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Important dates

- 14th June – Queen’s Birthday Holiday
- 15 to 18th June - Semester Exams
- 31st May – Success for Boys, Mother’s Forum
- 18th June – Last Day for Students
- 13th July - Term 3 Commences

Hadith of the week

[Important] *The honour and respect of the words of Allah (SWT) and His Messenger (SAW) is obligatory on us. Due consideration needs to be given in the manner we dispose such material.*



Abu Said Al-Kudri and Abu Hurairah Radiyallahu anhumata narrates that Nabi Sallallahu alaihi wasallam said: **Whenever a Muslim faces fatigue, illness, worry, grief, hurt and sorrow, even gets pricked by a thorn, Allah (swt) in lieu of his sufferings removes his sins.**

[Bukhari]

Aishah Radiyallahu anha narrates: I heard Rasulullah Sallallahu alaihi wasallam saying: **No Muslim is pierced by a thorn, or is inflicted with something even less, except that he is elevated by one rank (in Paradise) and a sin is erased for him.**

[Muslim]

Flu Facts – tips and treatment

Influenza more commonly known as the “flu” is caused by a highly contagious virus, which is spread by coughs and sneezes. Flu epidemics occur when there are minor changes in the nature of the virus so that more people are susceptible.



Pandemics (world-wide epidemics) occur when there are major changes in the virus, can cause very large numbers of deaths. There are three types of flu virus - A, B, and C. Influenza A is more likely to cause epidemics.

Flu symptoms

Flu symptoms develop one to three days after infection and include:

- High fever, chills and sweating
- Sore throat and cough
- Weakness
- Headache and generalised muscle and joint pains (legs and back)

Flu versus the common cold

Flu is more than a bad cold. Cold symptoms last one to two days whereas the flu can last up to a week. Influenza causes a high fever whereas a cold sometimes causes a mild fever. Muscular pains and shivering attacks occur with the flu but not with a cold. Common Colds cause a runny nose, while the flu usually starts with a dry sensation in the nose and throat.

Treating the sickness

Being a Muslim we believe that sickness also comes from Allah (SWT), so first we need to turn to Allah (SWT) to get the cure.

- Offer Salaat-ul-Haajah and make dua for shifaa
- Give Sadaqah, as its very useful
- Take honey and drink plenty of fluids
- Repeating “Laa hawulaa wa laa quwwata illaa billahil ‘aliyyil ‘azeem” is beneficial
- Also realise that Allah wipes sins and elevates a Muslim’s position because of sickness.
- Then use Asbaab (by taking medicine, seeking treatment etc.)
- Do not forget to put our trust in Allah(SWT), because cure is only in His hands.

Consult a doctor if symptoms such as difficulty in breathing, coughing up green-yellow phlegm or severe headache develop.

[Administration]

Office

Unfortunately we have had too many students coming to school without lunch. Please make sure to provide your children with food as the office will no longer be providing money.

Science

Nanotechnology Workshop @ La Trobe University, Bundoora

Nanotechnology is an emerging field of endeavour which aims to understand and exploit the science of the very small (one billionth of a meter). It covers a wide range of areas including semiconductors where it is hoped that very small components will continue the increase in computational speed predicted by Moore’s Law. Chemical systems expect nanotechnology to provide sophisticated sensors for chemicals at low concentrations with applications to biological systems. Biologists seek means of

manipulating and sensing biological processes within cells.

On Tuesday, 18 May 2010 Year 11 Chemistry and Year 10 Science students attended Nanotechnology workshop at La Trobe University, Bundoora. I thank students and parents for their help and support. Students enjoyed the workshop, it was actually a thrill. Students carried out a few experiments, two of them are mentioned here briefly:-

Experiment 1: The study of the element gold has been chosen to make students aware of how knowledge of simple chemistry principles and skills can be transformed into new technologies applied to cutting edge medical research. Gold is also a very good example to illustrate how bulk properties change at the nanoscale.

Experiment 2: Shape memory alloys are a class of materials referred to as smart materials. This module focuses on Nitinol which is one of many SMA (shape memory alloys). SMA belongs to a class of materials which display the shape memory effect (SME). These alloys possess the ability to radically change crystal structure or phase at a distinct temperature.

Shafiq Ansari - Chemistry Teacher

Our Solar System



As part of the science project, students were asked to make a model of our Solar system, picturing the Sun and the Planets orbiting around it. Children were asked to use recycle material that could be easily found in their home.



National Fruit and Veg Week

Darul Ulum College took an active part in the National Fruit and Veg week which ran throughout Australia from the 17th – 21st May.

It was a wonderful week which gave an insight into the benefits of eating fruits and vegetables daily. The primary students learnt the skill of preparing a healthy sandwich.

The school provided the students with a healthy breakfast which included wholemeal bread, honey,



milk, bananas and sultanas. The school also provided a vegetable stick platter with dip and popcorn as a snack. The students enjoyed it thoroughly.

Grade 3B Poems of their favourite Fruit & Veg!!!!

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