



## Dasman Model School KG / Elementary Department Newsletter

From: Andy Mirhaj (KG / Elementary Principal)

To: Parents of KG/Elementary Students

March 5, 2008

Dear Parents,

I hope that you and your family enjoyed the National Day and Liberation Day holidays. I trust that our students are well rested and are ready to continue working hard at school.

Next week we will have Sports Day in the KG and Elementary. Our KG students will have Sports Day on Sunday, Grades 1 and 2 students on Monday, and Grades 3 to 5 students on Tuesday. Please note that students must bring to school their school bags and materials on Sports Day, as they will be working during the first period. We hope that all of our students enjoy this popular annual event that is organized by the PE Department.

Progress reports will go home on Monday, March 17<sup>th</sup>, to students who are getting under 70% in the core subjects (English, Science, and Math). The progress reports are based on the grades that have been attained in semester 2. Kindly sign the progress reports and return them to your child's homeroom teacher.

It was good to see that many parents attended the Parent-Teacher Conference evening on February 20<sup>th</sup> despite the dusty weather. If you were unable to meet with your child's teachers on that evening, please call the school at 243-0607 (ext. 233) to set up an appointment to see your child's teachers.

Students in grades 2 and 3 took part in our first ever Spelling Bee in February. Everyone enjoyed the competitions and it was a great educational experience for our students. All of the participants should be commended for their hard work. The grades 4 and 5 Spelling Bees will be held this week and next week. Special thanks to Ms. Sally Ibrahim, our Head of English, for her hard work in coordinating this event.

The KG Family Day will be held on Wednesday, March 19<sup>th</sup>, in the Dasman 1 auditorium. The event will start at 10.15am. Please note that the school will be closed on Thursday, March 20<sup>th</sup> to celebrate Prophet Mohammed's birthday. The school will re-open on Sunday at 7.00am.

Please register for the Study Club by Thursday, March 13<sup>th</sup>. We stop registering students after Thursday.

In closing I would like to congratulate everyone for the accreditation of our High School by the Council of International Schools. This is a great achievement for our school.

Best Wishes,

Andy Mirhaj