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"The function of education is to teach one to think intensively and to think critically. Intelligence plus character - that is the goal of

> true education." - Martin Luther King, Jr.

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DELHI GOVENTMENT ANNOUNCES PLANS TO ESTABLISHED A 'SPORTS UNIVERSITY'

Delhi Government recently announced its plans to establish a 'Sports University' in the state. to groom the students who would excel in various sports in school The university will be established over a 90 acre land the Mundka area. Delhi Chief Minister Shri Kejariwal mentioned that for a sportsperson's graduation, postgraduation and doctorate degrees will be in the subjects of sports which can be produced by him wherever required. Using this degree a sportsperson could also appear in the civil services examination because he would be considered a graduate. **Source: India Today**

Education News across the World



LACK OF PROPER SLEEP CAN AFFECT YOUR COLLEGE GRADES: AN MIT STUDY

A new study conducted by MIT have found a strong relationship between student grades and their sleep time. It states that the time students go to bed, consistency of their sleep patterns make a big difference. They also stated that getting a good night's sleep just before a big test is not enough, it takes several nights in a row of good sleep to make a difference, according to the study published in the journal 'Science of Learning.' Though the researchers found that at the end of the day was zero correlation with fitness, they still believe that there is a tremendous positive impact of exercise on cognitive performance. One of the surprising findings was that individuals who went to bed after some particular threshold time for these students, It varied from one person to another tended to perform less well on their tests no matter how much total sleep they ended up getting.**Source: India Today**

HARVARD UNIVERSITY TO STUDY TELANGANA WELFARE SCHOOLS' SUCCESS

The prestigious university of America - The Harvard University has taken Telangana social welfare residential institutions as a case study to critically analyze efforts and policies of the Telangana government in providing quality and equitable education to the children from marginalized sectors, The case study has been named - How Telangana Social Welfare Residential Schools (TSWREIS) are disrupting the status quo in education sector in India. This is for the first time that any such intervention in education for the marginalized sector has been noticed by Harvard University. The students and teachers of the university will analyse the challenges in professional development and school leaders against the background of acquisition of 21st century skills by students. **Source: Banglore Mirror**





THIALAND TO OPEN A US\$162M INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL IN 2020

Thailand is all set to open a US\$162 million International school by August 2020 The school is expected to teach up to 1800 Thai and international students. Designed by U City Plc. and Fortune Hand Ventures Ltd from Hong Kong, the school promises to be built with students' interests and passions at its core, as well as representing a "turning of the page" in international school design.Fortune Hand's investment is also the largest single foreign investment in international schooling in Thailand, according to the companies.VERSO will be the largest school in the Bangkok metro area, covering an area of 66 acres.Inspired and empowered, VERSO is invested in the future of international education, shaping students with the confidence and skills to lead their own journey. **Source: The Pie News**

Whats New at AIMRI





ASK THE EXPERT

Its been six months in college and I still find it difficult to catch up with all the developments around me. I constantly find myself running out of time. Please advice how do I manage my time in college? – Shristi, Amity University

Hi Shristi,

Congratulations! on surviving the first six months in college> I do understand what you must be going through, College life is far more different from being at school, from assignments, lectures to co-curricular activities, their are endless activities which take place simultaneously, and besides money, you always find yourself short of time. We all have 24 hours in a day and it unto us how we manage it. Do not push yourself off bounds by literally jumping into everything that comes your way. Manage your academic schedule and also do not forget to make time for yourself. Try going out with friends once in a while, this will keep you away from stress and help you face the challenges in a better and positive way. Make sure you know when to start and when to take a break. You must also learn when to say "No' to a certain tasks, this will help you keep unwanted worries at bay. When the schedules are tight we often tend to forget take care of yourself, hence make sure that you sleep well, eat well and take care of both your mental and physical health. Plan your coming week in advance, this will help you deal with any unexpected tasks coming your way as you will know how and where to place them. And most importantly - Just go with the Flow and Have Fun!

This specific corner has been introduced for those who seek advice on education and related matters. If you have a doubt please feel free to submit your questions to **aimri@ariesgroup.ae**