



# GIS NEWSLETTER

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## Thank you to everyone who participated in Book Week!

What an amazing week we had - D.E.A.R. (Drop Everything And Read), dress up character day and pajama day. We had a reading competition running with the participants receiving a prize and a bookmark. Congratulations to those who have finished their bingo sheets. Those that are still working on theirs, please turn it in for a prize before the 17 May holidays.

It was fantastic to see how many of the GIS Community (staff as well as students) participated in book character dress-up day. A lot of imagination went into creating many of the costumes. Well done! Pajama day was equally successful and, as always, comfortable.

Thanks again to everyone for getting involved in Book Week this year.

Regards,  
Mrs Rasen

## Parent Satisfaction Survey

Please remember to complete the parent satisfaction survey. Please submit one response per family per programme. For example, if you have one child in the PYP, complete one PYP survey. If you have two children in the PYP and one in the MYP, complete one PYP survey and one MYP survey. The deadline to submit responses is 26 April 2021.

## Grade 1 August 2022

This is a reminder that, according to our admissions policy, we will start accepting applications for Grade 1 starting in August 2022 on 1 May 2021. If you are interested, we would encourage you to submit your application as early as possible on 1 May as Grade 1 classes always fill up very quickly. Similarly, if you know someone that might be interested in a place for their child, please share this information with them. Applications must be submitted online through our website. You can find a direct link [here](#). Please note that we are unable to accept applications submitted before 1 May 2021.

## Social distancing

Despite numerous reminders, we still see parents take their children to the playground after school and let them play with children from other classes. Please refrain from doing this to ensure we are all safe. While you may not be particularly concerned about your own health, please remember that a lot of GIS students have family members that are in the high-risk group. Let's ensure our actions do not put other people in danger.

## Wanted: supply staff

We are always keen to hear from people who can substitute for absent teachers and teaching assistants. This work can be day to day or for longer periods of time. If you know of a suitable person for this role, please encourage them to send their CV to [employment@gjovikis.no](mailto:employment@gjovikis.no)

## Contact details

If you have any questions about the matters below, please contact the relevant person:

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