

Head of Campus update

Dear Parents,

Welcome to the first edition of Headlines in 2016. It is hard to believe that we have already completed two weeks of the term and the children are so settled in class and back into their routine. There has been some fantastic learning in class and I have had the pleasure of helping Year 3 with 'tricky maths' and Year 1 with their writing.

We ended this week with a very positive health and safety message from Ian Cargill and his team from the International Safety Centre, who presented to our children on the subject of road and car safety. Children in Years 3-6 were invited to bring their bicycles to school to learn about cycle proficiency and how to check their bikes for safety. This included checking the tires and brakes and how to adjust the saddle. The children in Years 1 and 2 learned how to cross the road safely and how much time you need to make it to the other side. Early Years learned how to follow directions and watch out for obstacles

on their bicycle track. They learned about wearing helmets and when to stop if there is any danger. All year groups had a great day and took full advantage of this outdoor learning opportunity to remind them of safety. I'm sure they will be able to share this with you!

Next week we have a visit from the renowned Juilliard School in New York who will collaborate with our music teachers and work in partnership with our school to promote music. This is a unique opportunity, as part of an agreement with a Nord Anglia Education to have world class musicians implementing a programme in school and will culminate with performances both on a local and regional level. We are very excited to be part of this project which will start in September and we will inform you of developments and how the programme will work in school.

The following week (24th) is International Week in school and you should have received a separate communication about all the events during the week. We begin with a flag parade on Sunday and children should wear national dress or colours if possible. Parents are welcome to watch the parade.

Parking -Can I please ask that parents and drivers park in the **designated area at the back of the school and follow directions from the guards?** We have had a few cases where drivers are blocking the road and we need to consider the safety of our whole school community.

Finally, with the cooler weather, could you please make sure that your child is wearing correct school uniform and a navy and yellow fleece? They are available from Uniform Mart if you do not have one. If your child has lost their fleece, please check the lost property as there are a number of unclaimed items.

The ECA programme starts on Sunday and will run for eight weeks. We have a fantastic selection of activities open to children of all ages from EY2 to Year 6. If you have not already signed up, please check with the Secretary for any remaining spaces.

Have a lovely weekend.

Ann Djedid



Upcoming dates

Sunday 17th January-ECA's begin.

Sunday 17th-Global Campus ; whole school writing focus.

Thursday 21st January : Assembly Y3/4, Ms Gilbert.

Photo Gallery



Birthdays

Omar Khalil- 6 years
 Almas Alfarhan- 5 years
 Zein Alfarhan- 5 years
 Agustin Caicedo- 6 years
 Maia Sheach- 5 years
 Alicia Petillon- 4 years
 Florian Szakacs- 5 years
 Leena Siddiqui- 5 years
 Faris Alfarhan- 7 years
 Miller Powney- 4 years
 Haya Al hajri- 9 years
 Shiyam Abozaid- 8 years
 Mohamed Al kowatli- 8 years



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Year 1 fashion Show-IPC Entry Point

