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Dear UAS Parents,

It is hard to believe that this year is coming to an end! We overcame many challenges and in the end, we as a UAS community are more resilient than ever.

We want to thank you for supporting your children to do their best, thank our Administration Team for always striving for excellence, and our dear counselors and teachers who were constantly creating, motivating and working hand in hand with our students. Last, but definitely not least, we want our students to know we are so proud of them for working hard every day for pushing themselves in creating new ways to show their creativity through their learning and showing up each day ready for school!

Just a few reminders of important dates and times as we move closer to the end of this school year:

IMPORTANT DATES FOR OUR UAS FAMILIES AS WE WORK TOWARDS THE CLOSURE OF THIS 2021-2022 ACADEMIC YEAR

A. Last days of school and Graduation Dates:

1) **KG2, Grade 4 and Grade 8 Graduation Ceremonies will be held in the UAS Auditorium. Mask are mandatory and only those with tickets will be allowed to enter.**
   a. **EC Graduation** is on **Tuesday- June 7, 2022 at 8:30 a.m.**
   b. **Grade 4 Graduation** is on **Tuesday-June 7, 2022 at 11:00 a.m.**
   c. **Grade 8 Graduation** is on **Tuesday-June 7, 2022 at 1:00 p.m.**
   d. All students Nursery through Grade 8, last day of school is **Tuesday- June 7, 2022**.
2) **Wednesday, June 15, 2022** is the final day for teachers in our building of this year.
3) **Thursday, June 16, 2022** is the final day for administrators in our building of this year.
4) **High School:**
   Grades 9, 10 and 11 will finish on **Monday, June 13, 2022**.

B. Report Cards Distribution Dates:

1) **EC, ES & MS students will receive their Report Cards on June 7, 2022 from their teachers**. [Note: ONLY students who have settled all financial obligations, will be receiving their Report Cards]. After June 7, 2022, Reports Cards will be available with level secretaries on the designated floor.
2) **High School Report Cards** will be available for pick up at the school from 8:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. in the Multipurpose Room (MPR) on the following dates only: **Tuesday -June 21, Wednesday- June 22, Thursday - June 23, and Saturday- June 25th, 2022** (Saturday only from 8:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.), for those parents who have settled all financial obligations ONLY. Entrance will be from the MPR side only.
3) Please follow our health and safety guidelines by wearing your masks at all times.

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4) If you have not paid the full tuition fees for the current school year (2021-2022), please do so immediately. Students whose tuition has not been paid in full will not be able to receive their report cards. **The Online Payment Service** for the school tuition fees and re-enrollment/deposit is available. You can now finalize such services from the comfort of your home! Please click on the below link to register and begin the online process:
https://payonline.uas.edu.kw/registration/indexx

C. Business Office, Admissions Office and Uniform Shop during the Summer:

1) For your convenience the **Business and Admissions offices** will be working in the Summer until Thursday, June 30, 2022 and the timings are as follows:
   - Saturday: 8:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.
   - Sunday to Thursday: 7:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

2) For students leaving UAS to attend new schools, **Thursday- June 9, 2022** is the **last day to request student documents**, including withdrawal forms, report cards, health records, "To Whom It May Concern" letters, etc. **This date will also be the final date for requesting High School transcripts or other general student information. There will not be an opportunity after this date to receive these student documents until August 21, 2022.** Please remember that all financial concerns and obligations must be resolved with the UAS Business Office before any student information or records will be released to parents.

3) **Uniform and Yearbook e-Shop** will be live and active on **Tuesday, August 9, 2022**. You may purchase uniforms online through our website: www.uas.edu.kw under **Uniform and Yearbook e-Shop.** All purchased uniforms will be delivered to your home address as specified during the time of purchase.

D. Important dates to know:

1) UAS is completely closed for the summer break from July 1 to July 31, 2022 where extensive maintenance work will take place.
2) The 2022-2023 School Year officially begins with students returning in some capacity with strict health and safety guidelines to be adhered to entirely by the UAS community:
   - ***Monday, September 5, 2022** for High School.
   - ***Tuesday, September 6, 2022** for Middle School.
   - ***Wednesday, September 7, 2022** for Elementary School.
   - ***Wednesday, September 7, 2022** for Early Childhood Open House.

****The above dates are subject to change according to Ministry of Education (MOE) and Ministry of Health (MOH) and the UAS Administration. UAS reserves the right to activate the required learning program method, as identified in the Student/Parent Handbook and health and safety procedures as deemed necessary. The entire UAS community is required to be flexible and adhere to all directives.*

Thank you for your support, efforts, and cooperation this entire school year; and we sincerely look forward to working with you again next year. We wish you a relaxing and safe summer break. Please continue to check the school website www.uas.edu.kw and Instagram account @uas_kw

Sincerely,

Nora Al Ghanim
Owner/Director

Joan Khaja
Superintendent

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