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Dear Parents,

International Week

This week has been a global feast in more ways than one! Each phase in school has been studying a different continent throughout the week, culminating in today's International buffet, parade and assemblies. The work displayed from the week's activities was beautifully displayed in the hall, reflecting the learning activities which the children have been taking part in. We have more than 60 nationalities at our school, some of them with only one family representing them. Today was a great chance for children to share and be proud of their own countries. It may be that you are our only family from your country, but we value you just as much, as together we are truly international!

The International buffet was wonderful, and we must thank parents for their amazing contributions towards this. Thank you for the recipes contributed throughout the week, these will be selected then compiled into an online recipe book, which will be emailed to all parents when it is completed.



Juilliard Music Programme

This week I had the opportunity to meet with two visiting representatives from the Juilliard Music School in New York. Nord Anglia Education has a partnership with Juilliard which will see their music programme implemented across all of the schools within the NAE family. The visitors had a chance to explain their core programme to our music staff, visit our campus, and observe music lessons taking place. They have currently rolled out their programme to ten schools in the group, and we hope that soon we will be selected to work with them to enhance our music provision. To find out more, please click on the link attached below.

http://www.nordangliaeducation.com/teaching-and-learning/juilliard-nord-anglia-performing-artscurriculum-social-hub/juilliard-curriculum-overview

Calendar dates:

I have also included dates for the 1st week back after half term

4	Thurs 28 th	Assembly Y2-Y6 Gilleran/Gillan/Hannon Y5 classes 7:30am
		Half term holiday begins

Week	February	
5	Sun 7 th	Early Years 1 & Early Years 2 Sports Day
	Mon 8 th	Milepost 1 Sports Day (Y1 & Y2)
	Tues 9 th	Qatar National Sports Day (no school)
	Wed 10 th	Milepost 2/3 Sports Day (Y3-Y6) venue to be confirmed
	Thurs 11 th	Assembly EY1-Y1 Miss Brown's Y1 class 7:30am

Best wishes, Margaret Pilkington Head of Campus Compass International School Doha, Gharaffa campus, P.O. Box 23479.Plot 13, Al Waab, Al Abareeq Street, Gharaffa Area,No.31 Doha,Qatar. Phone: +974 4034 9666 Ext. 618 <u>margaret.pilkington@nais.qa</u> http://www.cisdoha.com

