

Principal's Message

Dear Students, Parents, and Staff,
Welcome to our monthly newsletter! As we begin this academic year, I'm delighted to see the energy, enthusiasm, and the spirit of collaboration that defines our school. Through this newsletter, we aim to keep you informed, connected, and proud of all that we accomplish together.

Here's to a year where every girl is seen, cared for, and empowered to Lead, Know, Impact, and Grow.

Warm regards,
Mrs. **Alice Joseph**



PAST HIGHLIGHTS

• Teacher Training Week | August 31 – September 3, 2025

SMEIS kicked off the 2025–2026 school year with an inspiring Teacher Training Week (August 31–September 3)! Our amazing educators took part in hands-on workshops and interactive sessions focused on new teaching strategies, creativity, and student growth. The week was filled with energy, collaboration, and reflection—setting the stage for another year of exceptional learning at **SMEIS**!

• Orientation Day & Parent–Teacher Meeting | September 21, 2025

On September 21, SMEIS welcomed new and returning families for an engaging start to the school year. Parents met with the school administration and teachers to learn more about the school's vision, academic programs, and student support systems.

The day also included meaningful Parent–Teacher Meetings, where parents and teachers discussed the school year ahead, exchanged ideas, and worked hand in hand to ensure every student's success.



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Academic Programs

- **i-Ready Diagnostic Assessment**

In September 2025, students from Grades 1–12 completed the **i-Ready** Diagnostic in the school's computer labs. This adaptive assessment identifies each student's strengths and learning needs in Reading and Math, guiding personalized instruction and ongoing growth. The test will be administered four times this year to closely monitor student progress and ensure continuous growth.



School life & Celebrations

- **Pink Day – Back to School Celebration (September 11, 2025)**

SMEIS joyfully welcomed the new academic year with a vibrant "Pink Day" celebration in collaboration with **L'Evento Sports Agency**. The school was filled with smiles, laughter, and shades of pink as students received cheerful gifts and enjoyed live shows, creative crafts, science experiments, splash games, and friendly sports competitions that promoted teamwork and school spirit. The day concluded with ice cream, capturing the joy and excitement of a new beginning.

- **"Look Like a Teacher" Day – Wednesday, October 8, 2025**

In celebration of World Teachers' Day, **SMEIS** held a special "Look Like a Teacher" Day to honor our dedicated teachers. Grade 12 students led the morning line, setting a joyful tone for the day. Students shared heartfelt messages of gratitude and even stepped into their teachers' roles during class. The celebration also featured a touching "Honor Walk," where teachers were applauded by students in a corridor of appreciation. It was a joyful and meaningful tribute to the lasting impact teachers have on their students' lives.



Cultural & National Events

- **6th of October Victory Celebration**

On Monday, 6 October 2025, **SMEIS** held a special celebration during the morning line to commemorate the 6th of October Victory. The event honored this significant moment in **Egypt's** history and aimed to instill a sense of national pride among students.

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Extracurricular Activities

- **High School & Middle School Camps at Beit El Wadi**

SMEIS organized two exciting camps in collaboration with **L'evento Sports Agency**. The first was a two-day camp for Grades 10, 11, and 12 at **Beit El Wadi** – Wadi El Natroun on October 15–16, 2025. Fully sponsored and supervised by the school, the camp offered students a safe and enriching experience filled with fun, adventure, and teamwork.

Following its success, another camp for Grades 7, 8, and 9 was held on October 26–27, 2025, featuring similar engaging activities such as ziplining, treasure hunts, and group challenges. Both camps promoted leadership, friendship, and the **SMEIS** core values of kindness, compassion, courage, confidence, and responsibility – creating unforgettable memories for our middle and high school girls.



- **Trip to Fagnoon Park (October 27, 2025)**

Reflecting the **SMEIS mission** – where **discipline builds freedom, learning inspires joy, and every girl grows with purpose** – our KG to Grade 3 students enjoyed a joyful, school-sponsored trip to **Fagnoon Park**. The day was filled with meaningful, hands-on experiences as students baked bread, created art crafts, and explored interactive stations, inspiring curiosity, creativity, and purposeful learning beyond the classroom.



- **Trip to KidZania (October 26, 2025)**

In line with the **SMEIS** mission, students from Grades 4 to 6 enjoyed a school-sponsored trip to **KidZania**. Through engaging real-world learning experiences, students explored various professions, practiced teamwork, and discovered the joy of learning through imagination and responsibility. It was a day full of purpose, fun, and inspiration!

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Parent Engagement

• Teaching Responsibility at Home



“Step up to the mirror and take responsibility for your life.”

John C. Maxwell



At **SMEIS**, Responsibility is one of our core values. We believe it starts with self-awareness and grows through daily actions. Together with parents, we help our girls take ownership of their choices, act with integrity, and contribute positively to their community – habits that begin at home and are strengthened every day at school.

Why Responsibility Matters:

1- It’s the foundation for success. When children take ownership of their actions, they build confidence and integrity.

2- It puts them in control of their lives. Responsible choices help them feel capable and empowered.

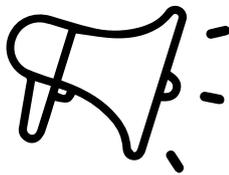
3- It’s a sign of maturity. Responsibility helps girls grow into thoughtful, dependable young women.

4- It prepares them for action. Taking responsibility encourages initiative and readiness to lead.

Based on concepts from the iLead Program by the Maxwell Leadership Foundation (2017).

Parent Inspiration:

Encourage your daughter to make small daily commitments – such as organizing her school bag, finishing homework on time, guide her to use social media mindfully and respectfully, reminding her that online actions reflect personal values. Each step builds responsibility and pride in her own achievements.



ADMISSIONS OPEN!

We are delighted to announce that admission is now open for the Academic Year 2026–2027 for K1 and K2.

Join the **SMEIS** family, where discipline builds freedom, learning inspires joy, and every girl grows with purpose!

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