

## Secondary School

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Dear Parents,

### **IB and Year 11 Visual Arts Trip** **Istanbul Modern – Saturday 29<sup>TH</sup> October**

As an Art teacher I believe that visiting exhibitions and galleries is an essential part of developing and inspiring new ideas and concepts, which will contribute to the successful development of your son or daughter in this subject.

I would like to take all IB and Year 11 Visual Arts students to view four exciting exhibitions at the Istanbul Modern on Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> of October 2011. The exhibiting work consists of New Works New Horizons, Dream and Reality, Uncanny Encounters and The Other View. These exhibitions are packed with contemporary artists including many Turkish artists. The works includes new media, photography and film. This is a perfect opportunity for your children to develop their own work and be inspired by new concepts. The trip will take place on Saturday the 29<sup>th</sup> of October meeting at 10am outside The Istanbul Modern, Meclis-i Mebusan Ave. Liman İşletmeleri Sahası Antrepo No:4 Karaköy. The nearest metro is Karaköy.

We are unable to arrange transport for the students. Please arrange your own transport to the meeting point. We will meet promptly outside the Istanbul Modern at 10am. We will be finished by 2.30 pm for you to meet your children outside the Istanbul Modern. If you give permission students will be permitted to make their own way home.

Tickets for the exhibition are 7TL, however it's a good idea to give your children some extra money for any food or drink, also there will be an opportunity for them to visit the Istanbul Modern gift shop where they may want to buy postcards or books.

Students should bring a sketchbook and some pencils on the day to be able to get some quick sketches and first hand observational drawing. Please encourage your sons or daughters to bring relevant student ID to ensure they pay the student rate. If you would like your children to attend by making their own way, or you can arrange transport to and from the meeting point, please return the reply slip below by Monday 24<sup>th</sup> October.

This is an extremely important for IB Visual Art student's to develop and progress, so please encourage your children to come along and experience the work of others. Please do not hesitate to contact me at school if you have any questions or concerns.

Yours faithfully,

Iysha Miah,  
Teacher of Art

**Istanbul Modern– SATURDAY 29<sup>TH</sup> October 2011**

I would like (Student's name here please)..... to enjoy the above opportunity and I ensure they will bring 10TL for the tickets and extra money for food, drinks or gift shop.

**Please sign against the statement below that applies to you.**

I will take him/her to the Istanbul Modern collect him/her from the same point.....

I am happy for him/her to travel without a parent or guardian.....

Telephone number .....Date.....

