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Dear New ISF Parents and Guardians,

Welcome to the ISF family! We are delighted that you and your child(ren) will be joining our school community, and we very much look forward to meeting you as the new school year begins.

By enrolling at ISF, you have chosen a school with a long-standing tradition of academic excellence and a strong reputation for developing confident, capable learners. Our program supports students in building a solid foundation of knowledge and skills, fostering a love of lifelong learning, and developing the ability to adapt to and lead change. As part of this commitment, ISF makes thoughtful use of educational technology to enhance teaching and learning. **E-Books are one of the key tools used to support students across the school.**

E-Books at ISF

ISF students in **Grades 3–10** use E-Books as part of their learning experience.

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Grades 3 and 4

These grades represent an important transitional stage. To support students as they begin using E-Books, **students in Grades 3 and 4 will receive both E-Books and printed textbooks.** This allows students to adapt gradually while continuing to benefit from paper-based materials. Teachers guide students carefully and ensure an age-appropriate, balanced approach.

Grade 5

Students receive E-Books and printed textbooks as part of a continued transition toward digital learning.

Grades 6–10

Students use **E-books as their primary learning resource**, alongside copybooks and other materials as required by their subjects.

This staged approach ensures students build confidence, organization, and independence as they move through the school.

Tablet Requirement

To access E-Books, **all students in Grades 3–10 are required to have an Android™ tablet**, which is purchased by each family.

During the first week of school, E-Books are downloaded onto each student's tablet and accessed through the tablet for the remainder of the year.

Tablet Specifications

Operating System	Android™ Version 15.0 or above
Internal Storage	64 GB or above
Processor	8 Core or higher
Memory (RAM)	4 GB or above
Screen Size (diagonal)	10.1 inches or larger
Resolution	1920 x 1080 or higher
SD Card Supported	Required
Stylus	Preferred
Wi-Fi	Wi-Fi 6 or above preferred

Important Notes for the 2026-27 School Year:

- SABIS® applications, including E-Books, are supported **only** on Android™ operating systems.
- Tablets that do not meet the recommended specifications may experience slower or inconsistent performance, including difficulty accessing E-Books or saving notes.
- Tablets meeting the specifications are expected to remain compatible for approximately **three years**, after which replacement may be required.

Non-Android™ tablets and laptops are not permitted, as they cannot run the full E-Book features. Teachers will check tablets during the first week of school, and students without a compatible device will need to obtain one.

Recommended Accessories

We recommend purchasing:

1. A tablet **without a SIM card port**
2. A protective tablet cover
3. A power bank with a minimum capacity of **12,000 mAh**
4. A USB cable to recharge the tablet at school

Printed Textbooks for Medical Reasons

Students who require printed textbooks for medical reasons may request them by providing a **doctor-signed medical note** to the Academic Coordinator responsible for their child's grade level during the first week of school. In such cases, printed textbooks will be provided.

Should you have any questions about E-Books or tablet requirements, please feel free to contact us at sdp@isf.sabis.net.

We are excited to welcome you and your family to ISF and look forward to a successful and positive start to the school year.

Warm regards,

David Harrison
School Director