



OWL NEWS

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NEXT SCHOOL YEAR

Dear DKIS community,

Our team is already planning for the upcoming school year, 2023/24. We are fully aware that it is challenging to plan for the future in an ever-changing world. Nonetheless, we would greatly appreciate it, if you could give us an advanced indication of whether you are planning to continue your child/ren's education at our school, or if you have other plans. Please, send the information to fuerstm@os-danilekumar.si

Thank you,

Mr Klemen Strmljan

Head of International Department



MYP 2 WORKSHOP – CYBER BULLYING

On **Monday, 6 March and 27 March 2023**, during the 1st lesson, a workshop about **cyber bullying** will be organised.

The objectives for the workshop:

- **Raise awareness about the importance and frequency of online violence,**
- **identify the type of online violence,**

- raise awareness of the consequences of online violence,
- empowering students with knowledge about how to prevent such violence, how to confront it and what to do if they witness it,
- information on where to go for help.

The workshop will be led by the organisation **No excuse**.

Ms Maja Majnik



MYP 3 WORKSHOP – ELECTRONIC CIGARETTES

MYP 3 – WORKSHOPS IN MARCH 2023

On **Monday, 13 March 2023**, during the **1st lesson**, a workshop about **electronic cigarettes** will be organised for **8 M** students.

The objectives for the workshop:

- students will learn what e-cigarettes are, receive information about their composition and the impact of these ingredients on his/her health,
- students will learn historical facts about the tobacco industry and become aware of the fact that e-cigarettes are just a new method to attract young users,
- reflect on the wider impact of e-cigarette smoking on society through a range of activities.

The workshop will be led by the organisation **No excuse**.

Ms Maja Majnik



MYP 3 WORKSHOP – ELECTRONIC CIGARETTES

MYP 3 – WORKSHOPS IN MARCH 2023

On **Monday, 20 March 2023, during the 1st lesson**, a workshop about **electronic cigarettes** will be organised for **8 I** students.

The objectives for the workshop:

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- students will learn historical facts about the tobacco industry and become aware of the fact that e-cigarettes are just a new method to attract young users,
- reflect on the wider impact of e-cigarette smoking on society through a range of activities.

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MATHEMATICAL COMPETITION

This year our school will organize two different mathematical international competitions.

The first one is already really familiar to most of our school community and is called The **INTERNATIONAL MATHEMATICAL KANGAROO COMPETITION**. The competition will be for all students from grade 1 to grade 8 and will be held on **Thursday, 16 March**. The application forms will be distributed for PYP classes by their homeroom teachers and for MYP classes by their maths teacher. The application **due date is 28th February**.

The second mathematical competition is new to our school and is called The **GAUSS** competition, held by The University of Waterloo. The competition is for grade 7 and 8 students only. The competition will take place on **Thursday, 18 May**. The application due date is **21st April**. The application forms will be distributed by MYP maths teacher.

Warmly welcoming all students to attend

Ms Lojzka Lušin



KINDERGARTEN CULTURAL DAY – LJUBLJANA PUPPET THEATRE VISIT

On **Friday 3 March kindergarten students** are going to the Ljubljana Puppet theatre where they are going to see the puppet show “Mala Čarovnica”.

Your children should eat breakfast at home as we will depart from school at 08:20. They should also bring a small backpack as the school will provide snack, which they will eat after the show. We will travel by public bus and will be back at school at around 12:00.



PYP 2 CULTURAL DAY – ART

On **Wednesday, 1 March 2 M students** will explore art techniques, create some individual artworks, practice writing in various styles with various letters, and recognise some types of art. Then they will organise and prepare an art exhibition of their various art works and will organise a gallery in the class.

We will finish with our activities at 12:55 and the afternoon programme will take place after.

Ms Teja Klavs



PYP 3 – 5 SCIENCE DAY – BEEKEEPING

On **Tuesday, 28 February, 3M, 4M and 5M students** will have a **science day**. They will go to the **Beekeeping Museum in Lukovica**.

The students should come to school at 08.10. We will take school snack with us and at 08:20 we will take a bus to Lukovica. At 12:30 they will return to school and lunch and afternoon programme will be organised as usual.

Mr Denis Divjak



PYP 5 SCIENCE DAY – EVOLUTION

Grade 5 students will have a science day on March 1st, 2023. Students will have activities organised in school as a part of their work in the current Unit of Inquiry. We will start at 08:20 and finish with all the activities by 12:05.

Afternoon program will be organised as usual.

Ms Tina Fürst



MYP WINTER SPORTS DAY – JEZERSKO & KRVAVEC

On **Thursday 2nd of March** the whole MYP community will have a Sports Day at the Park Jezersko or Krvavec.

YOU CAN GO SKIING OR SNOWBOARDING ON KRVAVEC ONLY IF YOU HAVE YOUR OWN EQUIPMENT AND YOU KNOW HOW TO SKI OR SNOWBOARD. FOR ALL OTHER STUDENTS WE WILL ORGANIZE THE SPORTS DAY AT JEZERSKO.

Students will have to come to school earlier at 08.00. We will leave with the bus at 8.10 from the nearby bus stop.

We arrive at Jezersko or Krvavec around 09.30.

At **Jezerško** we have planned three winter activities (sledding, cross-country skiing and snowshoeing) between which we will interchange. Each activity lasts approximately 45 min. At 12.30 we will leave the local premises there and should arrive in Ljubljana at around 13.50. Lunch will take place as usual.

On Kravac we will ski or snowboard from 09.30 to around 13.00. We should arrive in Ljubljana at around 14.30. We will prepare lunch boxes.

Students should bring:

- warm, insulated and waterproof sports shoes with rubber soles
- warm and, if possible, waterproof sports clothes
- a winter cap
- skiing gloves
- a small hiking bag with an extra under shirt
- a water bottle

- SKI/SNOWBOARD EQUIPMENT for those who go to Krvavec (ski poles, skis/snowboard, helmet, ski/snowboard boots and winter clothes).

In case of extremely bad weather or other issues we will cancel the Sports Day.

Kind regards,

Mr Mitja Uršič and Ms Jasna Lavrenčič



PYP NIGHT SLEDDING BY PTA

Parent/children outing for PYP

WHEN? SATURDAY, MARCH 4th

WHERE? VELIKA PLANINA

TIME? 5PM TO 7:45 PM

MEETING POINT? VELIKA PLANINA CABLE CAR PARKING LOT, TICKET OFFICE AT 4:30!

HOW TO GET THERE? Follow this link to the parking lot...

<https://www.google.com/maps/place/%C5%BDi%C4%8Dnica+Velika+planina/@46.3060663,14.6099815,17z/data=!4m6!3m5!1s0x47654cd23ba01711:0xe11eccb3b2d64056!8m2!3d46.305534!4d14.6086337!16s%2Fg%2F11cs11yv0d?coh=164777&entry=tt>

AND FROM THERE? We will gather at the meeting point, take a cable car to the summit of Velika Planina and pick up the sledges next to the last station of the cable car. The ski lift will take us to the top of the sled run, then there is 2,5 km of piste for sledding. We will be able to use the ski lift for unlimited amount of times until the last ski lift run at 19:45!

AND PARENTS? You can join your child for a run or simply enjoy a chat, a drink or a snack at the cabin. Each parent is responsible for their own child at all times. Younger children will be sledding together with their parent. The sledges are big enough.

WHAT TO BRING: Children should be dressed in ski clothes, wear winter boots and take with them ski helmets and headlamps. You can bring your own sledges; however high-quality sledges are available for rent.

NIGHT SLEDDING PRICE (all including): Children 12 euro

Adults 21 euro

Sledge rental 7 euro

HOW TO APPLY?

ONLY 30 SPACES ARE AVAILABLE FOR SLEDGING AND 30 SLEDGES ARE AVAILABLE FOR RENT SO PLEASE APPLY AS SOON AS YOU CAN! Simply send an email with your child's name and grade, confirming your child will attend to our PTA PYP representative Mrs. Nikolina at

nikolinaperovic@gmail.com

For additional information please check the links below.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=EefV39gJR4w>

<http://www.velikaplanina.si/en/activities/winter-activities/night-sledding/>



BAKE SALE FUNDRAISING – THANK YOU LETTER

Dear DKIS community

On behalf of the ladies from our Turkish school community, who organized Fundraising to help victims of the devastating earthquake in Turkey and Syria, I would like to thank you for your generosity. Because of your contribution and commitment to the cause we are able to help families in need who have lost everything that they own.

Parents, teachers and students of both, national and international departments of our school, with your help we were able to collect 900 euros contribution!

All funds collected and donated will be transferred to selected and trusted organizations which are directly involved with the earthquake relief efforts.

On behalf of the organizers of the Fundraiser, thank you again for your contribution!

Miša Lake, PTA Chair



CALENDAR IN BRIEF

27.	MON	
28.	TUE	PYP 3-5 SCIENCE DAY
1.	WED	PYP 2 CULTURAL DAY PYP 5 SCIENCE DAY
2.	THUR	
3.	FRI	KG CULTURAL DAY
4.	SAT	PYP SLEDDING
5.	SUN	
6.	MON	MYP 2 WORKSHOP
7.	TUE	
8.	WED	
9.	THUR	MYP SPORST DAY
10.	FRI	
11.	SAT	
12.	SUN	