

April 28, 2023

Secondary update

Dear Parents,

It was back to our extended days after Ramadan and the students (and staff!) have slotted back into the full schedule. This week we have had students out at a local Aquathon competition, attending the theatre to watch an evening show as well as preparing for tonight's Spring Carnival, and it will be great to see many of you there.



Next week sees the first exam of the summer IGCSE series and our Year 11 students have been revising hard in preparation. We wish them all the best of luck. Last week I mentioned our plan to set up a parent group to support the Secondary Leadership Team as new developments and initiatives are launched over the coming weeks and into the next academic year. Thanks to those of you who have already expressed an interest in being a part of the group. If you are yes to register your interest then please drop a quick email to our Secondary Secretary Ms. Evangeline Reyes on evangeline.reyes@southview.ae and we will arrange our first meeting before the end of May.

Please read on for updates from around the school. Enjoy your weekend and I look forward to seeing you around the campus soon.

Kind regards,

Jon Pennock

Message from The Arts team

SVS Spring Carnival:

Well done to the Annie cast, the SVS Secondary choir, our crew team and all the students that performed in the SVS Spring Carnival.

SVS Secondary Choir:

Choir is now up and running for term 3 at the following times: Mondays at 1:05pm and after school 3:45pm-4:30pm.



Ukulele Lessons:

If you would like to learn the Ukulele, there will be lessons every Tuesday in the Secondary Music room at 1:15pm starting May 2nd. If you have never played an instrument before but would like to start, please come along, lessons are open to beginners.

GCSE ART EXAM

Good luck to our 8 Yr 11 Art Students who have their final exam Thursday and Friday this week. We are looking forward to seeing your masterpieces!



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West Side Story @Dubai Opera House:



Fifteen very well behaved students attended Dubai Opera House on Thursday evening to watch Ms Rock's favourite musical 'West Side Story'. It was a fantastic evening of excellent acting, dancing and singing and well worth a late night!

StepUp Academy Annual Show

Best of luck to our very own Liran and all of our primary dancers in the annual Stepup Academy show this weekend at The Theatre, Mall of the Emirates. Tickets are still available from the Virgin website!



Look out for the more information on the following events coming very soon...

SVS Has Talent!

SVS Extended Arts Showcase Evening

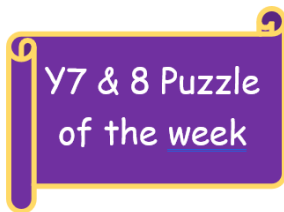
Message from the Maths team – Puzzle of the week

Feel free to attempt this week’s puzzle from the Maths team!

WHY?
To complete fun maths puzzles and develop your **problem solving** skills! Earn merits and **housepoints** - 3 merits for the correct first answer in. 2 merits for the second. 1 merit for the next 5 correct entries. Every entry earns a **housepoint**.

HOW?
Write your answer (including working out) on paper with name, date and time handed in to your maths teacher.

Monday 17th April



Each of the numbers 1 to 9 is to be placed in a different cell of the grid shown so that the sum of the three numbers in each row is 15. Also, the sum of the two numbers in each shaded column is to be 15.
How many choices are there for the number to be placed in the central cell indicated by *?

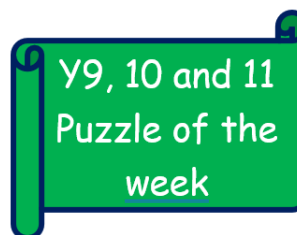


A 0 B 1 C 2 D 3 E 4

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Which of these is closest in size to 1?

A 0.95 B 1.05 C 0.960 D 1.040 E 0.95

Message from the English team

Our KS3 year groups are all enjoying exploring Shakespeare with the latest new topic in the English curriculum. The specific texts for each year group are mentioned below so please do ask your sons and daughters what they think

Year 7 = A Midsummer Night’s Dream

Year 8 = Romeo and Juliet

Year 9 = The Tempest

All Year 7 and 8 are building models of or painting pictures of The Globe theatre. Due in on 9th May. Prizes to be won.



Message from the Science team

This week our Year 7 students started their Ecosystems unit in Science. We used this opportunity to discuss and celebrate South Views rich and diverse community.





Message from the Geogrpahy team – FAO Y10 parents

Ms. Rahilly will be offering after school geography revision classes for Year 10 students before their end of term assessments every Tuesday after school from 3:45-4:30.



After School Geography Exam Revision
Every Tues day
Geography Room, 1st Floor
3:45—4:30PM

Please ask Miss Rahilly if you are interested in signing up or email catherine.rahilly@southview.wa



Sustainability team at SVS

For our sustainability Fridays and to help build our sustainable garden, We are looking for your support to help donate any materials you may have to help build our bird houses and bird feeders. If you have any old recyclable materials or items that you would like to donate, we will be happy to accept. Thank you for your support!

Examinations summer timetable for Y11 (and Y10 English Language)

Please find the full examination schedule for the upcoming IGCSE and GCSE examinations. The timetables are given weekly and please note there are no exams during Week 5 which is the UK half term.

| | Time | Week 1 - May 1 - 5, 2023 |
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| 1-May | Afternoon 12:00 PM | |
| 2-May | Individual Timings | French Speaking Exam - 9.10am and 9.30am |
| | | Spanish Speaking Exam - 11.20am and 11.40am |
| | Afternoon 12:00 PM | Examination code: 0653/32 or 0653/42 Subject: Combined Science - Paper 3 Theory 1 hour 15 min |
| 3-May | Afternoon 12:00 PM | Examination code: 3180/01 |
| | | Subject: Arabic A Cambridge O Level |
| | | Title: Paper 1 hour 30 |
| 4-May | Morning AM 9:00 | Examination code: |
| | | Subject: Art |
| 5-May | Morning AM 9:00 | Examination code: |
| | | Subject: Art |
| Date | Time | Week 2 - May 8 - 12, 2023 |
| 8-May | | Art Day - Project 1 |



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| 9-May | Afternoon PM 12:00 | Examination code: 0653/62 |
| | | Subject: Combined Science - Paper 6 Alternative to Practical 1 hour |
| 10-May | Afternoon PM 12:00 | Examination code: 3180/01 |
| | | Subject: Arabic A Cambridge O Level |
| | | Title: Paper 1 hour 30 |
| 11-May | Morning AM 9:00 | Art Day - Project 1 |
| 12-May | Morning AM 9:00 | Art Day - Project 1 |
| Date | Time | Week 3 - May 15-19, 2023 |
| 15-May | Afternoon PM 13:30 | Examination code: 4ES1 01 |
| | | Subject: English as a Second Language 2 hours |
| | | Examination code: 4IT1 01 |
| | | Subject: Information and Communication Technology (ICT) 1 hour 30 |
| 16-May | Morning AM 9:00 | Examination code: 4SD0 1B |
| | | Subject: Science (Double Award) Biology |
| | | Title: Paper: 1B 2 hours |
| 17-May | Afternoon 4.30PM | Subject: PE Title: Component 1: Fitness and Body Systems 1 hour 30 |
| | Afternoon 4.30PM | Subject: Turkish Title: Paper 1 Listening and Understanding Higher Tier 45 mins Title: Paper 3 Reading and Understanding Higher Tier 1 hour 5 mins |
| | | Examination code: 4HI1 01 |

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| 18-May | Morning AM | 9:00 | Subject: History |
| | | | Title: Paper 1 1 hour 30 |
| | Afternoon PM | 13:30 | Examination code: 4BS1 01 |
| | | | Subject: Business 1 hour 30 |
| | | | Examination code: 4AA1 01 |
| | | | Subject: Arabic B (Edexcel) |
| | | | Title: Paper 1 Listening 35 minutes (F), 45 minutes (H) Paper 3 Reading 50 minutes (F), 1 hr 5 mintes (H) |
| | Afternoon 13PM | | Examination code: 3180/02 |
| | | | Subject: Arabic A Cambridge O Level |
| Title: Paper 1 hour 30 | | | |
| 19-May | Morning AM | 9:00 | Examination code: 4MA1 1FR |
| | | | Subject: Mathematics A 2 hours |
| | | | Examination code: 4MA1 1HR |
| | | | Subject: Mathematics A 2 hours |
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| Date | Time | Week 4 - May 22 - 26, 2023 | |
| 22-May | Morning AM | 9:00 | Examination code: 4FR1 01 |
| | | | Subject: French listening 35 mins |
| | | | Examination code: 4FR1 02 |
| | | | Subject: French Reading and Writing 1 hour 45 |
| | | | Subject: Geography |



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| | Afternoon PM | 13:30 | Title: Paper 1 Physical Geography 1 hour 10 |
| 23-May | Morning AM | 9:00 | Examination code: 4SD0 1C |
| | | | Subject: Science (Double Award) Chemistry |
| | | | Title: Paper 1C 2 hours |
| 24-May | Morning AM | 9:00 | Examination code: 4/T1 02 |
| | | | Subject: ICT |
| | | | Title: Practical paper 2 3 hours |
| | Afternoon 4.30PM | | Subject: Turkish Title: Paper 3 Writing in Turkish 1 hour 25 mins |
| 25-May | Morning AM | 9:00 | Examination code: 4SD0 1P |
| | | | Subject: Science (Double Award) Physics |
| | | | Title: Paper 1P 2 hours |
| 26-May | | | |
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| 1-Jun | | |
| 2-Jun | | |
| Date | Time | Week 6 - June 05 - June 09, 2023 |
| 5-Jun | Morning AM 9:00 | Examination code: 4EA1 01 |
| | | Subject: English Language A |
| | | Title: Paper 1 2 hour 15 |
| 6-Jun | Morning AM 9:00 | Examination code: 4MA1 2F |
| | | Subject: Mathematics A 2 hours |
| | | Examination code: 4MA1 2H |
| | Afternoon PM 13:30 | Subject: Mathematics A 2 hours |
| | | Examination code: 4AA1 |
| | | Subject: Arabic B |
| Afternoon 12.30PM | Title: Paper 4 Writing 1 hour 20 (F), 1 hour 25 (H) | |
| | Examination code: 0653/01 or 0653/02 | |
| | Subject: Combined Science - Paper 1 Multiple choice 45 min | |
| 7-Jun | Morning AM 9:00 | Examination code: 4SP1 01 |
| | | Subject: Spanish Listening 35 min |
| | | Examination code: 4SP1 02 |
| | Afternoon PM 13:30 | Subject: Spanish Reading and Writing 1 hour 45 |
| | | Examination code: 4HI1 02 |
| | | Subject: History |
| Title: Paper 2 1 hour 30 | | |



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| 8-Jun | Afternoon 12PM | Examination code: 1PE0 02 |
| | | Subject: Physical Education |
| | | Title: Component 2: Health and Performance 1 hour 15 |
| 9-Jun | Morning 9:00 AM | Examination code: 4GE1 02 |
| | | Subject: Geography |
| | | Title: Paper 2 Human Geography 1 hour 45 |
| Date | Time | Week - 7 June 12 - June 16, 2023 |
| 12-Jun | Afternoon 13:30 PM | Examination code: 4BS1 02 |
| | | Subject: Business |
| | | Title: Paper 2 1 hour 30 |
| 13-Jun | | |
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| 14-Jun | Afternoon 13:30 PM | Examination code: 4ES1 02 |
| | | Subject: English as a Second Language |
| | | Title: Paper 2 Listening 1 hour 30 |