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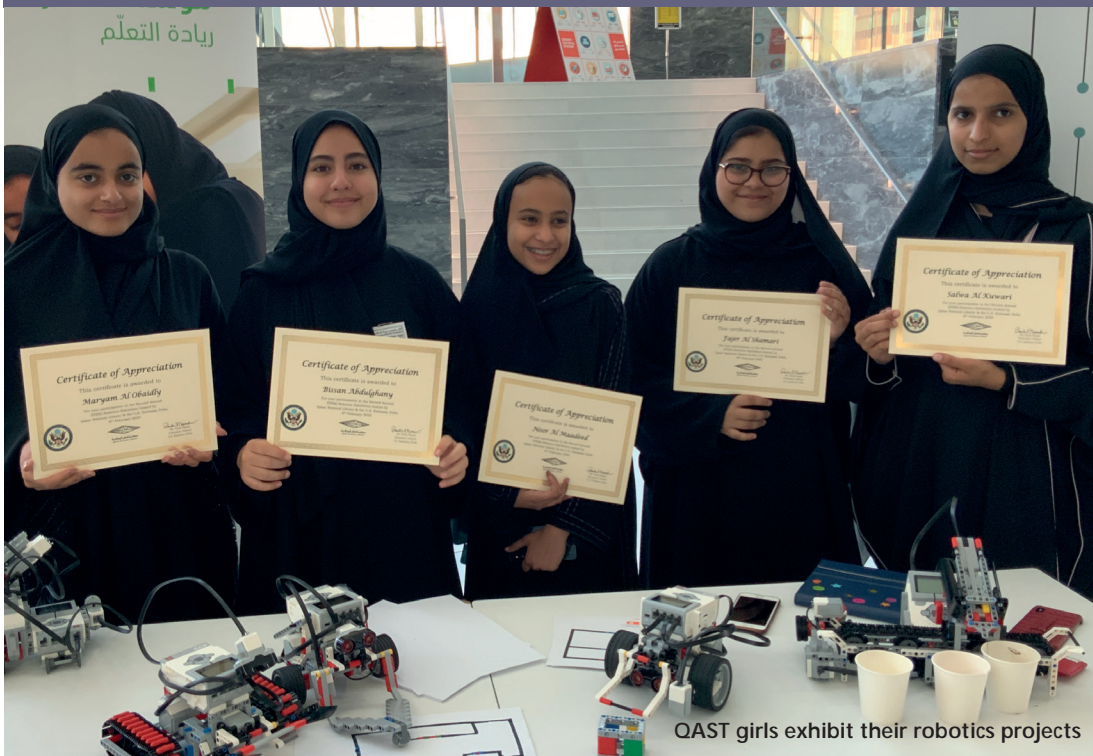
Director's Message

We are now in our second most productive time of the year! Students are fully engaged and working hard. This week at QAST students are doing well and focused on their achievement.

March is looking to be very busy at QAST. We have our first STEM Activity night on 3 March and we will host the national STEM conference, iSTEMed on 7 and 8 March. During this conference, our students will be participating in a host of activities. On 11 March, we will host our Parent Teacher conferences at 5pm at QAST.

During this time, each parent will have an opportunity to meet with their child's teachers. We will also host a special presentation for our Grade 10 parents and students to outline next year's course of studies and course selection process.

Dr Greg Moncada, Director QAST



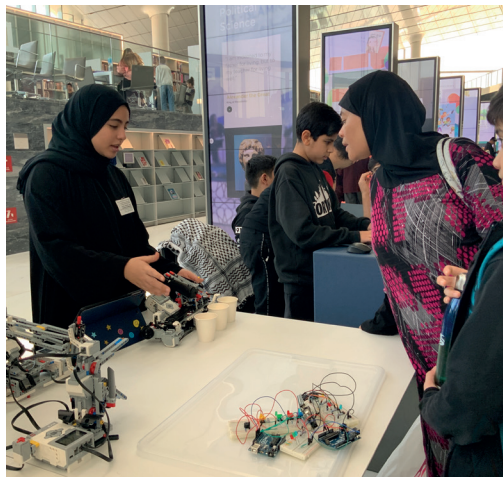
QAST girls exhibit their robotics projects



QAST students present at the QNL and American Embassy Robotics Competition

Our students got the opportunity to show the robotics projects they have been working on from wrestling robots to a robotic writing tool to support people who have difficulty in learning to write. A huge thank you to all the students involved and to Bissan who stood up to talk about her project where she built a robot to sort plastics by colour before they get recycled. This was a solution to one of the problems identified by the Grade 8 students as part of a plastics project in December. Well done!

By Mr Vaughan



Grade 8 Smoothies

Our Grade 8 students made smoothies in advisory this week and they were delicious! The recipe included:

- milk
- plain yogurt
- strawberries
- bananas
- avocados
- honey (optional)

The students participated in cleaning up, learned how to prepare the ingredients, and how to use a blender with care!

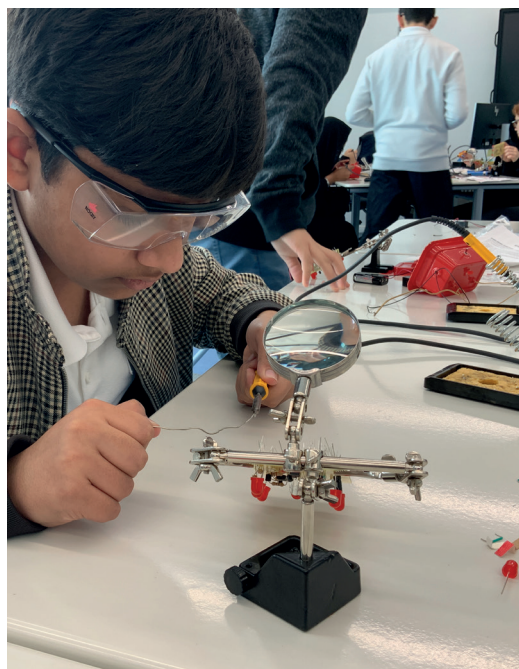
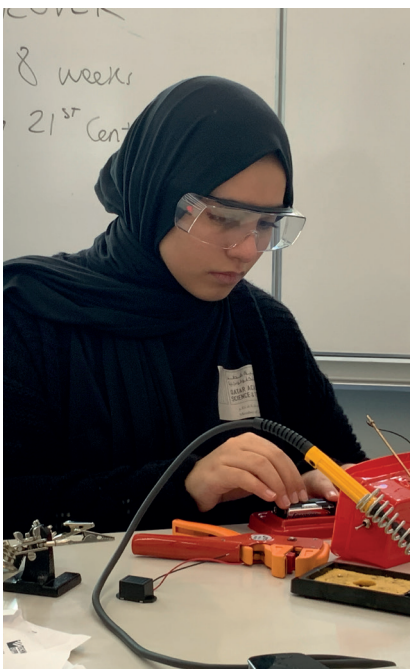
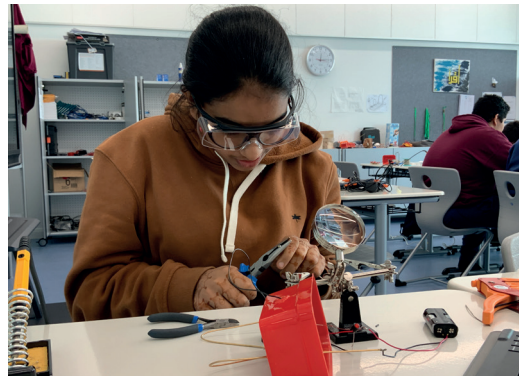
They were so proud of their creations that they shared them with security staff, teachers and classmates. Way to go Grade 8 students!

By Ms Lisa



Mastering Soldering Skills

Grade 8 have been mastering their soldering skills by building an electronic die. Top marks are awarded for accuracy, understanding and ensuring the circuits work!



Principal's Message

Parents,

We are going to be transitioning from the current dashboard system to a new system in the future. We are starting to gather data on a system that will be easy to use for parents and students. We want a system that is going to communicate effectively with parents and we recognize that we can improve in this area.

Also, a kind reminder that there is no school the week of 15-19 March.

Mr Samuel Abrams
Principal, QAST

Counselor's Message

Pre-ACT at QAD

This is a warm reminder about the Pre-ACT that will take place on Sunday, 16 February 2020, at QAD. at 6:45 am.

Our Grade 10 students will not come into school on Sunday. Please refer to my detailed email regarding this that was sent on Thursday, 13 February 2020. All students have been informed verbally regarding the obligations and requirements.

College Expo at QAST

Also, there will be a college expo held at QAST during lunchtime (11:25 am -12:05 pm), on Monday, 17 February 2020. All students and parents of QAST are welcome to attend!

The visitors will include:

- Bangor University
- Representatives from the UK, USA, Canada, Europe, Turkey, and Australia
- University of Sunderland
- Murdoch University

School Sports Day

On Wednesday 19 February we will have our sports day at the Student Center bowling alley, with lunch to follow. We will depart by bus at 12.15 and pick up is at 14.45 at the Student Center. Students must wear comfortable clothes and bring money for lunch.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at any time.

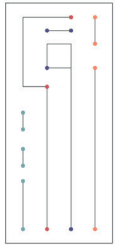
Sincerely
Mrs Lisa



NewsQAST Extra

We invite you to our first STEM Event to help design a Micro-Transport system. Work with us to build your knowledge and learn the skills required to create real-world solutions to real-world problems. This is a FREE event open to QF and non-QF families. Activities are tailored to appeal to ages 11 to 16. Booking is via Eventbrite: <https://stemactivity.eventbrite.com>

We will be holding the activity in the dining hall at our high school in Education City: Qatar Academy for Science and Technology (QAST) Families who want to come and experience the QAST way for themselves are very welcome to join us at our upcoming STEM Activity Afternoon on 3 March from 2-4pm.



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3 مارس 2020
من 2 ظهرًا إلى 4 عصرًا

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المصغر في مؤسسة قطر!

متاح للعائلات داخل وخارج مؤسسة قطر.
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Dates for Your Diary

Date	Time	Activity
16 Feb	06:45 at QAD	Pre-ACT
17 Feb	11:25 – 12:05	College Expo at QAST
19 Feb	12.15 – 14:45	School Sports Day
11 Mar	TBA	Parent Consultations
15 - 19 March	-	SCHOOL HOLIDAY

Clubs

After School Clubs from 2pm to 2:50pm

CLUB	DAY	STAFF MEMBER
Robotics/Creating	Sunday	Mr Idris
Arabic Gift Talent	Sunday	Mr Zayed
Football	Monday	Mr Zayed, Mr Abdullah
Girls Gym	Monday	Miss Elena
Math	Wednesday	Mr Abdullah
Current Affairs	Wednesday	Miss Ellen
Book Club	Thursday	Miss Jeanetta
French	Thursday	Miss Maha

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