



# END OF THE WEEK NEWSLETTER

Week 2 Christmas Term | September 11, 2026



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# Welcome Address

## BY THE HEAD OF SCHOOL

Dear Parents and Guardians,

It's hard to believe we are already in the second week of school. The days are moving very quickly, and it has been lovely to see our students settling into their classes and getting back into the routine of school life.

CCA activities have also started in both the Primary and Secondary Schools and take place twice a week. The students are already enjoying themselves. Our after-school activities have also begun, so please ensure that your child is registered for an activity if they have not yet done so. There is so much for students to enjoy and learn from taking part in activities beyond the classroom.

This afternoon, our Primary students had plenty of fun as they enjoyed their first Happy Hour of the term. There was so much noise coming from them that we knew they were having a great time.

Please also note that a new date has been set for the Year 7 Entrance Examination for the 2027/2028 session. Kindly take note of this and the other important announcements included in this newsletter.

As always, we will continue to keep you updated on the improvements to our school facilities. We have included pictures of some of the projects that have recently been completed. We have also had an important training session for our staff, an Online Safety Training delivered by external facilitators. This session help ensure that our staff continue to have the knowledge and skills needed to keep our students safe.

Have a lovely weekend with your children. I hope you have some time to relax, enjoy each other's company and perhaps hear a little less noise than we did during Happy Hour.

Warm regards,

**Richard McMahon**  
*Head of School*

# IMPORTANT NOTICE

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### **WSG Parent Meeting Update**

A meeting was held today with the WSG parents to listen to their views regarding the WSG competition, which is due to take place in Qatar in April 2027. Both the school management and parents aligned on their perspective about the current situation in the Middle East. The risk of participating is too high, agreeing that we will hold off making any decision about Grange's participation until at least November.

WSG have confirmed today that they are proceeding with the competition and that there are regular flights in and out of the country. However, this does not guarantee our students safety at this moment in time.

We will look at all the logistics and potential costs of the competition and share these with parents in the event that there is a complete change of the circumstance between the USA and Iran, so that parents can make financial arrangements to cover this, as any late entry would require a quick payment timeline.

We need to keep in mind that even if circumstances change we could still face flight booking challenges due to the event taking place during the school holiday, making it impossible to attend. Thank you for your understanding and support on this important decision.

### **Under 40 CEOs Junior Club**

We are pleased to announce the upcoming Under 40 CEOs Junior Club, a new entrepreneurship club for students in both the Primary and Secondary Schools. Led by experienced external facilitators, the club will give students the opportunity to learn about business, money, leadership and innovation while developing the confidence and creativity to turn their ideas into something meaningful. It will be a fun and practical way for students to start thinking about the world beyond the classroom and discovering what they can achieve. The club will be offered at an additional cost. More information will be shared in our coming newsletters.

# FACILITY UPGRADES

## School Facilities

As always, we will continue to keep you updated on the improvements to our school facilities, including projects we have completed and those currently in progress.

We are pleased to share pictures of the recently completed painting of our Reception classrooms, art room and school kitchen.

These improvements are part of our ongoing commitment to providing a welcoming, comfortable and well-maintained environment for our students and staff.



Art Room- Secondary (Before)



Art Room-Secondary (After)



School Kitchen (Before)



School Kitchen (After)



Reception Classes (After)

# HAPPY HOUR!



# YEAR 7 ENTRANCE EXAMINATION (2027/2028)

Please note an important change to the date of the Year 7 (2027/2028) Entrance Examination.

The examination was previously scheduled for Saturday, 31 October 2026, as stated in the school calendar. However, due to the environmental sanitation exercise, it has now

been rescheduled to Saturday, 14 November 2026. Please take note of the new date and kindly share this information with friends and family who may be interested in the Year 7 entrance examination.



## GRANGE SCHOOL

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**ENROLL NOW**

**YEAR 7  
ENTRANCE EXAMINATION  
(2027-2028 ACADEMIC SESSION)**

**Saturday, 14 November 2026  
@ 8:00 a.m**



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<https://grange.educare.school/admission-form>

### SYNOPSIS OF 2026 IGCSE RESULT



**47%**  
A\* - A



**74%**  
A\* - B



**100%**  
Pass Rate

### Why Choose Our School

- Academic Excellence
- Holistic Education
- Sporting & Athletic Distinction
- Pastoral Care
- Legacy of Global Citizenship
- Diverse Curriculum and Career Development

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## Keeping Our School Community Safe Online

On Wednesday, 9 September, our staff took part in a Cybersecurity Awareness Training session led by the Nexus Grid Team at the Gazebo.

As our use of technology continues to grow, it is important that we all understand how to keep ourselves, our students and our school community safe online. The session focused on practical ways to recognise potential cyber threats, protect sensitive information and make safer decisions when using digital platforms.

The training was a useful reminder that cybersecurity is everyone's responsibility. By staying alert and following safe digital practices, we can help protect our school community and the information entrusted to us.





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