



February 27, 2022

**Subject: Grade 12 IB 2022 Mock Examination**

Dear Grade 12 IB Candidates and Parents,

In order to help prepare for their official IB exams, Grade 12 students registered in the IB full Diploma program track or IB Course will sit for Mock IB exams next month. Exams are mandatory and will take place on **March 13<sup>th</sup> (Arabic Language B HL Listening Comprehension ONLY)** and on **March 20<sup>th</sup> till March 31<sup>st</sup> (the rest of IB courses)**.

These exams will help students and faculty assess where the students need to focus their studies for the upcoming IB May 2022 Official Examinations. We hope these mock exams will also relieve final exam testing anxiety by giving students an opportunity to experience the exam environment and examples of all exams before the “real” tests take place at the end of April.

Accordingly, please note the following:

- Mock Exam scores will contribute to students' semester grades, as well as to their predicted scores, which are submitted to IB. Mock exams are treated as end of year exams with a **30%** weighting of the second semester's grade.
- **Study Leave** will be granted for students. The leave will commence on March 15<sup>th</sup>, 2022 for **Full IB students ONLY**. On the other hand, **Course students** may be excused to stay home if they have an IB Exam the following day.
- During mock exam weeks, students should focus on getting enough hours of sleep; eating healthy; and arriving prepared for exams (bring black pens, pencils, erasers, calculators, etc.).
- The IB Office will arrange an **orientation session** closer to the mock exams on March 6<sup>th</sup>; the IBDP Coordinator will walk students through all the IB rules and regulations.
- On the day of the exam, students should report at **7:45 am** to the Bayan Hall. The Mock Exam Schedule will also be posted on the school's official website.
- **IB Course students should attend school regularly** unless they have an IB exam on that day or the next day. Both Full and Course IB students who sit the exam are required to leave back home once they are done with their IB exam/s.

*Please note that IB Visual Art and Theater students, when not in an exam, should check in with Ms. Amy and Ms. Ruqaya in the Art and Drama Rooms regarding their Final Process Portfolio or Director's Notebook submission.*

Sincerely,

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