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أولياء أمور طلبتنا الأعزاء،

في بداية الفصل الثاني من السنة الدراسية وكما اعتدنا كل يوم على مواصلة العملية التعليمية والتربوية والعمل على تزويد طلبتنا بنهج هادف ومتطور، في الفصل الثاني سوف نؤكد على ضرورة القراءة اليومية. أريد أن أذكركم بمدى أهمية توفير الوقت، البيئة والجو الملائم لأطفالكم للقراءة سوف يعمل على تحفيزهم على الاستمرارية والاستمتاع بالقراءة. وكما نعلم ان القراءة المستمرة تساعد الطالب على تبني المفردات، تحفز الدماغ، وتقوي التركيز، وتزيد المعرفة، وتخفف التوتر والقلق، والاهم من ذلك انها تساعد على النوم بشكل أفضل. دعونا نعمل معًا في المنزل والمدرسة لتعليم أطفالنا كيفية القراءة وتخصيص الوقت لها، اشركم على دعمكم المستمر لتعليم ابنائكم.

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حلا وردة، مديرة المدرسة

MQS BACK IN ACTION



Back in action, MQS started the second term with much excitement and desire to achieve better grades. Students shared their goals and wishes for the next term from getting better grades learning new skills, and working on their handwriting. Students were happy to be back at school learning and having fun with their friends.



This month, Miss Taras' PYP5 students are learning all about growth with their own potted garden located right in the hub! Each morning, students check in on their seedlings, which they are taking care of in teams. Some are in charge of tomatoes, others cucumbers and have enjoyed watching as green sprouts begin to poke out of the dirt. The experiment is focused on seeing the different ways conditions can affect germination and everyone is eager to discover the results in February!



PYP2 LEARNING ABOUT RECYCLING

This month our PYP2 students had fun learning all about recycling and the importance of recycling in our life. As part of their action in science, students decided to use some products to create things to decorate their class with instead of throwing it away. Students came up with creative ideas from making a mirror to designing a vase. Students had fun learning how to recycle.



In building your musical skills, any student knows rhythm is important to master. This week, MYP students put their abilities to the test with Mr. Mushriq, learning how to play the tar/daff; a traditional drum similar to the tambourine. Taking turns, each pupil worked to read off a set of beats and did not give up until they had succeeded. Cheering each other on, the experience was full of laughter as well as music!



PYP 3 FIELD TRIP

PYP3 had a field trip to the College of Art to explore different types of elements that Artists used in their artwork, such as lines, shapes, texture, or angles.

It was an opportunity for the children to explore the place and increase their knowledge about what they learned in this unit (Communicating through Art) including Leonardo Da Vinci, who drew the Mona Lisa and William Shakespeare and his play the tragic love story of Romeo and Juliet.

PYP3 children enjoyed their visit to all the departments in the college, such as music, cinema, and painting.



PYP 4 FIELD TRIP

As a part of the Math summative assessment for "How we express ourselves," PYP4 visited park Sami Abdulrahman to apply their knowledge of the metric system by measuring and drawing different kinds of shapes to find later the area and the perimeter of each of those shapes. They were the center of learning engagements by exploring and finding the shapes by themselves such as a square, triangle, rectangle and circle measuring them with different tools.

