



The School Buzz

Welcome Note

SABIS[®] International School – Aljada has had a busy, fun-filled and successful Term 2. This Term our students enjoyed the cooler climate in the spacious outdoor playgrounds, football field, running track, car track and the newly opened outdoor basketball court.

Academically, students have thrived this term further proving that their success has no limits. Shadow teachers and SLO prefects are growing stronger by the day with their added knowledge, their leadership skills and sense of responsibility. They continue to build their character and are role models of the school.

This term has had many events and activities such as Sports Day, Spelling Bee, Pizza making, Movie Day and many more. The SABIS[®] Student Life Organization (SLO) allowed students to get involved in planning and preparing and to take on important responsibilities during events. Our SLO prefects are focused and dedicated and we are very grateful for their hard work. Our students proved victorious in Term 2 school sports tournaments, in particular our girls and boys football teams. We were delighted to hold our very first International Day on our greenfield. It was a remarkable and memorable event that showcased the different cultures and countries of our vast multicultural school community. I would like to thank all parents for their contributions to International Day, without your kindness and generosity, such a wonderful day would not have been possible. Our hearts are full and the spirit of our school community is stronger than ever. We are looking forward to the events and activities that Term 3 will bring.

As Term 2 has come to an end, I would like to acknowledge all of our students hard work this term, they are dedicated and focused and we are very proud of each and every one of them. Additionally, I would like to thank all parents for their ongoing support. I look forward to what our final term will bring and I know that our students are going to thrive.

Ms. Linda O'Brien - Deputy Director



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Welcoming Students

SIS-Aljada started the second term of the Academic Year 2022-2023 with a Winter Festival for the Infants Department. The students had “snow” much fun on the winter-themed campus!



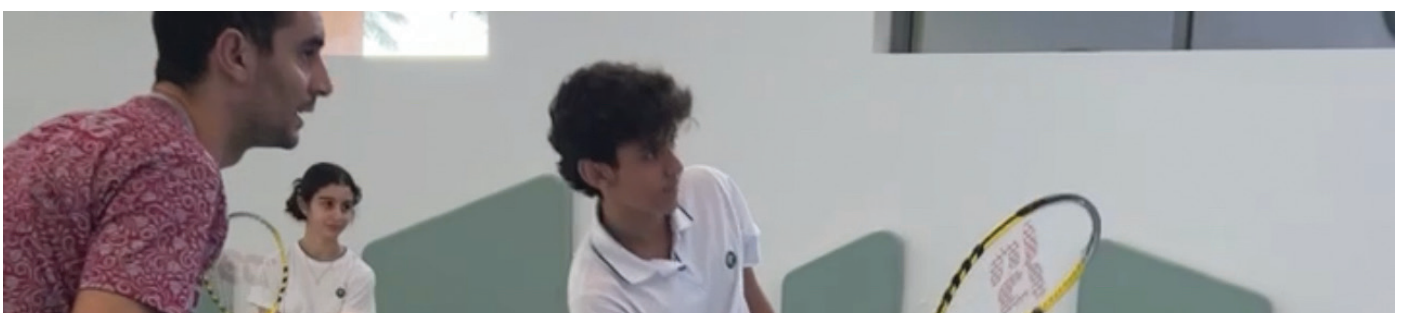
Pre-K Movie Day

“An act of true love will thaw a frozen heart.” Pre-K children were taught the importance of showing love and kindness to one another while watching the movie Frozen.



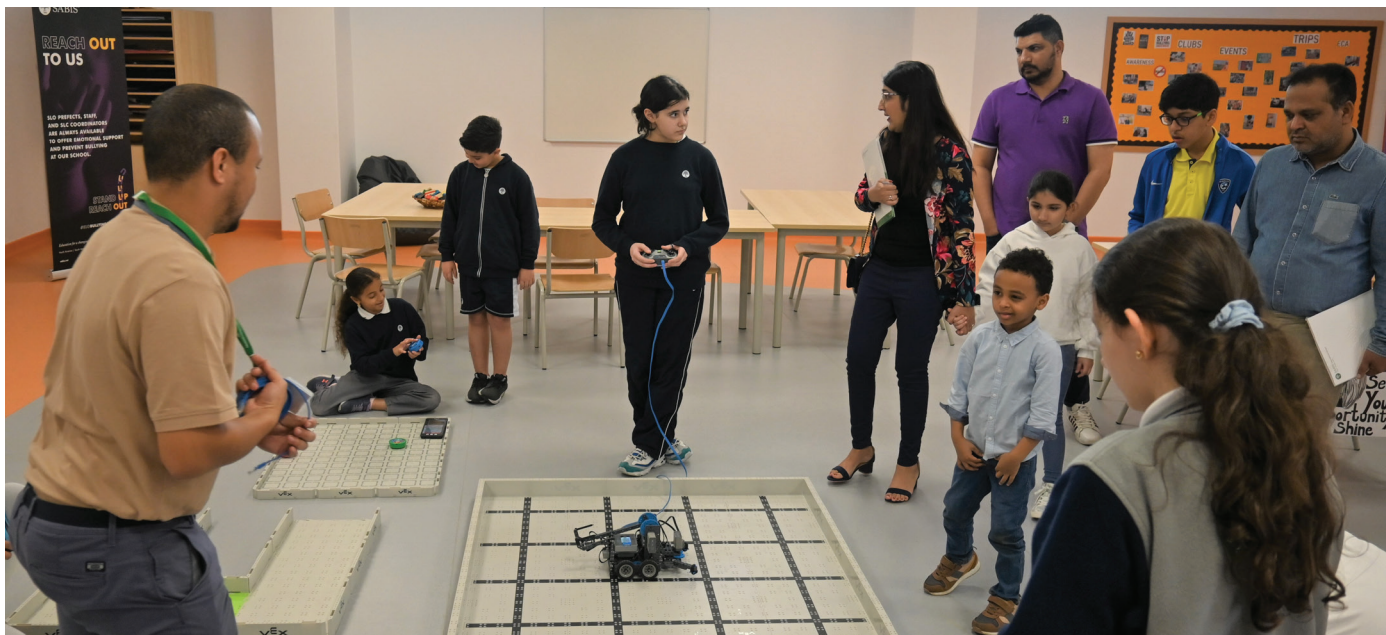
Launching ECAs

Extra-curricular activities started during the second week of the term. Students had the option to choose from a wide range of activities to enroll in. The activities included gymnastics, piano, art and crafts, taekwondo, mini tennis, tennis, and swimming. In Term 3, we will have violin as an additional activity.



Open Day

SIS-Aljada held its first Open Day on Saturday, February 11. Prospective parents and students had the chance to experience a “typical school day” by attending classes and using the many facilities on campus. Our SLO prefects helped the day run smoothly by assisting with tours and Shadow Teaching classes.



KG Department

KG Pizza Week:

The young students made their own pizzeria! During KG Pizza Week, our students put on their best chef hats and made delicious pizzas out of healthy ingredients brought from home! Lots of tasty pizzas were made with fun!



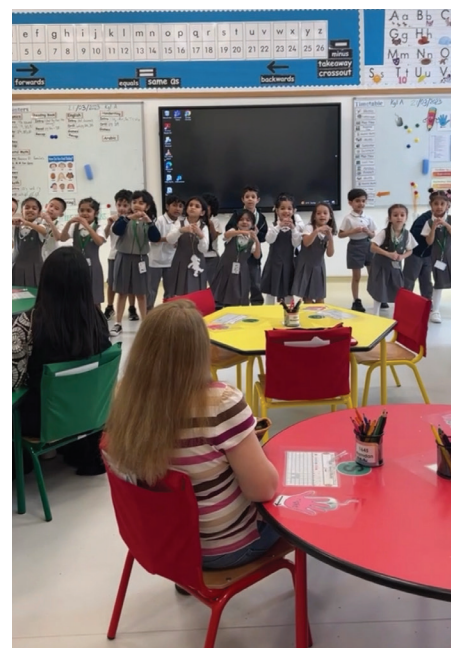
Spelling Bee Grade 1:

Well done to all of our Grade 1 students who took part in the Spelling Bee this term and a huge congratulations to Salama Alameemi on winning! All of our grade 1 students are un-bee-lievable spellers!



Mother's Day Pre-K - Grade 1:

Students cherished and thanked their moms on Mother's Day for their continuous care with a lovely song and adorable arts and crafts.





KG Driving Test:

Beep, beep! Our KG students enjoyed learning traffic rules on the outdoor car track and receiving their very own driving licenses.



KG Teddy Bear Picnic:

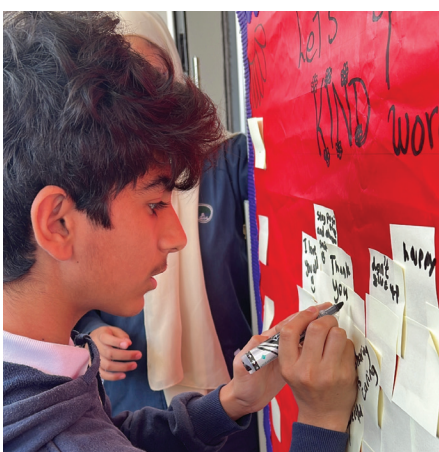
Our KG students enjoyed a Teddy Bear Picnic on the green field with their friends and teachers. It was the perfect opportunity for them to make friends and learn the importance of sharing toys.



SLO Stories

Kindness Week

The Activities Department of the Lower School organized Kindness Week in collaboration with the Wellness Department. The students spread kindness at the school and taught others the importance of being kind to one another.



Donations

Our generous and kind-hearted SLO prefects collected donations from students for the U.A.E. Red Crescent to help the people affected by the earthquake in Syria and Türkiye.



First International Day

SIS-Aljada hosted its first International Day on campus on Sunday, March 5, 2023. Seventeen different countries were represented by the parents, staff, and students on the green field. Parents and staff members spent a great day with their children exploring different cultures, enjoying uplifting performances, and other types of entertainment.





Pizza Day

Our oldest students in grades 6, 7, and 8 spent some quality time with their teachers on the greenfield where they played different activities and games. Before going home, the staff members and students enjoyed a delicious pizza.



Women's Day

Our SLO prefects celebrated our wonderful women staff members by gifting them a cute message, chocolate, and a hug.



The Arla Food Moovers Program

SIS-Aljada students are participating in the the Arla Food Moovers program, an initiative targeting Grade 6 students across the U.A.E. Designed by expert nutritionists, the program puts students in charge of their own eating habits through a 4-step process. First, they need to research their own lunchtime eating habits and those of their classmates.

Second, students think of ways to make their meals more nutritious and interesting. Third, they draft a realistic plan to implement these ideas and solutions. Lastly, the students evaluate the success and challenges of these solutions and share their results through a video project. All submitted videos go through a screening process and three finalist schools will be chosen to join an awards ceremony. The program runs until May 2023.



STEAM Clubs

This term, SIS-Aljada launched the Robotics Juniors Club for grades 3 and 4 and the Robotics Intermediate Club for Grade 5, alongside the ongoing Electronics and Robotics clubs for Grade 7 students. We look forward to Term 3, as our students will be participating in the STEAM Show and competitions!





Sports Day

On February 18, SIS-Aljada held its annual Sports Day for grades 2 to 5, organized by the Sports Department with the help of the prefects. Students and parents spent their day on the green field and played several activities such as tug-of-war, three-legged race, space hoppers, and much more.





Ongoing Registration

Registration is ongoing for Pre-KG to Grade 9 for the academic year 2023-2024. Interested parents can learn more and register their children by contacting the school administration.

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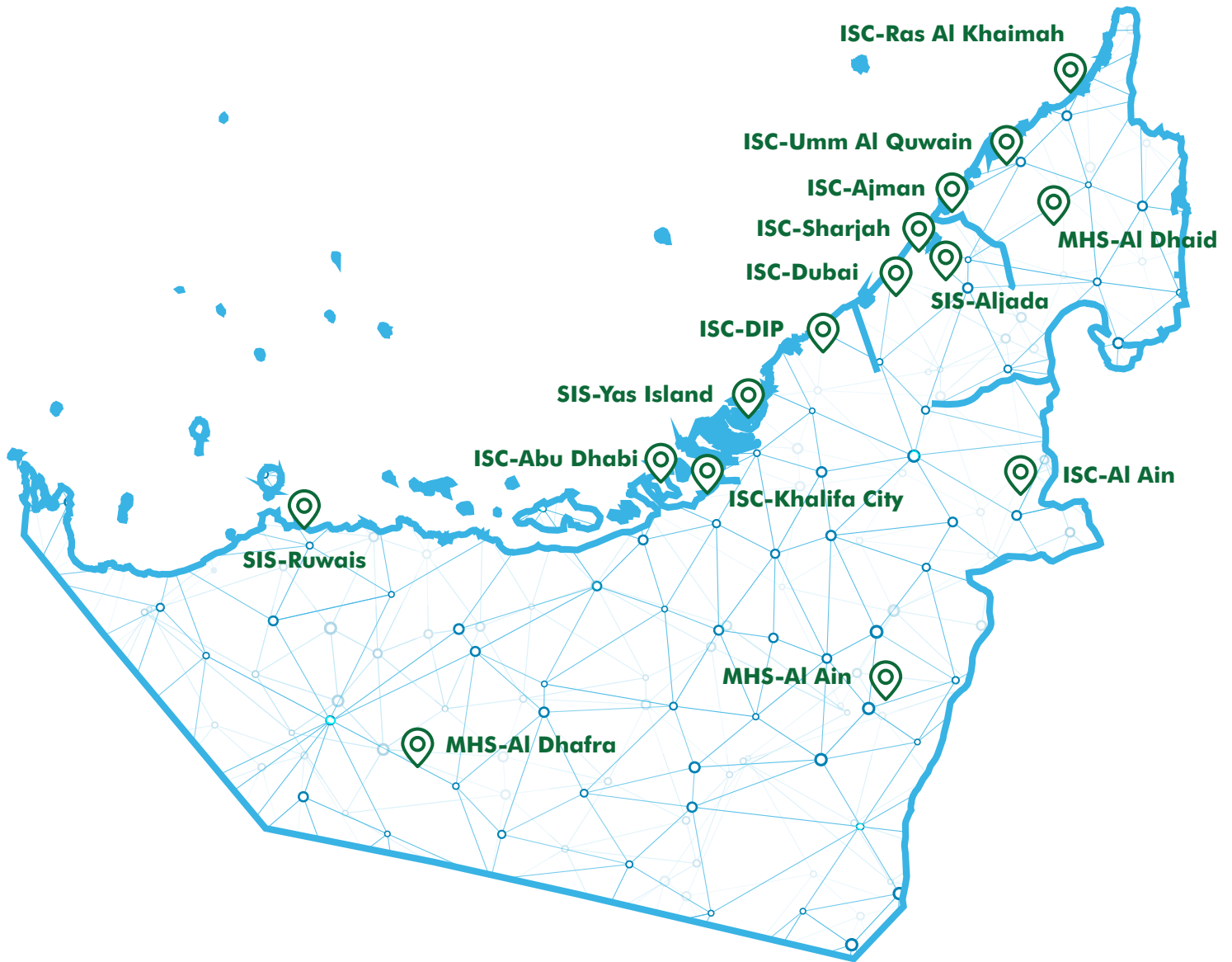
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