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# ASM Warriors' Weekly

**4 Jan 2021**

| Mon 4 Jan  | Tue 5 Jan  | Wed 6 Jan   | Thu 7 Jan | Fri 8 Jan             |
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| DAY 3  | DAY 4  | DAY 5   | DAY 6     | DAY 7                 |
| 9:00am<br><b>Learning Mode Preference Google Form sent to parents</b><br><br>9.55am-10.05am<br><b>GMeet Middle School Assembly</b> | 10:30 - 10:45am<br><b>MS Assembly</b><br><br>12:30 - 12:45pm<br><b>HS Assembly</b> | <b>Shortened Day</b><br>(50min lessons; pick-up 1.45pm) |           | <b>Quarter 2 Ends</b> |

## Happy New Year! Sana Saïda! Bonne Année!

I hope you have enjoyed a happy and safe winter break. May 2021 bring you much joy and turn out to be your best year yet!

## Indication of Learning Mode Preference for 3rd Quarter

At 9:00am on Monday (4th January) the Learning Mode Preference Google Form will be sent to parents for completion. Confirmation of selection (face-to-face or distance learning) will be emailed to parents on Friday 8th January. **Quarter 3 (the beginning of Semester 2) will begin on Tuesday 12th January and this will be when any confirmed learning mode changes will take effect.**

## Future Key Dates

Fri 8 Jan - Semester 1 ends... All Semester 1 student work to be submitted to teachers by this date

**Mon 11 Jan - NO CLASSES** (Moroccan Independence Manifesto)

Tues 12 Jan - Semester 2 starts

Fri 15 Jan - Semester 1 Reports issued to parents

18-22 Jan - Social Studies Week

22-26 Feb - Spring Break (NO CLASSES)

Tues 16 March (Full Day NO CLASSES) & Wed 17 March (Afternoon NO CLASSES Upper School only) - Parent Teacher Conferences

## Adjustments to Safe Zone Areas

We have made adjustments to the safe zone areas in order to maximize the use of space and achieve further safe distance. **Grades 10-12** will now have the opportunity to sit on the Basketball Bleachers (one student per 'box' area) to eat and talk. **Grades 10 - 12** can also play soccer and other safe games on the pitch in front of main reception - in the half nearest to the Main Gate. **Please note: Sports are still not permitted on the Basketball Court.**

## Monday 4th Jan 9:55am - 10:05am Middle School Assembly

Google Meet link: <https://meet.google.com/tsd-amom-nit> DL students enter the Assembly at the designated time (not before) - microphone off, sound on. Teachers will project the assembly for F2F students in their classrooms.

## Health & Safety Reminder

COVID-19 cases remain high despite the hope provided by a vaccine so it's important that we continue to try to adhere to the ASM Community Pledge in order to keep everyone healthy. Please continue to:

- Wear masks in the school building
- Safe distance from others (1.5m minimum with a mask; 2m minimum without a mask)
- Wash hands regularly

**No sports on the Basketball Court** - *Basketball is a contact sport which requires the transference of equipment using hands, thus it is deemed a COVID-19 high risk activity.*

## Clothing & Food Drive

A very BIG thank you to everyone who donated food and clothing before the winter break! Items were successfully distributed to Ait Souka in the Ilmlil valley by key members of the Upper School Student Council and ASM's Outreach President with the kind support of parents, Dr Asato and the 'Helping Hands' organization. Please see this week's 'Photo Memories' starting on the next page. The Middle School and High School classes which donated the most items will be announced during Monday's assembly and pizza parties will be held for both during one lunchtime this week.

## Giving Tree Competition...

1234 books created the Giving Tree! Congratulations to Chloe Orense for the nearest guess! Chloe, please collect your prize from Ms Smith on Monday.

## Photo Memories - Upper School Food/Clothing Drive!

























