



Dear Parents,

Term 2 – HS After School Activities Programme

Happy New Year to you and your family, I hope that everyone had a safe and relaxing winter vacation. We have hit the ground running in the new calendar year here at Emirates International School – Jumeirah High School (EIS-J HS), with a busy start to the term. We hope that the success of the ASA programme in the previous term carries over to the New Year and term. The After School Activities Programme (ASA) at EIS-J HS promotes the development of the whole person, emphasizing physical, social, creative, emotional and intellectual growth. The activities offered cover a wide range interests and needs, from sporting activities, skill based activities through to the many academic help sessions offered by the Science, Math, Arts, Business and English departments.

Activities Offered

At EIS-J HS the ASA is very comprehensive, free of charge (majority of activities) and utilises all available expertise, via teachers or external providers. Our strong ASA Programme has something for every child. On page 3 is the summary list of the activities that will be offered to students this term. For more information on each activity you can contact the teacher in charge of that activity, look at the ASA notice board or contact the ASA coordinator.

Activity Sign Ups

If you are interested in your child signing up for an activity, or more than 1, please fill out the permission slip on page 3. These are to be returned to your child's form teacher. Some activities have limited places and are very popular, to ensure your child gets a spot please be prompt with your permission slip return. The last day for activity slips to be returned is Thursday the 19th of January.

Cost of Activities

A vast majority of the activities are free of charge and make use of EIS-J High School facilities and staff expertise. Some activities will require payment as they utilise local facilities and specialist instruction. This includes Sailing, Scuba Diving, Tennis, Mixed Martial Arts and Clay Pigeon Shooting. Places are limited in these activities and it will be decided on a first-come-first-served basis. Payment can be made in cash in a clearly marked envelope to me in HS 39 (before registration would be preferable). Please note that the cost of participation is to cover essential expenses and the teachers(s) receive no financial remuneration for supervising the activity. Act fast to ensure your child has a spot in one of these activities. Some activities will incur a small cost to cover necessary equipment, e.g. masterchef, international cooking and decoupage.

Sporting Teams

All students who are interested on gaining a place in our representative teams should keep a close eye on the notices for the trial dates. Term 2 sporting teams available are as follows:

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| Boys Basketball | - | <i>Under 13, 15 & Open ages</i> |
| Girls Basketball | - | <i>Under 13 & 15 ages</i> |
| Girls Netball | - | <i>Under 13, 15 & Open ages</i> |
| Athletics | - | <i>Boys & girls from under 13, 15 & Open ages</i> |
| Football Cup Tournaments | - | <i>Under 13, 15 & Open ages</i> |

Activities Start

The regular ASA programme for all activities for this term will commence from the week starting Sunday 29th January and will finish towards the end of March 29th. Most activities will run from 3 – 4pm. Some activities have already started and a few select activities will be running past the end of March.

Transport

Extra late buses are provided for those who normally catch the bus to school. This leaves the bus bay at approximately 4.10pm. Only students who are registered to do an activity are eligible to catch these buses. If you do not catch this bus other transport arrangements must be made.

CAS and EISAP Support

For students involved in CAS and EISAP, the ASA programme provides an ideal platform to ensure our students meet their respective requirements for each. Many students find it difficult to find suitable service and creative/skill options in Dubai. A close inspection of the activities provided will cater for all needs and interests.

Staying after School

Any student who leaves the school grounds at the end of period 6 will not be allowed to return to school. The only students allowed on school grounds after the finish time will be those actively engaged in an organised activity.

Commitment

Students who sign up for activities need to show a high level of commitment for the full programme (end of March). Please ensure your child attends every week.

Get Involved

Through all the activities offered at EIS-J, we aim to develop well-balanced, motivated and independent young people. It is my advice that you encourage your child to be involved in as many activities as possible. Participation in after school activities will enable your child to expand their horizons, learn new skills, develop competences and is a great way for them to stay active and healthy.

For more information contact the teacher directly in charge of that activity. If you have any expertise in a given area and would like to contribute to our ASA programme please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours sincerely,

Stephen Munnery

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EIS-J HS - After School Activity Programme - Term 2 2011-12

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday
Sailing* Netball Teams Athletics Training	GCSE/IB Art Catch Up School Musical - Wiz Gym Training Helping Hands Tennis Lessons* Mixed Martial Arts* Masterchef Middle Distance Squad Technology Club Table Tennis Maths Support Origami Decoupage Science Help Gavel Club IB Business Arabic Calligraphy Rock Climbing English Workshops Athletics Training	Gym Training Rugby Bootcamp Fitness Science Help GCSE/IB Art Catch Up School Musical – Wiz English MYP help French Conversation Eco & Recycling Club Latin Dance GCSE Food Tech ESL & ESP Literature Chess Club World Scholars Cup Table Tennis Team The Torch U15 Boys Basketball	Contemporary Dance Model United Nations Running Club Gym Training Walking Club Art of Collage Study Hall Maths Olympiad Science Help Clay Pigeon Shooting* IB Business Computer Graphics Best Buddies Science help Rounders Club Table Tennis Long Jump Practise U13 Boys Basketball	Table Tennis International Cooking Gym Training Cross Training Fitness Girls Football Club

Note: Advanced Dive course will take place on weekends & the day for Open Water Dive to be confirmed.
Activities with an * are the paid activities with external providers, the rest are free of charge.

This is a summary of the programme and students must research the full programme for more details.

***Payment** - If your activity requires payment, please do so quickly to avoid disappointment as places are limited. These can be made to Mr. Munnery or Mr.Lim in HS 39.

I give permission for _____ of form group _____ to take part in the following ASA:

(Student name printed clearly)

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday

Signed	
Name	
Relationship to student	
Emergency contact number	
Parental email contact	
Date	

Please return these to your child's form tutor by Thursday the 19th of January 2012