

Cir.No.52/AJB/PPI/June2018

SUBJECT: YEAR END CIRCULAR

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Dear Valued Parent,

As we approach the end of another busy year we would like to take this opportunity to thank you for the support you have given both to your child and to the school. It was heartening to note that our students participated in many scholastic and non-scholastic activities during this academic year and excelled in both intra and inter-school events. The school was very happy to receive the continual support from the parents and we assure you that our commitment to our vision will be carried forward. The School Management supported the staff with many Professional Development Programmes to ensure that quality learning takes place. It gives us immense pleasure to look back with pride and see the numerous missions accomplished. By the grace of God it has been a successful year and this would not have been possible without your involvement and support, for which we sincerely thank you. We take this opportunity to thank all the parents for their unconditional support in all our endeavors.

Looking Back & Forward

- Academics: We are moving forward with the reaffirmed vision of "nurturing our young people to be achievers of extraordinary determination, who set right goals in areas of education, morality, attitude, and ethics and values.". This year we embarked with measuring of students learning outcomes in relation to Student Competence framework which responds to the needs of integrating competences and values into teaching and learning. This initiative along with Moral Education Programme (MEP) will empower our students in acquiring essential values and life skills to live and to serve in tomorrow's world.
- <u>Teaching & Learning</u>: Digital Resources will be used for all core subjects to support our students' needs in learning during new academic session 2018-19. Looking at the success of School wide Student led conferences and to further strengthen the monitoring & successful implementation of initiatives such as <u>Children At Risk in Education (CARE)</u> and Students Taking Responsibility in Demonstrating Excellence in Education (STRIDE).
- <u>Carnival of Colours of the World and Innovation week</u> The event which was a talk of the town has showcased the multiple talents of most of our student's in adoption of scientific inquiry and spirit, creatively executing Art and Literary skills.
- Al Ain Juniors Model United Nations(AJMUN): All visitors were enthralled by extraordinary skills such as public speaking, negotiating, team work, debating in structured environment, exposure to research and leadership skills
- YEAR OF ZAYED: A successful inter school event was conducted to provide opportunity for our Arab as well as non- Arab students in compiling and presenting the research work in the form of a booklet. We are proud to share that the event was witnessed and appreciated by ADEK officials.
- <u>KG Science Exhibition:</u> The Kindergarten students have produced science projects made out of recycled materials that showcased their innovative and resourceful skills.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

OPEN HOUSE:

For Kindergarten, Grades 1 – 9: On Thursday, 28th of June, 2018 between 9:00 am to 1:00 pm.

Final Report Cards – Grades 1 to 9

You have been made aware from time to time, that as per the ministry rules (with effect from 2012-13) the final report cards are issued through **ADEK eSIS** (Enterprise Student Information System) and would show an average of all three assessment components of the all three terms for Grades 1 to 8. For grade 9 school based forecast marks will be issued.

Certificates/documents collection

In view of summer vacation approaching fast, we request the parents to collect the following documents before the school closes for summer vacation

- 1. Bonafide certificate for the purpose of passport/visa renewal
- 2. T.C. if the student has to leave the country during the summer vacation

To Confirm the student enrolment for AY 2018-2019:

Clear all fee dues (2017-2018)





- Re-registration fees: to confirm the students enrollment for AY 2018-2019
- Submit the Updated Emirates ID (EID)
- SCHOOL FEES AND DOCUMENTATION: We highly commend and are grateful to the parents who kept their mandatory documentation (EID) up to date and have paid all their dues on time.

The parents of the students with lapses in submission of mandatory documents (EID) and pending fee are request to clear the dues on or before 28th June 2018 to avoid the following consequences.

- > The results (Report Cards) for 2017-2018 will not be released to the relevant students.
- > Any official letters from school payment invoice, bona-fide letters, conduct certificate etc. will not be issued.
- Annual fee, books & uniform fee will not be collected from such parents.
- > Such students may not be promoted and may be removed from the school with notification to the Ministry / ADEK, who will not allow document and fee defaulters to join any other school, until the dues are settled in the previous school.

Summer Vacation:

The last day of school for students of Grade 1 – 12 will be on: Thursday, 21st June 2018 Kindergarten (INDIAN AND BRITISH SECTION): last day will be on Thursday, 28th June, 2018

School Opening:

Kindergarten: Junior KG, Sunday, 2nd September, 2018

: Senior KG, Wednesday, 5th September, 2018

Grade 1 – 12: Sunday, 2nd September, 2018

School Timings:

Grades 1 to 12 - 7:30 a.m. to 1:50 p.m. Kindergarten - 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

INFORMATION FOR NEW ACADEMIC YEAR 2018-19

School Office timings: From 1st July 2018 to 5th July 2018 – 8:00 am – 2:00 pm

School Office Closure and Opening:

School Office will close for summer break from 6th July 2018 to 26th August, 2018.

The school office will commence work for the new academic year on 27th August, 2018.

New Class Lists: The new class lists will be available in school on 27th August 2018, as parents come to school for the books and uniforms. The class lists are made giving careful consideration to the demographic details, the number of boys and girls in a class (from KG to Gr.12), students' learning styles and learning aptitudes. AJS recruits the best possible teachers after a screening process by the Human Resources and Academic departments and we believe that learning happens through good student centered teaching and not through a preferred teacher. Therefore, we strongly advise you to abstain from making requests for change of sections. The decision of the school will remain

Baseline Assessment (for Grades 1 to 12): Students of all Grade levels are required to make a study schedule to revise their topics done in previous grade level for all the Core and compulsory subjects. The Baseline Assessment for the *Primary school* (Grade 1-6) shall take place from <u>Tuesday</u>, 4th <u>September to Thursday</u>, 6th <u>September</u>, 2018 while Secondary School (Grades 7 to 12) will have their Baseline Assessments from Sunday, 9th September to Wednesday, 12th September 2018. These will be part of their formative assessments and facilitate target setting/forecast grades for students.

Note: Please find Topics and details of Baseline assessments attached to this circular. Baseline Assessments should be taken with a serious mind frame to ensure enhancement in individual students' grades and learning targets.

BOOKS / UNIFORM SALES Schedule for the academic year 2018-19

AL AIN JUNIORS SCHOOL - British System

Grade	Date	Day	Type of Sale	Timing	Venue
Kg to Grade 1	27/8/18	Monday			
Grade 2 to 4	28/8/18	Tuesday			
Grade 5 to 7	29/8/18	Wednesday	Full Set Sales	8:00 am to 3.30 pm	Al Ain Juniors School Premises (AJS)
Grade 8 to 9	30/8/18	Thursday			
Grade 10 to 12	1/9/2018	Saturday			
Grade	Date	Day	Type of Sale		Timing
Kg to Grade 1	2/9/2018	Sunday	Part Sale	5:00 pm to 8.00 pm	Al Ain Juniors School Premises (AJS)
Grade 2 to 4	3/9/2018	Monday			
Grade 5 to 7	4/9/2018	Tuesday			
Grade 8 to 9	5/9/2018	Wednesday			
Grade 10 to 12	6/9/2018	Thursday			

Details of contact person during vacation:

Ms. Diana, Focal Point Management Consultancy (FPMC)

Phone: 03-7648113

Emirates Commercial Complex, Khalifa Street, Al Ain (behind Al Falah Plaza)

Soliciting, your continued support and co-operation in carrying forward the great responsibility of your children's education. We look forward to meet and interact with you in the New Academic Year.

Wishing you all an enjoyable summer vacation!!

AJB Administration