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3 Tips to Start the New School Year Strong

- **Get Organized Early** – Set up a planner or calendar for assignments and activities before things pile up.
- **Build Good Routines** – Stick to consistent sleep, study, and homework times so school feels less stressful.
- **Stay Connected** – Ask questions, make friends, and communicate with teachers right away—you'll feel supported from the start.



Upcoming Dates

09/1 – No School
10/16 – Half Day
10/16 – **TLCs** 13:00-19:00 hrs
10/17 – No School
10/30 – Half Day
10/31 – No School

Featured EL Instructor *Mr. Scott Brown*

Mr Brown was born in Monterrey, Mexico, to American parents and was raised 10 years in Norway. He speaks 3 languages, but specializes in Spanish, because he's lived the past 37 years in Mexico. Mr Brown brings a unique perspective to our EL Department, because he understands the struggle of entering school in a new country having to learn a new language at the age of 6 and then again at 15.

