



# COP28 UAE

Merryland International School stands firmly in support of the UAE's commitment to sustainability, aligning with the objectives of COP28. Through a holistic approach to education, the school integrates environmental awareness and responsibility into its curriculum, instilling a sense of environmental stewardship in its students. Initiatives such as eco-friendly practices, waste reduction programs, and energy conservation efforts are woven into the fabric of daily school life. By fostering a culture of sustainability, Merryland International School not only educates the future generation on the importance of environmental conservation but actively contributes to the UAE's vision for a more sustainable and resilient future as outlined in COP28.



## SAVE THE PLANET; SAVE OURSELVES- SCHOOL ASSEMBLY

In our grade 9 school assembly today, students stood united as stewards of the Earth, recognizing our collective responsibility to safeguard our planet for future generations. With a focus on protecting the environment, students discussed the pressing issues of climate change, biodiversity loss, and the need for sustainable living. As the guardians of our Planet, they emphasized the power of individual actions, such as reducing, reusing, and recycling, conserving energy, and adopting eco-friendly habits. The school encourages each student to become ambassadors for change, spreading awareness and actively participating in initiatives that contribute to a greener and more sustainable world. Today marks the beginning of our journey as Earth advocates, committed to making a positive impact on the environment and inspiring others to join us in this crucial mission.



## BRUSHSTROKES OF BRILLIANCE

The painting competition organized by the school's art club was a vibrant showcase of creativity and talent. Students gathered with brushes and palettes in hand, eager to translate their imagination onto canvas. The theme sparked a diverse array of interpretations, from vivid landscapes to abstract expressions of emotion. The art club members provided guidance and encouragement, fostering an atmosphere of camaraderie rather than competition. Each stroke of the brush was a testament to the students' passion and dedication to their craft. The gallery that emerged was a testament to the power of artistic expression within the school community, celebrating the unique voices of each participant.



## EMPOWERING THE FUTURE: GRADE 10 ASSEMBLY

The Grade 10 assembly was a pivotal moment in the students' academic journey. Gathered together under one roof, they were reminded of their potential and the exciting challenges that lay ahead. Inspirational speeches and presentations offered guidance and motivation, urging them to seize opportunities and strive for excellence. It was a unifying moment, where classmates came together to celebrate their achievements thus far and to set their sights on the promising horizons ahead. The assembly left an indelible mark on each student, instilling a sense of purpose and a determination to make the most of their high school experience.





## GALLERY WALK

The School Gallery Walk by parents was a heart-warming showcase of student accomplishments, creativity, and academic progress. Parents eagerly strolled through the corridors adorned with an impressive array of artwork, science projects, literature displays, and more, each exhibit reflecting the dedication and talent of their children. The gallery walk provided parents with a first-hand look at the diverse and enriching learning experiences their children are engaged in. It was not only an opportunity to celebrate academic achievements but also to witness the growth and development of their child's unique skills and interests. This event served as a powerful reminder of the collaborative partnership between the school and parents in nurturing the holistic development of each student, fostering a sense of community and support within the school environment.



## EMPOWERING FUTURES: A COMPREHENSIVE CAREER GUIDANCE AND UNIVERSITY ADMISSION WORKSHOP

A career guidance and university admission workshop hosted by university representatives at our school proved to be an invaluable experience for students navigating the path to higher education. The workshop provided a comprehensive overview of different universities, their programs, and the essential criteria for successful admission. Students had the opportunity to engage in interactive sessions, ask questions, and receive personalized guidance based on their interests and academic strengths. This initiative fostered a sense of confidence and direction among students, equipping them with the tools necessary to embark on their higher education journeys with purpose and clarity.



# MATH DAY



Infinity 2023-2024 Math Day conducted by the Mathematics department was a vibrant celebration of numerical wonders and problem-solving prowess. Students engaged in exciting math challenges, showcasing their skills through interactive exhibits and competitions. The event fostered a love for mathematics, with teachers and students alike immersed in a day filled with exploration and discovery. From intriguing puzzles to mathematical art installations, the atmosphere buzzed with enthusiasm, making Infinity 2023-2024 a memorable and educational experience for everyone at Merryland School.



# CULTURAL DAY CELEBRATION



Merryland School recently hosted a vibrant and culturally rich celebration on Cultural Day, showcasing the diversity and uniqueness of its student body. Students, dressed in their cultural attire, eagerly shared insights into the customs, traditions, and history of their respective backgrounds. The event not only promoted cultural awareness but also fostered a sense of unity and appreciation for diversity among the Merryland community. The Cultural Day at Merryland School served as a reminder that education goes beyond textbooks, encouraging students to embrace and respect the rich tapestry of cultures that make up their school community.





## IFMA WORLD MUAYTHAI CHAMPIONSHIPS 2023



In a historic achievement, a Merryland student, JASER AHMAD ABDULHAFEEZ ALSAWALHA, has emerged as the 2023 IFMA (International Federation of Muaythai Amateur) Muaythai World Champion. This extraordinary accomplishment not only brings immense pride to the student but also shines a spotlight on Merryland School's commitment to fostering excellence in various fields, including sports. The student's dedication, discipline, and skill were showcased on the global stage, as they competed against top athletes from around the world to clinch the prestigious title. The entire Merryland community rejoices in this remarkable success, reinforcing the school's commitment to nurturing well-rounded individuals who excel both in and outside the classroom.





The Merryland School cricket team had the privilege of a memorable moment with the school chairman, Mr. Aaron Grandon. This interaction not only strengthened the bond between the students and the chairman but also emphasized the school's commitment to fostering a well-rounded education that extends to sportsmanship and teamwork on the cricket pitch.

## MERRYLAND INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL U-19 CRICKET TOURNAMENT

At the inaugural tournament conducted by Abu Dhabi Cricket Council in association with the Emirates Cricket Board (ECB), Merryland International School U-19 Cricket Team won the match against Dunes International School by 165 runs. Jesher Jebson was honoured with the Man of the Match (MoM). He took 6 wickets and conceded only 3 runs in 4 overs, which included 3 maidens. Ranuth scored 77\* (Not Out) and Rehan Shameer scored 72\* (Not Out) and Syed Ammar scored 35 runs.



Students in action during the inter-house basketball competition held in the multi-purpose school auditorium

