

# FOS NEWS



Finland Oman School Newsletter

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## Parent Teacher Association (PTA)

We are excited to announce that we are in the process of forming our PTA.

PTA is a formal organisation that comprises parents, teachers and staff intended to facilitate parental participation in a school. The main role of the PTA is to build strong working relationships between parents, teachers and the school, in order to support all students, and bring together our whole school community. Our PTA will also be supporting the organisation of social events for the enjoyment of our students, and our whole school community, as well as assist with the extra curricula activities.

We would like to invite to become a member of our PTA. To nominate yourself, kindly email our Deputy Principal Ms Sahra on [sahra.alsabti@fos.edu.om](mailto:sahra.alsabti@fos.edu.om) and include the following:

- Why you would like to be a member of our PTA
- Why you think you would be a great addition to our PTA
- Your strengths

Chosen candidates will be contacted via email by our committee.

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## After School Activities

After school activities will start from the week beginning October 27th. Our students were offered the opportunity to decide the after school activities to take place at FOS, as we wanted to ensure that they were exercising their decision making skills which is part of the 21st century skills. Our students found this to be an amazing opportunity!

After school activities consist of both academic and sport related activities, offering students opportunities to enhance their learning and having fun. Academic support activities are offered for English, Math, and Science at no cost. However, all other activities require the payment of a fee of OMR 30 per semester.

A separate letter about After School Activities was handed over to your child. We urge you to assist your child to make their selection and return the duly filled form to their respective classroom/homeroom teacher by Tuesday, 22nd October.

**Kindly note that if your son/daughter is going to partake in an after school activity you will need to arrange private transportation.**

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## Muscat Marathon

If your child wants to participate in Muscat Marathon, kindly sign off and return the permission slip, which you will receive by email, along the terms and conditions.



## Dismissal Time

Please note that the school day ends at 2:30 pm, kindly ensure that your son/daughter is picked up on time. In order to collect your child at the end of the school day, you will need to personally enter the school building and pick up your son/daughter from the entrance area. In addition, please ensure the entrance doors are kept clear, and no cars are parked there, as we need to all comply with the health and safety regulations, as safety is our main priority.

## Student ID Cards

We would like to remind students to bring in their ID cards every day. It is important for students to come to school with their ID cards as monitoring their attendance is done via the check in and check out of their cards.

## Lost Property

We expect all students to have their uniforms and personal belonging labelled with their names using laundry marker pen or permanent marker pen. This should help us return lost or misplaced uniform and other items to its rightful owners. Please also occasionally check that labels remain clear and visible due to the possibility of fading through washing and general wear and tear.

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