Dear parents & students,

“No one has yet fully realized the wealth of sympathy, kindness & generosity hidden in the soul of a child. The effort of true education should be to unlock that treasure.” (Emma Goldman)

We have had an exhilarating 2016-2017. Lots of academic achievements and co-curricular activities have brought forward a treasure of talent ranging from Hassan Ishtiaq winning CEAT Competition at District level to Ermeena Javaid winning 2nd award of Rs. 15000/- in the HRCA Art Competition. 7 Gold medals , 3 silver medals & 3 bronze in CEATS Creative writing and Art Competitions.

The students’ performing arts talents also came forth through the Play Romeo & Juliet; mimicry to singing, from Naats to Poetry. These activities, polished their skills boosted their confidence and made them experience what it feels like to be applauded by the crowd.

The sports week, the water fight, trips all added to groom the students holistically along with excellence in academics, developing their comprehension, expression, curiosity, analytical and critical thinking skills. Developing persistence and perseverance, always striving to bring about positive and productive change in and around to develop each student into a complete and a responsible citizen with deep rooted civic sense, has always been our forte.

We are proud to be one of those schools which are both flexible and amiably understanding with no compromise on discipline, ethics, values and grooming.

Your feedback is always eagerly awaited for further improvement.

Have a great, fulfilled and a relaxing summer break with your families.

Happy Vacations and a blessed EID Mubarak!

Regards,
Tabassum R. Nisar
Principal

This year flew by very quickly! Hope to see you all again very soon and congratulation to the graduating class (A’ Levels II)

RUNNING LATE FOR THE SCHOOL
Did you know that being half an hour late to school each day from reception to year 10 equals missing one year and one a half terms of schooling. Frequent absences from school, as well as students arriving late to school, negatively impacts on the child’s social inclusivity as well as academic achievement.

Please don’t hesitate to make time to meet with your child’s teacher to discuss strategies on how to get your child/children to school on time. We are willing to support your family as much as we can.

Let’s have a look at our achievements during this academic year 2016-17
Session 2016-17 started with an eventful activity of student council elections. The contesting posts were of President, Vice President, General Secretary and Secretary, Sports. Enthusiastic contestants with their supporters submitted the nomination papers followed by the campaign. The colourful banners and posters were put up all over the campus on the polling day. Students cast their votes in favour of their favourite nominees. Results were announced by the Principal in the assembly.

Polling Day...
INVESTITURE CEREMONY 2k16

"Leaders are not born but are made by their experiences in life".

The Investiture Ceremony was held at Asas International F-8 Campus; Chief Guest MNA Dr. Shireen Mazari graced the occasion and our newly elected student council were presented with their eminent gowns and sashes.

DAWN SPELLING BEE COMPETITION 2k16

Our students have performed exceptionally well in the 12th DAWN Spelling Bee competition held in ISLAMABAD CLUB on Monday, October 17 and Wednesday, October 19, 2016.

Friendly MATCHES at ASAS F10 Campus...

"It is great to see such enthusiasm and high level of energy amongst students of different age groups. Such matches are a good break for students from their hectic school routine. Not only will these sports activities help them develop their personalities, but also help identify their strengths in a particular sport, thus opening up newer avenues for them."

"When a team outgrows individual performance and learns team confidence, excellence becomes a reality."

APRIL is a Autism Awareness Month

ASAS International School F-8 Branch Pre-School and Remedial group launched an awareness campaign. Students from KG to Grade VIII participated in the event and shared information related to Autism to spread awareness. Commendable effort was put in by all students as they had gathered relevant information related to the spectrum.

Autism is a neuro-developmental disorder characterized by:

a) Lack of social interaction.
b) Lack of emotional reciprocity.
c) Lack of verbal or non-verbal communication.

People with autism spectrum are special in their own way, they are unique and possess intelligence that is equal to normal people in some cases more than that.

Honorable Principal emphasized that we as a society need to bring a change and by making strong support system for people with special needs, we will be able to fill gaps and spread smiles all round.

Welcome Party 2k17

Continuing with the proud tradition of the ASAS, senior students (O’ & A’ Levels) and newcomers mingled with each other at the welcome party held in November, 2016. The event started with a blistering performance from two of the senior students followed by new students coming in and mesmerizing everyone with their exhilarating performances. Dance was performed by one of our senior student Rameel Jahanzaib. The crowd roared and shouted until there was no more energy for them to speak. The party was managed very well by the combined efforts of students and the Management working together. Everyone enjoyed to the fullest and left with a smile on their faces and joy inside.
Annual Sports Day, 2017

The much awaited Annual Sports Day was held on Saturday, March 11, 2017 at Y-93 Campus. The fantastic turnout from the parents and the pleasant weather were the perfect boost for the students on the sports day. The students entered into the spirit of the occasion in a grand way with the flag opening ceremony. Chief Guest, Imran Khan, Deputy graced the occasion. The Principals, Tabassum B. Ninar also took the salute of the impressive March Past of the senior students. Rhythmic and an energizing Taekwondo display on the lawn for the rest of the event. Once the races began, the air was filled with cheering and tons of encouragement for the young athletes. Students from all the classes competed class-wise in events including races. Top-of-the-line between the inclusive Education Group, parents & grandparents races were the highlight and the enjoyment of the sports event. The day ended with our chief guest, Imran Khan congratulating the winners with medals and certificates Waterers was declared as the winner, house of the year.

Gamers' Den 2k17

On January 12, 2017 Asas International School hosted one of the biggest sports events of Islamabad, Asas Gamers Den. The event was a huge success and 14 schools participated from Islamabad and Rawalpindi. The games in the event were football, volleyball, cricket and badminton, table tennis, console gaming (fifa 16 and call of duty) & dodge the ball. The event came to an end leaving thrilling memories in the hearts of each and every one present there. Our students proved that winners win, winners lose, but most importantly winners play.

Hassan Khurram

It was just my second year in ASAS when I won the elections for Sports Secretary overwhelmingly! I made the best of friends in the ASASIAN community and our adventures together for organizing these events in Asas were just the best. I've been learning a lot from my past as a sports secretary and my passion for sports has found its edge. Asas Gamer's Den was a truly amazing experience for me, and organizing such a big event was a privilege for me. Plus, I was honoured to bring 11 trophies for the school as being the sports secretary with obviously the support, dedication and hard work of our sports team!

https://www.facebook.com/pg/Asasgamersden
Debate Competition was held at ASAS International F-H Branch in the light of Pakistan Day. Chief guests & judges for the occasion were Mrs. Sadaf Amir, O/A level English Language teacher and Sir Shahzad Munir, O’ level Urdu Language teacher. Students participated with great energy and zeal. In the end prize distribution ceremony was held. Mrs. Sadaf Amir appreciated the efforts of the students and briefed them on the different debating styles.

Winners of Kangaroo Linguistic Contest 2k17 along with their medals and certificates with our Principal Mrs. Tabassum R. Nisar.

Pre-O’ Levels Inventrure Ceremony was held at Asas International F8 branch. Sashes for House Captains for Knights and Warriors were distributed to the students. Head boy and Head girl sashes were also distributed to the capable students.

One team one dream: participants of A2Z Art Competition, 2k17

High achievers of CBAT Competition along with their gold, silver & bronze medals.

Ghurzang Khan
The proud winners of silver medals in the Bebras International Informatics Contest 2017.
Study hard, do good and the good life will follow....
Besides the extracurricular activities our goal is to provide well-balanced, quality education/child care in a safe, friendly environment that meets the needs of all children, parents & community as well.

Colour speaks all languages.
Colours speak louder than words...
Our Pre-school & Inclusive Education Group celebrat-ed “Primary / Secondary Colour Day” with great joy and they were made aware of the importance of these colors during the morning assembly and various activi-ties were conducted.

MOVIE DAY
Watching movies has known to have positive impact on a child’s mind as well on his overall development. Movies with social message, lesson or pure fun can be worth watching. So our LITTLE GEMS learnt a good lesson watching movie; 3 Bahadur

Traffic Day
Road safety education is very essential for all age groups. Inculcation of safety rules in children can provide lifelong benefits to society. By teaching the basics of road safety to children, they are prepared for civic sense and the rights of other people and themselves, from which they will benefit in years to come as they become teenagers and then adults.

Fruit Salad Day...
Preschool celebrated fruit salad day. Learning a new skill, such as baking or cooking, is known to help children with self-esteem development.

Get your sparkle on, show this world where you belong.

Nature Walk
To see a world in a grain of sand, And a heaven in a wild flower, Hold infinity in the palm of your hand, An eternity in an hour.

* William Blake, poet (1757-1827)
Naat/Singing Competition was held here at Asas F-8 Campus in April, 2017. The programme started with the singing of a beautiful Naat, after which, other students sang various Pakistani songs and made the whole atmosphere melodious. In solo performance, Mir Bailach Khan took first position.

The children earnestly participated in the competition. This fun filled activity witnessed an enthusiastic participation of the students. The final judgment was made by the judges. The selection process was extremely difficult for the judges. Principal, Tabasum R. Nisar said that the aim of the competition was to harness and discover the inner talent of the students so that they could feel proud and to be more encouraged for their future ventures. The programme ended with the singing of a beautiful kawwal ‘Tajdar-e-Haram’ by Pre-O’levels students.

The traditional Water fight took place at ASAS International F-8 branch where students of O/A’ levels joined the show along with Sir Binsameen Akhtar Abbasi, Farzad Rehman Sherani, Imran Khan & Javid Ikhbal. Students were all geared up as soon as Principal ASAS inaugurated water fight...It was water all over.

Teachers Training Workshop held at ASAS F-8 Branch on Friday, October 14, 2016 organized by an NGO Edify, Islamabad.

Topic: “Learning Problems and Effects of Teachers on Students”

The workshop session was very much interactive with professional trainer and educationist Ms. Saima Afzal, former Principal of Army Public School System.

Asas senior section organized “Farewell Party” on April, 2017, where students of OIII & AI year bid farewell to the outgoing students of All final year with great enthusiasm. We were honoured to have Mr. Uzair Jaswal as a Chief Guest of the event. Students presented very entertaining group dance, solo dance and solo song performances. “Lord & Lady of the Evening” were crowned by audience, which itself is a heart throbbing moment. Different titles were awarded to the students. Principal wished good luck to the final year students for their future. You will be missed!!