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British School Algiers Middle-Phase Newsletter

Welcome to this week's Middle-Phase newsletter, our first of Autumn Term 2. It was a pleasure to welcome our students back to school on Tuesday, looking refreshed after their mid-term break. We also welcomed four new students to the Middle-Phase and wish them all the best as they settle into their new school. Monday's parent-teacher meetings proved to be very helpful and productive. Thank you to all those who attended. Please see the *Dates For Your Diary* section at the end of this newsletter for all the key dates for this term.

Year 5

Year 5 started the week by exploring square numbers. The enthusiasm shown by Ms Badiaa's maths class suggests they are ready for the next steps. Building on this learning, upcoming lessons will focus on cube numbers and multiplying and dividing by 10, 100 and 1000.









Year 6

This week, the Year 6 students in the French beginners' class began a new topic, *Tout Sur Moi* (All About Me). Students started creating posters about themselves. As they plan and make their posters, they will learn and use useful new vocabulary.









Year 7

This week, Year 7 began studying *Coraline* by Neil Gaiman in English. In their first lesson, students identified adjectives and used more sophisticated choices to describe a house.



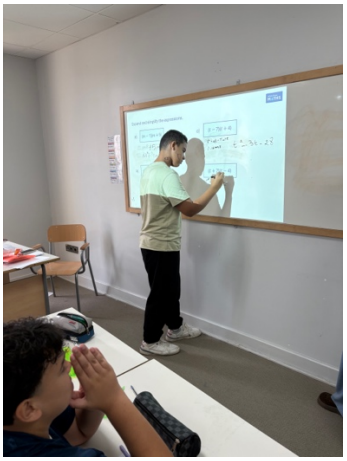






Year 8

This week, Miss Hanane's maths class continued working on algebraic expressions, focusing on expanding and simplifying them. It has been a pleasure to see students so attentive and eager to do well in these lessons.






Enrichment

Our enrichment clubs restarted this week. Taekwondo remains a popular choice. It's wonderful to see so many students taking part enthusiastically and enjoying the sport. This is a great activity for improving flexibility, balance and self-discipline.








Stars of the Week

Congratulations to the following students who are our Stars of the Week:

- **5A: Rayan Boumedjirek** – For consistently being punctual, respectful and attentive during lessons. He always completes his work with great care.
- **5B: Lara Ikikardes** – For showing kindness, politeness and a respectful attitude. She always gives her very best in everything she does.
- **6A: Khadija Badr** – For excellent discipline, always working hard and being keen to learn.
- **6B: Lina Zidane** – For working very hard and completing all her tasks in lessons.
- **7A: Mourad Omier** – For always being positive, trying his best during lessons and helping others.
- **7B: Emmanoela Moamba** – For demonstrating positive behaviour in all subjects and amazing progress in French.
- **8A: Mohamed Ticherafi** – For showing great commitment to his education and behaving responsibly.
- **8B: Younes Aouali** – For making a fantastic start in his new school. He has demonstrated positive behaviour and a willingness to learn.

Dates For Your Diary

- **Tuesday November 10:** World Science Day events
- **Thursday December 10 to Thursday December 17:** Assessment Week

- **Thursday December 17:** End of Autumn Term 2
- **Friday December 18 to Sunday January 03:** Winter Holiday
- **Monday January 04:** Start of Spring term, students return to school.