

Parent-School Connection

September 2007

Verse of the Month
“In the Name of Allah The Most Compassionate, Most Merciful”

Hadeeth of the Month
“The example of believers in their compassion, mercy, and cooperation is like the body when one organ complains the whole body reacts with fever and sleeplessness”

Value of the Month
Be Kind

- To yourself
- To school staff
- To family and friends

Dear Parents,
 Assalamu Alaikum,

It is with great pride that I welcome you all; new and returning families to City of Knowledge School; the proud partners in your child’s education. We continually try our best to provide outstanding teachers, a caring and supportive staff, and a safe and enjoyable learning environment for your children. Concurrently, we need you to instill in your children the value of education and love of learning. One of the best ways to do this is by making sure your child arrives to school every day; on time and ready to learn. Helping them with homework, and talking with them about what they are studying in school are other ways you can build their enthusiasm for learning. Allah (sw) commands us to read; therefore we strongly encourage you to read to and with your children, regardless of their age, as this is one of the best ways to foster their love of reading while building their skills.

City of Knowledge is your school. We want you to feel that you are an integral part of this learning community. Everyone who is a member of this community: faculty, parents, staff, volunteers, and of course the students, is actively engaged in learning and growing as individuals. We encourage and learn from each other while solving meaningful problems, whether it is in academic areas or social relations. We believe that learning together and from one another is one of the most potent ways to acquire knowledge, and to build relationships and community team spirit.

Be involved! The more you get involved, the more you and your child will benefit from school. We encourage you to attend PTO meetings and to volunteer as a classroom parent, tutor, in the library, computer lab, cafeteria, or as a chaperone on field trips. Please call the school for more information on ways to participate. If you are an expert in any area or have some useful ideas please bring them forward and if you can be part of the implementation please do not hesitate to let us know.

Our team of distinguished faculty, staff, and volunteers begin the school year with positive energy and look forward to undertaking this exciting adventure with you. We expect to see you all at “Back to School Night” on Friday, September 7, at 6:30 PM

We wish you a Ramadhan Kareem and a happy and prosperous school year. If you have any ideas, questions, concerns, or comments please do not hesitate to drop a note in my office, call me or e-mail me at hshaikley@aol.com Together we can make City of Knowledge the best place for our children to grow and learn.

Dr. Haleema H. Shaikley

Back to School and Bake Sale on Friday September 7 at 6:30 PM

for the blessed month of Ramadhan School will begin at the regular time and end 3:00 P.M.

Please order your Ramadan dates from the school for a donation of \$50.00 per box

Monday 9.17.2006 Iftar to welcome all new families, students and staff. You will informed about the program

All food items MUST BE HALAL. Meat must be purchased from Halal meat stores.

If you have a question or you wish to donate money for food to be purchased and made during any of the Ramadhan Iftar programs please contact sister Farzana 909-931-4831

New families need to fill out the language and nationality surveys and return to office by 9.24.2007