



The Governing Board

Dear Wellspring Community Members,

On behalf of the Wellspring Board and Leadership Team, we are pleased to share an important and promising update regarding the future home of Wellspring's Middle and Secondary School.

First and foremost, and in response to the questions raised, we would like to inform you that Grades 6–12 students will continue their 2026–2027 school year at City Centre Campus for **one final year**. This additional year will allow us to ensure a smooth, carefully planned, and well-managed transition to a newly renovated, modern campus designed to meet the needs of our students and the expectations of our community.

We are happy to announce that Wellspring Learning Community has officially signed a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) with École Notre Dame des Anges in Badaro, allowing renovation plans to begin immediately. This important step represents a significant milestone in securing a long-term campus for our MYP and DP students and in advancing Wellspring's strategic vision for growth.

The decision to move in 2027–2028, rather than rush the relocation for the coming academic year, has been carefully and responsibly considered. While the possibility of moving to the new location in time for the 2026–2027 school year was initially discussed, the Board and Leadership Team firmly believe that a move of this importance must be done properly and without compromise.

Our experience with both the Mathaf and City Centre campuses has shown what is possible when spaces are thoughtfully renovated and transformed. Both campuses required significant work before becoming the welcoming, functional, and beautiful learning environments our community knows today. In the same spirit, the Badaro campus deserves the time and attention needed to be fully renovated, redesigned, and brought up to modern educational standards. Taking one full year will allow us to deliver buildings and facilities truly worthy of Wellspring and our students.

The future Badaro campus will offer many of the facilities we have long envisioned for our students, in alignment with both IB and CIS recommendations. These include spacious playgrounds, bigger laboratories, and a larger theater, among other features that will support a richer, more complete, and more inspiring educational experience.

Beyond being a new location, the Badaro campus represents an important opportunity for Wellspring to fulfill its long-term strategic expansion plan while continuing to prioritize high-quality learning, student safety, wellbeing, and a purposefully designed school environment. The Badaro campus will include a dedicated French section offering the Lebanese French Baccalaureate program as Wellspring adopts the existing École Notre Dame des Anges French community. Wellspring's MYP and DP programmes will continue to operate in line with our mission, standards, and educational approach.

We are truly excited to begin this new journey that showcases Wellspring's commitment to high quality international education and socially responsible leadership as the school welcomes and values all identities and backgrounds.

We will continue to keep you informed as the project progresses and as we move closer to realizing this long-awaited vision for Wellspring's future.

Sincerely,

The Governing Board
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