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Campus Principal's Message

One of the key roles of a head of school is strong curriculum leadership to put in place rigorous measures to monitor and enhance the quality of learning and teaching and to track the academic performance of students.

Our leadership teams in MIS, MPS and MIEY, which have been carefully appointed, are able to carry out these functions remarkably well, leading to improved school performances over the last few years.

With more stability in our leadership teams, Mr. Andrew Hamilton, Head of Matrix International School, has transferred to one of our sister schools - Knewton Global Schools, Rawang - on the 1st February, 2023, to help with the setting up of the new school. We would like to thank Mr. Andrew Hamilton for his services to Matrix International School over these past four and a half years and for the efforts he has made in helping us work towards our school vision. While we are sad that Mr. Andrew Hamilton is leaving us, we wish him the best in his new school. Personally, I am confident that he will be able to guide his new school as he has done so in MIS.

It is hard to believe that my time in Matrix has come to an end. The last four and a half years have flown by quickly and I will leave with fond memories of my time spent here. My time here made it a very difficult decision in agreeing to transfer to Knewton Global Schools, Rawang. While I would have liked to remain with the school, my studies in leadership have developed a growing passion in wanting to work in a start-up school, but I was not expecting that an opportunity would present itself so soon. As we would encourage our students to take risks and overcome challenges, I was also motivated to move out of my comfort zone and try something new.

During my time in leadership, I am proud that we managed to work together as a school community in supporting the MIS students through the MCO and for the academic progress we have made in our



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With the departure of Mr. Andrew Hamilton, Mr. Richard Lord, Deputy Head of MIS, will be in charge of MIS Secondary and Mr. Nicholas Roe, current Assistant Head of MIS (Teaching & Learning) will be promoted to be Deputy Head in charge of MIS Primary. Both Mr. Richard Lord and Mr. Nicholas Roe have many years of experience in school leadership and the school are in safe hands. They have already been working in the school and have shown that they are capable of providing strong curriculum leadership.

We hope the school community will continue to give their full cooperation to Mr. Richard Lord and Mr. Nicholas Roe to ensure the smooth running of MIS in particular and MGS in general.

Message from Head of MIS Mr. Andrew Hamilton

Checkpoint and IGCSE examination results. While I recognise that there is still room for growth as a school, I have confidence that the school is being left in capable hands in moving forward. I wish everyone the best of success for the future!

I would like to thank all of the MIS staff, students and parents for their support over my time with the school. Without your cooperation, effort and dedication, the school would not be where it is today. I will continue to cheer you on in moving towards the vision of being 'Second to None' and whatever opportunities life may bring beyond your time in Matrix.



Campus Principal's Message Translated

担任校长其中一个关键的职责是必须具有出色的学术领导力，以制定严谨的措施来监督和提升学生学习和教师教学质量，同时还必须能长期“跟踪”学生的考试成绩。无论在国际学校、私立学校或幼儿园的领导团队，都是我们经过精心筛选，他们都有高效的领导执行力，从而在过去几年提高了学校的表现。

随着我们领导团队稳定性的增加，金群利国际学校 Andrew Hamilton 校长已于 2023 年 2 月 1 日调任我们位于万挠的姐妹学校 Knewton Global Schools，协助建立新学校的成立。我们要感谢在过去四年半的时间里，Andrew Hamilton 校长为金群利国际学校付出的一切努力。我们对 Andrew Hamilton 校长的离开感到难过。我们对他到新学校上任献上我们由衷的祝福，

Salah satu peranan utama seorang ketua sekolah ialah kepimpinan kurikulum yang kukuh dalam melaksanakan langkah-langkah rapi untuk memantau dan meningkatkan kualiti pembelajaran dan pengajaran serta dapat mengukur prestasi akademik pelajar. Pasukan kepimpinan kami di MIS, MPS dan MIEY, yang telah dilantik dengan teliti, melaksanakan fungsi ini dengan sangat baik hingga membawa kepada peningkatan prestasi sekolah sejak beberapa tahun kebelakangan ini.

Dengan lebih kestabilan dalam pasukan kepimpinan kami, Encik Andrew Hamilton, Ketua Sekolah Antarabangsa Matrix, telah berpindah ke Sekolah Global Knewton, Rawang - pada 1 Februari 2023, untuk membantu penubuhan sekolah baharu di bawah rangkaian kami. Kami ingin mengucapkan terima kasih kepada Encik Andrew Hamilton atas perkhidmatannya di Sekolah Antarabangsa Matrix selama empat tahun setengah atas usaha yang telah beliau lakukan dalam membantu kami mencapai visi sekolah kami. Walaupun sedih kerana Encik Andrew Hamilton meninggalkan kami, kami mendoakan yang

祝他一切顺利。就个人而言，我相信他在新学校依然能像他在掌金群利国际学校一样出色。

随着 Andrew Hamilton 校长的离开，国际学校 Richard Lord 副校长将负责中学部，而现任国际学校 Nicholas Roe 学术助理校长将晋升为小学部副校长。Richard Lord 副校长和 Nicholas Roe 副校长都是具有丰富学校领导经验的教育工作者。他们目前已经在校内服务，并表明他们有信心领导学校的学术发展。

我们恳请大家给予 Richard Lord 副校长和 Nicholas Roe 副校长全力的支持。让我们一起携手合作，确保国际学校校务顺畅运作，以致使全校发展顺利。

terbaik untuk beliau di sekolah baharu. Secara peribadi, saya yakin beliau akan dapat membimbing sekolah baharunya seperti yang pernah dilakukannya di MIS.

Dengan pemergian En. Andrew Hamilton, En. Richard Lord, Timbalan Ketua MIS, akan bertanggungjawab bagi MIS Secondary dan En. Nicholas Roe, Penolong Ketua MIS (Pengajaran & Pembelajaran) akan dinaikkan pangkat menjadi Timbalan Ketua di MIS Primary. Encik Richard Lord dan Encik Nicholas Roe mempunyai pengalaman bertahun-tahun dalam pengendalian sekolah dan kita berada di bawah tampuk kepimpinan yang baik. Mereka telah pun bekerja di sekolah dan telah menunjukkan bahawa mereka mampu menyediakan kepimpinan kurikulum yang mantap.

Kami berharap warga sekolah akan terus memberikan kerjasama sepenuhnya kepada Encik Richard Lord dan Encik Nicholas Roe bagi memastikan kelancaran MIS khususnya dan MGS amnya.

MGS - AWARENESS ON FIRE SAFETY

MGS community's understanding of the basic nature of fire and causes of its breakout, and how we can protect ourselves was enhanced with the fire safety demonstration by the Seremban Fire Brigade on 10th February. In addition to that, the use of firefighting equipment was demonstrated by the team to help students and staff understand basic firefighting skills. Students and staff were allowed to have a first hand experience of a firefighter's basic skills like putting out fire using the fire extinguisher. Students were allowed to get on the firefighters' truck and motorbikes. It was truly an enriching experience for all.



MGS SCHOOL PRODUCTION - THE DANCING HAS BEGUN

The Greatest Showman rehearsals have begun! For the first third of rehearsals, the focus for the cast has been solely acting with Mr. Bob. With the start of the new year beckons the yearly arrival of the highly acclaimed choreographer, Mr. Afham Zainal. That means just one thing: it's time to dance!

This year's production is proving to be a monumental yet exciting and exhilarating task. 25 cast and crew members, 10 musicians, 12 songs and an in-depth script about the trials, tribulations and toils of famed circus king P.T. Barnum. Adapted from the 2017 musical film extravaganza, MGS has proven that it has its own versions of Jackman's, Efron's and Zendaya's.

"I never knew that musicals are this hard, but I'm glad I'm here. It's challenging but it's so much fun, and we feel like a small family because the number one rule in a show is that we take care of each other." Baljeet, Year 10

The cast is now busy juggling the three skills needed to meet the demands of musical theatre: dancing with Mr. Afham, detailed acting with Mr. Bob and singing with Ms. Carmen, Mr. Dave & Mr. Azzmeer. "These students are talented," said Mr. Afham after a few weeks of choreographing them.

"The size of the cast is huge, so things can be slower than expected at times, but the students are willing, responsible, they learn quickly and they're a funny bunch. It's rewarding to see how much we as teachers can bring out their inner talent".

Stay tuned for more details, and enjoy some shots of these wonderful performers rehearsing the opening and closing song: The Greatest Show.



In musicals it's all about formations. Seen are Aisyah Rushdan (Y8A), Brayden Lisondra (Y7M), Nidhish Nair (Y8A), Zoe Lim (Y8A), Terence Chen (Y9A), Nurkalisya (F2M), Elisha Yoo (Y8M), Sheynika Nair (Y8M), Clarey Mendez (Y7M), Alysha Dania (F2M) and Preetysa Shree (F2M) in practice.

MIS - AMAZING IGCSE ARTWORK EXHIBITION

Watch

Our Year 11 students have produced fantastic artwork for their IGCSEs. Learning art in IGCSE is not just about drawing but the syllabus aims at stimulating imagination, sensitivity, conceptual thinking, powers of observation and the analytical ability of our students. MIS proudly hosted, on 17 February, a private viewing of the fabulous artwork for the Matrix community to enjoy.



Nur Syaqlra Abdul Rashid, Y 11A



Shivendra Ananthan Chelliah, Y 11M



Shaia Yeong Min, Y 11M explaining her work to parents who visited the exhibition



MPS PRIMARY BM - LEMBARAN RODA YANG MENARIK

Dalam pengajaran di bilik darjah, murid didedahkan dengan penggunaan kata nama am mengikut kategori. Aspek ini dalam komponen Sistem Bahasa yang berfokus kepada tatabahasa, sebutan dan kosa kata. Perkara ini bermatlamat bagi melengkapkan murid dengan keterampilan berbahasa.

Untuk memudahkan murid-murid mengenal pasti gambar mengikut kumpulan masing-masing, mereka dikehendaki menampal pada templat lembaran roda yang disediakan. Seterusnya, murid perlu menulis dan menyenaraikan kata nama am berpandukan rangkai kata dan gambar yang diberi. Aktiviti ini dapat membantu murid menguasai komponen kata nama am sekali gus dapat menarik minat murid melibatkan diri pelbagai dalam aktiviti menarik yang disediakan.



BOARDING HOUSE - MAKING DUMPLINGS



How to making your own dumpling? Normally we just go to the restaurant and order one! Our boarders were fortunate to have the opportunity to acquire the new skills which they found quite simple to do. They enjoyed the cooking and loved the taste which turned out to be delicious!

