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مركز تنمية الابداع في العراق



Mohammad Mansour
The Arab Championship
for Mental Math and Memory
Baghdad, Iraq

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VISION

The vision of the Baccalaureate Schools is to prepare independent, lifelong learners with an international mindset to become productive, creative and innovative citizens who have global values while creating a sense of pride in the Palestinian cultural heritage.

MISSION

The mission Statement of the Baccalaureate Schools To provide students with a safe environment which is conducive to learning that will ensure that students are equipped with 21st century skills that are essential for success and leadership in the emerging creative economy and future technological innovations. Through curricular and extracurricular activities, we will enable our students to become well-rounded citizens.

Why BAS?

Student Character Development

Shaping Future Leaders and Change makers:

At Baccalaureate, we are committed to developing well-rounded individuals who are prepared to:

- **Face challenges with resilience and determination.**
- **Lead with purpose and integrity.**
- **Make a positive impact on their communities and the world.**

We offer a diverse range of activities and extracurricular programs to help students discover their passions and cultivate essential life skills.




Why BAS?

Student Affairs and Counselor

Supporting Students Every Step of the Way:

Baccalaureate School provide comprehensive student support services dedicated to fostering academic success and personal growth.

- **Student Affairs:** Guiding students on their academic journey, providing resources and support for a successful school experience.
- **Counseling Services:** Offering personalized counseling and mentorship to help students navigate challenges and achieve their full potential.



Student Council

Empowerment Initiatives

Empowerment Initiatives:

Empowering Students, Inspiring Leaders,
Shaping Future!

Our goal is to empower students, which is why we have provided several resources designed to nurture and develop their unique qualities:

Transportation:

School buses are a vital part of our institution. With our own fleet, we offer reliable transportation to and from school, as well as for various field trips.

Baccalaureate Wristbands

To teach students responsibility,

we have introduced the Baccalaureate wristband. This wristband encourages wise money management, as it is used to purchase lunch from the cafeteria.

Student Council

A group of students has been selected to lead the student body and uphold Baccalaureate values. Their responsibilities include:

- Promoting school spirit and positivity.
- Organizing events and activities.
- Supporting peers and serving as role models.
- Representing students in meetings.
- Leading community service projects.

The Arab Championship for Mental Math and Memory

Baghdad, Iraq



We are proud of our champion, **Mohammad As'ad Nizam Mansour**, the sole representative of Palestine from Al-Baccalaureate Schools. He achieved an outstanding accomplishment by securing third place in the 11-12 age category (Group D) at the 2025 Arab Mental Math Competition, held at the University of Baghdad, Iraq. The competition witnessed strong participation from a group of distinguished students representing various Arab countries.

We also extend our gratitude to his coach, **Mr. Mohammad Mansour**, a dedicated teacher at Al-Baccalaureate Schools.





KG Pancake Day



Pancake Day in KG was such a fun and creative activity. The purpose was to engage the kids in a hands-on experiences that would help them learn about the importance of sharing food with others. They got to explore their artistic ideas by using various

toppings like fruits, chocolate, maple syrup, and sprinkles to decorate their pancakes. This not only encouraged team work but also sparked their imagination. The excitement in the room as they displayed their decorated pancakes made it a joyful and memorable day for everyone.



Baccalaureate Kindergarten

PreK / KG1/ KG2





KG1 Seasons Presentation

The students learned a lot from the four seasons presentation. They discovered how each season brings unique changes in weather, plants, and animals. The interactive elements, like crafts and songs, made it enjoyable, and the kids loved sharing their favorite parts with each other. It was a fantastic way for them to appreciate the beauty of nature throughout the year.



Winter Animal Day



Winter Animal Day was a super fun indoor event for the kindergarten students. They got to learn all about animals and where they live. The children explored how these animals use their senses, like seeing and hearing, to find food and stay safe in the cold. There

were many exciting activities, like making animal crafts and playing games that helped students understand how animals adapt to winter. Everyone had a great time exploring and discovering new things about their furry, feathered, and scaly friends.



A young girl with long brown hair is dressed as a fairy. She wears a white long-sleeved top with a ruffled waist and a full white tutu skirt. On her head is a white headband with two large, light-colored butterfly wings. She holds a thin wand with blue and silver ribbons. She stands in a room with a large, dark tree trunk behind her. The floor is covered with a thick layer of white foam or cotton balls. To the right, there is an orange shelf with a green T-Rex plush toy and other items. A white snowman plush toy is visible on the left.



English Department

G5 - G10

The Baccalaureate Library

The Baccalaureate Library has been a labor of love, with books being added diligently over the past year. It serves as a sanctuary, a place where students can explore the wonders of the world without ever leaving their seats.



Its shelves are filled with endless knowledge, offering students the opportunity to delve into diverse topics and expand their horizons. Whether seeking information for research or simply embarking on a journey of curiosity, the library provides a quiet haven for both learning and reflection. With each new addition, it grows not only in size.

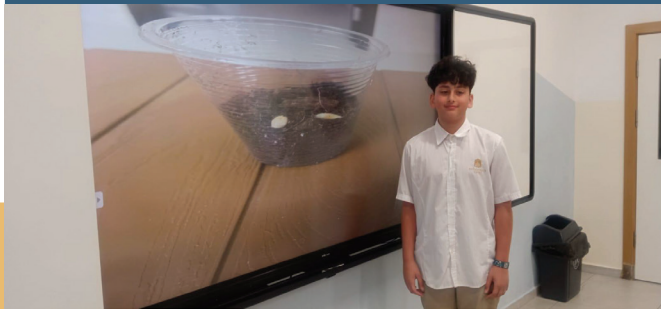
In February, the school hosted a book drive where students were invited to bring in their favorite books to add to the

library. It was a fun event that encouraged students to share their personal favorites and recommend books to each other. Each addition made the library feel more diverse and welcoming for everyone.

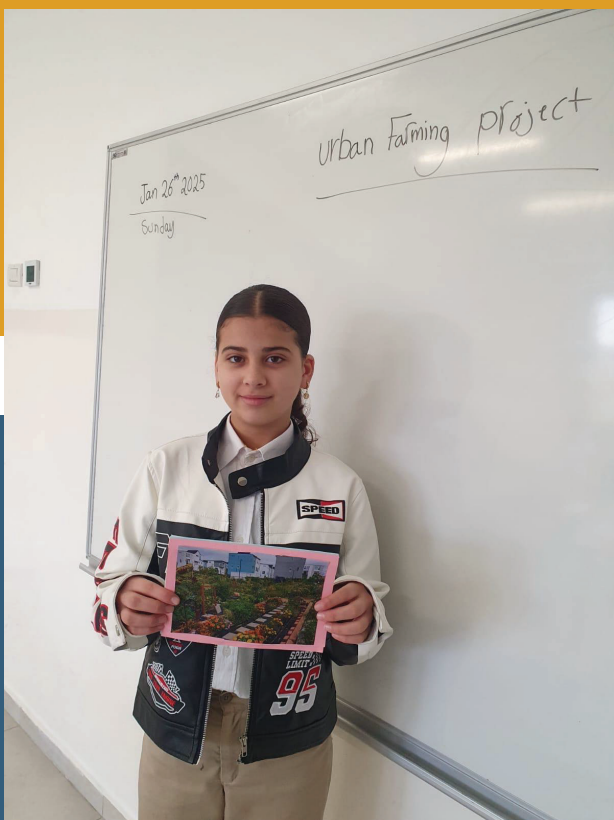
Overall, the book launch brought the school community together, enhancing the library's collection and creating a space that reflects the interests and voices of all students. It was a reminder of the power of books to connect, inspire, and expand our world.



7th Grade's Urban Farming Projects

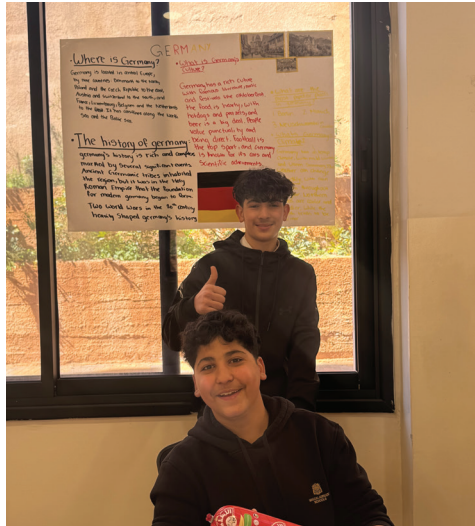


7th grade English students created their own Urban Farming Photo Gallery, capturing their learning journey and showcasing their creativity and understanding of sustainability through their pictures. They shared their album with others, inspiring their peers to think more deeply about the environment and sustainable practices. The gallery not only highlighted the students' talents but also sparked meaningful conversations about the importance of sustainability in today's world. It was a powerful reminder



of how education can extend beyond the classroom and inspire real-world change.

9th Grade's Culture Day



On Culture Day, the 9th-grade students celebrated the diversity and richness of global traditions through an exciting array of activities. Each student had the opportunity to share a piece of their heritage, whether through traditional clothing, music, food, or storytelling.

The event was filled with vibrant displays, performances, and presentations, fostering a deeper appreciation for the cultures that make up our community. It was a day of learning, connection, and celebration, as students came together to honor the unique traditions that shape their identities.



Elementary Department

1-4 Pancake Day

Pancake Day was such a fun and exciting experience for our little chefs! The children had a fantastic time mixing, flipping, and creating their own delicious pancakes. It was wonderful to see their enthusiasm and creativity, especially when adding their

favorite toppings!

Thank you for your support in providing the necessary materials—your children truly made this activity special. We can't wait for more hands-on learning experiences like this!



Snack Showdown: **3rd Graders Debate Cheetos vs. Takis**

Our third-grade students put their persuasive skills to the test in a fun and fiery debate. Arguing between the cheesy crunch of Cheetos and the bold spice of Takis, they learned to argue persuasively and express themselves effectively.



Race Car Math: **Third Graders Speed to Multiplication Success**

Third graders transformed the schoolyard into a math raceway. They applied multiplication concepts by measuring distances with mini race cars, creating personalized equations and experiencing the thrill of practical problem-solving.



Spelling Bee

Round 2

Round 2 Was a Blast!

Our spellers rocked Round 2 with confidence and skill! Huge shout-out to all participants—you were amazing!

Good luck to our finalists heading to Round 3—get ready to spell your way to the top!



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Elementary School Spelling Bee

Round Two

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Sport day

G5 - G10



On February 18th , Baccalaureate Schools celebrated an unforgettable Fun Sports Day, beautifully organized by the ELO team to support the blind community in Ramallah. Students from grades 5 to 10 faced off against their parents in thrilling competitions, creating joyful memories filled with laughter, excitement, and friendly rivalry. It was a day of unity, fun, and giving back. To make the event even more

meaningful, the students along with their parents sold food, generously donating half the prepared items and all proceeds to the blind community center. and half of it was generously donated, along with all the proceeds, to the blind community center. We are grateful for the community's support, which will enable us to deliver the donations to the center soon.

Sports Day 2025 Parents & Students!

**Get Ready to Compete,
Bond, and Give Back!**

Compete: 


Take on fun challenges and unleash your winning spirit!



Bond:

Team up, create memories, and enjoy the moment!

Give Back:

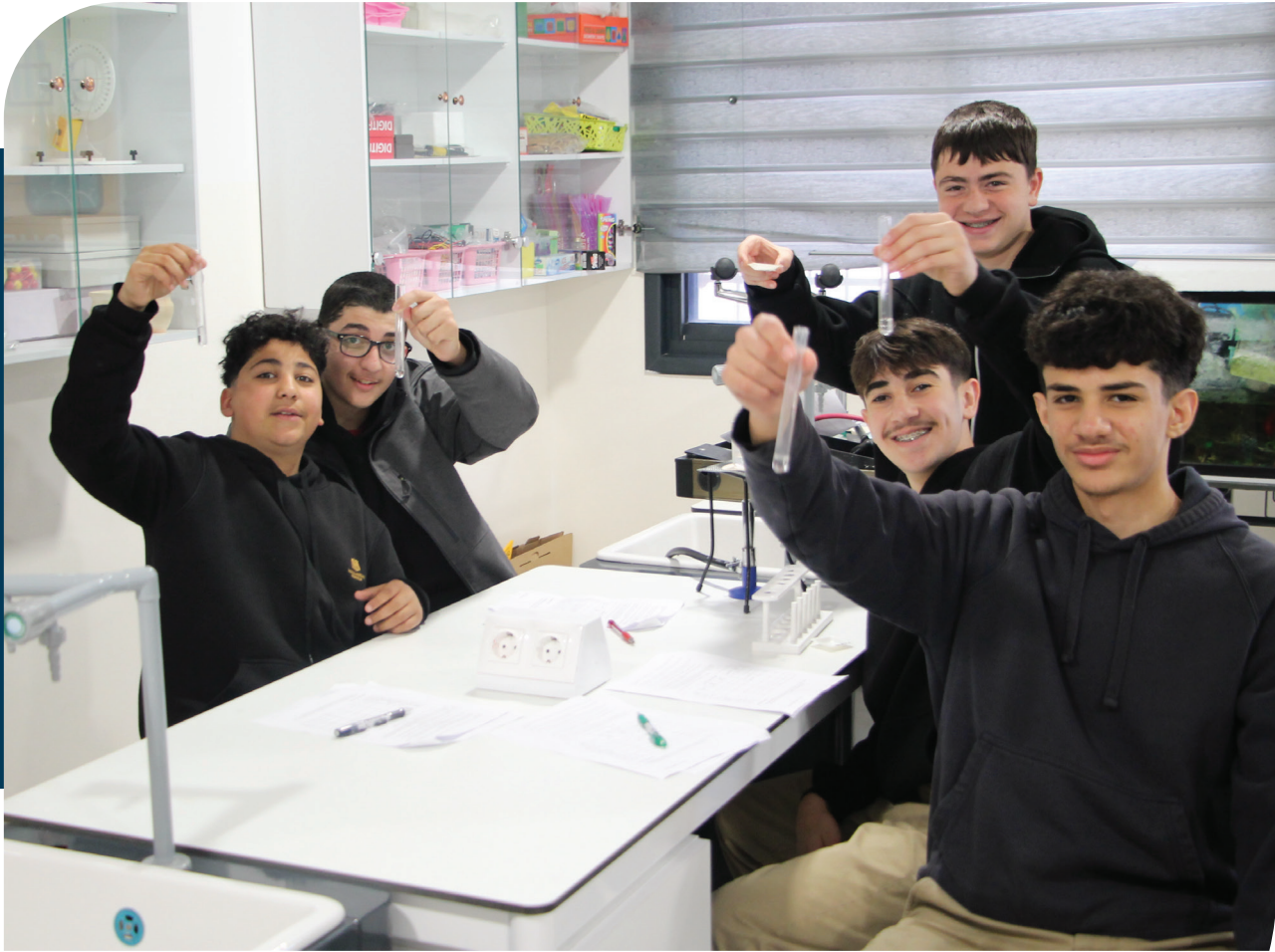
Enjoy healthy snacks—proceeds support charity & our Olympics teams (ELO)! 

Grades 5-10
February 18th, 2025
11:40 am



All proceeds will be donated to the
Blind Girls community.

Math & science Department

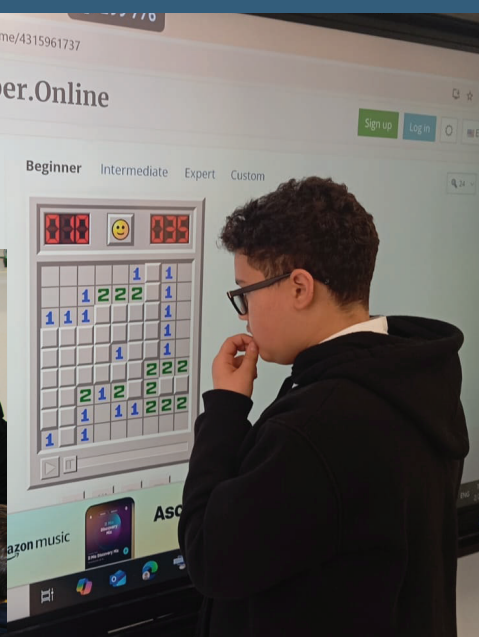
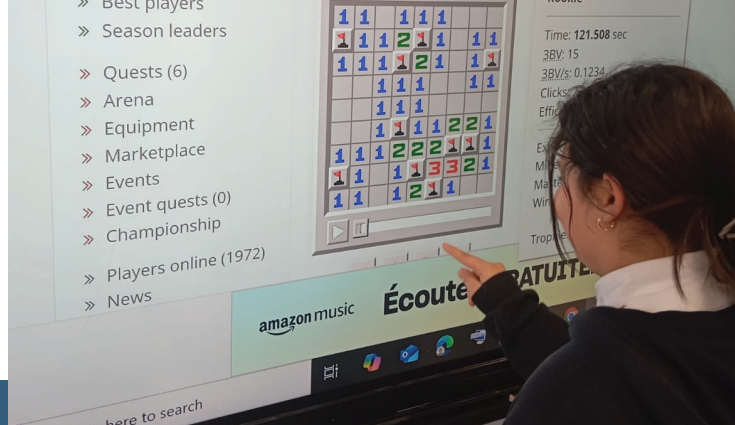


Bringing Science to Life: The Power of Hands-On Learningm

Hands-on learning in middle and high school enhances students' understanding of science beyond textbooks. Lab experiments and activities provide opportunities to apply theoretical knowledge in real-world scenarios, making learning more engaging. In biology, organ dissections, such as the heart, kidneys, and lungs, helped 7th-grade students grasp anatomy more effectively. Using microscopes to study cells and microbes also fostered curiosity and

analytical skills.

In chemistry, experiments allow students to observe chemical reactions and understand concepts like bonding, pH levels, acids, and bases. Blood typing activities introduced them to genetics and blood transfusions. Through these experiences, students develop critical thinking, problem-solving, and teamwork skills, preparing them for academic and social success.



Engaging Young Minds: The Impact of Interactive Math Activities

Mathematics is often seen as challenging, but interactive activities can transform students' perception and improve their performance. Math games, real-world problem-solving, and group challenges enhance critical thinking and reinforce key concepts, making learning more engaging.

One major benefit of interactive learning is increased confidence. A supportive environment encourages students to take risks and persist in problem-solving, while group

activities improve communication and teamwork skills.

Tools like manipulatives and digital apps simplify abstract concepts, while real-life activities, such as measuring objects or budgeting, highlight math's relevance in daily life.

By making math interactive, students shift from seeing it as complex equations to viewing it as an exciting puzzle, fostering confident and capable problem-solvers.

School Facility Department :

Electives & Extracurricular Activities

Discover Your Passion:

Baccalaureate School offers a diverse range of electives and extracurricular activities, providing students with opportunities to explore their interests and develop their talents.

- Electives Offered:
- Dabke "À Art
- Music "À Physical Education (PE)
- Drama "À Swimming

Drama

Drama Lessons: **Role-Playing Games to Boost Self-Confidence & Emotional Intelligence**

During our drama lessons, students recently engaged in an exciting activity focused on role-playing games using props. This activity was designed to enhance students' self-confidence and emotional intelligence.

In these lessons, students took on various roles and scenarios, bringing them to life with the help of props. This experience provided them with a creative and supportive environment where they could express themselves freely, build communication skills, and increase their emotional awareness.

Through role-playing, students learned to manage their emotions and better understand the perspectives of others. The activity also encouraged teamwork and problem-solving as students worked together to create and perform different scenarios.



Football Tournament Day at Our School: Excitement, Challenge, and Amazing Sports Atmosphere

The Football Tournament Day at our school was a truly exciting and thrilling event, with students from grades 5 to 10 participating. The day was filled with energetic and competitive vibes, creating a

spirit of teamwork and challenge among the students. It was a remarkable moment in the history of our school's sports activities.

The tournament lasted for three weeks, with teams from different grades competing fiercely for the medal. The 5th grade team emerged as the champion this year after a series of intense and competitive matches. The players stood out with their high team spirit and collaboration, which ultimately led them to victory.

Amr Al-Bazzar from the 5th grade was awarded the "Best Player" medal, thanks to his

exceptional skills and outstanding performance throughout the matches. Meanwhile, Anas Khalil from the 5th grade earned the "Best Goalkeeper" medal after making incredible saves that helped his team maintain a clean sheet.

The atmosphere of the day was full of joy and sportsmanship, making this event a memorable one for all involved. We hope to continue organizing such sports events that contribute to developing students' skills and strengthening their social connections.





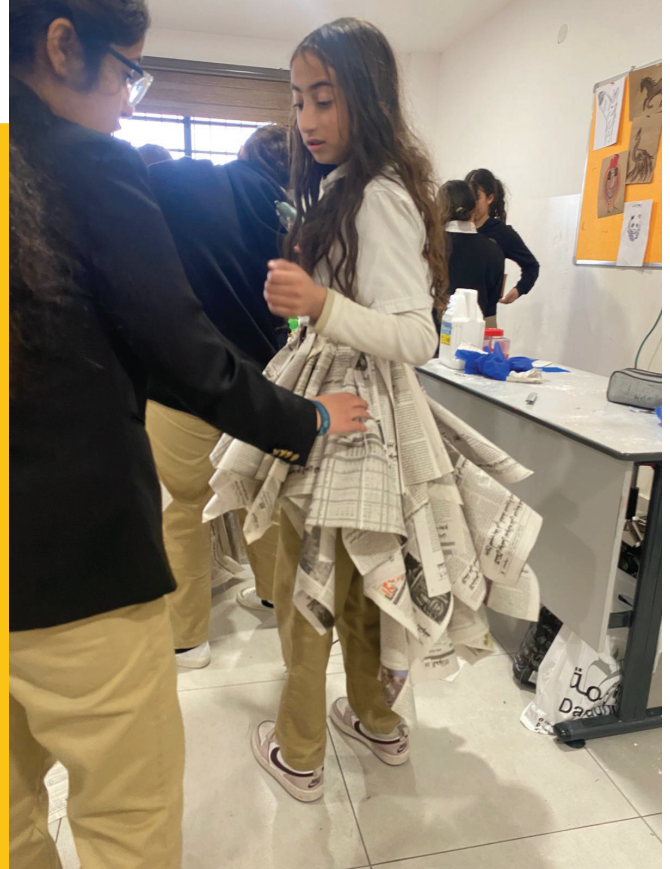
Pre-K Students Create Bee Models with Salt and Rice Decorations

The Pre-K students recently completed a fun and creative project where they designed models of bees. The young artists worked hard to craft their bee shapes and then added intricate decorations using salt and rice, creating colorful and textured designs. This hands-on activity not only allowed the students to explore their creativity but also helped them develop fine motor skills and a better

understanding of textures. It was a wonderful learning experience that encouraged teamwork and imaginative thinking.

The students' bee models turned out to be both charming and impressive, exhibiting their artistic talents and attention to detail. This project was a great example of how hands-on learning can be both educational and enjoyable.





7th and 6th Grade Students Design Fashion from Newspapers

Students from the 6th and 7th grades recently took part in a unique activity where they designed fashion outfits using newspapers. The students brought newspapers, cut them into different shapes, and carefully crafted stylish outfits that were then worn by models in the class.

The project allowed the students to explore their creativity and fashion design skills. The outfits showcased the students' ability to transform ordinary newspapers into fashionable pieces of clothing, combining both art and practicality.

This activity encouraged teamwork, innovation, and resourcefulness, and the results were truly impressive. It was a fantastic way for students to express their creativity while also learning about sustainability and the importance of recycling.



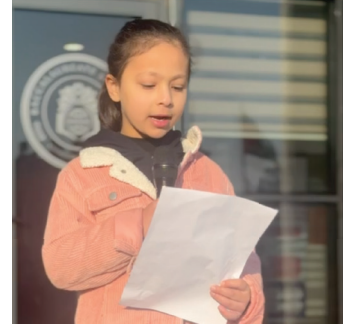
مستويات اللغة العربية لغير الناطقين بها

تحدي تعلم اللغة
العربية لغير الناطقين
فيها أصبح
ممكناً بل ومشوقاً

حقق طلاب قسم اللغة العربية غير الناطقين بها تقدماً ملحوظاً في اكتساب المهارات اللغوية العربية على مدار المراحل الدراسية المختلفة. حيث تم ملاحظة تحسن كبير في مستوى بعض الطلاب، وقد بُين ذلك من خلال نتائجهم المتميزة في الامتحانات، مما أدى إلى رفع مستواهم إلى مستويات أعلى. هذا التحسن الملحوظ يعكس قدرة الطلاب المتزايدة على استخدام اللغة العربية بفعالية وكفاءة في مجالات القراءة، والكتابة، والاستماع. يُظهر هذا التقدم أيضاً التفاعل الإيجابي للطلاب مع الأساليب التعليمية المبتكرة التي يعتمدونها المعلمون، مثل استخدام التقنيات الحديثة والأنشطة التفاعلية، التي تساهم في تعزيز الفهم العميق للغة العربية وتطوير مهاراتها بشكل شامل. كما أن هذه النتائج تسلط الضوء على الجهود المستمرة التي يبذلها المعلمون في متابعة تقدم الطلاب وتوفير الدعم المستمر لهم لتحقيق التفوق اللغوي

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اللغة العربية



احتفال بمناسبة

الاسراء والمعراج

احتفل قسم التربية الإسلامية في مدارس البكالوريا بذكرى الإسراء والمعراج من خلال تنظيم مجموعة من الفعاليات المميزة. شملت الفعاليات إذاعة صباحية تناولت معاني الحدث العظيم، بالإضافة إلى عرض فيديوهات تعليمية تسلط الضوء على تفاصيل حادثة الإسراء والمعراج وأثرها في تاريخ الإسلام. وتوزيع التمور والعدايا من قبل الطلاب، كما تم تكريم الطلاب بالمشاركة في المناقشات والمشاريع التثقيفية التي تعزز الفهم العميق لهذا الحدث التاريخي الهام في حياة النبي محمد صلى الله عليه وسلم.

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2024 - 2025

Round 2

مسابقة التهجئة العربية المرحلة الثانية

كما قام بعض الطلاب بالتحضير بشكل متميز للمرحلة النهائية للمسابقة، مما يعكس الجهد المبذول والطموح لتحقيق التفوق في مهارات التهجئة. هذه التجربة كانت فرصة لتعزيز روح المنافسة الشريفة وتنمية مهارات الطلاب في اللغة العربية بطريقة ممتعة وملهمة.

خاض طلاب كي جي 2 وطلاب المرحلة الأساسية 1-4 تجربة مثيرة في مسابقة التهجئة العربية للمرحلة الثانية، حيث أظهروا تفاعلاً رائعاً ومشاركة فعالة في التدريب. وقد تجسد هذا التفاعل في حرص الطلاب وذويهم على التحضير الجاد والمتابعة المستمرة، مما ساعد في تعزيز قدراتهم اللغوية.



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