



15<sup>th</sup> September 2014

Dear Parents,

From Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> October to Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> November the Year 6 students will have the opportunity to participate in their school camp. The camp is the Dibba camp run by North Star, under the supervision of the BISAD staff. North Star is an Outdoor Education Company primarily providing Adventure activities, for Schools and Youth Groups from all around the Gulf region.

North Star has been operating since 1997; they specialise only with schools and youth organisations and can truly be called the leading provider in the region, in this field. They have shown consistent growth, achieved through the high quality of service and interesting projects offered to their ever growing client base. Behind this is an enthusiastic team of professionals who are actively involved in reviewing safety standards, operational skills and procedures to ensure that the highest level of service and safety is offered and maintained. The safety of all participants in their programs is their priority, and overrides all other considerations.

The Dibba camp has proved to be a resounding success for our students who have participated in the trip over the last couple of years. The students will participate in a wide range of activities. The students will be involved in activities such as climbing, mountain biking, kayaking, snorkelling and learning map reading. The purpose of having the camp is for students to forge relationships with their classmates and form teachers outside of the classroom. The camp also provides experiences that students would not normally encounter in their day to day lives.

In preparation for the trip, we will have a parents meeting on Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> October at 6.00pm in the drama studio. The representative from North Star will give a presentation of how the UAE Marine Camp works and it will also be an opportunity for you to ask any questions you may have about the trip. It would be great if all parents could attend this session.

For students who wish to attend the camp, there will be a cost of 1900 AED. This is inclusive of transport, accommodation and 3 meals per day and covering the cost of all activities during the trip. To secure your son/daughter's place we will require payment in full before the start of the camp. You will be able to pay on the presentation evening or during the school day. Please pay all money to the Accounts Dept.

If you choose for your child not to participate in the camp, normal lessons will continue in school.

Please feel free to contact me at school if you have any queries.

Yours faithfully,

**Noel Wallace,**  
**Director of Sport and ECAs**



<b>Year 6 Dibba Trip</b>	
<b>Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> October – Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> November 2014</b>	
<b>Students Family Name</b>	
<b>Students First Name</b>	
<b>Students Nationality</b>	
<b>Date of Birth</b>	
<b>School Form</b>	
<b>Any Dietary Issues (if Yes please state what issues)</b> <b>If answer No put N/A</b>	
<b>Medical History (Does your child have any major medical history if Yes please state the issue) if answer No put N/A</b>	
<b>If your child is on medication please can you confirm what medicine your child takes</b> <b>If answer No put NA</b>	<b>Yes- What Medicine taken</b>
<b>Medical Insurance Company</b>	
<b>Medical Insurance Number</b>	
<b>Parental Contact Details</b>	
<b>Fathers Name</b>	<b>Mobile No:</b>
<b>Fathers Email Address</b>	
<b>Mothers Name</b>	<b>Mobile No:</b>
<b>Mothers Email Address</b>	
<b>Emergency Contact Number (different from mobile Numbers)</b>	