Dear Parents/Guardians,

The past weekend Eid/Bayram Celebrations at our school was a great success. I would like to thank all our parents, staff, friends and students for attending and making it a memorable day for all of us.

Bayram/Eid Celebrations are made even more special and auspicious when it is shared with a lot of people.

This week on Thursday our VCE students sat the very important LOTE Turkish Written Exam. We pray that they have done well and would like wish them all the very best of luck.

The duration of this term will very busy with programs and events that we all will be looking forward to attending.

One event will be the 10th Anniversary Celebrations of Isik College where some of our students will be performing. We hope to attend in great numbers representing the Dandenong campus of Isik College. This will be held on the 5th of November at Melbourne Convention Centre from 7.30-10.00pm.

Another great event that we want to see our parents and friends attend is the seminar that has been organised by the school to benefit our students in the home. This year our staff were informed and attended a course on ‘Behaviour Management.’ The staff worked with and expert in the field of behaviour management, Ms Judy Mackay. In order to have the program work effectively a seminar just for parents has been organised to give insight and skills for parents on this topic. The Chandler Theatre has been organised for the 14th of November and the session will run from 7.00pm.

As Isik College we are doing everything possible to access our students, and expect you full support at all times. Looking forward to your support and assistance.

Hoping you all have a safe and restful weekend.

Regards,
Mr. Erdal Kocak
Principal

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VCE Written Exam-Thursday 18th October
Isik College 10th Year Celebration-Monday 5th November, Melbourne Convention Centre 7.30pm-10.00pm
Behaviour Management at Home PD for parents at Chandler Theatre-14th November

Upcoming Events

“Quotation”

Giving thanks for abundance is sweeter than the abundance itself...

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**Grade 4's Interesting Facts About Minibeasts:**

Did you know that cockroaches can survive for a month without their head?
By Anisa Akkusoglu

Did you know that a female preying mantis can eat a male preying mantis?
By Hasan Furkan

Insects generally have blood that is green, yellow or colourless.
By Sueda Ozturk

Bees can actually flap their wings 1000 times in one second.
By Tugce Cetli

Did you know that garden spiders can lay 9000 eggs but only 200 will survive to adulthood?
By Enes Coskundag

Did you know that a honey bee sting is like a sharp rod with hooks on it. Once embedded in the skin, the sting releases its poison?
By Tahir Yildirim

**Creepy Crawlies are small creatures without backbones.**
By Bekir Yildirim

All insects have three body parts. They are the head, thorax and abdomen.
By Arwa Edris

Did you know that flies only have...
Important resource from the Australian Communications and Media Authority

www.acma.gov.au/mobliesforkids

Mobile phones – A child safety checklist

You can now access the internet on most mobile phones. This access brings a world of incredible opportunities in terms of communication, interaction and entertainment.

There are, however, certain potential risks to children posed via the internet. These risks include accessing adult content, such as pornography, and “stranger danger” contact in chat services.

Mobile providers in Australia (Telstra, Optus, Vodafone, Hutchison and Virgin and other third party resellers includingfone zone, Crazy Johns and Telechoice) have recognised these risks and have taken steps to help you protect your child from potentially harmful content accessible via their mobile phone.

There are also things you can do to reduce the potential for your child receiving an unexpectedly high bill in association with their mobile phone service such as blocking international calls and premium rate services.

The Australian Communications and Media Authority, in collaboration with the children’s internet charity, Childnet International, has developed a checklist of important questions to ask your mobile provider when purchasing a mobile phone to help you protect your child and make sure they get the most out of using their mobile phone safely.

The Checklist offers questions and background in the following areas:

1. Safety advice
2. Cost and Charges
3. International and premium rate services
4. Questions and complaints
5. Internet access
6. Chat services
7. Access to content not suitable for children
8. Dealing with content not suitable for children
9. Nuisance/malicious calls
10. Protecting your mobile phone from loss
11. Unsolicited emails/text messages
12. Bluetooth enabled phones.

Download the complete guide at www.acma.gov.au/mobliesforkids
Are Volcanoes Dangerous?

Lava buries houses. It flows into rivers and the rivers overflow causing mud slides that sweep houses away. It sets fire to trees which spreads to other areas. It flows into rivers which make water boil causing fish to die.

Why is the Ocean Salty?

The salt is on rocks and soil, when rain washes the salt the ocean becomes salty.

There is lots of salt in rocks, soil and when it rains, the water washes the salt from the rocks and carries it to rivers. The rivers carry the salt to the ocean and that’s why the ocean is salty.

By Tunay Ezher