

Al-Faisal College

Newsletter 5

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Upcoming Events

- 17 August - ICAS Maths Competition
- 18 August - National Science Week weather recording
- 24 August - Yr 10 PDHPE excursion to Youth and Road Trauma Forum
- 30 August - Yr 10 History Skills Test
- 4 September - 7-12 High School entrance Exam
- 6-8 September - Kindergarten Entrance Exams
- 14 September - Yr 7 Vaccinations

Term 4 Fees

Invoices have been sent to parents for the Term 4 Tuition fees. Please ensure that fees are paid as soon as possible. Payments are to be made a term in advance. If payment is not received by Monday 23rd August 2010, your child's enrolment for term 4 at Al-Faisal College, may be jeopardised.

Class	Tuition fees per
K	\$290
1-2	\$310
3-4	\$330
5-6	\$350
7	\$410
8	\$420
9	\$430
10	\$440
11	\$470
12	\$470

Ramadan

During the Holy month of Ramadan school times will remain as per normal:

K-6:	8.45-3.15pm
7-12:	8.45-3.30pm

Students and parents accessing the school may do so from the Harrow Road side stairs to the playground. Parents paying fees may do so from the Harrow Road building entrance.

Year 12 Trial HSC Examinations

The Year 12 Trial HSC examinations are currently

being held. Year 12 students must attend examinations at least 10 minutes prior to the start of each exam wearing full school uniform. Students are not required to attend school during 'study' days. Students will also be permitted to leave school after completing daily exams.

Year 11 Semester 2 Examinations

Year 11 semester 2 examinations will commence on Monday 13 September and conclude on Monday 20 September. Year 11 students must attend examinations at least 10 minutes prior to the start of each exam wearing full school uniform. Students are not required to attend school during 'study' days. Students will also be permitted to leave school after completing daily exams.

Semester 1 Parent-Teacher Evenings

This term commenced with the issuing of semester 1 reports to primary and secondary students during parent-teacher evenings. Both primary and secondary parent-teacher evenings were very well attended. I would like to thank all parents who took time to attend and meet with teaching staff.

There are some semester 1 student reports, yet to be collected by parents. All remaining semester 1 reports may be collected by parents from the College Office.

The Australasian Schools Mathematics Competition - Years 3 to 12

The Australasian Schools Mathematics Competition will be held on **Tuesday 17 August**. Only students who have paid and current scholarship holders will be participating in this competition.



Yours Sincerely

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Student Enrolments for 2011

Entrance interviews/examinations for prospective Kindergarten students will be held on the following days:

- Monday 06 September 2010
- Tuesday 07 September 2010
- Wednesday 08 September 2010



Entrance examinations for prospective secondary students will be held on Saturday 04 September 2010 at Al-Faisal College. Examinations commence at 10.30am and conclude at 12.00am.

To register for the Entrance examinations please contact the school office. Only registered students will be permitted to undertake these examinations.

Islamic Studies

The study of Islamic Studies at Al-Faisal College is compulsory for all K-12 students. This subject forms the very basis of the existence of our school.

Like all other subjects Islamic Studies incorporates class teaching, homework, assessment tasks and examinations.

Students found not to be taking this subject seriously and satisfactorily completing all associated coursework and tasks may have their enrolment terminated.

Islamic Studies encompasses the religious foundations of Al-Faisal College.



Ramadan Mubarak!

Al-Faisal College would like to wish all parents, staff and the community a Ramadan Mubarak. Students and staff have received a gift from the school—A Ramadan Showbag, that contains:

- A CD with Juzu' Aama,
- A box of cereal,
- Al-Faisal College Ramadan Calendar,
- A Daily Checklist and much more

We hope this gift is of great benefit for the students during this Holy Month of Ramadan.



Write 4 Fun Art Competition Finalist Winner

Congratulations to Hanen Mosowi of 7B for her success in the Art Competition by 'Write 4 Fun!'. The competition was held Australia wide and over 5000 entries were received. Hanen received a cheque for \$25.00 and a Derwent Pencil set. Her name will also be published in the "State of the Art" Publication to be released in December.

She has made a great achievement by being a finalist in this competition. Well Done Hanen!

Student Pick up times

Primary students must be picked up at 3.15 p.m. daily. Parents who arrive after 3.30 p.m. must sign the book with the teacher, stating the reason for being late and time the student was picked up.

