Dear Parents/Guardians,

The term has come to an end quickly and it has been a delight to see the progress of all that has taken place in the school. Teachers and students have worked very hard together to create a safe and enjoyable learning environment where students have been exposed to a variety of teaching styles. Have a look at the variety of work samples published in our newsletter to see the great effort students have put in.

I hope everyone enjoyed our afternoon tea session and I look forward to many more. Parents please feel free to come in and have a chat with our teachers and myself to discuss any issues you may have. Have a great holiday and see you all in Term 2.

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**Important Dates for term 2:**

- **Monday 12th April:** Curriculum Day, student free day
- **Tuesday 13th April:** Term 2 commences
- **Monday 19th April:** 3-6 Excursion to Sovereign Hill 9am-3:30pm
- **Tuesday 20th April:** Parent/teacher interviews
- **Monday 26th April:** Anzac Day (public holiday)
- **11th, 12th & 13th May:** NAPLAN TESTING 3 & 5.
- **Thursday 27th May:** Photo Day
- **9th, 10th & 11th June:** senior school camp (Lady Northcote Recreation Camp, Bacchus Marsh)
- **Monday 14th June:** Queens Birthday (public holiday)
- **Friday 18th June:** Last day of term 2.

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**Thank You**

From all the staff & families at Isik College, Ibrahim Dellal Sunshine Campus we would like to thank Ibrahim Dellal for his continuing encouragement and words of kindness to all.
Dear Parents and Guardians,

The term has come to an end already; it was so great to be altogether as a family. Thank you to parents who have been supportive and understanding with some of our circumstances. We are however looking forward to a great start to term two.

We would like to welcome and encourage parents and family members to join us every Fridays at 3:15pm during assembly. This is a great time to bond with other parents and a chance to have a chat with the staff as well as support and encourage our students of the week. Our school takes pride in announcing these awards.

Parents please take note of the following:

**UNIFORM:** Is a very important issue and is the first representation of our school. Please ensure all students are clean, neat and wear the correct school uniform. We ask every student to wear black school shoes (no canvas), stocking for the girls and no pants under their dresses or skirts. White shirts for boys and girls accompanied by grey trousers for boys and either the school dress or skirt. Sports uniforms are to be worn only on days the student have physical education.

**LIBRARY and SPORT:** Our library will be opening next term with all the required resources students need. In the last week we have had a number of sporting equipment delivered and hopefully set up by term two.

**SICK BAY:** If your child has any allergies or medical conditions please let us know as it is important that we are aware of this. If any medication is to be administrated during the day please inform the classroom teacher and ensure all medication is correctly labelled with your child’s names and details for administering.

**Head lice:** Please ensure your children are checked often by you. If she/he has a case please ensure a proper action is taken.

Note from the canteen: Thank you to all parents for their support and please feel free to give any suggestions you may have.
This Term Miss Douha’s Grade 5/6 class and my Grade Prep class have been involved in the Buddies Program. The Buddies Program mainly involved both classes interacting with one another. Miss Douha’s Grade 5/6 class were encouraged to help and demonstrate positive learning skills that the Grade Preps can look up to and learn from. Grade 5/6 students have helped their Grade Prep Buddies with their development and practice towards skills such as speaking, listening, writing, cutting, motor skills and most importantly being somebody that they can approach outside of class. Grade 5/6 students have been excellent in assisting and taking on responsibility. Grade Prep students have been looking forward to learning and sharing with their buddies on a weekly basis. Both classes and teachers have looked forward to the different learning experiences that has been shared and demonstrated between all students.

Well Done to the class of Grade 5/6 and Grade Prep.
Hello to all parents, students and colleagues of Isik College, Ibrahim Dellal Campus. The Grade 1’s and 2’s have been working very hard this term with our Integrated Studies Topic. The term one topic for Grade 1 and 2 is ‘Healthy Eating’. Your child’s literacy and numeracy development was supported through our Integrated Studies topic. As part of this topic students investigated Healthy Eating and Lifestyles. They looked at the Food Pyramid and are able to identify foods that belong in certain groups and categories. They developed further language and vocabulary by using correct terminology. Students were also exposed to what makes up a healthy lifestyle. Students discussed and completed activities about emotional and social eating. This term students planned, investigated and produced healthy restaurant menus and canteen lists. We have had a lot of fun with this topic and here is some excellent student sample work for all parents to see...

By Samed Kaya
By Zeynep Balikci
By Kumail Haider
By Beyza Aksoy

“We discovered what healthy and unhealthy foods are. We had lots of fun making our Restaurant Menu and healthy canteen list. We completed a variety of activities like designing food pyramids, human body parts and how to keep our teeth healthy”. Zeynep. B Beyza. A
Khalid. A Veli. I
Gibril. F Omar. G

Khalid. U Abyan. M
Kumail. H Rimon. I
Samed. K Ashkir.
AYousef. C Rayan. S

Miss Ozlem. C
During Term 1 the 3/4 class have had fifteen minutes silent reading everyday to give the students the opportunity to bond with books and love reading. The students share their ideas and understanding with their peers by working in small groups.

This term we have been learning about the human body. As a class we have explored the different systems in the body. The students created pamphlets as well as posters to demonstrate their understanding of the concepts covered in class.
FANTASTIC TERM 1

What I liked about term one was reading Roald Dahl’s book Charlie & the Chocolate Factory. I really enjoyed the book because it was about Charlie finding the lucky golden ticket that allowed him to enter Mr Willy Wonka’s Factory.

I liked learning new things and applying them on a daily bases such as maths, English, science, Turkish and writing.

Yahya, Grade 5.

It was exciting to start the year in a new school. It was fun getting to know new people and make new friends. Our teacher Ms Douha is great. We learnt a lot as well as having a lot of fun.

Lena, Grade 5.

Parents please be aware of the dates for Term 2 as they are very important.
Dear Parents,

We have come to the end of the first term of 2010 in our very new school. We are very proud of our students. They did their best in Turkish. They are fast learners and they studied very well during the term. The best way to help them would be checking their homework regularly, as their parents.

Students of all year levels from prep to year 6 have been taught greetings, numbers, colours, asking & answering questions about family members, names of basic items, etc. in Turkish.

In second term, the students will be building up on the fundamental that they have been taught in first term, as well as doing new projects, mostly about celebrations of important dates such as the International Children’s Day (23 April) and Mother’s Day (9 May).

As a Turkish teacher, I am very pleased with my students as they have learned to sing the Australian National Anthem & the Turkish National Anthem perfectly. As they would remember it very well, I surprised them with a delicious chocolate cake for their excellent performance.

Have a wonderful break, and see you soon.

Fatma Kullu

Turkish Teacher
FAMILY QUIZ

HAVE A GO AT ANSWERING THE QUESTIONS TOGETHER.

The mystery number

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I am a four digit, even number and all of my digits are different. The sum of all my digits is 10. Each of my digits is greater than zero. The sum of the digits in my thousands and hundreds place equals the sum of the digits in my ones and tens place. My largest digit is in my thousands place. What number am I?

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What is ????

What is in a second but not in an hour?

It is in me but not you.

You will find it in a statue but not in a painting.

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The Tortoise & the Hare

Josie is running at 5km per hour and her destination is 13km away.

Belinda is riding her bike at 12km per hour and her destination is 41km away.

Stephen is walking at 1km per hour and his destination is 2.3km away.

Who reaches their destination first?

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GOOD LUCK

Have a safe and wonderful holiday and looking forward to seeing you all in Term 2.