

I ♥ KAS



## Letter from the Business Manager, Mona Hassan

Dear Parents,

Someone told me eight months ago that time flies at Khartoum American School but I never really believed it until I realized that its already February and the time has already come to start preparing for the next academic year 2013-2014.

My experience at KAS for the last eight months has been nothing but full of life, laughter, joy and a lot of hard work. Watching the amount of hard work and full dedication being put in by everyone who is part of the KAS community, the teachers, administration, the students and even the guards and cleaners has proved to me that I have made the right decision in joining KAS. Eight months down the line, I feel privileged being a part of this professional community.

The number of students has definitely grown since the beginning of the school year. This increase in enrollment only proves to that everyone's hard work is paying off and we are on the right track .We are almost at capacity in our preschool classes with very few spaces left in some of the middle school classes. The number of students we now have at KAS is the highest number we have had in the last ten years. Having said that, I would like to let you know that we will start accepting applications for the new academic year (2013/2014) earlier than the previous year. It is only your right as being part of KAS community to get the priority in spaces when registering your children in the school so if you have more children that you are planning to enroll, you can come see me or download the application form from our website: [www.krtams.org](http://www.krtams.org). Please submit your application forms to the school before February 21st 2013.

On that note, I would like to wish you all a happy weekend and I am looking forward to seeing more of you enjoying the pool over the weekend.

## Letter from the Middle and High School Principal, Susan Boutros

It is the start of the second semester at Khartoum American School. The beginning of a new semester means that high school students are back at square one, no matter how long they have been in school. In the beginning of a new semester, students are adjusting to a new schedule, maybe adapting to new teachers and the difficulty of their continuing classes has probably increased from last semester.

These are some tips for starting the semester on a positive note and ultimately helping students succeed.

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It feels like there are so many things to do all of the time! However, finding a time management strategy





Joy-KG, No Winner-G1, No Winner-G2, Neeka-G3, Amina-G4, Mohammed Elsatih-G5, Ali-G6, Haider-G8. Week before we had two Middle School winners: Sakuntala-G7, Wang-G8.

Graph the following on a bar graph:

4 cats, 2 dogs, 3 fsh, 1 elephant.

How much money will I have if I find two quarters, three nickels, one dime, four pennies and one more quarter?

What is your favorite weather? And answer the addition question.

864  
+ 123

What is the largest area for a rectangle that you can make with 26 toothpicks? Draw.

The Nile River in Africa is about 4,160 miles long. The Huang River in Asia is about 800 miles shorter than the Nile. How long is the Huang River?

List 4 possible ways you can interpret a remainder in a Division Number Story.

Shelley's new job has a starting salary of \$16,000 and annual increases of \$800. How much money will she earn during her 5th year? Show work.

Find the equation of the line that passes through the point (2, 3) and is perpendicular to the line  $y = 3x + 5$ .

will vary. 4 + 5 = 9 5 + 4 = 9 1. Above, 2. Below, 3. Answers  
a graph; 256 + 412 = 668; 9 - 5 = 4 9 - 4 = 5; Bring  
divided by 4 = \$1.64 Please check work.; 120, 180, 450; \$6.56  
14 ;

Circle one:

High School

Middle School

Elementary School

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Grade: \_\_\_\_\_

Answer: \_\_\_\_\_