



ISC Newsletter

Islamic School of Canberra

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Dear Parent/Carer Assalamu Alaikum

"It is your Lord that knows you best: if HE please, He grants you mercy, or if He please, punishment."

(Chpt 17: v.54)

It has been a tremendous start to the term and I am very impressed with the hard work our students and staff are engaged in currently. I am very excited about the quality of work and the use of additional time across the school day- it has been a worthwhile initiative.



ENRICHMENT

Our enrichment programme commenced this week and I could not be more pleased with the sessions that have been run. The students appear to be enjoying the courses on offer and the teachers have prepared really engaging and entertaining lessons. Please note that some courses require additional fees and I ask families to pay this as soon as possible. Some courses require supplies that need to be provided to every student. If the enrichment course takes place after school, I would ask that families ensure that they pick their children up on time. It would be very inconvenient if staff are required to stay back waiting for families to pick up children.

AFTER SCHOOL CARE

The after school care programme is now in operation and I commend to you this service. Students who are in the after school programme take part in sporting activities, cooking activities and art sessions. They build Lego structures, complete homework and are provided afternoon tea. They are really enjoying this service and I encourage families to consider this. The programme would suit parents who need their child/ren supervised from 3.30pm- 6.00pm, Monday to Friday.

SCHOOL BUS

I thank our new Board for their purchase of a new school bus. This bus is an 11 seater and provides additional pick up opportunities for student collection in North Canberra and the Inner South. It is in excellent condition and will provide an excellent service for our school community.



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SCHOOL PHOTOS

GRIN AND BEAR IT! will be taking photos for our school in 2018. This will take place on Wednesday 28th February and I ask families to ensure that they have received the necessary paperwork and envelopes required for this day. It is always a well run day and is a great opportunity to get a photograph of your child in their year group as well as individually. These photos will also be used for the school magazine. A REMINDER that families need to make every effort to ensure that students are in the correct uniform and clothing that is worn underneath their school uniform cannot be seen.

BOOK FAIR

We are being visited by SCHOLASTIC BOOK FAIR again next week 27th February (Tuesday)- 2nd March (Friday) and I encourage our students and their families to come to the display and consider obtaining some of the reading matter that is on offer. The Book Fair will be open for students across the week and there will be time for families to look through for a short time after school. It will be in the Library at lunch time and after school. Hope to see you all there. BE aware that a percentage of what is purchased is provided to the school so further books can be bought and added to our Library collection.

SEMESTER 1 CALENDAR

At the end of next week we will release an updated Semester 1 Calendar for all families. This will inform families of important dates around reporting as well as break times and Parent/Teacher sessions. I hope this is useful as you plan your lives around school activities

SCHOOL DIARIES

We have now provided ALL our students with School Diaries and I would ask all families to consider its contents and how they are being used. The Diary will be edited across this year and we will get a FORMAL DIARY professionally printed for 2019 with suggested changes from students, staff and school community. Please provide thoughts around the diary to the class teacher or front office.

MULTICULTURAL FESTIVAL

Congratulations must go to Sr Azra Khan (previous Chair of the School Board) for her work in putting together another very successful Multicultural Festival. The large numbers who attended and the positive comments again demonstrated all the hard work she and her team put into this very important community event. Congratulations Sr Azra!



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We would also like to congratulate Mrs Chabina Hussanee for giving birth to her Beautiful daughter—
NORAH!!!

Wishing you all a safe and relaxing weekend - Inshallah!

Kind Regards

David Johns- Principal



Year 5 started their numeracy groups this week. This week we played addition and place value games. Who knew Mathematics was so much fun?





Year 7s love doing science..specially when its Mr Johns teaching them!!



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School Enrichment Program– BAKING



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