



DOHA BRITISH SCHOOL

AL WAKRA

*Our core purpose is that every young person should gain as much as possible from our school,
based on our belief that all learners can, need and want to achieve.*

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Dear parents,

I am writing to you this week to outline some key dates ahead of us during this term.

As Qatar National Sports Day falls this year on Tuesday February 14 – a day during which our school will be closed – our **DBS Wakra sports health and wellbeing week** will be built around this, with a plan of activities taking place from Sunday February 12 to Thursday February 16. This plan will be communicated more fully once it's completely finalised, but it will be worth noting at this stage that students in all phases and year groups will be able to attend each day in their complete and correct DBS PE uniforms, if they wish.

Later in the term, we will also be celebrating **World Book Day**. This year, this falls on Thursday March 2. Again, further information will be communicated in due course, and although students dressing up as book characters, as always, may be part of the plan, it should be stressed that there is no expectation at all that any members of our community purchase anything especially for this event. Creativity and imagination would be quite sufficient in terms of preparation! World Book Day, of course, is primarily about inspiring a lifelong love of reading, and to this end I would urge parents to refer to this week's primary & secondary newsletters, in which an explanation of our new online library, which links heavily with our DBS Wakra reading lists, is offered.

As always, if any parents would like to contact me directly regarding this information, I would welcome them to do so via the email address below.

Yours sincerely,

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