

### From the Principal's Desk

To Students and Faculty:

It was a privilege to be acting principal for the past year. Though I have been at FGS for many years, the previous year has been filled with many new, wonderful and challenging events. I had the great fortune to work with some very cooperative teaching staff and energetic students that made the experience all the more worthwhile.

This year has seen many interruptions. We had it all- from curfews and strikes to snowstorms that lasted for weeks. The damage from this winter was incredible. When I entered the school after Christmas break, it looked like an earthquake had hit the area. The electricity and telephone wires were down, water pipes burst, tree branches covered the grounds, and the roof of the kindergarten building was damaged and leaked, which forced us to move the children to another building. Nonetheless, we managed to forge our way through and go on with classes.

You, our young students, will soon grow and become the men and women of the future. You will have it within your powers to change the course of history. FGS has great faith in its students with great reason. You have distinguished yourselves not only academically but socially. You have been active throughout the year in organizing and participating in extracurricular activities. There was the Open House in May which included the science, art and social studies exhibitions, drama society and sports, to which you added skating this year. In addition, with the help of the librarian, you published three editions of the children's magazine, Friends of the Library.

Dear students, I wish you the best in whatever endeavors you may choose. I believe that soon you will emerge from your cocoons in full bloom as beautiful as any butterfly and fly off successfully on strong wings. I believe you are well aware of the three foundations of learning; seeing much, suffering much and studying much.

I am emotionally touched as the school year draws to an end, which is for you a new beginning. My expectations for next year are high and hopefully it will be a better year with fewer interruptions. I also expect the new building to be ready for use early in September. You will once again distinguish yourselves on all levels.

Thank you all, staff and students, who helped make this a truly unforgettable year.

Qiana Abdel Nour Diana Abdel Nour Acting Principal



اعزائي الطلبة والهيئة التدريسية

لقد كان القيام بادارة مدرسة الفرندز للبنات امتيازا وشرفا لي، رمع اني علمت لسنوات مليئة بالتحدي وبالاحداث المتعة معا، ولقد كان لي حظ عظيم بالعمل مع الهيئة التدريسية متعاونة، وطلاب مفعمين بالحركة والنشاط، نما جعل تجربتي تستحق ان احياها.

لقد تعرضت السنة الدراسية الماضية لكثير من التوقف، والمقاطعة من منع تجول، الى اضرابات، الى عواصف ثلجية استمرت اسابيع. وكان التخريب الذي وقع من الامور التي لا تصدق، وعندما دخلت المدرسة بعد عطلة عيد المبلاد، احسست بالتي ادخل مكانا منكوبا أثر هزة أرضية وقد سقطت كوابل الكهربا، واسلاك الهاتف على الارض، وتفجرت المابيب المياه، وغطت اغصان الاشجار المتكسرة وجه الارض، وتهدمت بعض الاجزاء من سور المدرسة، وراحت المياه تنسرب من سقف روضة الاطفال عما أجيرنا على نقل الاطفال الى ناية اخرى، ومع ذلك استطعنا أن نشق طريقتا عبير كل ذلك، ناية اخرى، ومع ذلك استطعنا أن نشق طريقتا عبير كل ذلك،

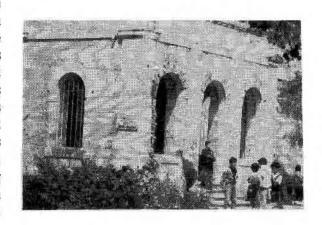
اما أنتم يا طلابنا الصغار، قعما قريب سوف تكبرون، وتصبحون رجال ونساء المستقبل، ويقواكم تستطيعون تغيير مجرى التاريخ، ومدرسة الفرندز للبنات لها ثقة كبيرة بطلابها، تلك الثقة التي لم تبن بدين أساس، فقد البتم انفسكم اجتماعيا ولم تكتفوا بالناحية لاكاديبة، وقد كنتم فاعلين خلال السنة في تنظيم النشاطات المختلفة والمنتوعة، لقد اقمتم اليوم المفتوح في أيار، ومعارض العلوم والفن والاجتماعيات والمسرحية، والنشاطات الرياضية التي اضفتم اليها ولا العام التزلج كنشاط جديد، بالاضافة الى اخراج ثلاث مجلات بحلال فاصدقاء المكتبة والذي ثم بساعدة امينة المكتبة، ولن انسى مكر كل المعلمين الذبن ساعدوا في اقامة تلك النشاطات وانجاحها.

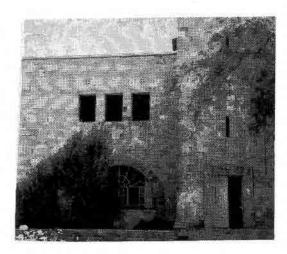
الني اقني لكم كل ما هو اقتصل في اي اختيار تختارونه. وانا إثقة انكم قريبا ستخرجون من شرانقكم بجمال القراشات الملونة، بتستطيعون الطيران باجنحة قوية ويكل ثقة ونجاح، كما انني إثقة بانكم تستطيعون التعامل مع اسس التعليم الثلاث ينجاح: أن تروا كثيراً ... أن تعاونوا كثيراً ... وأن تدرسوا كثيرا

القائمة باعمال المديرة ديانا عبد النور

### A Surprising History

The Friends Girls School, or FGS, was founded in 1869 by the Quakers (Quaker being a religion, a sect of Christianity, and Quakers being the people who believed in this faith.) The Friends Girls School was not always called by this name. It was first called the Girls Training Home. It was a boarding school when it first started, so parents from all over sent their daughters (at that time it was a girls school) to study here. 80-90 girls boarded here and additional students lived nearby. In 1889, the first 2 floors of the main building were built. Ms. Katie Gabriel, a Quaker from Lebanon, was the first principal at FGS.

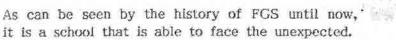


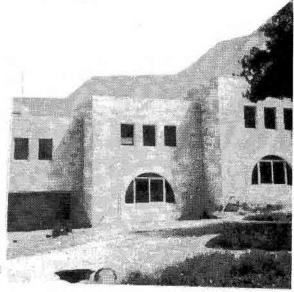


During the period of World War I, between the years of 1915 to about 1919-20, the school closed. After the war, it reopened and remained open during World War II. In 1956, it also closed, but only for a short period.

In 1967, the year of the occupation, FGS experienced a whirlwind of change. Students no longer boarded and religion classes began to be taught in place of the ethics courses that had emphasized the common ideas of all faiths. Instead of all subjects being taught in English, most subjects started to be taught in Arabic. Everyone began to look down on things Western and everyone and everything became more Palestinian.

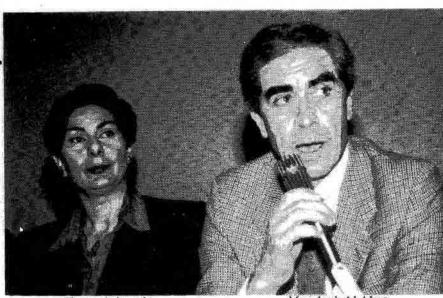
Until recently, FGS was a girls school, except for kindergarten through second grade and some secondary classes. After the Intifada started, all classes became coeducational. The Board of Directors and the administration of the school thought it was a good idea to merge and they still think so since it has proved to be successful. Parents still are sending their sons and daughters here to learn about their language, culture and homeland.





# The Unexpected...

..in Palestine...



Hanan Ashrawi

Mamdouh Al Akar

agreement by Israel, Jordan, Lebanon. Palestine and Syria to participate in conferences aimed at bringing about peace is very surprising. It is a change of policy for all of these countries. In October of 1991, these countries, with the two co-sponsors, the U.S. and the former Soviet Union, met in Madrid to try to write the first chapter of peace. Since then they have completed six rounds of negotiations. There is some skepticism at FGS as to whether or not the Palestinians will gain anything from the peace process. There are some people who feel that the Palestinian delegation is putting all they've got on the negotiating table, but that it is nearly impossible to negotiate with Palestinians have been waiting nearly 45 years for a homeland. Many students at FGS feel that we should be able to get it back in a peaceful manner. Whatever happens in the peace process, hopefully we won't lose anything by trying. Inshallah, we'll regain our homeland.

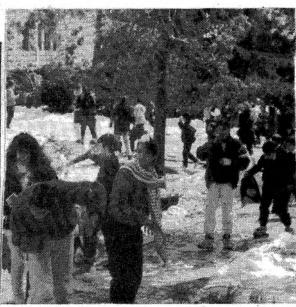
Negotiations:
A Step Towards
Peace?



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#### White Palestine



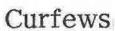


This year was full of harsh weather, the most surprising of which was snow! The rainfall all last year was far lower than the snow that fell this year. People said that they had never seen as much snow as they saw this year. Surprisingly, students from this school didn't like snow all that much. They said that they liked it the first time, but after that it was just too much. Snow made them cold and it was boring because every time it snowed they had to stay at home until the snow melted. Well, that's life in a white Palestine.



The village of Mazra' Al-Sharqieh was under curfew in January for almost 10 days. The killing of an Israeli man was the reason for this strict curfew. The first two nights, Israeli soldiers slept During these two days, the in the village. Palestinians living in the village went through a lot of pain and suffering. When the soldiers first entered this peaceful village, they saw a young boy and blindfolded him. They tied him up and put him in the middle of the street where he had to endure the freezing temperatures. They finally released him after several hours. The soldiers searched houses and did many awful things to the Palestinian people. Many of the Palestinians had to pay fines if they just opened their doors or went to hang clothes to dry. Many people ran out of food. They had to sneak out of their homes to borrow or buy some from a nearby store. Israelis finally left Mazra' Al-Sharqieh and moved to the entrance of Silwad (which was also under curfew.) They still wouldn't allow anyone into or out of Mazra' Al-Sharqieh. Hopefully it won't happen, but don't be surprised if soldiers come to your village and call out "curfew!"









Ramallah was under a very strict curfew in December. The Israeli soldiers put this curfew on Ramallah and El Bireh after a settler was killed in El Bireh. The curfew was in effect for two weeks. During this time, the soldiers searched houses and the settlers inflicted damage upon personal property. Even after the 24-hour curfew was lifted, a nighttime curfew remained in effect.

This curfew affected the Palestinians in many ways. Students didn't go to school for two weeks. People couldn't work for two weeks. Many people ran out of food and heating fuel as no one had expected this curfew. We hope that Ramallah doesn't have to experience such a curfew ever again.

## A Block to Settlement Activity?

During this last year, we have seen unexpected reactions to settlement activity. It was very surprising to us that America finally rejected one of Israel's requests for loan guarantees. request was rejected because the loan was going to finance the cost of settlements on occupied Palestinian land. This move allows the peace process to procede without breaking settlement activity. Although this move on America's part is a good start, it is a shock to see that all of our brothers and sisters in the rich Gulf States don't take a bigger stand on the issue of settlement activities. There have been almost 400,000 immigrants coming to Israel from the former Soviet Union and most of them are settling on our land. FGS students feel that if the U.S. continues to reject loan guarantees to Israel, Israel will be backed into a financial corner. These same students feel that all Arab countries should unite to force Israel to cede the land it has occupied and to stop all settlement activity once and for all.



Settlement activity in the West Bank

#### ... and in the World

How many things that have happened over the last nine months or so have wide-reaching significance? Two? One? Three? Make it ten or eleven. Most important were the fall of the U.S.S.R., the blockade of Libya, events in Afghanistan, civil war in Yugoslavia and the L.A. riots. Why is all of this happening in such a short period of time? Is it something to do with the end of the Cold War and the beginning of simple understanding between countries and peoples? Or perhaps it is just because people are noticing the plights of various people more.

The fall of the U.S.S.R. was received with different emotions by different people. teachers and students felt that it was a sad and terrible thing. One teacher said that the U.S.S.R. was needed as a balancing power. A girl said, "It was so sad. We cried." Yet most people in the West think that the people of the former Soviet Union now have more freedom when compared with their previous situation. The only thing that everyone seems to agree on is the fact that it was very unexpected. The political world is like a stack of coins. Once you take out an important coin, you then allow more room for the others. Somehow the stack has to settle back into some new order. God willing, the world will one day settle into some peaceful order.



#### Riots in the U.S.

Everyone was unprepared for the verdict of the jury in the case of four white policemen who had beaten a Afro-American motorist, Rodney King. The mistreatment of Mr. King by the policemen was videotaped by a bystander and shown on national T.V. in the U.S. The innocent verdict caused widespread looting and rioting. Most people asked felt that the rioting had happened for a good reason. Everyone said that it was expected and even overdue. But people also felt that rioting might not be the best way to fight injustice.



Rodney King

# Further Surprises in the World

\* Albanians Flee to Italy \* Arafat Survives a Plane Crash in the Libyan Desert \* Bank of Credit and Commerce Collapses \* Bir Zeit is Reopened \* Blockade of Libya \* Dissolution of the Peruvian Parliament \* Elections in the Phillipines \* End of Apartheid? \* Euro Disneyland Opens in France \* FGS Students are Even More Amazing Than in Previous Years \* Further Depletion of the World's Rain Forests and Ozone Layer \* Gas Explosions in Guadalajara \* Japan Allows Their Troops to go Overseas \* Magic Johnson HIV Positive \* Marriage for Arafat \* Mike Tyson Convicted of Rape \* Noriega Convicted \* Peace Moves in Afghanistan \* Peace Talks in El Salvador \* Revival of the Far-Right in Europe \* Rioting in Zaire \* Rise in Extremism Worldwide \* Ross Perot Threatens the Major U.S. Political Parties \* Settler Vigilantes in the West Bank \* Suppression of Islamic Fundamentalists in Algeria \* Talks Between North and South Korea \* U.S. Turns Away Haitian Refugees \* War in Bosnia/Hercegovina \*

#### Home Economics

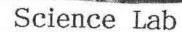
Students' feelings about their home economics class included both the expected and the unexpected. Students love the days when they get to cook, but act like the living dead when they have classroom activities. In their home economics class, students learn about first aid, cooking, health and nursing. But luckily, home economics is not just for learning. It is also for EATING!!!





### At FGS



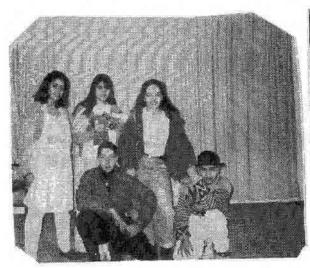


What would you expect from students in science lab? You would certainly not expect them to think that it is fun and exciting, which is what they do think. Maybe more in line with all of our expectations is the fact that they hate writing lab reports.





# Chapel





Chapel is one of the most important events that takes place at FGS. It is the gathering of our teachers and students to talk about problems, have fun and share ideas. This year an unexpectedly large number of students participated in chapel programs. They shared debka, music, stories and speeches dealing with our problems and our situation here in Palestine. As usual, the principal often repeated school rules, but the students still enjoyed all of the interesting chapel programs.









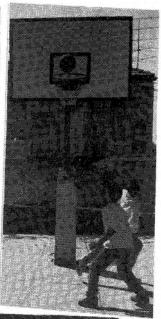
### Sports

At FGS, students take sports very seriously. Even so, it was unexpected to find that they go so far as to actually organize their time so that they can both practice and study. A group of students gave their opinions about sports and they said that they liked basketball best because in order to play it you need to use both your body and your brain. Some say they would like basketball even if they're only watching it on T.V. But basketball wasn't the only sport that FGS students enjoy. Some like football because you need to be tough and others enjoy skating. While students were giving their opinions, they also mentioned that they felt that P.E. is one of the most important subjects in school, because it introduces you to different kinds of sports.

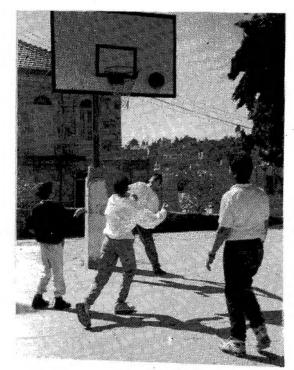
Many sporting events happened at FGS this year. Elementary classes played against some schools and won many of their games. The FGS Club team also did a good job when they played. The senior team played many games and participated in a tournament. They had a good record which was unexpected, especially when compared with last year's record.

















### Field Trips



FGS went on several field trips this year. Unexpectedly, we even had lots of fun with our teachers during these outings. The teachers took their students to many different and awesome places. Some classes went to Jericho, some to Bethlehem and others went to nearby villages. Teachers enjoyed themselves as well, but some teachers said that it would have been better if they could have gone to more exciting places like the Dead Sea or Tiberias. (Surprisingly enough, students and teachers feel the same way once in a while.) To be fair, the real reason for the lack of excitement in some of the trips is that they all were in the winter. Different classes were planning other trips for the spring term, but they were all cancelled due to the burning of a bus in Nablus. No one had expected this turn in events.







## Surprises for All!!!

Unexpected special events have been a big part of this year at FGS. Starting in the winter, we had a surprise visit from Santa Claus. He came and distributed presents and candy to the elementary classes. (There are times when it's a drag to be a prep....) The preps. had their own fun at a Christmas party held in Swift Hall, and even teachers tried to get into the spirit with a carol sing.



At Easter, we organized an Easter egg, hunt for kindergarten through fourth graders. It was the first year that such an event was held. The kids really enjoyed it and they collected a lot of eggs

and candy.



Surprise parties were also a part of our FGS Students gave parties for each other as well as organizing parties for the teachers. Of course, not all of our surprises were happy ones. We also unexpectedly were given vaccinations. Ouch!



#### FGS Club

FGS Club is one of the school's most interesting activities. There are five activities that you can debka, music, drama, sports and art. You can join any of these, practice all year and then perform at the end of the year. Unexpectedly, this year the participants learned even more than they had in the past. The debka group learned three the drama group put together an routines; interesting play; in music they learned five songs; in sports, students mastered roller skating and skate boarding; and in art they had an exhibition of the fine artwork that they had produced. Many other things also took place this year. example, the basketball team played games with other teams and, unexpectedly, even won most of Thanks to the FGS Club this has their games. been a great year.

Open House 1992





#### Expecting the Unexpected:

Surprisingly, we at FGS still have only one twenty-minute break. Most of the students think that the recess is too short and wish that it could be longer. This feeling is especially true as most of the other schools that stay as late as we do have two breaks. Although we want frees, the teachers don't give them to us because they think that we will waste time talking and playing. Unexpectedly, sometimes we really just want them to get some work done or to study for a test.



Free Time at FGS



To Prep. III: Good Luck at F.B.S.

Miss Said. I'm sorry for the trouble I made and I wish you'd forgive me. From Mahor

Osama, Khalid and Asmar: I wish me and you happiness. And get together forever. From Maher

Maher: I wish you the best life and happiness forever.

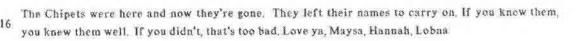
To all of you Prep. IIs and Prep. IIIs: Hope that you'll survive the move to FBS. Thanks for all of the craziness here at FGS. (We'll see what damage you can do to FBS next year.) Have a good summer and I'll see you in the fall. Miss KT

Jihad L. Close your mouth! Your teeth are showing! Ha! Ha! Ha!

Dedicated to Majd Ibrahim: Yo, Majd! The basketball team did great while you were here, but now is even better because Samer took your place. We all miss you-lihad Idheileh

SRS: Love between three forever,

To Majd Ibrahim: What's up? I hope you are enjoying your time, but you better not mess around. Jihad was Joking in that other personal. We all miss you. - From Salem







I can prove that 1 + 1 = 3, but there's not enough room on this stupid paper! From Samer

To the Team: It's the best team I ever played with!

Mohammad, Nasser, Ussayd: I just wanted to let you know that ya have been special friends that I will never forget. Love ya, Cakes

To the Teacher: Thank you for teaching us.

المعلمة القديرة عايدة نشكرك على جهدك الذي بذلته من اجلنا الصف السابع (ب)

S.R.S.; S.R.S. are the best friends forever.

I will miss you my dear teacher, R.A.H.

المنى حياة سعيدة لطلاب مدارس الفرندز.

I would like to thank all my teachers for the effort they put into teaching us. this year, Rawan B.

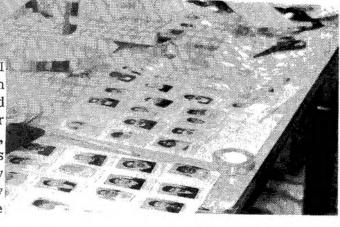
We thank you Miss Christina for teaching us after we were very bad. From Azziz, Mohammad, Ramez, Ribbi and Samer.

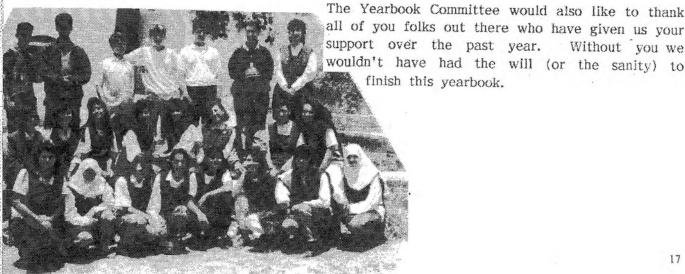
ISD Rulez!!!

To Prep. I: Good luck in your school, FGS, and be happy because you are the biggest class in the school next year.

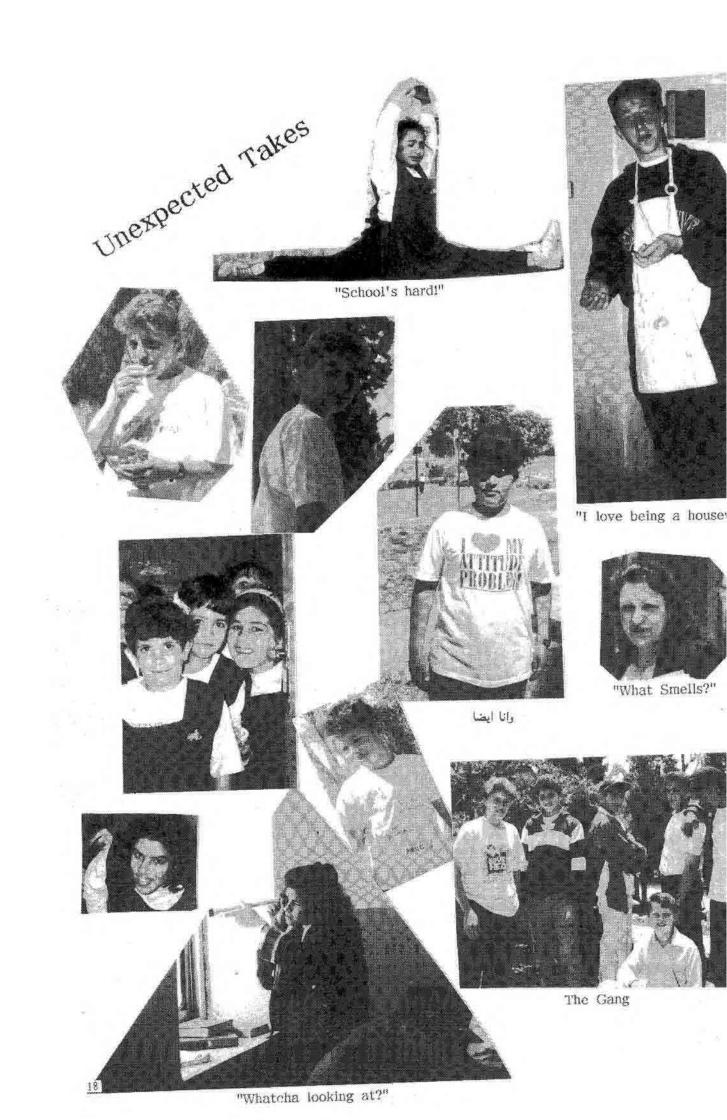
## Yearbook Committee

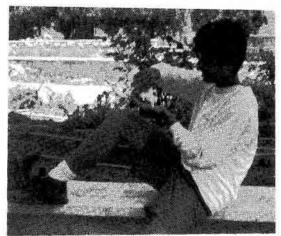
This yearbook is the work of all of the prep. III students. They have been working all year, both to make the contents of this book worthwhile and to work to make enough money to print it. Over the course of the year, they held bake sales, showed movies, sold T-shirts, had a Christmas party and organized an Easter egg hunt. They have worked hard and learned a lot. Unexpectedly they even enjoyed parts of it. Thanks for the yearbook, guys!





all of you folks out there who have given us your support over the past year. Without you we wouldn't have had the will (or the sanity) to finish this yearbook.





Sexy legs!



distant.



"Look! It's superman!"



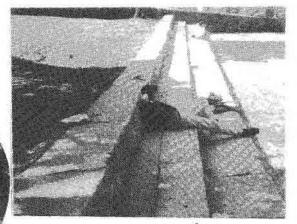
فنح يا خالد



"Give me a break!"



The wave.



امَّن شغله







10



Here comes Santal



"Majd, don't fly!"

"Give me a shekel!"



"He doesn't bite, Rana!"



Chipmunk



"How cute."



Studying hard



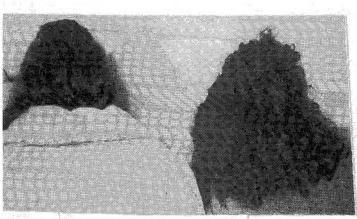
Say "cheese!"



Monkey Climbing







"The camera's this way!"



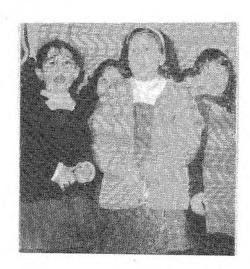


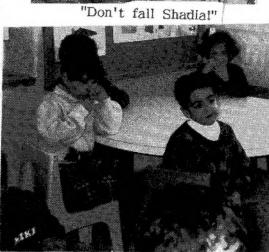
"Give her a wink. She'll give you a kiss."





"What a babe!"





Boring!



Teacher's pets!

### Lower Kg.

Lower Kg, are such a cute bunch. They are all from 4 to 5 years old. They all seem to love and enjoy school. The kids don't just learn how to read and write; they also learn how to be friendly and to respect elders. They enjoy singing and dancing very much. We never expected them to be thinking about education right now, but their goal is to be educated. Miss Lisa says she loves teaching this bunch rather than older students because she says they always tell the truth in any situation. Miss Lisa also says she has learned much from these kids. So wait and "expect the unexpected" from this bunch.

















Abdel Hadi, Sbieh



Abdel Muhsen, Mohammad



Al Maridi, Abdel Rahman



Al Asmar, Mohammad



Al Sharif, Yahya



Al Shileh, Sirine





Ali, Rasha



Darzaid, Sharaf



Dar Yousef, Osama



El Ezam, Nidal



Ghadban, Nadeem



Issa, Lara



Fatayer, Anas



Khalaf, Ramez

















Sabbah, Osama



Salameh, Bisan



Shahin, Shadi







### Upper Kg.





The Upper Kg. are a rowdy bunch. Though tiring for their teachers, they're not that tough. The things that they like most are the swingsets and painting. Unexpectedly, these little folks have very big imaginations. A lot of them said that they wanted to be pilots and firemen when they grow up. Their hobbies include climbing trees. Events that were most notable to them were Santa's visit and the Easter egg hunt. They had a blast!





Abdel Muhsen, Hatham



Abu Gharbieh, Waseem



Abu Obeid, Ahmad



Al Khalilie, Islam



Atiyeh, Yazan



Awad, Areej



Awaad, Mira



Darras, Ghassan





Freitekh, Ala



Hamad, Hamad



Hamdan, Amro



Hamoudeh, Soraya



Issa, Sari



Khadder, Faris



Mahshi, Saji



Mahmoud, Nadeem



Musleh, Mohammad



Mustafa, Abdel Rahman



Nabulsi, Firas



Qustantinides, Salim



Saleh, Rinda



Serna, Lily



Shawamreh, Rana





Abdallah, Aya



Abdallah, Omar



Abdel Muhsen, Rasha



Abdel Rahman, Mutaz



Al Khalilie, Samah



Al Malki, Hassan





A! Quran, Obeidallah



Al Shayeb, Ala



Atari, Mohammad



Barghouti, Husam







Kanaeneh, Reem





Khalaf, Shaden





Khoury, Hanna





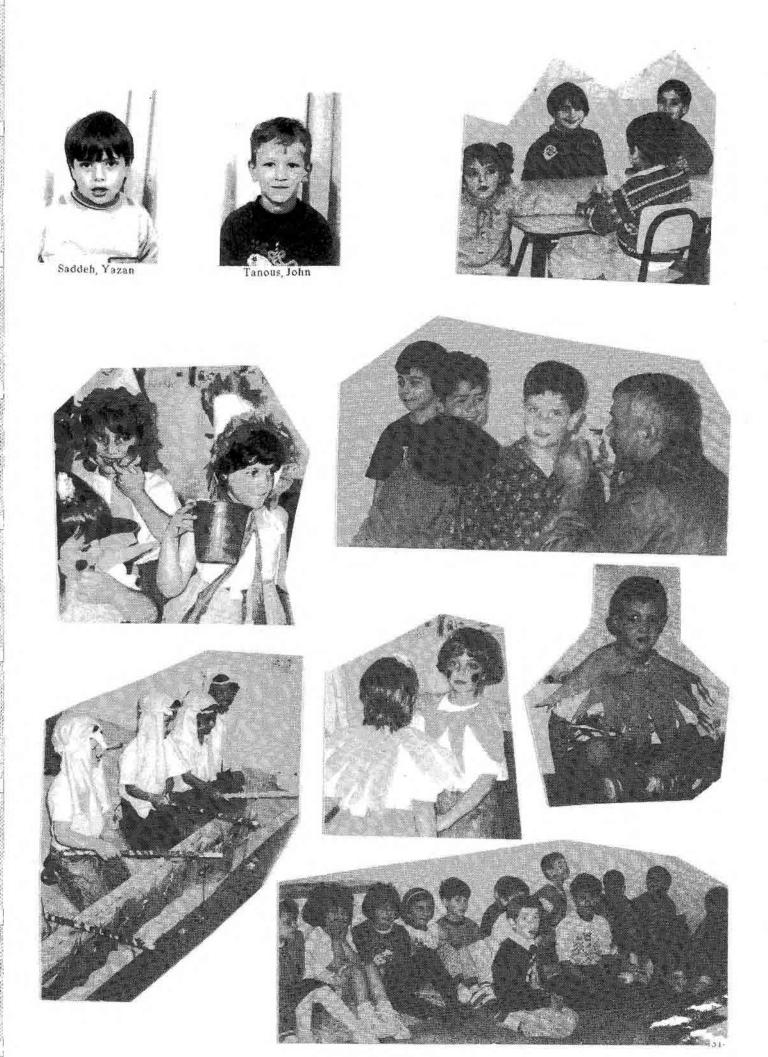




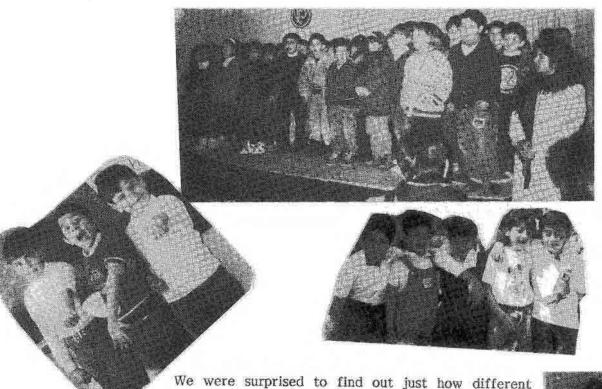
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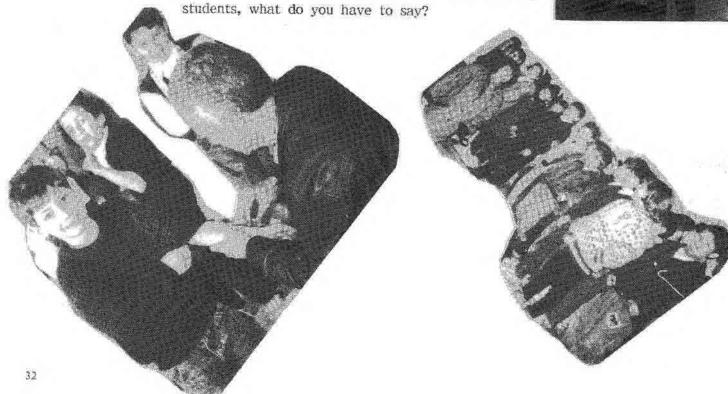
Rustom, Tahani



#### Elem. 1



We were surprised to find out just how different the two sections of Elem. I really are. Both help each other in studying, playing and solving their problems, but there are more clever students in 1B (because they do harder work) and IA enjoys themselves more by playing and making fun of each other. Poor Elem. I... They don't get to do things like go to K5M or on field trips. Still, they enjoy their time playing, laughing and talking. Students in IA feel that they are friendlier and understand each other better than IB. Well IB students, what do you have to say?



































El Ezam, Najeeb

El Zein, Rafat

Hamdan, Ala

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Harb, Manar



Higazzi, Ayya



Higazzi, May



Husari, Elias



Musleh, Hussein



Nuser, Omar



Nimer, Saji



Nusselbeh, Noor



Salameh, Abdallah



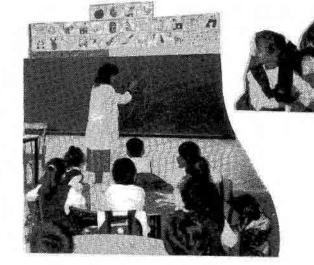
Tanous Lena



Zaid, Luna











Abu Libdeh, Nesrin



Akel, Hani



Al Faroukh, Mohammad



Al Khalilie, Lena



Al Quran, Manar



Al Shileh, Hania



Athamneh, Shaden



Bushnaq, Shadi



Ghawi, Khalil



Habash, Laila



Hamed, Ayoush



Hussein, Imad



Ismail, Mohannad



Kassis, Adel



Khalaf, Nadine



Meri, Rania



Mohammad, Baha



Musleh, Khaled



Musleh, Mohammad



Obeidet, Ala



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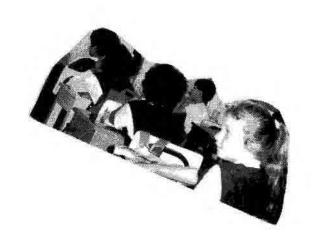
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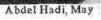
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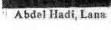












Abdel Samad, Mohammad

Akeel, Khaled









Assali, Azmi









Aweis, Ala

Barghouti, Rabie

Dabis, Jennifer









Habbas, Fawzi

Husari, Joane



Karkar, Diala



Karkar, Tala



Khalaf, Basil . .



Musleh, Imad



Musleh, Mahmoud



Nazzal, Ahmad



Nimer, Mohammad



Saba, Amani





Takruri, Wafa



Tawil, Lena



Abdel Muhsen, Suzan



Abdel Samad, Arecj



Abu Humous, Samer



Abu Ghosh, Areej



Abu Zeid, Taher



Al Khalilie, Besan



Al Atshak, Malek



Bushnaq, Mohammad



El Rifaey, Abdel Kader



El Khairy, Samer



Farouki, Haitham





Fadayel, Suzan







Hamed, Hikmat



Hamdan, Rana





Issawi, Dana



Karkar, Tariq



Khoury, Nader



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Musleh, Imad





Rimawi, Ziad



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Salameh, Ahmad



Shawar, Jihad



Shaltaf, Murad



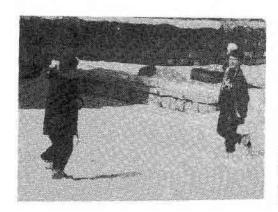
Zaid, Ma'an

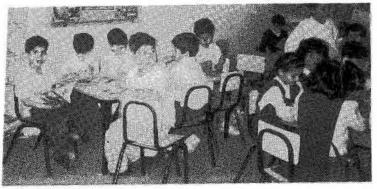


Jadallah, Lena

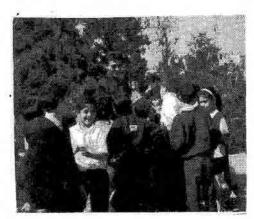








### Elem. 3

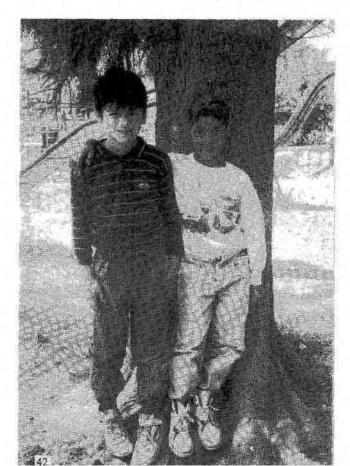






We expected the third graders to be cute little fellows, but it turned out that they are devils. Each time a person comes in their class, they beat him up. They kick, bite and pinch (excluding the times when it's a teacher walking in.) Actually, they are very quiet once a teacher comes in. The boys like P.E. and the girls like music. They are always dancing on the desks and whispering in class. Unexpectedly, they stated that they like and respect teachers and that's why they don't cause trouble when there are teachers around.









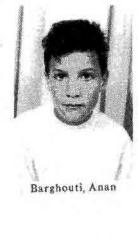






Al Far, Tariq



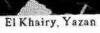


Al Mimi, Baker



Al Soloh, Marah







Faramand, Razan



Freitekh, Sari



Ghosheh, Yousef



Harfoush, Sofian





Khalaf, Haytham





Khatib, Rasha



Khayyat, Michleen



Naser, Hala



Omari, Bisan



Saadeh, Mohammad



Salameh, Bilal



Saleh, Ala











Tanous, Sam





Al Bakr, Heba



Al Faroukh, Ala



Al Quran, Ala



Al Quran, Alia



Ataliah, Omar



Atari, Feras



Barghouti, Lana



Hamad, Fatmeh



Harb, Sophia



Hassouneh, Dia



Higazi, Saleh



Hraish, Ziadeh



Hussein, Suha



Jaber, Ramzi



Kafri, Duna



Khalaf, Eyad



Khalaf, Mohammad



Kort, Dima



Muheideen, Jaleta



Mustafa, Mutasim



Nabbut, Abdelaleem



Nabulsi, Ghaleb



Salameh, Mohammad





Soudah, Christine



Taweel, Wisam



Zaid, Mohammad



Zayed, Ibrahim



Elem. 4







In order to get to know more about Elem. 4, we interviewed one of their classmates. She said that their favorite teacher is Miss Suha, their English teacher. According to the fourth graders, she is very nice and teaches in a way that makes them able to understand. Arabic is their favorite subject. What was very unexpected for them this year is that they were able to perform in the physical education program for the open house for all of our parents. In art, they have had a lot of fun making animals cut out of paper and wood. They all look forward to next year when they will learn new things. They know that it will be hard, but also that they will get used to it.













































Shaka, Taha



Shayeb, Nur



Soudah, Nellie



Qadoura, Shadi





Yaser, Dima



Zahra, Akram



Zagrout, Melvena



Abdel Muhsen, Samira



Abdel Samad, Hala



Abu Awad, Iman



Abo Obeid, Amer



Al Atshan, Shadi



Al Shileh, Mohammad



Barakat, Rita



Constantinides, Christo











Dalia, Haya

El Asmar, Eyad



El Zein, Rami



Fadayel, Nancy



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Hussein, Akram



Mohammad, Tariq



Obeidat, Narmin



Shawar, Nour Eddin









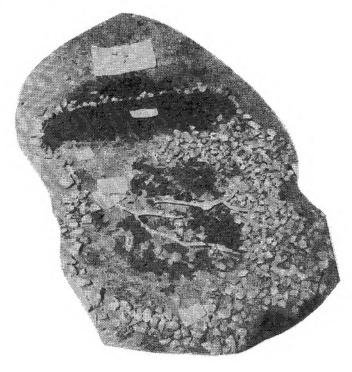
## Elem. 5







When interviewing the fun-loving fifth graders, they told us the best thing that they did all year was making a first aid kit in science. They also said that they did gymnastics and skating in P.E. When asked if they had done any projects this year, they replied that they had drawn pictures of Syria in geography. When we asked who their favorite teacher is, they unexpectedly replied that they like all of their teachers because all of their teachers are nice.







Abdel Haq, Sally



Abdel Hadi, Shadi



Abu Obeid, Hakam



Abu Ghosh, Evrim



Abu Humous, Tumer



Abu Humous, Loui



Abu Shalbak, Mohannad



Abu Zeid, Wail



Al Mimi, Omar



Al Ashi, Jehan



Al Alem, Ahmad



Awaed, Hadeel



Barakat, Victor



Darwish, Maher



El Zein, Rawya



Freitekh, Tarik



Freitekh, Wala



Haj Yassin, Tariq



Husari, Faten



Jaber, Abdel Wadoud



Kharouby, Ola



Musleh, Samar



Othman, Sahar



Qassis, Ramez



Rimawi, Laila



Salman, Ala



Totah, Issa



Abdel Samad, Lama



Abu Hamdieh, Nancy



Al Sharif, Mutaz



Ansara, Fouteen



Ashrawi, Zeina



Awad, Ayla



Aweis, Mike



Ayesh, Ola



Dola, Esrar



Dughman, Lutfi



Haramy, Khaled



Harb, Fajr



Hassouneh, Manar





Jaher, Dana





Kort, Rasha



Naser, Mohammad







Rahman, Sahar



Saad, Khawthar



Sakakini, Sari



Salameh, Mohammad



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Tanous, Lara



Tanous, Jaber

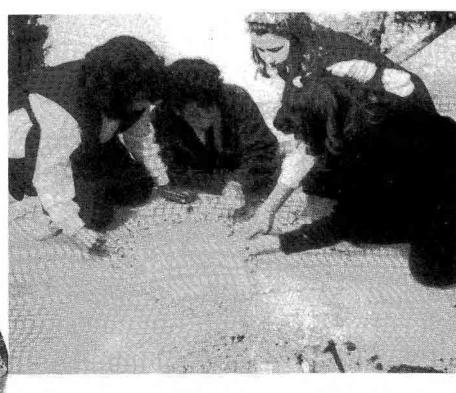


Zahran, Tariq



Zuhaika, Mais





## Elem. 6

GALLERYANADIEL Presents

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Study of a Palestinian Village ( Two & Three Dimensional Works )

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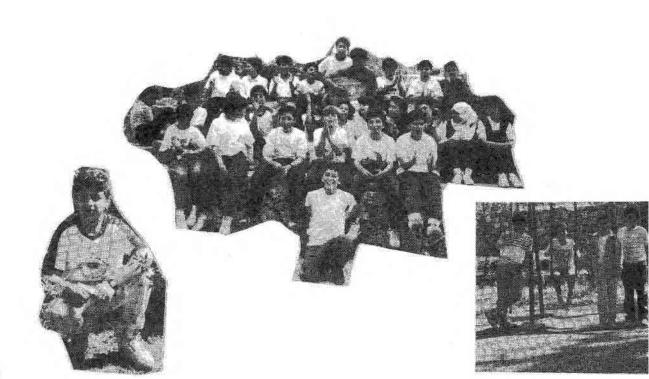
دواسة لقرية فلسطينية (أعمال ذات بعدان وثلاث أبعاد)

حقل الإفتتاح يوم الجمعة ١٩٩٢/٥/٢٢ الساعة ٢ بعد الشهر يستمر الغرض ليوم الأحد ١٩٩٢/٥/٢٤

> جاليوي أثناديل ٢٧ شارع صلاح الدين ـ القدس ـ عانف ٢٨٨٧٥٠



The surprising sixth graders told me that they like their teachers the best when they joke with them. Their favorite class is Ms. Suha's English class because she jokes with them and isn't all that strict. They do admit that not all of their classes are fun. They've done projects though. They mentioned that they drew science drawings for their science class and they also had an art exhibit that was very professional looking. They said that if they could change one thing in the world, they'd make everyone happy. The thing that they hate the most is homework— pretty unexpected, eh?





Abdallah, Yazced



Abdel Wahed, Nimer



Abu Hamdieh, Sarab



Abu Shalbak, Feras

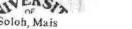


Abu Zeid, Tarik



Al Soloh, Mais







Alul, Hani



Amer, Ronny



Asad, Saif



Asmar, Elham



Awaad, Dana





Baker, Noora





Freitekh, Al Eddin



Haramy, Omar



Harb, Shuruq



Higazi, Mona



Husari, Dena



Husein, Amal



Husein, Amjad



Ibrahim, Dean



Jadallah, Ihab



Khalaf, Tariq



Sakakini, Salim



Zahran, Nidal



Abdel Muhsen, Manal



Al Shayeb, Fikri



Amous, Saifeddin



El Khairy, Mohannad



Ismail, Mutaz



































Samad, Urieb



Shaltaf, Jamal



Shaltaf, Mustafa





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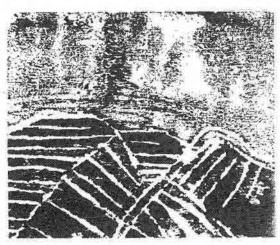


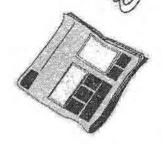
Soudah, Jumana













Prep. I/7th We didn't expect Prep. I to be as interesting and them we we wiewed them we as interesting to be accept.

We didn't expect Prep. I to be have viewed them we also be accept.

But he another classes except also be accept.

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They told us now out of style. We didn't expect Prep. I to be as interesting and them as funny as they are. Recess time!! What are you doing in class? It's O.K. Don't cry! We're flying! We're flying!



Abu Ghosh, Ahmad



Abu Humous, Raed



Abu Libdeh, Mohammad



Abu Maraq, Ussayd



Assaf, Mohammad



Assaf, Shireen:



Awad, Jumana



Awadallah, Taghrid



Bushnaq, Ahmad



Dabis, Hanna



Dalia, Dalia



El Khatib, Nadera



Haj Abed, Mayis



Hamoudeh, Elena



Hishmeh, Manar



Ibrahim, Dunia



Issa, Rawan



Khalaf, Nahida



Mustafa, Mohammad



Naura, Nasser



Nusaibeh, Absal



Rahman, Adnan



Saadeh, Tariq



Shaltaf, Mohammad



Shihadeh, Nael



Tanous, Rogina



Tanous, Wail



Traish, Hutaph



Zeitawi, Yassin



Abdel Hadi, Suha



Al Far, Ribhi



. Asmar, Asmar

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Cutest Smile: Hamoudeb, Flena Tanous, Wail

# Prep. I Polls



Most Likely to Succeed: Bushnaq, Ahmad El Khatib, Nadera



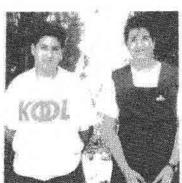
est Personality Abu Maraq, Ussayd



Most Outgoing: Mustafa, Mohammad



Most Athletic Abu Humous, Raed Hamoudeh, Elena



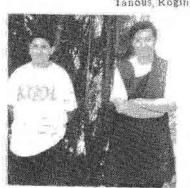
Most Talkative: Dabis, Hanna Tanous, Rogina



Best Hairstyle: Tanous, Wail Issa, Rawan



Shortest: Awad, Jumana



Class Clowns Dabis, Hanna Traish, Hutaph



Most Competitive: Bushnaq, Ahmad Haj Abed, Mayis



Best Dresser. Traish, Hutaph



Cutest Eyes: Shaltaf, Mohammad



Best Personality: Itayem, Abdelaziz Mobarak, Jenan

Shortest: Tamimi, Osama

Abdel Hadi, Suba

Class Clowns: Tamimi, Osama

Baker, Emmat

Cutest Smile: Khalaf, Nizar

Ibrahim, Amal

Tallest: Manasra, Yazan

Nusaibeh, Liana

Most Athletic:

Shyest:

Saleh, Khalid Kort, Sophia

Hamoudeh, Yunes lbrahim, Amal

"Ooh, yuck!"

Best Dresser: Khalaf, Sandy

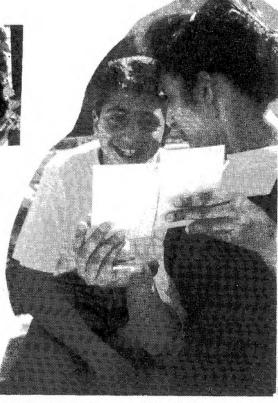


Best Hairstyle:

Yousef, Nabil Mobarak, Jenan



Tamimi, Osama Most Outgoing: Mobarak, Jenan



"I don't know about you, but I'd be embarrassed."



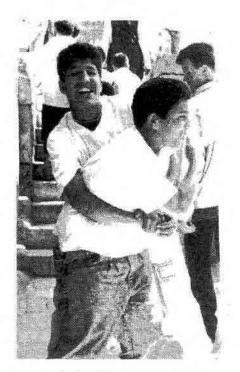
Most Likely to Succeed: Khalaf, Nizar Yaser, Ghadeer





# Prep. II/8th

Prep. II students are nice, funny, lazy and all have different opinions about their class. Many think that their class is fun at times and boring at others. The majority think that they feel like a family, sharing and helping each other out. Prep. II students are experts when it comes to insulting students and throwing chalk. We didn't expect to find out that some of them were not proud of being Prep. II students, while others were proud. Still, they all have the same opinion about "the two noisiest boys" (can you guess who they are?) They say that the only time that the class is free from trouble and excitement is when those two are absent. Deep down inside, Prep. II students are students who are fully capable of "expecting the unexpected."



I finally caught him!





Abdallah, Reem



Abu Maraq, Salam



Ahmad, Haysar



Atallah, Amai



Aweis, Ropena



Dabit, Frosse



Eid, Mahmoud



Ghosheh, Hala



Hasan, Lena



Husein, Ahmad



Husein, Amjad



Husein, Mohammad



Husein, Riham



Ibrahim, Amenah



Kafri, Riyam



Khalifeh, Linda



Mansour, Nadia



Milbes, Asad



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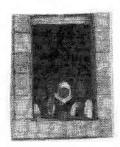
Sabat, Frida



Shawar, Tahany



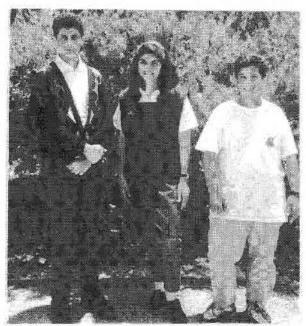








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Muhsin, Ali

Most likely to Succeed:

Hasan, Lena Milbes, Asad



Tallest: Abu Maraq, Salam Ahmad, Haysar



Milbes, Asad

Class Clowns;

Mansour, Nadia



Husein, Mohammad

Abu Maraq, Salam

Prep. II Polls



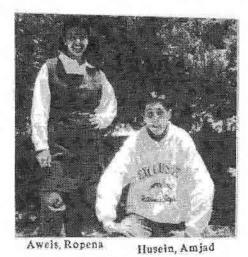
Most Talkative:
Milbes, Asad Mustafa, Mona



Best Personality: Hassan, Lena Husein, Amjad



Most Outgoing. Ahmad, Haysar Abu Maraq, Sala



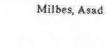
Awels, Ropena Best Hairstyle:



Muhsin, Ali Most Competitive: Ibrahim, Amena

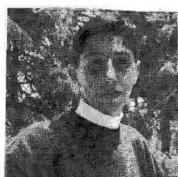


Othman, Shireen





Khalifeh, Linda



Cutest Eyes: Husein, Amjad



Ahmad, Haysar

Most Athletic: Mansour, Nadia



Abu Maraq, Salam

Husein, Amjad Best Dresser:



no basketball?"

Prep. III/9th

When you first walk in on Prep. III, they seem like a very wellmannered group. That's what they want you to think. They just want you to let your guard down so that they can sneak up on you unexpectedly. Little things like Jane's request to have her bag back (which is currently hanging on a hook outside a window ... ) have to be dealt with, as do the animal names being thrown back and forth (just nicknames Miss...) Often It is necessary to get Ehab to stop hitting someone (it doesn't matter which Ehab,) and the Arabic Speakers have often demonstrated their own punching techniques. As the oldest class to whom all of the younger students look for guidance, the class ALWAYS adheres to the dress code (of course, there are only 15 students left in class, because the rest of them are downstairs calling parents to bring them blue pants.) Talking is, of course, never a problem as EVERYONE is talking (is that a problem Miss?) But the very best thing about Prep. III is that they are a very close They have worked very hard all year, especially on this yearbook and for that we're all very thankful. We wish you luck next year at FBS; we'll wait and see what unexpected things you manage to do there!



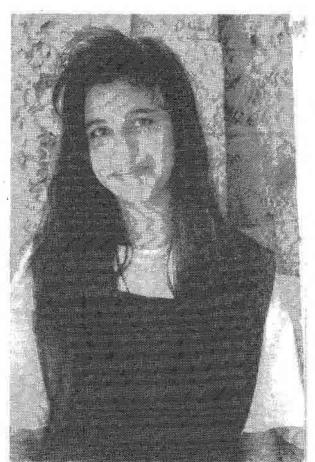
"Mmm!"



Abu Humous, Rania



Abu Shalbak, Inas



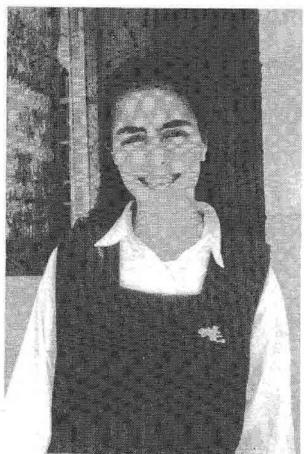
Ahmad, Maysa



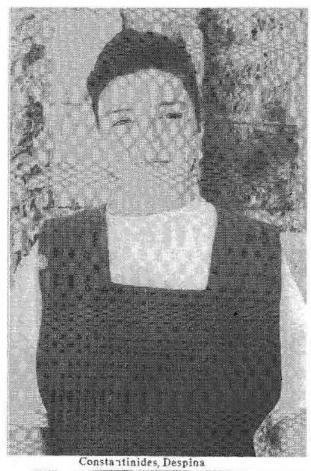
Barakat, Rawan



Bushnaq, Shereen



El Khatib, Nadia



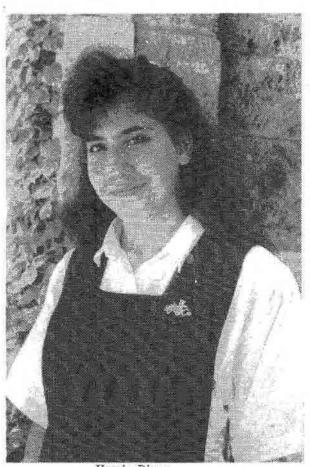


Super Samer



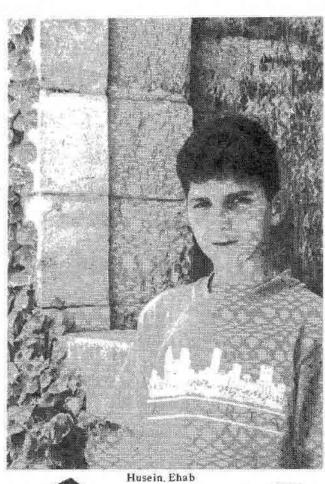


"Take it back and I'll let you down."

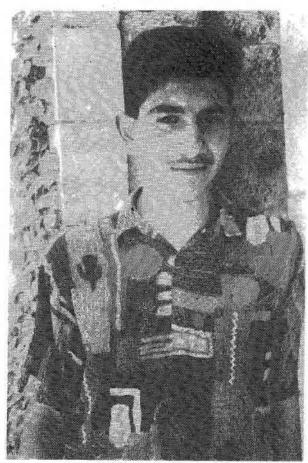


Husein, Diana





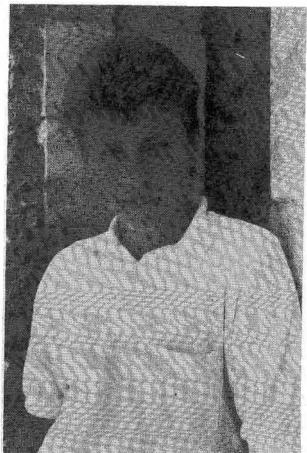
"This isn't correct dunking technique?"



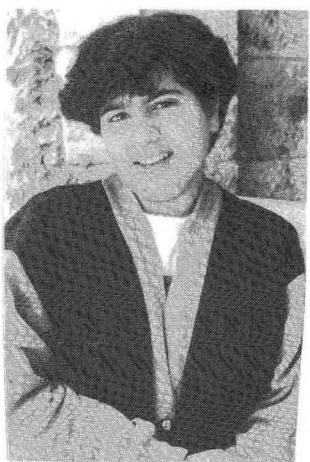
Ibrahim, Majd



Ibrahim, Sonia



Idheileh, Jihad



Maayeh, Jane



Massad, Samia



Bad Dudes



"I can't believe I have to work with such incompetents!"



Mogannam, Rawan



Milbes, Lobna



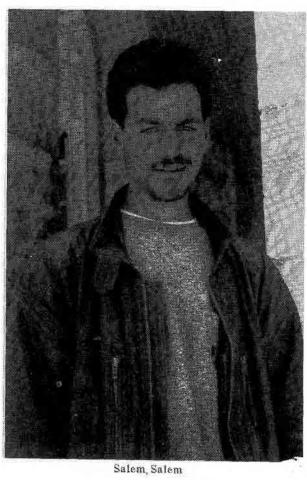
Musich, Rana



Salameh, Abla



Salem, Jihad





Tamimi, Samer

Shalabi, Shadia









Zayed, Ehab



## Prep. III Polls



Best Dresser: Ibrahim, Hannah Ibrahim, Majd



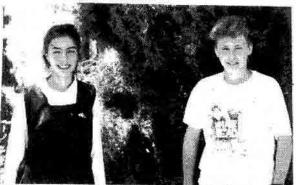
Shortest Salameh, Abla Tamimi, Samer



Best Hairstyle: Ibrahim, Majd Ahmad, Maysa



Cutest Eyes: Husein, Diana Tamimi, Samer



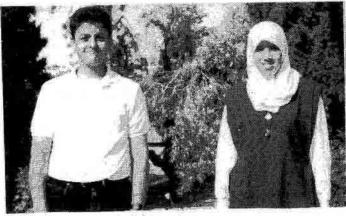
Shyest: El Khatib, Nadia Idheileh, Jihad



Most Talkative: Huseia, Fhab Ibrahim, Sonia



Class Clowns: Ibrahim, Sonia Tamimi, Samer



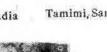
Most Likely to Succeed: Most Competitive:



Musleh, Rana



Best Personality: Most Outgoing: Shalabi, Shadia





Most Athletict Mogannam, Rawan



Salem, Salem

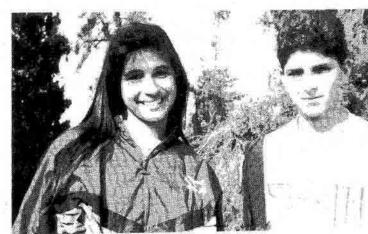


Least Talkative: Constantinides, Despina Idheileh, Jihad



Tallest:

Ahmad, Maysa Salem, Salem



Cutest Smile:

Ahmad, Maysa

Husein, Ehab

#### Staff

The FGS staff is very nice. They always work hard at their jobs. They do the gardening and make the gardens look beautiful. They fix all of the things that break in the school. They also do all of the administrative work that makes this school work smoothly. But every once in a while they also unexpectedly catch us breaking a school rule and take us to Miss Hala for a negative point.



Hanna Ghanayem



Diana Abdel Nur

#### Administrative Staff



Hala Husari



Grace Fakes

## Support Staff



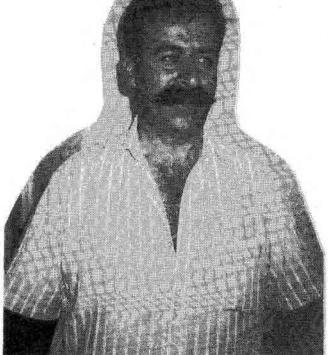
George Natour



Husseln Bawatneh



Ramza Bandak



Peter Jahshan



Maha Froukh

#### Teachers

As can be seen by our dedication, we think a lot of our teachers. We do have to admit though that although they are nice, they are often quite capable of doing things that we least expect-like sitting with their feet on a desk or eating all of the junk food that they are teaching us to avoid. But the thing that has been most unexpected was our discovery that so many of the teachers refused to have their pictures taken. Why are you all so camera-shy?





"Another picture?"



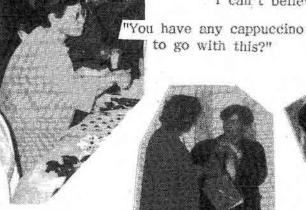
"Salim, if I've told you once, I've told you a thousand times..."



"I can't believe I didn't get candy."



"Now if I could only remember where I put those tests."































Linda Kasheshian











Clair Kort



Lisa Long



KT Ockels



Rory Phimister



Nabita Said



Mohammad Salim



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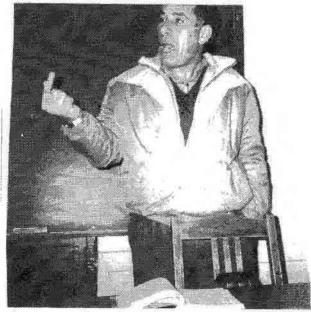
Dina Abu Ghaida

Camera-Shy Teachers: Muhsen Abdel Hamid
Saeda Al Natshe'h Aida Ayoub Berta Butros
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The Art Teacher | The Science Teacher

### Teachers at Unexpected Moments

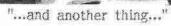










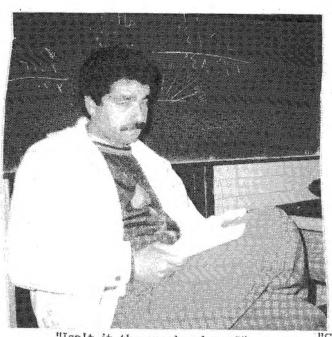












"Isn't it the weekend yet?"



"So, whadya wanna make of it?"









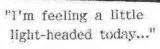










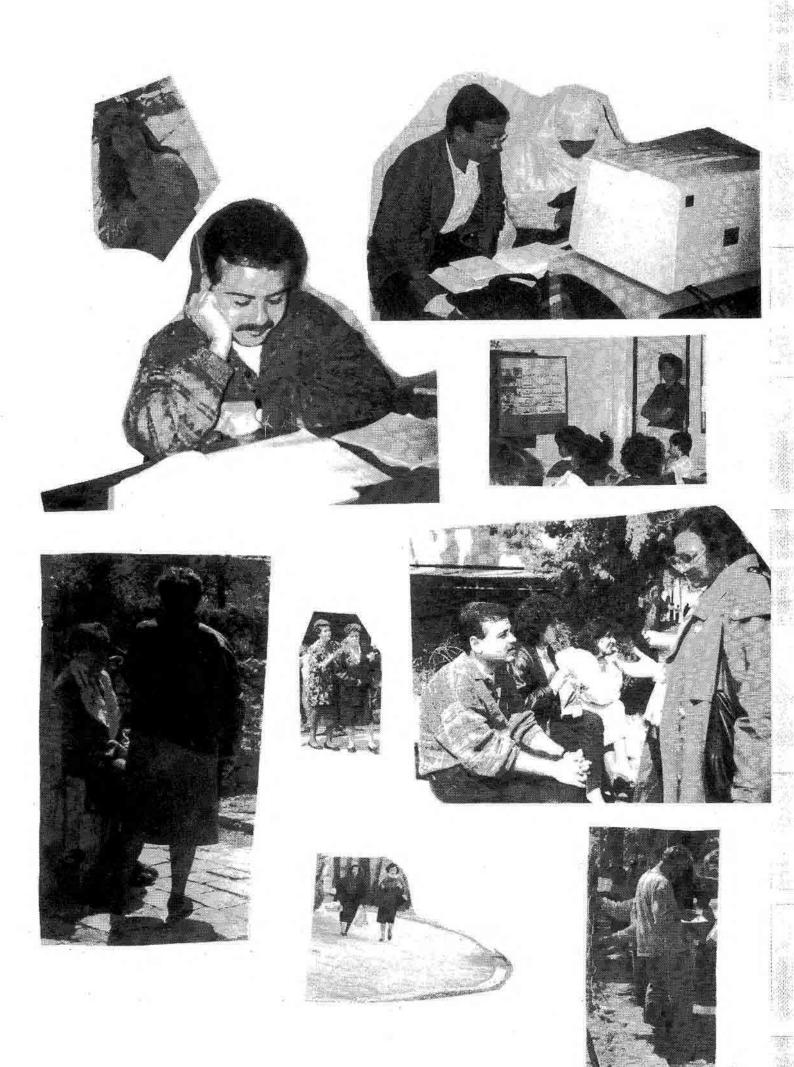












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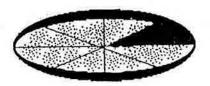
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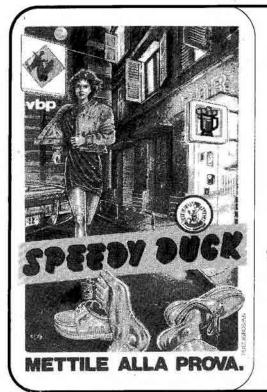
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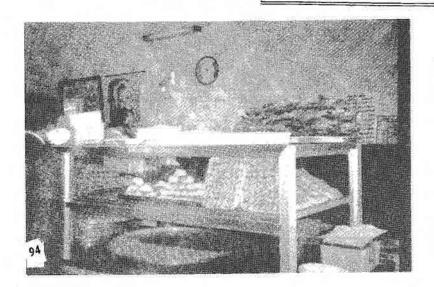


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