

# NEWSLETTER

Term 1 2024/25 | 23 August 2024

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## Message from The Principal



Our Nexus campus has been a hive of activity this week as the Nexus community ends our first full week of learning.

I enjoyed the CCA fair on Wednesday and it is wonderful to see the array of activities that are available to our learners. Likewise with the music programme as demonstrated in the peripatetic teachers demos on Friday.

Our school continues to prosper and grow and we are soon going to have over 700 learners. Whilst it is great to be thriving there are also challenges to face and we are already looking at ways to improve the queuing systems in Boarding and in the cafeteria to make it more efficient for all.

Thank you to parents for remembering to wear your Nexus One Cards and to everyone for your patience whilst we make some necessary changes eg. with timetabling, systems and processes.

Very soon we will be asking for parent volunteers for our PTF group as well as reps for the Class WhatsApp groups. It is beneficial to learning and well documented that when parents are interested and involved in their child's education, the outcomes are better. Speaking of academic outcomes, our learners have just received their iGCSE results and I'd like to congratulate them as they take the next step along their educational pathway.

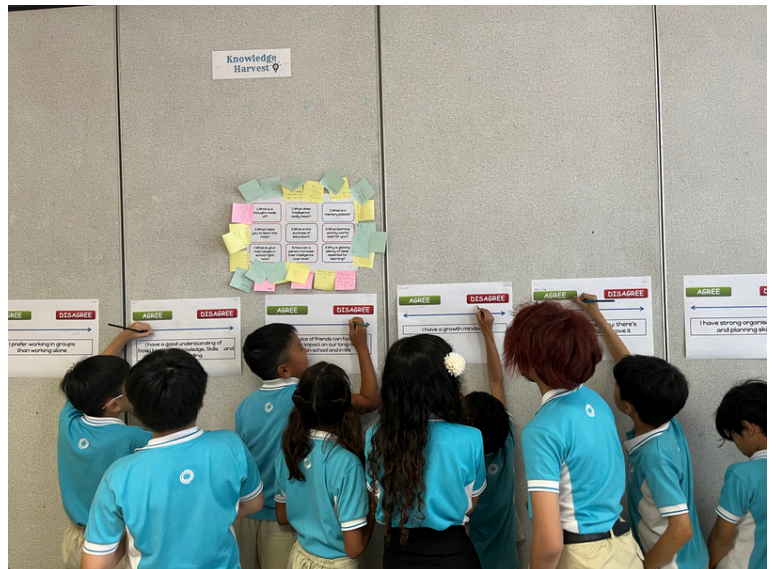
# Primary



Primary Learners are enjoying their first full week of this year's learning adventure. It has been wonderful to see our new learners confidently finding their way around the school, making friends and getting involved in their learning. In their assembly this week they learned about being adaptable and that it is OK to make mistakes.

Learners in our Foundation English Programme have been using technology to record their learning with Mr Rob and Ms Afiqah. Scan the QR code to see Terry's self portrait come to life and learn something about him.

This week in the Upper Phase the Year 5 and Year 6 learners learned to 'think about thinking' known as Metacognition. During the Entry Point, the learners rotated around 5 activities to experience 5 skills associated with Metacognition. In the Knowledge Harvest, the learners carried out metacognitive reflection in a fun and engaging way.



# Primary

To help keep our parents informed, we have some wonderful parents who volunteer to be class reps and run the class WhatsApp groups. If you are in Primary, please find your current class rep in the link below. Some of our class reps have been reps for a long time and would be happy to make way for anyone who would like the opportunity. If you are interested in becoming a class rep, please contact Ms Kerry.

## Primary class reps 2024-25

We would like to keep our records up to date, so if you have not done so, please fill out [this Google Form](#) to let us know if you wish to remain in the WhatsApp groups.

Please see below link to our Termly Curriculum Letters., which will also be sent out on Seesaw. These will give you an overview of the learning which will be happening across the curriculum this term. Your child's class teacher will give further information about this and be able to answer any questions during the Year Group Meet and Greet sessions.

[Y1 Curriculum Letter](#)

[Y2 Curriculum Letter](#)

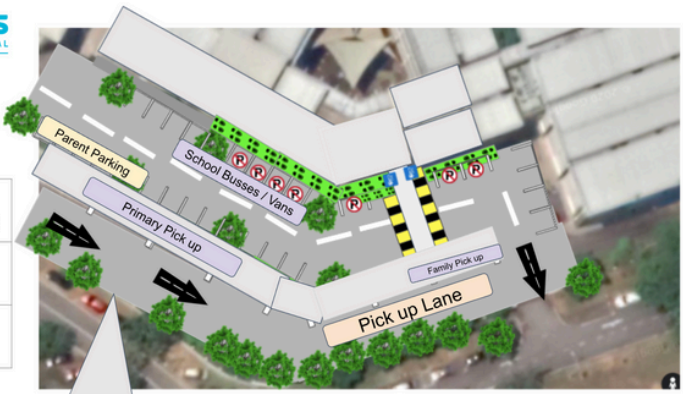
[Y3 Curriculum Letter](#)

[Y4 Curriculum Letter](#)

[Y5 Curriculum Letter](#)

[Y6 Curriculum Letter](#)

## Pick up at the end of day.



Staggered Pick up times.

3:20 pm	MP1 EY - Y2
3:25 pm	MP2 Y3 - Y4
3:30 pm	MP3 Y5 - Y6

Please use this lane for drive-by pick up only. Please DO NOT park in this lane.

### Primary Pick Up

Please can we remind parents that if they wish to come into the school and pick up their child, please park in the designated parking areas or outside the school. Please refrain from parking in the pick up lane which is used as a drive-by so that traffic can flow and not become congested. Your cooperation is greatly appreciated.

# Secondary

It has been a busy first week back at school with learners finding their way to their classrooms and getting used to their new lessons and lesson timings. On Wednesday learners and parents were also able to find out about the paid CCAs on offer this year from our vendors and we look forward to these and all other CCAs starting soon. As every year we have many music CCAs and learners enjoyed the demonstration from our music instrumental teachers on Friday about the range of music lessons on offer. We can look forward to a lot of enjoyment and development of interests after school this year.



For parents new to the school, our parent groups have traditionally run What's App groups as a way to connect and support each other. We need a rep for the following Year groups to administer these groups: Year 7, Year 8, Year 10, Year 12. If you would be interested to be the parent rep for these year groups, please email Ms Grace on [grace.c@nexus.edu.my](mailto:grace.c@nexus.edu.my).

Thanks to the existing parents who have agreed to continue to run the groups. Please contact them if you wish to join.

Year 9: Ms Ally (0176923636)

Year 11: Ms Ida (0138568333)

Year 13: Mr Kaldip (0192310008)

# Boarding



It has been straight into Boarding life for us all this week. We loved a first excursion into Kuala Lumpur city to see the Twin Towers and KLCC park. We know how important it is to see new sights when you come to Malaysia to study - it is just as important for our families to see us having fun.



# Boarding



Also in our first week back in Boarding, we have been introducing our new Boarders to our routines in the Boarding House. We have shared some of our favourite routines with our new House brothers and sisters...cooking, eating, reading and playing games. We even had a surprise visit from the tooth fairy after Alex lost his wobbly tooth!



# Sports



## Sporting CCA's & Nexus Wolves

Sports CCAs will be starting on the W/B Monday 2nd September 2024.

We encourage all of our learners to come and try out for the Nexus Wolves sports teams this coming year! Everyone must wear a sports kit with the correct footwear. Please bring a water bottle and sun cream if needed.

If you are interested in taking part in the following sporting activities in term 1 then please see the information below:

**Benchball boys u9 - Tuesday 3.40-4.40 (Sports Hall)**  
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**Basketball boys u11 - Monday 3.40-4.40 (Sports Hall)**  
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**Football boys u13 - Tuesday 3.40-4.40 (Field)**  
**Football girls u13 - Tuesday 3.40-4.40 (Field)**  
**Football boys u15 - Tuesday 3.40-4.40 (Field)**  
**Football girls u15 - Tuesday 3.40-4.40 (Field)**  
**Football boys u18 - Wednesday 3.40-4.40 (Field)**  
**Football girls u18 - Wednesday 3.40-4.40 (Field)**  
**Volleyball girls u18 - Thursday 3.40-4.40 (Sports Hall)**  
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Any questions you may have then please come and speak to Mr Josh in the PE department.



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