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Dear Parents,

As we begin another exciting academic year, I would like to take this opportunity to emphasize the importance of staying connected with your child's school journey. A strong partnership between home and school is essential for a child's academic, emotional, and social arouth.

We encourage you to maintain regular communication with class teachers and coordinators. One meaningful way to stay informed is by actively engaging in the weekly feedback calls from our Champion Teachers. These dedicated calls are designed to give you a well-rounded understanding of your child's academic progress, classroom behaviour, social development, and overall engagement in school life. This feedback is not just informative, it is instrumental in helping you identify your child's strengths, talents, and areas of growth, as well as any challenges they may be facing. The earlier we can recognize these aspects, the better we can work together to support your child's learning journey.

We understand that questions or concerns may arise from time to time. Please know that appointments can be scheduled with the Head of school, class teachers, or academic coordinators through the school diary, by calling the school office, or simply by sending us an email.

Lastly, we kindly remind all parents and guardians to communicate respectfully and courteously with all members of our school community, including administrators, teachers, and support staff. Positive and polite communication creates a safe, supportive environment for everyone, especially our children who are always watching and learning from adult behaviour.

Let us work together to ensure your child has a happy, confident, and fulfilling school year.

Best Regards Rasha Tariq





CELEBRATING RESULTS!

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RECENT ACTIVITIES AND EVENTS AT LOWER SCHOOL

The year kicked off with a busy schedule at Lower School. Here are some highlights:

Faculty training: Teachers had a series of induction sessions before classes commenced.



First Day of School: School should be fun and the first day (below left) set the spirit for the coming year with a series of fun events and activities. Fun on the swing with new friends, pictured above and wearing craft badges below.



Parent Orientations: Faculty members laid out academic and ECA plans, programmes, rules and regulations to share information for the year ahead.

ENJOYING LOWER CAMPUS



Lower Campus was thoroughly refurbished last year and students are seen enjoying the newly renovated spaces above.



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As the school year progresses, it becomes increasingly clear that success is not simply a result of talent—it is shaped by habits, mindset and self-discipline.

Self-discipline in student life is the game changer. It is the quiet force that helps students wake up on time, stay committed to their studies and choose long-term success over short-term comfort. With discipline comes focus and that focus must be fiercely protected. Distractions may appear harmless but over time, they can steal dreams. Whether it's endless scrolling, side conversations or lack of planning - each small distraction chips away at progress. Students must be reminded: protect your focus like a treasure.

Pressure, too, is not the enemy. When embraced positively, pressure pushes individuals to discover their true strength. It teaches resilience, adaptability and courage. It is important not to fear pressure but to rise with it.

Procrastination is another quiet thief. Mastering time and learning to say "no" to delay is a lifelong gift. Every time a student chooses effort over ease, they build not only academic excellence but also character. Striving for perfection isn't the goal—progress is. Mistakes are not signs of failure; they are stepping stones to deeper understanding. Every try makes us better, stronger and wiser.

As we approach Gratitude Day, let us all remember: Gratitude grows greatness. In classrooms, homes and hallways, a spirit of thankfulness helps us stay grounded, compassionate and connected.

Happy Gratitude Day to all. May we continue to learn, grow and support one another with purpose and heart.

Hector Fernandez





RECENT ACTIVITIES AND EVENTS AT MIDDLE SCHOOL

The year kicked off with a busy schedule at Middle School. Here are some highlights:

Faculty training: Teachers and support staff had a series of induction sessions and workshops before classes commenced.

Award ceremonies: Class groups celebrated the achievements of the past academic session.



Students and Parent Orientations: Faculty members laid out academic and ECA plans, programmes, rules and regulations to share information for the year ahead.

Teddy day: Newcomers were awarded a CGS teddy (below) to welcome them into school.



First day of school: Celebrating back-toschool was a fun photo opportunity for friends reuniting, a group pictured left.

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FIRE AND EARTHQUAKE PREPARDNESS

Student and staff safety and preparedness for all eventualities is essential in a school and Fire drills and Earthquake awareness sessions were conducted in the first few days of classes.

RSIC DUBAI, UAE



The 57th Round Square International Conference (RSIC) is themed 'Beyond The Dunes.'

Hosted by three schools, The Millennium School Dubai, The Indian High School Dubai and GEMS Modern Academy, CGS / CGSD / NC had enrolled a team of 24, however visa delays meant we are not able to attend.



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Dear Parents and Students,

We are thrilled to welcome September with three highly anticipated events that celebrate the spirit of achievement, excellence, and sportsmanship at CGS Upper.

Firstly, we are proud to announce our Annual Awards Ceremony, where we will honour the hard work, talent, and dedication of our students across academic, extracurricular, and community service arenas. This special event is a celebration of the values we hold dear: perseverance, integrity, and holistic growth. We invite you to join us in applauding the students who have consistently displayed exceptional commitment and drive throughout the academic year. It is their time to shine, and your presence would mean the world to them.

In addition, the CGS Upper Futsal Tournament will also be taking place this month. Known for its electrifying energy and enthusiastic participation, the tournament has grown into one of our most exciting traditions. Students across grades demonstrate outstanding teamwork, discipline, and competitive spirit on the field. It is always heartening to see friendships strengthen and leadership qualities emerge through sport.

Finally our Basketball Tournament will run in the final week of September, with several other schools in the city participating.

We encourage parents to attend all events and cheer on our students as they continue to make us proud not just in the classroom, but on the field and beyond. Your participation will encourage them to work harder in the future. Thank you for your constant support in shaping an environment where our students thrive and grow into confident, capable individuals. Your support gives us the motivation to deliver the best to our students.

Faiza Chowdhury



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RECENT ACTIVITIES AND EVENTS AT UPPER SCHOOL

The year kicked off with a busy schedule at Upper School. Here are some highlights:

Faculty training: Teachers had a series of induction sessions and workshops before classes commenced.



Promotion Ceremony: Last year's Class 8 were warmly welcomed into Upper School at a Promotion Ceremony to acknowledge the achievements of the past year. Head of Upper, Ruhbayna is seen above with the Student Laureates of each section.



Students and Parent Orientations: Faculty members laid out academic and ECA plans, programmes, rules and regulations to share information for the year ahead. An Upper School counsellor speaking above.

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HOQUE MEMORIAL TOURNAMENT

Staff and students (below) competed in the Annual Hoque Memorial Tournament, celebrating the life of former Bangla Department Head and his contribution to CGS.



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