



Held on Thursday the 12<sup>th</sup> of June 2014, the Biology and Physics camp was, if not the most well organized and enjoyable, the most enthusiastically crafted session that was aimed at the future sitters of the O level exams (as one of the experienced guests put it) on how to “tackle” this very important milestone of their lives. The event was mainly conducted in the AV room. This camp was the brainchild and endless effort of Mr. Prasad and Mrs. Persis.



This colorful event conducted by the 2013's batch of this school started at 9:30 am with an opening speech of the beloved school Deputy Principal Mrs. Ahmeema.

Mrs. Ahmeema gratefully thanked all the attendants for the much noticed support along with a lot more for the special guests who had so sincerely accepted the requests and joined the function.



After the enjoyable opening game that highlighted the importance of group work and cooperation, next came the speeches of the guests who had earned many great awards,

including the 1<sup>st</sup>/2<sup>nd</sup> place in the national top ten in the previous year after a presentation designed by former students of GIS about each of these great leaders. They then solemnly shared their experiences in doing the exams and attaining such high ranks laced with advice on what little time we have and, most importantly, how we could use it to our best benefit.



Following that was a presentation that was strictly constructed to the efficient planning of how to approach the contents of the subject of Physics which covered its entire syllabus, in what seemed a surprisingly short space of time. The architectures of this genius construction were also the previous year's batch of students.



Then there were many significant experiments held by the students, lead by former students which were important when attending for their examinations. This was carried out in the physics lab in the presence of the department teachers.



The item next on the agenda of the day was a long lunch for all the participants with a delicious meal. Time was given to students, teachers and guests to pray, rest and play a short game of football.

The students of GIS who sat at the exam for the subject Biology in 2013 then presented their experiences in that eventful chapter in their lives with many warnings of what happens when one deviates from their path at this stage of one's life with vivid examples that included many unfortunate stories of their own. Hence, requesting the present grade 10 students not to fall for the same mistakes that they had made, they started a presentation, which also included all the



topics of the syllabus and the important aspects of this unique subject in a very short time span. Next they conducted numerous experiments in the subject which were frequently seen in many past exams. And so like in the previous subjects, these experiments too were held in the light of the leading former students, under the supervision of all the department teachers, in the respective laboratories.

The students who so energetically participated in the camp wrote their feedback expressing their overwhelming gratefulness of the commitment of the teachers, devotion of the former students and the help and cooperation of all the unnamed and absent members of this small group. They made the camp such an enjoyable, interesting, informative, brain-wrecking but nevertheless successful one. And so, all the members left the camp with the same smiles that they wore while taking a picture in remembrance of this camp at its conclusion at 4pm.

# FEEDBACK

I was very much inspired by to see such enthusiastic efforts from both the teachers and the last year's batch to make this event an enjoyable. It was very fortunate to be given such helpful ways to tackle the exams, the stress caused by it and how to approach it in a positive manner. It was very well planned and the environment was made both enjoyable and informative. The experimentations in particular were exciting. Also, I am very grateful for all the effort and time put into making this event full and fun.

- I like it, I really like the fact that they conducted experiments and activities to recall the 8th & 9th grades ~~experiments~~ concepts.
- The motivation session was helpful.
- I like the lunch. 😊

The camp was great I enjoyed it a lot and I learned a lot and it was very inspirational. I wish the school times were scheduled like this cause this was a day I enjoyed studying. It was good and I hope there are many camps like this.

- \* I really enjoyed the day in overall.
- \* Everything was planned very well.
- \* I learned a lot about what to do in the exams.
- \* I also liked the experiment did from both subjects.

Overall it was a fun and educational day. I learned ~~or~~ picked up some ~~important~~ examination tips from the previous IGCSE students. The ~~st~~ IGCSE students were very nice and friendly. I ~~lear~~ learned a lot about Physics and Biology. In addition ~~the day~~ It was very motivational.

This BioPhy Camp was very fun and interesting. I knew about how to attempt to IGCSE Questions. and also many other information about Physics. As being a non-bio student, yet I enjoyed the laboratory class most. It was so cool to carry on different tests about starch, fats, glucose and Protein. The food was really tasty. Thanks everyone for this camp. We had loads of fun. Thank you!

## FEEDBACK

I enjoyed the camp very much. It was very useful. I got a lot of tips from the previous students on how to improve ~~and study~~ the way I learn also I really enjoyed the laboratory sessions which was really informative.

- Very fun
- Had fun doing experiments.
- Got tips ~~to~~ about O'level.
- How to prepare for O'level

This camp has been very important and useful, The students who have already done the O'levels and are experienced shared a lot of tips and ways of facing our exam. The experiments were very fun and interesting. ~~THANKY~~

I'd like to thank Persis miss and Prasad (previous grade tens) Sir, A for organising this and a big thanks to the others who came. I really enjoyed it!

