

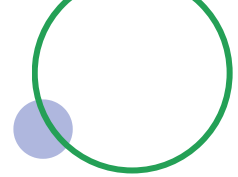
Newsletter



Photos courtesy of the Senior Team and their families wishing you all a wonderful break!



Lucy says it is time for
SUMMER!



Head of Primary's Message

Dear DIA Families,

As we close another school year, this marks the 73rd edition of our weekly newsletter since my tenure began, and I am proud to say we've never missed a week. Your consistent engagement and feedback have made this communication a valuable link between our school and your homes.

Reflecting on an Outstanding Year

It's been another remarkable year at DIA, where arts, sports and academics have thrived, showcasing the incredible talent of our students. Leadership opportunities have flourished, with an increasing number of students actively engaging in responsibility and asking how they can contribute more to our community. Parents are increasingly active and more and more I am having parents ask me how they can help and what I need from the parent community. This growing involvement and broader perspective is a testament to the vibrant, supportive culture we're building together at DIA.

Summer Learning

While we've provided some year-specific tasks to keep our students' minds sharp over the summer (available in the Year Group newsletters), the most crucial activity is to engage fully with the world around you. I encourage you to spend quality time with your children in the 'real world'—playing, running, jumping, traveling, and exploring. It's a time to ditch the devices, invent new games, let imaginations go, give your children responsibilities, and encourage them to take risks. [Check this website](#) out for ideas on giving your children responsibilities. I spoke about this site in my recent workshop during anti-bullying week.

The musical will be earlier next year due to Ramadan shifting further into Term 2. As a result please check your emails if you have children in Years 4-6 next year as the details for auditioning have been shared by the Arts team.

Welcome Back Booklet Next Week

Next week, we'll be sending out a welcome back pack filled with important information for the upcoming school year. Please take some time to go through this carefully to prepare for another exciting year at DIA.

Thank you for another fantastic year. Your support, involvement, and dedication to the school make all our achievements possible. Good luck to all out Year 6 students. Have a wonderful and restful summer break, and I look forward to welcoming you back recharged for the new school year.

There are lots of amazing things about being a teacher and our staff are about to enjoy two of them....July and (some of) August!

Kind regards,
Tom



End of Year Report in Comms Corner Below

EXTRA EXTRA!



KG1

YEAR 3

THE ARTS

KG2

YEAR 4

STUDENT COUNCIL

YEAR 1

YEAR 5

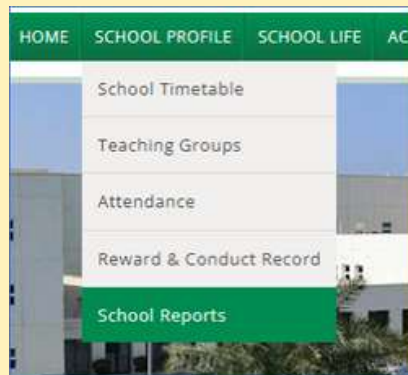
YEAR 2

YEAR 6



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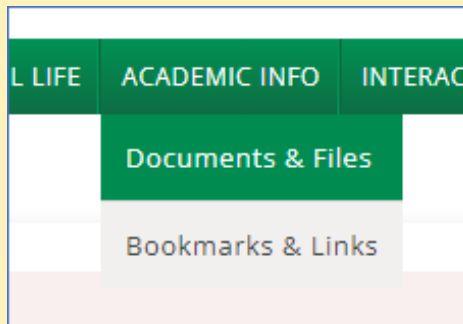
Your child's end of Year reports are live! For class reports parents need to go onto the parent portal under School Profile / School Reports. For any assistance please contact helpdesk@diadubai.com.



TURN OVER



For Year 4, 5, and 6 external ACER ISA results are also available, In the Parent Portal look under Academic Info / Documents & Files.



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TAKING ACTION

What a year for action it has been! This is poster number 23 and it's been fantastic to celebrate all the great things your children have been doing out of school to support good causes. Keep it up and please keep sharing whatever your children do to make a difference :)

Mr Nick - nicholast@diadubai.com



The Y4s rounded off the final unit of the year with their famous Market Day, which is always a huge highlight for the Y4 calendar. After weeks of hard work, where the children had an amazing time putting their business hats on and coming up with their own products and services to sell, it all came to an end on Tuesday. As part of the event, we were able to raise 6,835AED towards the GIVE initiative. A fantastic amount which will go along way to supporting those in need.

Dear Parents,

Can we please ask that at the beginning of term you provide your child with a few items they will want across the year. We do provide stationery, but many children often prefer to bring and have their own and have their own pencil case. This will also help to teach the children about responsibility and organisation.

Click the image images to access an amazon link to suggested items.



- 2 boxes HB pencils (24 pencils in total)
 - 2 pencil erasers/rubbers
 - 1 pencil sharpener
- This set is available for 13 Dirhams.



- 8 glue sticks
- This packet can be purchased for 20 dirhams



- 1 box of colour pencils
- This packet is available on amazon for 13 dirhams



- 2 packets whiteboard pens
- This packet costs 12 dirhams



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WHAT DO YOU WANT MORE DIALOGUE ON

SHARE IDEAS HERE



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AUGUST

2024

NEW!

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
28	29	30	31	01	02	03
04	05	06	07 Welcome pack sent out	08	09	10
11	12	13	14 Senior Leaders return to school	15	16	17
18	19 All staff return to school for training and set up week (INSET)	20	21	22 Hopes and Dreams letter with class teacher shared to all students. Parents can then book a slot to meet the teacher.	23	24
25	26 KG1-Y6 Hopes and Dreams (no school) parents attend with their children to meet the teacher and view the campus and classroom	27 Year 1-6 First full day of school for students	28	29	30	31