

THE BLYTH BULLETIN

FROM OUR PRINCIPAL'S DESK:

Principal's Message:

Dear Parents and Guardians,

At Blyth this week, we recently came together to celebrate **Culture Day**, a wonderful event that highlighted the diversity within our school community. It was inspiring to see students and staff embrace and share their unique cultural backgrounds, **fostering a deeper sense of unity and understanding.**

As things start to slow down school-wide, I encourage everyone to take this time to reflect, recharge, and appreciate the progress we have made together. **To all those celebrating, I wish you a blessed and prosperous Ramadan filled with peace, reflection, and spiritual growth.**

A heartfelt thank you to our parents and staff for their continuous efforts and unwavering support. Your dedication is truly valued, and we appreciate everything you do to make Blyth a better place for our students.

Ramadan Mubarak!

Mr Derek Begley



MESSAGE FROM OUR ARABIC & ISLAMIC COORDINATOR::

Dear Blyth community:

With all love and anticipation, the students and staff of Blyth eagerly await the blessed month of **mercy, reflection, and forgiveness.** Ramadan is a time of **spiritual growth, unity, and generosity,** and we embrace its arrival with open hearts. We wish you a month filled with peace, blessings, and success in worship and prayer. May this Ramadan bring you and your loved ones **joy, harmony, and countless rewards.** May Allah accept our fasts, prayers, and good deeds.

Ramadan Kareem!

Ms Mona Tammam



TEACHER TALK

AT BLYTH



MR BRANDON BOUGHEN

1. WHAT LEAD YOU INTO BECOMING A TEACHER

"The idea of helping people by sharing my knowledge to help others while both in school and life skills"

2. IF YOU WEREN'T A TEACHER, WHAT DO YOU THINK YOU'D BE INSTEAD?

"NHL player or a physiotherapist"

3. WHAT'S THE MOST MEMORABLE OR FUNNY THING A STUDENT HAS EVER SAID OR DONE IN YOUR CLASS?

"When a student left the school, and left a note saying how much they've learnt and how much I've had an impact on their life"

4. WHAT'S SOMETHING SURPRISING ABOUT YOU THAT MOST STUDENTS OR COLLEAGUES DON'T KNOW ?

"I taught myself how to juggle"

5. WHAT'S THE NUMBER 1 LESSON YOU'VE LEARNT AS A TEACHER?

"Make lots of mistakes"

6. WHAT DO YOU LIKE THE MOST ABOUT WORKING AT BLYTH?

"The good school spirit, respectable students and Blyth has a good school community"

7. WHO DO YOU NOMINATE TO BE INTERVIEWED NEXT ?

"I nominate Mr Nolan Cooney from Banff Block"

RISING STARS

CELEBRATING SUCCESS STORIES AT BLYTH

YARA & TEMILOLUWA

Spelling Bee Achievement Report

Congratulations to **Yara & Temiloluwa** for achieving a **perfect 100% in our recent Spelling Bee Competition!** This outstanding accomplishment reflects their dedication, hard work, and strong linguistic skills.

Blyth is incredibly proud of both of you! Keep up the great work, and we look forward to seeing more of your successes in the future



YAHIA ABUMARAHIL

Sports Achievement Report

Recently, Yahia participated in the **Qatar Open Judo Competition** and achieved an incredible victory, winning a gold medal! This is a remarkable accomplishment, demonstrating his dedication, discipline, and hard work.

Congratulations, Yahia! Blyth is super proud of you. Keep up the great work, and we look forward to seeing more of your successes in the future!



DIRAR DARWAZEH

Literary Achievement Report

Recently, **Dirar published his second book with Qatar Writes, titled Side by Side.** The book launch was celebrated at Qatar National Library, marking a proud moment for all involved.

Congratulations, Dirar! Blyth is incredibly proud of your accomplishment, and we look forward to seeing many more books from you in the future.

Keep up the amazing work!



LOUJAIN HUSSAM EDDIN

Spelling Bee Achievement Report

Blyth is celebrating young talent as **Loujain secured first place in the Elementary school spelling bee competition.** With impressive spelling skills and determination, Loujain outshone the competition to claimed the top prize.

Well done, Loujain!



ELEMENTARY

EDITION

GRADE 6 CAR WASH FUNDRAISER A SUCCESS!

Last Thursday, the **Grade 6 students** rolled up their sleeves and hosted a car wash to **raise funds for their upcoming graduation**. Teachers eagerly brought their cars in, and the students worked hard to ensure they were sparkling clean.

Beyond just a fundraising event, the car wash served as a **valuable learning experience**, teaching students important **life skills such as teamwork, responsibility, and customer service**. It also introduced them to **entrepreneurial concepts**, giving them hands-on experience in organising and managing an initiative.



Grade 6 students participating



IMPORTANT REMINDERS:

Ramadan Time Changes
Grades JK - 6:

School starts: **08:30**

School Ends: **12:45**

Important Notice:

Access to school premises will not be permitted **after 13:00**

March Break:
5th and 6th March 2025

MIDDLE & HIGH SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS

BLYTH AT THE ANNUAL M.U.N

Report by Mr Joshua Lehman

Feb. 13-15, Blyth Academy delegates attended the annual **International Georgetown University Model United Nations**. From grade 8 to 12 our students got the opportunity to experience and debate on international issues based on the theme of **Achieving global solidarity in conflict zones**. It was great to see everyone representing us with other schools from around the world in such a professional setting!

Great work to all our delegates and future global leaders and thank you to all the staff who supported them in the last few months!



Students at MUN

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Ramadan Time Changes
Grades 7 - 12:

School starts: **08:30**

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CULTURE DAY CELEBRATION

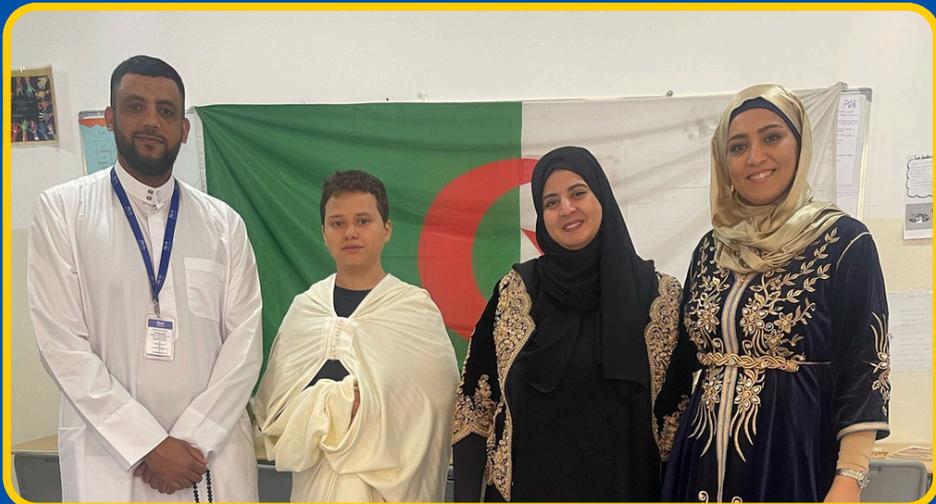
AT BLYTH

BLYTH CELEBRATES CULTURE DAY!

At Blyth, we recently came together to celebrate **Culture Day**, a vibrant and fun-filled event dedicated to embracing and appreciating our diverse community. **Each class proudly represented a different country, allowing students to explore and learn about various cultures, traditions, and customs from around the world.**

Throughout the day, students participated in engaging activities that **deepened their understanding of global diversity.** From cultural displays to interactive sessions, the event was a wonderful opportunity to celebrate unity while honouring our unique backgrounds.

A huge thank you to all the students, teachers, and staff who contributed to making this event a success. Your enthusiasm and support helped create a truly memorable experience for everyone!



CULTURE DAY CONT'D.



ACADEMICIAN COMPETITION AT BLYTH

HOLY QURAN COMPETITION

The Ministry of Endowments and Islamic Affairs in the State of Qatar announces the **Holy Quran Competition** for this academic year. We encourage our students to participate in this competition, as it offers great benefits in terms of time investment and intellectual enrichment.

For more information, click on the link below:

<http://qsave.islam.gov.qa>

Good luck to Blyth students!



The poster is for the 61st Holy Quran Competition, organized by the Ministry of Education and Higher Education and the Ministry of Endowments and Islamic Affairs. It features the following details:

- المسابقة المدرسية السنوية 61 في حفظ القرآن الكريم** (61st Annual School Competition in Memorizing the Holy Quran)
- بالتعاون مع وزارة التربية والتعليم والتعليم العالي** (In cooperation with the Ministry of Education and Higher Education)
- التسجيل** (Registration): من 2025/2/19م إلى 2025/3/5م (From 2025/2/19 to 2025/3/5)
- الجوائز** (Prizes): جوائز مالية لجميع الناجحين في المسابقة (Financial prizes for all winners in the competition)
- الفئة المستهدفة** (Target Audience): طلاب وطالبات المدارس الحكومية والخامة بدولة قطر (Students and girls of government and private schools in Qatar)
- تاريخ بدء الاختبارات** (Start of Exams): 15 أبريل 2025م (15 April 2025)

Registration link: <https://qsave.islam.gov.qa>
Phone: 44704004
Website: www.islam.gov.qa



PICTURE PERFECT

AT BLYTH



JK Juice making day



Students at M.U.N



Grade 5 Brain Break exercises



Re-design of the Bears Den

THANK YOU FOR CHOOSING BLYTH ACADEMY QATAR