



PRINCIPAL'S NEWSLETTER

SUMMER HOLIDAY SPECIAL EDITION



STAR INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL, MIRDIF

31st July 2018

Dear Parents,

Just thought I'd write a quick letter to keep you all in the loop as to what is happening in and around school whilst the holidays are taking place.

School is very busy with the construction of many additional areas:

1. The arrival of EYFS1 has brought about changes to our EYFS classrooms and also to the outside area between Primary and Foundation. This will now become the outside learning area for our small EYFS1 pupils. It has been levelled and the resources are all being prepared, such that it will be a very exciting addition when you arrive back in September.



2. The front area of EYFS is also undergoing changes. The right side of the building as you enter from the car park will now be a child zone. It will become the physical area of EYFS with a large track for the bikes and scooters and also many small game areas. All areas are undergoing the addition of canopies, hence it will all look mighty different when you return.



3. The auditorium is undergoing major works. This is VERY exciting as it will become a huge '**PERFORMING ARTS FACILITY**' for both the school and the community. Many different negotiations are underway with companies such that we can really get the best for school and Mirdif community. It is an extremely exciting project...a community theatre and performing arts facility in STAR!!!



4. The Sports hall is having some refurbishment, with large storage areas being added. This will mean that all the large equipment will now be stored away and not have to be left in the sports hall area whilst children are playing or PE lessons are taking place
5. The construction of a lift as recommended by DSIB is underway; this brings Star International Mirdif in line with all new Inclusion policies regulations from ministry.

In addition to the above, could I please remind you all to look at the **ORIENTATION DAY** letter. It is a different format this year, with different Key stages arriving at different times. Please read it carefully ensuring that you arrive at the correct time and place.

For now, I hope you continue to enjoy your holidays. I will see you all very soon. In the meantime keep safe on your travels.

Kindest Regards,

Ms Gill