.

In the first part of the year, we reviewed the School's Vision and Mission and developed new versions of both of them. During the last few weeks, the new Vision and Mission have been displayed all around the school in classrooms, corridors and offices. You can also see them at the main entrances to the school.

I wanted to say a few words about our new Vision this week and then something about our new Mission, next week.

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.

There is so much to say about our Vision, but let me just comment on a few points.

We want all our students to strive to achieve their full potential and to make the most of their skills and talents. That is what all parents want for their children and what all teachers want for their students. It is at the heart of education and at the heart of QAD. It applies to all our students and thus is a very inclusive statement.

Personal wellbeing is so important. That has always been the case, but the pandemic has made that even clearer for us all to understand in terms of physical and mental health. We need our students to know how to be healthy, resilient and able to flourish.

We want our students to be locally rooted, so that they have deep connections with their country so that they can make a strong contribution to Qatar throughout their lives.

Yet we also want our students to seek boundless horizons, to understand the wider world and to be connected with it. Having inquisitive and aspirational students is another way to ensure the growth and development of Qatar.

That is our Vision for our students at Qatar Academy Doha.

Best wishes,

Stephen Meek

رسالة المدير

أولياء الأمور الكرام،

أرجو أن تكونوا قد قضيتم أسبوعًا ممتعًا وأنتم وأطفالكم.

في بداية العام الدراسي، قمنا بمراجعة رؤية المدرسة ورسالتها وقمنا بتحديثهما في جميع أنحاء المبنى المدرسي والفصول والممرات والمكاتب. يمكنكم أيضًا رؤيتهما عند مداخل المدرسة الرئيسية .

في هذا الأسبوع أود أن أكتب عن رؤية أكاديمية قطر - الدوحة الجديدة وفي الأسبوع المقبل سأحدث عن رسالتها.

الرؤية

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.

هناك الكثير لنقوله عن رؤيتنا ، ولكن اسمحوا لي فقط بالتعليق على بعض النقاط.

نريد أن يسعى جميع طلابنا جاهدين لتحقيق إمكاناتهم الكاملة والاستفادة القصوى من مهاراتهم ومواهبهم. هذا ما يريه جميع الآباء لأطفالهم وما يريه جميع المعلمين لطلابهم. إنه ينطبق على جميع طلابنا وبالتالي فهو شامل للغاية.

الرفاه الشخصي مهم جدًا بطبيعة الحال، لكنّ الوباء جعل ذلك أكثر وضوحًا لنا جميعًا من حيث الاهتمام والعناية بالصحة البدنية والعقلية. نحتاج إلى أن يعرف طلابنا كيف يكونون أصحاء ومرنين وقادرين على الازدهار.

نريد أن يكون طلابنا متجذرين في ثقافتهم ، بحيث يكون لديهم روابط عميقة مع بلدهم قطر حتى يتمكنوا من المساهمة في بناءها وخدمتها مدى الحياة، ومع ذلك ، نريد أيضًا أن يبحث طلابنا عن آفاق لا حدود لها وأن يفهموا العالم الأوسع ويتواصلوا معه.

إنّ تهيئة طلابنا ليكونوا منفتحين وطموحين لهو عامل مهم أيضًا لضمان نمو قطر وتطورها.

هذه هي رؤيتنا في أكاديمية قطر - الدوحة.

أفضل التمنيات،

ستيفن ميك

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November 5, 2020

Dear Parents and Community Members,

The weeks are beginning to pick up speed like they always do at this time of the year. We are into the first reporting period and, in fact, Grade 12 report cards will be delivered over the next day, to your email. Please watch for the email and SMS code to allow you to access the report.

Please know that this first report, while very important, may not have the usual amount of assessments connected with the grades. As you can imagine it took us a few weeks to find our footing in this new online/blended learning educational world. As a result, teachers have been working diligently to get back on track which we hope to do before Winter Break. Report cards for grade 6 - 11 are delivered on November 19th and will be the first picture of how your child is doing in this COVID impacted, learning environment. Together, as students, teachers and parents, we will get through these challenging times without any reduction in the quality of teaching and learning.

Of course that must mean that Parent-Teacher-Student conferences are not far away. In fact, they are scheduled for November 23rd and November 24th and will be conducted virtually. We hope to set up a google calendar that allows you to schedule interview times with your child's teacher in the next week.

Grade 12 Virtual Parent Meeting

Our Grade 12 Student Leader, Mr. Don Wilson, and Diploma Coordinator, Ms Zeina Jawad will be coordinating a Virtual information session for Grade 12 students on Wednesday 11th November 2020 at 1 p.m.. During this session we will be discussing DP and college application expectations and answering any questions that parents may have. It will be conducted in both English and Arabic to be inclusive of all families.

The link for the meeting will be sent out on Sunday.

If you have any general DP queries that you wish for us to address, please email it to zjawad@qf.org.qa or dwilson@qf.org.qa

We Look forward to seeing you all.

Blended/Online Learning Calendar until December WINTER

BREAK. Please find the Blended/Online Learning Schedule for the next few weeks at this [link](#) or below

Just a reminder....

WE ARE ASKING PARENTS TO PLEASE KEEP ANY CHILDREN HOME THAT PRESENT ANY COVID-LIKE SYMPTOMS WHENEVER THEY ARE OBSERVED!

Thank you,

QAD Senior School Administrative team

Steve Thompson - Principal

Rana Al Naji - Assistant Principal

Dwayne Smith - Assistant Principal

Nicole Anderson - Assistant Principal



أولياء الأمور الأعزاء،

يقوم التعليم ما قبل الجامعي بإصدار نشرة شهرية مشتركة شاملة لتغطية فعاليات ومبادرات المدارس والمراكز والإدارات.

وننتهز هذه الفرصة لمشاركتكم اصدار شهر نوفمبر عبر الرابط:

<https://bit.ly/3jMKMLB>

Dear Parents,

Pre-University Education publishes a monthly comprehensive newsletter to cover all respective schools, departments and centers' events and initiatives.

We take this opportunity to share the November issue available via this link:

<https://bit.ly/3jMKMLB>

Invitation



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Invitation

دعوة

Awsaj Academy invites you to attend
a public lecture on

Essential Motor Skills for Handwriting Success

Tuesday 10 November 2020

9:00 - 10:00 AM

To attend the lecture, please [click here](#).

Presenter: Rita K. El-Sebaaly

Occupational Therapist, The Learning Center

[Click here for Registration](#)

Enquiries: schalouhy@qf.org.qa

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الثلاثاء 10 نوفمبر 2020

الساعة 9:00 - 10:00 صباحاً

لحضور الورشة، يرجى الضغط على [الرابط](#)

تقدم الورشة: ريتا سيبالي

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