



# **THE FIRST WEEK BACK**

What an amazing week we have had. From Pre School to Y12 it has been delightful to see and hear the students in school, BISM has come alive! Our youngest children are getting used to the routines and walking around the school. Our Primary children have been creating their class agreements and our secondary children have got straight into their learning, including swimming. The classrooms are alive with chatter and learning.





# WELCOMING OUR NEW STAFF IN PRIMARY

### **Nicky Williams**

I am delighted to be here as Head of Primary. We have had a great start to the school year and I am looking forward to working with you all to ensure the best learning opportunities for your sons and daughters.



#### **Mouna Elsherif**

I encourage mindfulness and strategies to deal with the challenges of daily life as I see that the lessons of tolerance, kindness, and compassion learned in the primary classroom can make a real difference in young peoples' way of seeing the world.

#### Lizelle Albertse

I've been a teacher in Early Years for the past 13 years. I am passionate about education, and I believe that each child is unique and has the ability to excel and reach their full potential.



#### **Tanis Anne Pragnell**

My teaching career has now spanned two decades and three continents. Nothing gives me greater pleasure than to support children to achieve the best they can be - both academically and socially, so that they grow into well-rounded individuals.

#### **Gihan El-Etreby**

I have been working with children for the past 12 years. I believe every child needs to be respected and listened to. I believe that teaching changes lives. I believe that my students are superstars who are ready to shine.



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Natassja Dodd I'm from Wales in the UK. Over the years I taught in various schools across Lincolnshire and North Wales. having previously worked in Budapest, Hungary. I'm excited to be in Egypt to

my

teaching

continue

adventure!

#### **Abdullah El-Aris**

I am a year I teacher. I am passionate about phonics! I am excited and honoured to be at BISM. I look forward to working with my class to achieve our best so that we can have an excellent, positive and fun academic year in IA.

## Norhan Ahamed

My primary focus & goal will be on reading, writing & spelling to help them become even better readers and writers. I want to inspire my students to love learning Arabic so that they can open the Quran and read it confidently.



#### **Christina Bailey**

Teaching has always been a passion of mine since I was young. It is lovely to see the children grow and develop into little young learners. I try to create an atmosphere of curiosity that offers areas of creativity, investigation, and exploration.



#### **Beverley Betaieb**

As a mother myself, I wish to be the type of teacher to your children that my children would receive. Creating a safe, nurturing environment where children feel safe to speak up and voice their concerns and needs, is my goal.



# WELCOMING OUR NEW STAFF IN SECONDRAY

#### Mary Ibrahim

As a science educator, I aim to develop the students' learning of science through teaching lessons that engage them and promote a deep understanding. I always make sure I provide my students with a variety of activities and experiments.



#### **Bethany Hewson**

I trained in the UK and also taught in China and Malaysia. I like to encourage my students to take risks and show off their personality through language. I love dancing, yoga and scuba diving.

# Mina Medhat

As a teacher I want to make a difference not only for my students but for society in general. I teach in a way that encourages critical thinking and enables my students to be independent. I've been teaching maths for 12 years. I'm a certified dodgeball coach and dodge ball player as well in the national team.



#### **Rayan Mohamed**

I have 20 years of experience in international schools as an Art and Design teacher. I really enjoy bringing the creative side out of my students. I like swimming, travelling and discovering art and beauty around the world.



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#### Wessam Emam

Im a student of psychology. My passion lies in education, serving others and impacting lives. I taught various humanitarian subjects, My teaching method is to create a collaborative learning environment, where students ask questions, develop theories and carry out activities to test the theories, learning through practice, curiosity and fun.



#### **Mohamed Ragab**

I'm happy to have joined BISM this year! I have 20 years experience of teaching the Arabic language. I enjoy working with my students using technology. My goal is to motivate them to be creative when using the Arabic language



#### Lamia El-Mahdy

I am the mental health counsellor at BISM across primary and secondary. I have always believed in the huge impact of childhood experiences on adult life, I'm working to be the person I needed the most in my childhood. My job is to help & support students and parents at BISM.