



# المدرسة الآسيوية الدولية الخاصة

## ASIAN INTERNATIONAL (P) SCHOOL

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### CIRCULAR NO.68

### AL DHAFRA FESTIVAL SCHOOL VISITS PROGRAM

Dear Parents & Students of Grades 6 to 8

Al Dhafra Festival is an annual festival that celebrates authentic Emirati heritage, bringing together a variety of cultural and traditional activities that focus on preserving the region's popular heritage. The festival aims to highlight the importance of camels in Emirati culture, in addition to various activities related to wildlife and traditional agricultural practices. The festival includes various events such as camel racing, camel beauty contests, horse racing, falcon beauty contests, and Saluki racing activities that are an essential part of Bedouin heritage.

The proposed programs for students include a concise presentation in the Majlis highlighting the festival's objectives and the importance of heritage in fostering patriotism, love for the homeland, and respect for wise leadership. Students will visit the camel beauty contest arena to learn about different camel breeds and access enclosures housing participating camels. They will engage in traditional games, handicrafts, light traditional cooking, cultural heritage quizzes, competitions, and drawings and coloring activities. Falcons and falconers stationed near the traditional games area will provide an exciting educational experience.

The event, Al Dhafra Festival, is scheduled for **Wednesday, January 29, 2025, from 10.00 am to 12.00 pm**, and will take place in the Al Dhafra Region. It is designed for students in **Grades 6 to 8, with a total of 45 participants**. The participation fee is **40 AED, which covers transportation and refreshments**.

**Registration for the trip is limited to 45 students**. Enrolment will conclude on **Thursday, 23 January 2025**. Admission will be allocated on a first-come, first-served basis to the initial 45 registered students. **Registration will be closed once the 45 students' slots are filled**. The consent form will be distributed to the initial 45 registered students on **24 January 2025** and transportation fees must be submitted by **27 January 2025**. Please click the provided Google link to register promptly and secure your participation.

<https://forms.gle/mqkK7z2vy3rsbdh69>

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Regards

SCHOOL ADMIN

