Important Dates in October:

Wed. Oct. 7/15 - Pre-Paid Pizza Lunch

Mon.Oct.12/15 – Thanksgiving Holiday (No School)

Mon. Oct. 26th/15 – Picture Day

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**Senior Kindergarten**

**September Refresher!**

Asalamu Alaikam Dear Parents/Guardians!

Alhamdulliah, the first month of school has been a successful one. The children have now settled in and are learning to follow the classroom rules and routines. We look forward to another great month ahead, Insha Allah!

**Reminders:**

* Please dress your child according to the weather as they do go outside for their gym period. It is also important that you LABEL all clothing so that in case it is misplaced we know who it belongs to.
* It is necessary to inform the teacher if your child has ANY allergies so that we can make sure they are safe at all times.
* Please make sure your child is wearing the school uniform including black closed toe shoes and NO NAILPOLISH. We prefer shoes without laces.
* SK children are to be dropped off at the classroom door. If your child is going to be absent please inform the office.
* Homework will be sent home bi-weekly (more information will be sent home).
* On Fridays children are allowed to bring in a toy to share with their friends. They may also order a lunch for $5 (pizza, chicken and fries, chicken burger)
* A friendly reminder that if you have any questions or concerns to please speak to the classroom teachers first. Sr. Ajaz is in charge of the Senior Kindergarten Department and Sr.Zeba is the Headmistress for Grades 1-5.
* Please check out our classroom websites by going to myifs.ca then click on Academics, Elementary School, Senior Kindergarten 1 or 2. Here you will find updates and pictures of our classes.

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Jazak Allah!

**Curriculum Review**

*Language:*

* Reviewing Letters A-O (Upper and lower case)

*Mathematics:*

* Reviewing numbers 1-10 , Counting “how many?”, Finding matching sets, More or less, Patterning (shapes, colours, toys)

*Science/Social Studies:*

* Primary and secondary colours, mixing colours

*Art*

* Connected to Units being taught in class

*Physical Education*

* Learning the rules, socializing and playing in groups

*Islamic Studies*:

* Our “Identity” as a Muslim, 5 Pillars of Islam, 5 Daily Salaahs, Surah Al-Fatiha with meaning, Story of Prophet Adam’s life, Cleanliness

*Arabic*

* Reviewing Arabic alphabets, Recognizing which letters can be attached and which stand alone, Printing letters, Nasheeds

\*Every Friday the children go to the Library to read.