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The latest from KiS - March & April, 2025

Hello from KiS!

Dear Parents and Guardians,

We hope this newsletter finds you well! We are excited to share with you the highlights of our learners' activities and events that took place in March and April. From heartwarming celebrations to engaging academic achievements, our community has been bustling with energy and enthusiasm.

Thank you for being an integral part of our community. We look forward to a fantastic rest of the academic year!

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Important dates

We have many exciting events planned for the coming months. Stay tuned for more information about our upcoming activities and events.

Portfolio Night Activity

A new and unique portfolio night activity is scheduled for May 1, where preschool parents can visit the school in the evening to explore their children's portfolios and observe their progress and improvements throughout the year.

Field Trip to SuperPark Riyadh for Grades 2, 3, 5 and 6, 7 Girls

Our Grades 2, 3, 5, and 6, 7 (Girls) learners will be going on a fun-filled trip to SuperPark Riyadh in Hayat Mall on May 6, 7, 8, and 11, 2025! This will be a wonderful opportunity for the children to enjoy play, explore the park attractions, and share a meal with their classmates.

End of Year Celebration and Graduation for KGs, Lower Elementary, and Seniors

We are excited that our End-of-Year Celebration will take place at the Holiday Inn Izdihar. This special event marks the culmination of another wonderful academic year, and we look forward to celebrating our learners' achievements together.

- Tuesday, May 13th, 2025, for K to Grade 3
- Wednesday, May 28th, 2025 for Grade 12

What's been happening at KiS?

Mother's Day Event

We celebrated Mother's Day with great enthusiasm and love. Our learners enjoyed a heartwarming Mother's Day activity and showcased their creativity and appreciation for their mothers through songs, crafts, and personalized gifts in the classroom. This engaging event allowed the children to express their appreciation and gratitude for motherhood in a meaningful way, filling the air with joy and laughter.

Gergean Activities

Learners participated in Gergean activities on March 13th, 2025, dressing in their traditional cultural outfits, exchanging treats, singing, and dancing. This event helped our learners learn about and appreciate our cultural heritage.

World Art Day Celebrated on April 15

Some Grade 9 and 10 learners were enthusiastic about contributing to this occasion through drawing or singing. Sondos Hana and Fatima Al Dahan from Grade 10 shared their artwork, which will be posted on the school's social media.



Academic Matters



Progress Report Distribution

On Thursday, April 17, 2025, the second progress report of term 2 was distributed for K to Grade 12 learners.

NAFS National Assessments

Our Grades 3, 6, and 9 learners participated in NAFS national assessments, which aimed to evaluate their knowledge and skills in various subjects, monitored by Education and Training Evaluation Commission (ETEC). It was a positive experience for them in preparing for external exams, particularly in Grade 9. We take pride in our learners' hard work and dedication to their studies.

Exciting Trips

Learners at KiS enjoyed trips to various places. They spent time outside of school playing games, having meals, and sharing joyful moments together.

Grade 4 Trip to Mishkat

We organized an educational trip on April 29, 2025, for our Grade 4 learners to the Mishkat Interactive Center for Atomic and Renewable Energy by Kacaresaudi! This was a wonderful opportunity for the children to enjoy learning through interactive activities and explore the Center's attractions.

Grade 11 went to Esteraha

Grade 11 chose to spend their term 2 trip in a leisure area (Esteraha). They mingled together and enjoyed refreshing water games.

Grade 12 ventured to the desert

Seniors chose to spend their term 2 trip in the desert with Nabd tours. They enjoyed numerous activities such as sandboarding, shooting, riding motorcycles (dabbab, volley ball, water balloons, and archery. It was quite a thrilling experience!

Grade 8 enjoyed a trip to Prison Island.

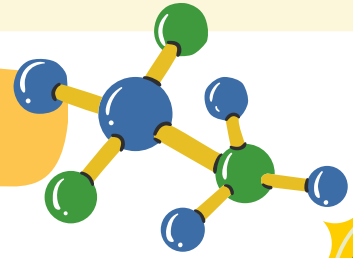


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Live from the Lab



Grade 7 Project-Based Learning Climate Change in Focus

As part of their Project-Based Learning initiative, Grade 7 learners explored how human activities have impacted Earth's systems, with a special emphasis on climate change. Investigating the rise in global temperatures over the past century, learners identified key human actions—such as deforestation, fossil fuel use, and industrial pollution—that have contributed to this environmental challenge.

Drawing upon their research and prior knowledge, each learner proposed practical, community-level solutions aimed at reducing the impact of one major human activity. From tree-planting campaigns to promoting clean energy and sustainable transport, the learners showcased thoughtful and creative strategies to help slow down climate change and protect our planet for future generations.

Well done, Grade 7, for combining science, critical thinking, and civic responsibility in such a meaningful way!

Grade 8 Explores the Wonders of Solar Eclipses

In their latest Project-Based Learning adventure, Grade 8 learners journeyed through the solar system to uncover the science behind solar eclipses. Starting with the basic definition and causes of eclipses, learners explored the fascinating mechanics of this celestial event and its effects on Earth. As part of the project, learners created surveys to gather data on public awareness, tracked the next solar eclipse expected in Saudi Arabia, and designed informative pamphlets to educate the community on how to stay safe during an eclipse.

Through research, data collection, and creative communication, learners combined astronomy and public outreach to not only understand eclipses but also help others prepare for them.

Great work, Grade 8, for turning science into action!

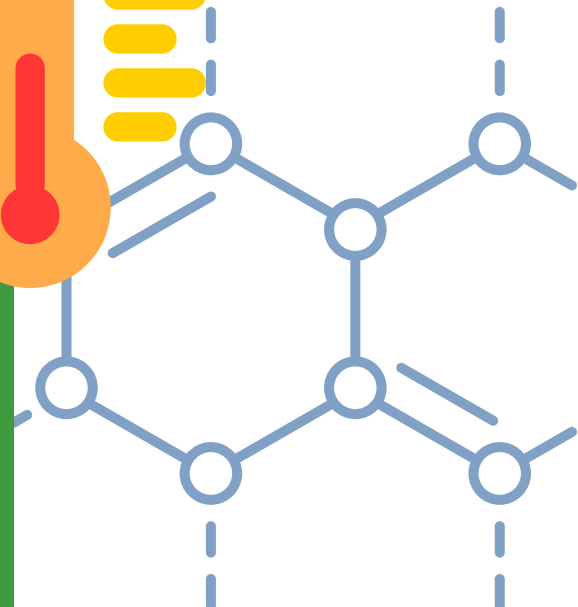
Grade 6 Investigates Heat and Temperature

Grade 6 learners embarked on a hands-on science journey to explore the difference between heat and temperature and how heat is transferred in our daily lives. Through research and experimentation, they discovered the three main methods of heat transfer: conduction, convection, and radiation.

Each learner selected one method to investigate further—designing and conducting their own experiments to demonstrate how heat moves through solids, liquids, gases, or even space. From heating metal rods to observing water circulation, their experiments brought science to life!

Learners wrapped up their projects by creating informative reports or presentations, highlighting real-world applications and sharing their findings with classmates.

Fantastic job, Grade 6, for turning up the heat on learning!



Learners' Achievements

Science and Art Fair - April 30, 2025

- Our Science and Art Fair took place on April 30, 2025, and was a huge success! Our learners in elementary showcased their creativity and innovation through various science projects and art pieces. This event encouraged our learners to think critically, explore new ideas, and express themselves creatively.

Classroom competition - Grades 4 to 7 - Girls

- The winning classes for Term 2 in the classroom competition were announced on April 9. They received a reward of their choice as encouragement for their teamwork.



How well can you spell?

Spelling Bee/Idiom Competition

We conducted a vibrant Spelling Bee competition for Grades 4 to 8, where learners demonstrated remarkable linguistic skills.

Meanwhile, Grades 9 and 10 learners explored the world of idioms in an engaging Competition, showing their creativity and understanding of figurative language.

Congratulations to all the winners for their outstanding performances, and sincere applause to all participants for their enthusiasm and dedication.

For Grades 4 and 5 Boys

- The winner was Karam Hamdan (Gr. 4 Kiwis)
- The second place was Youssef al-Abed (Gr. 4 Peaches)
- The 3rd place went to Rammah Al-Amawi (Gr. 5 Kiwis)

For Grades 4 and 5 Girls

- The winner was Thalia Demashkiyya (Gr. 5 Melons)
- The second place was Marissa Al Samara (Gr. 4 Pears)
- The 3rd place went to Rammah Al-Amawi (Gr. 5 Kiwis)

For Grades 6 to 8 Girls

- The winner was Kadi Al-Abed (Gr. 5 Melons)
- The second place was Yasmin Hatamleh (Gr. 6 Pears)
- The 3rd place went to Raneem Jammal (Gr. 4 Melons)

For Grade 9 Girls

- The winner was Tala Hamdan (Gr. 9 Peaches)
- The second place was Talia Issam (Gr. 9 Pears)
- The 3rd place went to Zeina Al Awadi (Gr. 10 Melons)

We are very proud of our learners!
Keep up the great work!

Updates from the Boys' school

Spelling Bee Competition

12 learners from Grades 6, 7 and 8 in the boys' school competed in the Spelling Bee Competition. They were really excited. The final stage was very challenging.

- The winner was Ahmad Hasan Saleh (Gr. 8 Melons)
- The second place was Ali Rabie Al-Refai for (Gr. 7 Pears)
- The 3rd place went to Muhammad Asif Yousaf (Gr. 6 Peaches)

Idioms Competition

10 learners from Grades 9, 10 and 11 competed in the Idioms Competition. They prepared themselves very well, leading up to a very competitive final stage.

- The winner was Fares Nemer (Gr. 9 Melons)
- The second place was for Ahmad Salameh (Gr. 9 Apples)
- The 3rd place went to Basil Ghazi (Gr.11 Melons)



أقامت مدارس خالد العالمية الحفل السنوي لمسابقة القرآن الكريم

(جائزة الأمير بندر بن فهد آل سعود والأميرة حصة بنت عبد العزيز بن جلوي)
وشهدت المسابقة مشاركة واسعة من الطلاب والطالبات الذين تنافسوا في حفظ القرآن الكريم وتجويده وتطبيق أحكامه. وقد أقيم الحفل الختامي في قسمة البنين والبنات، حيث تم توزيع الهدايا والشهادات التقديرية على جميع المشاركين. كما تم الإعلان عن الفائزين الأوائل في كل مستوى، وسط أجواء من الفرح والاعتزاز.

Empowering Learners

College Guidance & University Fairs

Prince Sultan University PSU Science Day, on April 23

Entitled 'Sustainable Future', KiS was invited to contribute to PSU Science Day. A group of Grade 11 female learners attended the event to support those presenting their projects.

Communicating with the school & Leadership team

Teachers Office Hours:

Parents and guardians are welcome to meet with their child's teachers during office hours. Additionally, you can visit the school to meet with the Leaders, Academic Director, Head of Section, or Coordinators.

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