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This email is for parents of students in Preschool to Year 13.

Date: 13 October 2022

Dear Parents and Guardians of Doha British School Ain Khaled,

I am very pleased to have had the opportunity to meet with more and more of you individually over the last few weeks. I am heartened to feel so welcomed and supported in my new role. It is wonderful to see how, despite the inevitable missteps and concerns involved in the successful education of almost two thousand students, it becomes immediately obvious when conversing as partners, that we share the same expectations and values in the development of our children.

It has been a long term, and both the students and the staff will begin to feel the strain as we approach the last weeks of the term. I trust we will all take this into account, and speak kindly to one another. From the TOK presentations to the Bake Off, from Extracurricular Activities to successful sporting competitions, it has been a busy term indeed! In accordance with the instructions from the Ministry of Education, from the 1st November, to the last day of school on the 17th November, school hours for students will be 7am to 12pm. We will arrange the timetable accordingly to ensure all curriculum areas are supported, and share this with you early next week. For the unusually long Winter holiday, we will provide examination groups with individual study plans, guidance and direction to ensure they feel confident and supported. Other year groups will also be encouraged to maintain aspects of their studies.

I encourage all our stakeholders to take part in the DBS-wide survey sent out today to parents across all campuses, and this can be accessed <u>here</u>. I would also like to remind parents of another opportunity to engage with the DBS community, namely the forthcoming DBS Carnival, which takes place at the new DBS Rawdat Al-Hamama campus from 10.00 – 16.00 on Saturday October 29. Should any parents wish to attend they are of course very welcome to do so and I would refer them to the letter sent earlier this week.

I look forward to all of the many opportunities to engage with you over the remainder of the Term.

Yours sincerely Yours sincerely

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Daniel Landi Principal





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