



OWL NEWS

Until 14 October

DANILA KUMAR

INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL

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1000 LJUBLJANA

SLOVENIA

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KG GENERAL MEETING

Dear KG community,

On **Tuesday, 4 October** KG will have their first general meeting at 16:00 in 348.

Klemen Strmljan

Head of International Department



INDIVIDUAL MEETINGS

Dear DKIS community,

Individual meetings will take place in school; **Thursday, 13 October at 16:00**. Please, put your child's name and your e-mail in the file using the following link: [Individual meetings](#)

The list will be available until 11:00, Thursday, 13 October.

Additionally, please respect the time slots. If you are not able to get a slot between 16:00–17:30, please take advantage of our teachers' weekly meetings. Our teachers are available one lesson per week, every week. You can find the information for individual teachers' time slots here:

<https://en.os-danilekumar.si/contacts/> (teachers).

The teachers on duty will escort you to your desired meeting.

Klemen Strmljan

Head of International Department

KG SCIENCE DAY - LJUBLJANA ZOO

Kindergarten students are going to visit the Ljubljana Zoo on **Wednesday October 12**. The cost is 6.50€ per child. We will have breakfast at 08:20 and depart from school at 09:00. We will travel by public bus. Please make sure your children are wearing sporty and comfortable shoes and clothes.

They should also bring a small backpack with a bottle of water and a little snack (no sweets please).

We will be back around 13:00 when we will have lunch.

In case of rain, the science day will be postponed.

The KG team



PYP 2 - CULTURAL DAY - SOCIAL GAMES

On **Wednesday, October 5**, we will have cultural day, the activities will start at **08:20**. and will finish at **12:05**.

Students will explore various social games in class and in the gymnasium, practice their ATL skills and recognise and apply PYP profiles, while working together or playing social board games. All the activities will be organized in the second grade classroom.

The afternoon programme will take place as usual.

Ms Teja Klavs



PYP 3 - CULTURAL DAY - CONFLICT RESOLUTION

The activities will be held at school on **Monday 3 October**, from 08:20 - 12:05. Students will test themselves in different conflict situations, and practice expressing themselves, staying open-minded, and understanding different perspectives. Activities will be organized in our classroom. All the necessary materials will be provided. Afternoon care will be take place as usual.

Ms Elina Zupanc



PYP 4 - SCIENCE DAY - TROPICAL HOUSE

Students from 4M will visit the Tropical House in Celje on **Wednesday, October 5**.

The students will learn about plants and animals and their role within an ecosystem, how living things are interdependent, how prey and predators differ (physical characteristics and adaptations to their environment, their dependence on each other - healthy populations, the movement of substances in nature, birth, life, and death (number of offspring, stable ecosystems, etc.).

Students should be at school by 08:10. Our return will be between 12:00 and 12:30.

Students must bring a small backpack and a water bottle. Snacks are provided at school.

We are looking forward to seeing many exotic animals and plants.

Ms Anja Plut



COLLECTING SMALL ELECTRICAL APPLIANCES

As the quantity of e-waste is growing rapidly, it is important to recycle it or reuse it properly.

From **1 to 21 October** we will be collecting Small Electrical Appliances in the lobby of the school.

We will try to collect as many appliances as possible to win a prize and host a concert with **Challe Salle** in our school!

To win a prize, there are two conditions:

- Collect as many electrical appliances (in kg) as possible (**functional and non-functional**)
- Create a strong (media) campaign in school and in your community (evidence!)

We are collecting kitchen appliances, vacuum cleaners, sewing machines, microwaves, radios, electric tools, mobile phones, calculators, laptops, TV monitors, videorecorders, LCD screens ...

Bring it to reception (if needed in a cardboard box or bag) and mark with a note if it still functions.

The functioning appliances will be checked by designated companies and organisations and **donated to those in need.**

For more information visit: [Ozaveščevalno – zbiralna nagradna akcija na območju Mestne občine Ljubljana »Prinesi male aparate« | ZEOS](#)

We will need your help (parents and students) with the collecting and the campaign!

7th and 8th grade students are invited to participate in the project and acquire Short-Term Service as Action recognition.

The PYP and MYP classes that bring the highest number of appliances will be awarded! (2 awards)

Ms Katarina Čepič



LITERARY COMPETITION

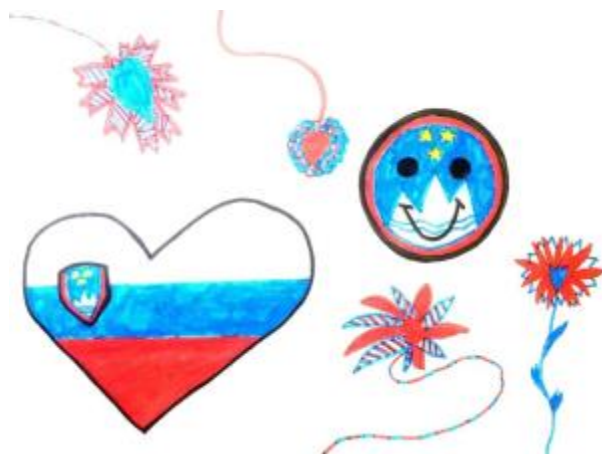
The teachers' Association Naša Zemlja organizes a literary, art and photography competition entitled "**Our Homeland - My Security**". The competition is extremely important, as it encourages young people to know and think about the importance of safety in our lives.

The students should consider various forms of security for all living beings – personal safety, safety of our homelands, online safety, safety of animals, plants. Let your imagination run wild and consider the metaphorical meaning as well as security today, in the future, in different periods of an individual's life, in different social circumstances, in different regions of our homelands.

You can express yourself through free writing, poems, essays, lines, anecdotes, comics, plays etc. Please contact me if you are interested in participating.

I will be collecting your work **until 17 April, 2023**.

Ms Tina Frelih



READING BADGE FOR PARENTS AND EMPLOYEES

We are inviting all the parents or other family members to participate in our Reading Badge project for parents and employees at Danila Kumar School.

The reading badge will run throughout the school year and conclude on 2 April 2023. Everyone can participate by reading 5 books, writing your opinion about them in the [attached form](#), and sending it to the school library e-mail (knjiznica@os-danilekumar.si).

The books can be anything you like, adult fiction, youth fiction, as well as professional fiction, in any language. With your permission, we will publish book reviews in a special collection published on the school's website, where you can see recommendations for your next reading. By joining this project, you will be a wonderful example to your children. Through youth literature, you will be able to peek into their world, talk about what you have read, and share your opinions with them.

Ms Tina Frelih

First name & Surname:

I give permission that my opinion about the book (without personal information) may be published in the collection on the school's website. **YES / NO** (circle)

AUTHOR	TITLE	MY OPINION ABOUT THE BOOK/THE BOOK'S MESSAGE	RATING (strongly recommend/recommend/ don't recommend)
1.			
2.			
3.			
4.			
5.			

WORKSHOP - BALLET & STRECHING

Baletna delavnica – Workshop ballet & stretching

vodi / held by Sorina Dimache

NOV PROGRAM / NEW PROGRAM 2022/23

► Za učence od 5. do 7. Razreda / For students, grades 5, 6, 7

► Torek/Tuesday, 4.10., Petek/Friday, 7.10., Avditorij OŠ DK, 15.30 - 16.30

Baletna delavnica je priložnost, da spoznate svoje telo, izboljšate svoj mišični sistem, se počutite fit in polni energije. Je odlična kombinacija med klasično plesno tehniko in raztezanjem.

The ballet workshop is an opportunity to get to know your own body, to improve your muscular system, to feel fit and full of energy. It is a perfect combination between classical dance technique and stretching.

Brezplačna udeležba! / FREE TRIAL

Prijavite se na / Apply to sorinadimache@gmail.com or 041 266 286

EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

Dear DKIS community,

I am sending you the final ECAs' list. The activities will start next week (choir being an exception).

As many students were enrolled into cooking, we will have to divide them into 2 groups. We will do it according to the ability (whether they have been to cooking before or not) and grades. Therefore, they will have cooking every two weeks.

The groups and dates will be announced shortly. PYP 3 & 4 will start next week, while PYP 1, 2 & 5 will start a week later.

In case many students are missing from one group, we will take students from both groups.

We will also offer Dance KG - PYP 3. TBA

Thank you for your understanding.

Our students can join international or [Slovenian ECAs](#) activities. They are updated almost on daily basis. If you need any assistance, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Klemen Strmljan

Head of International Department

ECA	Description	Mentor(s)	Grade(s)	When	Where
Lego Robotics	Students work on FIRST® LEGO® League (FLL) program, which supports children and youngsters to introduce them to science, technology, maths, and engineering.	Lojzka Lušin	MYP	Wednesday lesson 0 Wednesday lesson 7/8	367
Journalism	MYP students will get the chance to become the editors of our school newspaper by writing articles on world events, poems, stories, conducting interviews as well as report on school activities. They will learn to use various programs and formatting tools, plus they will contribute to the news on the school website.	Anja Dežman, Tina Frelih	MYP	Tuesday lesson 0 (could change)	369
Cooking	Students learn basic cooking skills and the chef's code.	Sonja Križman, Launay, Katarina Čepič	PYP	Tuesday (lesson 7,8)	155
WSC	Students will develop their communicating and critical thinking skills. Participating in school, national and international competitions.	Simon Zoretič Gajser	MYP	Thursday, Friday (lesson 6,7)	367

DIY	Students will learn how to reuse and repurpose old materials to create new wonderful and useful things.	Anja Plut	3 - 5	Thursday (14.05 – 15.05)	215
English for Parents	Communicative English lessons	Maleja Kores	Parents	Wednesday, 12.30 – 13.30	368
Extra art	This is the group of students who will work on special art tasks such as national/international art open calls, schools decorations and other extra art tasks. Usually this is a small group of students who enjoy making art after school.	Anja Podreka	MYP	Wednesday 7th & 8th lesson	374
Astronomy	Is for anyone who wants to learn more about astronomy events, cosmology, planets, galaxies, asteroids, astrophotography, the Big Bang, ...	Saša Krapež	PYP 3,4,5	Tuesday 14.05-14.50	341
Spanish - continuation	Students will learn the Spanish language through songs, games, short texts and various other activities.	Tea Jelencar	PYP 2, 3, 4	Monday lesson 8	369
Slovenian Reading Badge (MYP – proficient communicators)	Students will start reading books for Slovene Reading Badge after 17 September. For each book they will have an individual presentation and answer some questions about the book. Students who finish the Reading Badge till 2 April 20123 will get a certificate.	Lidija Janež Bajc, Dajana Trifunović	MYP, proficient communicators (phases 5 and 6)	Tuesday, lesson 0	168, 131
Indoor climbing	Students will develop their grossmotor skills on an indoor boulder (climbing wall).	Alen Kovačič, Andrew Tomlin	2m-4m	Tuesdays & Wednesday 2pm	Climbing wall
Experiments in Chemistry	Students will learn experimental skills and chemistry processes.	Maja Kastelic	MYP	Wednesday, Lesson 8	365
Volunteering	Students will offer help in AP, they will organize workshops and participate in a joint exercise program with the home residents.	Maja Majnik	5 - 8	As agreed	340
Choir (starts at the end of November)	Students will learn and perform together as a group of singers.	Kristina Štemberger	5 - 8	Tuesdays lessons 7 & 8	115
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Slovenian for Parents	Communicative Slovenian lessons.	Meita Plešnik	Parents	Mondays, lesson 6	170
Sewing for Beginners	Students will learn the basics of hand sewing and complete some crafty projects.	Sonja Kržman	PYP/MYP	Wednesdays, 14.00–15.00	370
DKSA	A playful way, adapted to the age of the children, learning about the purpose of individual ball games and connecting only - with personal growth.	Jasna Lavrenčič, Maja Uršič, Denis Držjak	(k) 1-5	KG & PYP 1: Mondays & Tuesdays 13:45–14:45 PYP 2 & 3: Mondays 13:45–14:45; Tuesday 14:45–15:45 PYP 4 & 5: Mondays 14:45–16:15; Thursdays 13:45–15:15	Gymnasium/dome

PTA CORNER

DANILE KUMAR INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL

Invites you to attend the

GENERAL PTA MEETING

Which will take place on

Wednesday October 5th 2022 at
08:30am in the school reading room.

PTA Class Representatives and Parents
please come and join us.

We would like to hear all your ideas
and suggestions.



CALENDAR IN BRIEF

3.	MON	PYP 3 CULTURAL DAY
4.	TUE	KG GENERAL MEETING BALLET WORKSHOP
5.	WED	PYP 4 SCIENCE DAY PYP 2 CULTURAL DAY PTA MEETING
6.	THUR	
7.	FRI	BALLET WORKSHOP
8.	SAT	
9.	SUN	
10.	MON	
11.	TUE	
12.	WED	KG SCIENCE DAY
13.	THUR	INDIVIDUAL MEETINGS
14.	FRI	
15.	SAT	
16.	SUN	