

The principle goal of education in the schools should be creating men and women who are capable of doing new things, not simply repeating what other generations have done.

-Jean Piaget



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Al Noor School celebrates annual day

The CBSE Section of Al Noor International School celebrated its 24th Annual Day on 18th January 2018.

Alok Kumar Sinha, Ambassador of India to the Kingdom of Bahrain, was the esteemed Chief Guest.

The School Chairman Ali Hasan, School Director Dr. Muhammad Mashood, Principal Amin Mohammed Hulaiwah, Head Teachers of the various sections, officials from the Ministry of Education, Parents and prominent members of the Bahrain community were among those present.

Students presented an entertaining program showcasing the talent of all the age group with emphasis on importance of moral values.

The kids of the kindergarten section added colour to the



occasion with their dazzling performance. The students of the primary section captivated the audience with their synchronized dance movements, a fusion of Indian Classical and Western Beats.

An astounding visual treat was presented by the students of Middle Section on the eight

core values of the School through an alluring theatrical musical drama.

The children depicted the culture and tradition of Bahrain through a graceful dance. The English play, The Wooden Bowl by the senior students enthralled the audience and proved to be very popular.



Highlights of the event

Alok Kumar Sinha handed out trophies to academically meritorious pupils of the CBSE Section. Grade 1 - Christy Joseph and Anirudh Reghunath, Grade 2 - Alakhjot Saini and Vedika Sudheer, Grade 3 - Shanthosh Kumar and Ennaya Abdul Aziz, Grade 4 - Sayed Ounesh

Salik and Viswathiertha Vinu, Grade 5 - Shweta Umesh and Munira Mustafa, Grade 6 - Alex Mathew and Kalyani Kavitha, Grade 7 - Nishanth Nithyananda and Ridhashirin MujeebRahman, Grade 8 - Navaneet Anil Kumar, Pranshu Parva Laklia and Sarathy Ramanan, Grade 9

- Shamila Salik and Amena Abdul Latheef, Grade 11 - Aswin Kadungattil (Science) Mehak Hameed Sheikh (Commerce).

150 Students also received awards for their achievements in the various talent competitions held during the course of the School year.

TradeQuest Students Present Financial Performance at Bourse

The school teams participating in the TradeQuest program recently presented their trading performance during the first period of the program. The presentations were held at Bahrain Bourse's auditorium.

During the presentations, the participating teams presented their financial performance in both Bahrain Bourse and New York Stock Exchange (NYSE).

The teams also outlined the main challenges they faced during this period, their risk management techniques, as well as the performance of the companies in their portfolio. They concluded their presentations with the lessons learned from the program.

Towards the end of each of the three trading periods of the TradeQuest program, the schools are required to present their strategy, objectives, and



Students at the Bourse

performance to the Investment Review Committee

The program has been highly supported by various banks and financial institutions throughout the past 19 years.

The 2017-2018 TradeQuest program includes a total of 17 school teams, including 8 private schools and they are: Abdul Rahman Kanoo International School, Bahrain

Bayan School, Bahrain School, Al-Hekma International School, Ibn Khuldoon National School, Naseem International School, Al Noor International School, and St. Christopher's

School, and 9 Government Schools and they are: East Riffa Secondary Boys School, Al Hidd Secondary Girls School, Al-Istiqlal Secondary Girls School, Jidhafs Secondary Girls

School, Khawla Secondary Girls Schools, Al Noor Secondary Girls School, Saar Secondary Girls School, Sitra Secondary Girls School, Al Ta'awon Secondary Boys School.

TradeQuest is a simulated business-education partnership program that focuses on investment trading in world financial markets, which operated for the first time in the Kingdom of Bahrain in 1997 in cooperation with financial institutions and educational parties.

The program aims at stimulating relevant learning through realistic experience by learning the rules and regulations implemented in financial markets, analysing and selecting shares, and managing a portfolio of investment instruments listed at New York Stock Exchange (NYSE) and Bahrain Bourse.