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Dear Parents,

Assalamu alaikum,

Alhmaduillah the Autumn term is now in full swing. New students have settled in well and we have a busy two weeks until half term. This letter is aimed at highlighting a few important points to parents.

Homework

I would like to reiterate the importance of homework as over the past 3 weeks, we have had a lot of students in detention for missing or incomplete homework. Homework is an integral part of school life and must be completed to a high standard. On average students should spend 1 – 1.5 hrs daily on homework. Students have been given planners to record homework and I would strongly encourage parents to check over the planner before signing it. We also have a homework club which runs on Wednesdays with Ust Sana. Any student is welcome to join this club, especially if they need extra support in Arabic, French or Quran. As stated in our school policy, if your daughter has received 4 detentions for homework, she will automatically be required to attend weekly homework club.

Equipment

Missing equipment which includes exercise books and textbooks are also causing students to receive detentions. If your daughter has received a detention for equipment this year, please make sure she has packed her bag correctly the night before and has her planner, pencil case and reading book in there as well.

Lockers

Please note all students must have a locker. This is to ensure books, lunch bags and coats can be stored safely and securely. Students cannot carry their winter coats as they move from class to class.

Cold weather

As the weather is changing, please ensure your daughter starts the day with a warm wholesome breakfast. She can wear the PE fleece under her blazer or an extra layer under her school shirt. Please note only black leggings can be worn underneath her skirt or abaya.

Coffee Morning

We have our October coffee morning booked for Wednesday from 9:30-10:30am. This is open to all parents.

Hot food

We have started providing warm meals on Mondays and Wednesdays. On Mondays we have Pizza (£1 per slice) and Wednesdays we have chicken burger and chips for £2.50. Tutors collect money for

hot food on Mondays so please send exact money. Prefects also run a daily tuck shop during break and lunch times.

If you would like to discuss any of the above, please don't hesitate to contact me.

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