Message from the Vice Principal,

Assalam u Aalaikum wa rehmetullahi wa berekatuhu,

Dear students,

Indeed this has been a year of "change", both for me as well as for our institution. Alhamdulillah, as envisioned, the year 2011-2012 ends with a happy note and a lot of achievements.

What we have learnt with time is that Allah SubHanahu helps us achieve our goals if we work with commitment, passion and determination. Let us thank Him for all our achievements.

I would like to congratulate all the high achievers of our graduating class of 2010-2011, specially Hafsa Mobin for scoring the top position in Karachi in Principles of Accounts.

My hearty congrats to all the winners of different co and extra curricular activities that took place round the clock in this session. Keep it up!!! You are the stars of Nakhlah. May Allah SubHanahu make you an inspiration for others. Ameen.

Now, let me share with you the purpose of education. Education is the process of having an access to optimal states of mind regardless of the situation you are in. Education enables a person to perceive accurately, think clearly and act effectively to achieve self-selected goals and aspirations.

Keeping this purpose of education in mind, let us write our resolutions for the next session, of achieving excellence not only in academics but also in our characters, and then let us put in our best efforts towards achieving them.

Finally my dear students, always remember.... the tougher you are on yourself, the easier life will be on you. Stay focused towards pleasing Allah SubHanahu, mould your lives to the way of our beloved Prophet Muhammad Sallal laho alaihey wasallam and study hard and last but no the least.... always keep Nakhlah in your prayers.

Saboohi Naz

Vice Principal.

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*The Road Not Taken*

Two roads diverged in a yellow wood
And sorry I could not travel both
And be one traveler, Long I stood
And looked down one as far as I could
To where it bent in the undergrowth

Then took the other, as just as fair
And having perhaps the better claim,
Because it was grassy and wanted wear,
Though as for that the passing there
Had worn them really about the same
And both that morning equally lay
In leaves step had trodden black
Oh, I kept the first for another day!
Yet knowing how way leads on to way
I doubted if I should ever come back
I shall be telling this with a sigh
Somewhere ages and ages, and
I took the one less traveled by,
And that has made all the difference.
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**Winners:**

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**High Achievers!**

- Aisha Asif: 2A*, 3A's, 4B's
- Amana Doni: 1A*, 3A's, 4B's
- Ayesha Jamal: 3A*'s, 4A's, 3B's
- Hafsa Mobin: 6A*'s, 3A's,
- Maleeha Mehmood: 1A*, 4A's, 4B's
- Mariam Shahid: 4A*'s, 3A's, 2B's
- Amsal Asif Kasbati: 5A*'s, 3A's, 1B
- Muhammad Nauman: 5A*'s, 1A, 3B's
- Muhammad Zaid: 8A*'s, 2A's
- Mustafa Javed: 1A*, 4A's, 4B's

**Gulshan Campus**

Our newly established Gulshan Campus will insha’Allah prove to be another milestone towards achieving our goal of quality education along with Islamic grooming of the young ones. The purpose built campus is well equipped with spacious rooms, library and a tastefully decorated art room. We are looking forward to please Allah SubHanahu through our continuous efforts at this campus.

**Spell Bee Contest JCS**

Spelling and enthusiastic spellers showed their febrile talent and immense capabilities in front of mothers in the Spelling Bee Contest.

**Spelling Bee MCS & GCS**

The students of Prep II participated in the event with great eagerness and confidence.

Ammara Andaleeb (1st Position)

**Age group 14-17**

1. Madiha Hatim OIII
2. Haya Yawar OIII
3. Ayesha Aftab OIII

Won the District round and qualified to regional-reached till Elimination round of

**Age group 12-14**

1. Hadia Shahid OI B
2. Hammnah Rehan OI B
3. Zainab Touseef VIII A

Won the District round and qualified to regional round.
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**Sports Day JCS**

A day waited for with abated breath—children, all fired and geared up to reach the finishing line, was held in January. Overwhelming response of praying mothers encouraged our young athletes to go on. During the races, excitement broke as children excitedly bucked up their team mates. Amid cheers and chants, winners were presented medals. **SAAD House** won the trophy for the event.

**Sports Day MCS**

A combined event was held for Montessori and Junior Campuses students who were whole-heartedly supported and encouraged by teachers, mothers and their peers. **SAAD House** claimed the trophy as the winner house.

**Health Week MCS**

The Health Week was held to reinforce the importance of personal hygiene. A demonstration of using miswak, The sunnah way of cutting nails, washing the hands and face and taking care of one’s personal appearance was given to the students.
To promote physical activity and healthy living, sports events were also organized at the premises of Junior Campus Society. These knock-out tournaments were:

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The skill, energy and sportsman spirit shown by the students made Nakhlah proud. Winner of the Throw ball tournament was OI B, while OII B was the runners up. Winner of the Basketball tournament was VIII A, while OI B was the runners up.
A Reading Competition was organized to motivate the students towards reading and for building up their confidence. The students participated in this program with a lot of zeal and enthusiasm.

Congratulations!

Winners of English Speech Competition
Abdullah Abdul Malik  Class I-E(1st position)
Muhammad Talha  Class II-A(1st position)
Hamda Basit  Class III-A(1st position)

Winners of Urdu Speech Competition
Maryam Aamir  Class I-B(1st position)
Zainab Irfan  Class II-B(1st position)
Yusra Rizwan  Class III-B(1st position)

A fun-filled day was organized at the Junior Campus society, where stalls of food items, jewellery, mehndi, dresses, games and nutritional consultancy were set up for both the parents as well as the students.

A jumping castle added to the fun specially for our juniors.

Students were guided by the teachers to create their individual piece of art and craft work which were taken home by them after a whole day of display.
Olympiad

A Math based competition was conducted by the Aga Khan School on 22nd October 2011. Alhamdo Lillah, Amna Imran VIII B and Fatima Khalid VIII A, not only took part in the event, but performed well, too.

Kasauti

A Kasauti event was organized on the 3rd November 2011. Students participated with zeal and determination. Questions asked varied from General Knowledge, History, Islamiat and Quran. The program was conducted in two halves, first half for the Junior Girls and the second half for the Senior Girls.

The winners were,
Senior Group,
Iqra Younus OI B
Tayyaba Zubairi OI A
Fatima Saya OI B
Junior Group;
Amna Akif VC
Sara Kamran VB
Sheena Nasrullah VI A

Casio Competition

Another Math Competition was held on 18th November 2011, also at the Aga Khan School. The participants and winners were Ameelah Yaseen OI B and Ramsha Saleem OI B. MASHA ALLAH!!

World Math Day

It was celebrated in the school on 1st March 2012. A variety of mathematical activities were conducted in class IV to OIII.

Science Day

On the 25th February 2012, a Science Fair was organized by the Girls Campus Society at their premises. As 9 o’clock struck, mothers bustled in, eager to view the three months efforts of their children. And they weren’t disappointed. Projects varied from pure science like recycling, solar system, diabetes to Business and Marketing like Brands in Hands and Computer to the Virtual Tour. Mothers, teachers, guests and students milled around bargaining, admiring and appreciating. Votes were cast and the following teams won the Most Popular Project award.

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