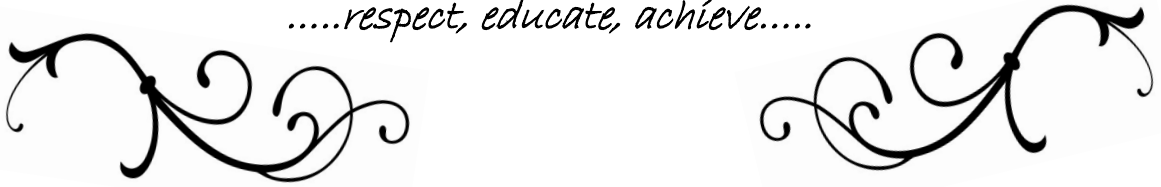


AL ISLAH
Girls' High School

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.....respect, educate, achieve.....



Assalamualaikum and a warm welcome to all parents, staff and students to our final edition of The Messenger for this academic year.

Another successful year draws to a close. It is amazing how much has been achieved by the children, staff, parents and governors in one year. The achievements extend from the academic, to the sporting and the creative arts and to the numerous fun and fundraising exploits we have had at Al Islah. We achieve so much because we work together as a team and this is one of the greatest strengths of the school.

It is difficult to identify the highlights because there are genuinely so many. Personally, I have thoroughly enjoyed getting to know the students over the year. They start in September as children but by the time they leave in July they are young adults.

I hope the Year 11s look back at their time at Al Islah with fondness and perhaps return and regale us with their achievements. I am proud of them all and wish them good luck in the future.

Whilst it is onwards and upwards for the Class of 2017, so it is also with Al Islah. We never stand still and we are always looking at how we can improve and 2017 - 18 will be no different. In fact it promises to be one of the most exciting years in our history.

End of Year Exams

Admissions for September 2017

The school has received a number of applications for the September 2017 intake and we are pleased to confirm that we have 22 Year 7 students for the next academic year. We also have many more new students joining us for the other years too.

Please note the school is still accepting applications as we still have a few places left. Please contact the school office immediately if you are interested in applying.

The students will be sitting their final exams in the week commencing 3rd July 2017.

Please can all parents ensure that revision is taking place at home.

These are important exams as the results reflect on the progression for the whole academic year.

Detailed reports will be sent out to all parents on the 19th July.

EXAM RESULTS DAY FOR ALL GCSE STUDENTS

THURSDAY 17TH AUGUST

SCHOOL WILL BE OPEN FROM 9AM ONWARDS



End of Year Final Assembly

We will be holding an End of Year School Assembly on the last day of our term: 21st July. All parents are invited to attend as there will be lots of prizes and achievements to hand out. We hope you can join us and we look forward to seeing you all there.

Exam Anxiety!

Just when the students will start to enjoy their vacation, it will hit them that the exam results are on the horizon. All their happiness will be gone and all they would feel is anxiety about the exam results.

We all try very hard to make something come true, to achieve something for ourselves and for others. Exams are one such step towards our achievement. Passing or failing these exams makes us feel positively or negatively about ourselves. It affects our confidence. Most of us also worry about how others, especially family and close ones, might react to our results.

People around you might tell you to relax and not worry, trying their best to comfort you but you are the one who will have to believe in yourself.

Henry Ford, Bill Gates, Walt Disney, Albert Einstein, Thomas Edison, Sachin Tendulkar- all these people have had a real tough times with their academics. What makes them successful? It is their determination and belief in their own abilities.

For the parents

- Your child is special purely because he/she is your child.
- You may have expectations from your child but realize and accept that your child is not you.
- Your child is more important than what he/she does or achieves.
- What people might think or say is less important than how your child feels. Often, these wagging tongues would not even be around when you really need them.

After the results are declared

- Talk to people who make you are comfortable – family, friends or a teacher.
- There are more than 800 career options available today. There is no reason you have to tread the conventional road.
- You are precious. Hurting yourself in any way will just hurt your close ones- not to mention that it wouldn't solve anything.

Make dua, focus on good things and move forward. If you have the will, you will make your way!

A Special Thanks to all the Governors, Staff, Parents and Students of Al Islah School

As we are approaching the end of year– and we are literally counting days!- Al Islah would like to take this opportunity to say a special thank you to all the governors and staff for their continuous support and dedication to the school. One of the most important assets of the school are the students and Al Islah would not exist without them. The students have shown great patience and enthusiasm throughout the academic year and have shown excellent progression. Most importantly, the students would not have achieved this progression without the support back home from parents and guardians, so a special thank you goes out to all parents for their continued support. We hope you continue to support the school in the next academic year.

Key dates:

- Eid ul Fitr: Monday 26th June and Tuesday 27th June
- 30th June: School trip to Flamingo Land
- Week commencing 3rd July : End of Year Exams
- End of Year Reports : 19th July
- End of Year Assembly : 21st July
- School closes for final term : 21st July at 12.30pm

