

# GEMS WESTMINSTER SCHOOL, SHARJAH



Newsletter Issue #37

1st July, 2021



## Message from the Principal/CEO Ms. Valerie Thompson

Dear WSS Parents,  
This is the last Newsletter until August. Parents, do please read any Newsletters emailed home from August, as they will contain important & useful details of our educational programme, starting arrangements & more. We will keep you updated with Authority safety rules too!

We are hoping that the COVID situation will allow for a return to normal schooling shortly & are eagerly awaiting Authority approval for this, but whatever the situation in September, you can be assured of our full commitment to the highest standards of personalized learning, wellbeing & development for every child in our care.

Parents, you have worked so hard this year in partnership with your teachers, to support your children's success & achievement. You really are amazingly supportive superstars & we are very grateful. **THANK YOU!**

Massive congratulations & best wishes for future success & happiness to all our G12/Y13 Graduates!! Please sign up for the Alumni App & keep in touch. We would love to hear from you about your ongoing experiences & successes. We will miss you!

We wish all our WSS family a safe, happy & relaxing summer break & look forward to welcoming you back to WSS from 29th August for the new academic year.

## Dates for Your Diary

Date	Details
<b>Sunday 20th June</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Deadline to apply for a TC if leaving WSS is Sunday 20th June.</b> After this date the GRE is not available for late TC processing &amp; there would be delays in processing.</li> </ul>
<b>Thurs. 1st July</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Students' last day of the academic year.</b></li> <li><b>Finish time for students <u>11am.</u></b></li> <li><b>Seats will not be held beyond the last day of T3 if T3 fees remain pending.</b> Any paid Seat Booking Fee would be lost. Seats would be given to the Waiting list, &amp; if parents decide later that they want a seat, this would be subject to availability, &amp; not guaranteed.</li> <li><b>The seat booking fee is non-refundable</b> (but deductible from T1 Fees, Sept-Dec. '21).</li> </ul>
<b>From Sunday 29th Aug. 2021</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Start of new Academic Year 2021-2022.</b> Your child's exact start date will be staggered &amp; informed in August.</li> <li><b>Students who have travelled must have completed 10 days' quarantine before rejoining school.</b></li> <li><b>All students over age 12 years must bring a negative PCR Test (validity 48 hours) to rejoin school..</b></li> <li><b>Full T1 fees must be paid before any student has their class confirmed or admitted for the new academic year.</b></li> <li><b>Please Budget accordingly—there will be no Payment Plans in T1 (no exceptions).</b> Thank you.</li> </ul>



Congratulations, & thank you for your contribution to WSS! Good Luck!!

*Our Vision; 'Excellence Through Teamwork; Success For All'*

# WSS Superstar Champions; Home-School Teamwork!

Dear All Teachers,

## TEACHER

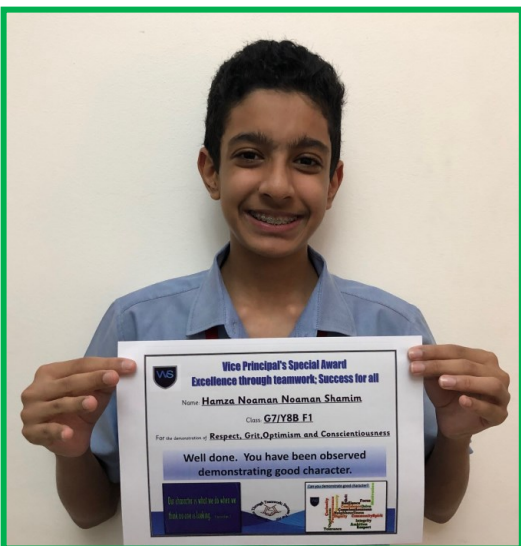
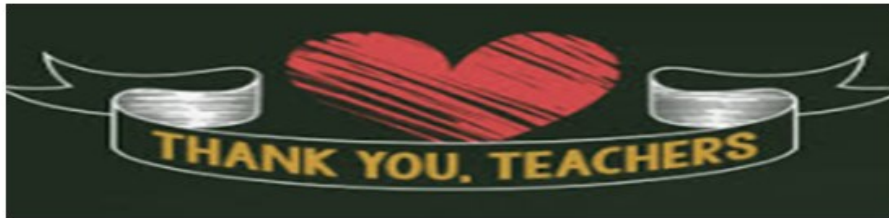
means  
Tolerant Energetic Awesome  
Caring Helper Excellent  
Responsible

Thank you for instilling discipline and the right code of conduct in Muhammad Aoun Haider  
I want to thank and express my sincere gratitude for all the efforts you have taken during the academic year.

This year due to pandemic has been tough on everyone, including you to adapt to the new normal but the way you have taught and assisted each and individual child is really commendable.

We are blessed to have you as a guiding force in his life and for your love and affection towards him.  
Your work and dedication are greatly appreciated by us.

Thank you once again for your excellent efforts.



Dear Ms. Theresa Shankar,

Hope you are very fine. I just take the opportunity to appreciate hard work and efforts made by you in the class in grooming the students by giving them every kind of opportunity, atmosphere and confidence in developing their skills by giving all the students an equal opportunity to excel.

We as parents of Hamza Noaman look at your contribution towards our child with great appreciation by giving him confidence to develop and proof his skills.

We are very thankful of all of your efforts and we have full confidence that our child will be more confident, polished by the term end.

Warm regards

Parents of Hamza Noaman

7B/F1.

## WSS Superstar Champions!

لى : الأستاذ أسامة

المحترم

بالإشارة الي الموضوع اعلاه نود ان نشكر سيادكم على المجهود المبذول في العام الدراسي بما فيه من صعوبات وتحليم افتراض و لكن رغم كل الصعوبات فقد تخطيتم كل هذا و بفضل مجهوداتكم وصلادا لتكنج طيبة و الحمد لله و نود ان نشكر كل طاقم التدريس بما فيهم استاذ محمد مدرس اللغة العربية و الأستاذ أحمد مدرس التربية الإسلامية و الأستاذة دعاء مدرسة الدراسات الإجتماعية لما قاموا به من مجهود لتدريس الأولاد و إيصالهم للمعلومات و شرحهم الجيد من خلف شاشات الحاسوب و ندعو الله ان يرفع عنا البلاء و الوباء و يوفقكم في الأعوام القادمة و من نجاح الي تفوق بإذن الله تعالى .

" و لكم جزيل الشكر "

ولي امر الطالب

f1 إياد كريم حجازي صف الخامس

Sent from my iPhone

To: Professor Osama

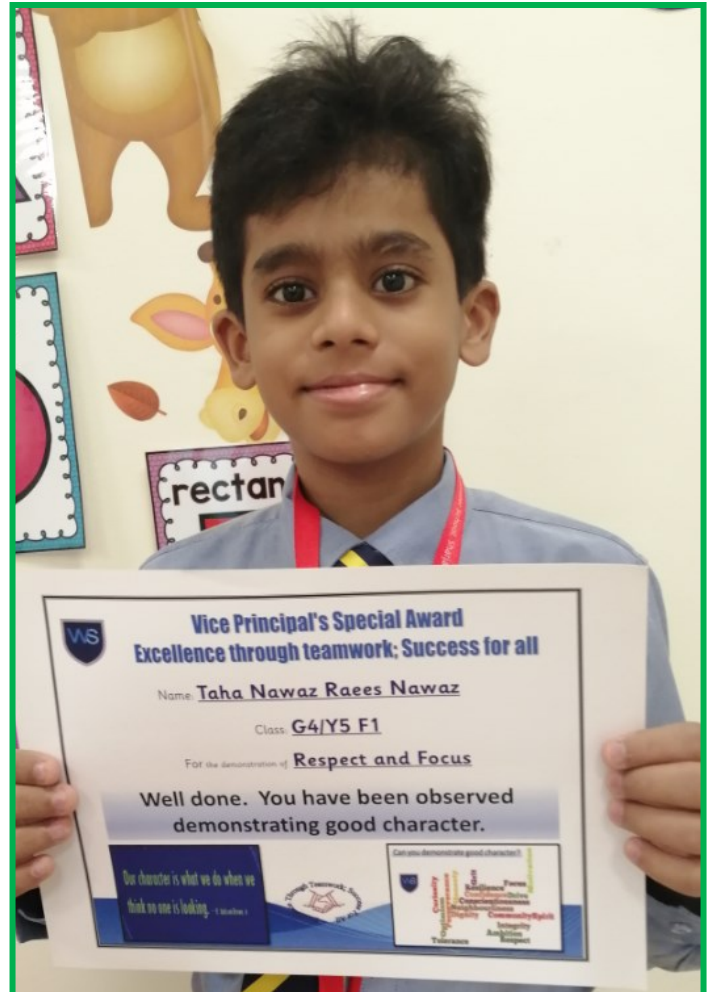
Respectable

With reference to the above topic, we would like to thank you for the efforts you have made in the school year, including the difficulties and virtual teaching, but despite all the difficulties, you have overcome all this, and thanks to your efforts, we have achieved good results, thank God. We would like to thank all the faculty members, including Mr. Muhammad, the Arabic language teacher, Mr. Ahmed, the Islamic education teacher, and Ms. Doaa, the social studies teacher, for their efforts in educating children and communicating and explaining the information well from behind. computer screens. We ask God to lift the affliction and epidemic from us, and to grant you success in the coming years and from success to excellence, God willing.

" thank you very much "

Student's guardian

Iyad Karim Hegazy, fifth grade, p.1



## *Whole School News; Welcome to Dr. Lisa Patterson!*

### **Dr Lisa Patterson-Igwe**

We look forward to welcoming Dr. Lisa to the WSS family for the next academic year. Dr. Lisa will be joining WSS as the Teaching & Learning Coach following Ms. Anneka's return to UK, from August 2021.

Currently Dr. Lisa is working at the University of Northampton in UK as Senior Lecturer in Education and Project Manager for Higher Level Teaching Assistant as part of the National Assessment Board in



the United Kingdom. She has international experience as she also worked in the Caribbean (Jamaica and the Turks and Caicos Islands) before migrating to the United Kingdom. Since 2008 she has worked in various schools across England

Prior to Joining the University, she worked for 20 years in Secondary and all-through Education. During this time, she served as Head Teacher, Deputy Head Teacher, Head of Department, Designated Safeguarding Lead (DSL), SENCO and Teaching Learning Lead on driving improvement to outstanding teaching. These roles enabled her to work with a wide range of students and multiagency, over 13 Local Authorities across England. She has also served on school boards with a focus on raising aspiration and parent engagement. Her area of expertise is in school accountability and standards in Education with a passion for teaching and learning. She is very approachable and supportive, driven by a student-centred approach designed to have the student at the heart of their learning.

We are excited to welcome Dr. Lisa to the team at GEMS Westminster School, Sharjah. & she looks forward to working with you all.

**Dr. Lisa joins WSS in August as our new Teaching & Learning Coach, to lead on our staff professional development programme across the school, following Ms. Anneka's departure for UK in July. Please join us in welcoming Dr. Lisa to the WSS family! We are looking forward to her contribution to taking WSS to the next level of our development.**

## Whole School & Junior Section News

### Students wellbeing



Find our updated Parent Handbook through this QR code. Check-out school policies & procedures to be familiar & comfortable with our system.



HOD Arabic Mr. Osama attended an important SPEA training session on Saturday 26/6/21, regarding developments in Arabic teaching & learning.



# Junior Section News

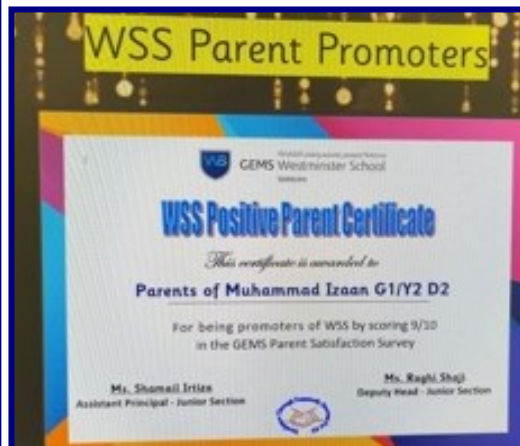
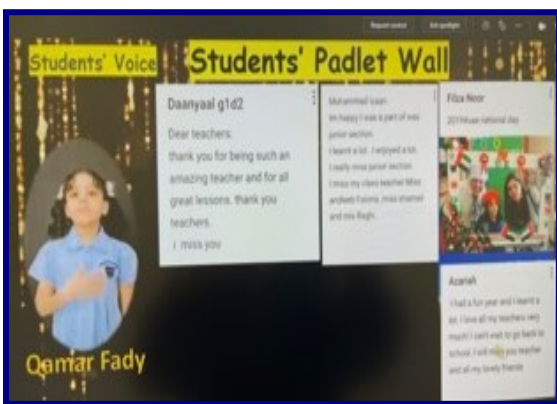


# Junior Section News

The collage features several posts with the following content:

- Post 1 (Top Left):** A photo of a woman in a blue hijab. Text: "Thank you very much for being amazing teachers and for all your great and fun lessons. I feel so fortunate that Adil has been placed in your class. You have inspired and inspired me daily and for that I am thankful because you are truly a wonderful teacher. As a teacher you give him the tools he will need to face the future. Thank you once again for your hard work, dedication and punctuality. Really appreciated your ability to reach all students even from a distance in this situation."
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- Post 4 (Middle Left):** A photo of a woman. Text: "Asha Sani Kumar (Mo's Adil Sani Kumar G1/Y2/H2) Dear Ms. Sabiha/Ms. Fatima, Thank you very much for being amazing teachers and for all your great and fun lessons. I feel so fortunate that Adil has been placed in your class. You have inspired and inspired me daily and for that I am thankful because you are truly a wonderful teacher. As a teacher you give him the tools he will need to face the future. Thank you once again for your hard work, dedication and punctuality. Really appreciated your ability to reach all students even from a distance in this situation."
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- Post 7 (Bottom Left):** A photo of a woman wearing a face mask. Text: "Dear Ms. Sabiha/Ms. Fatima, Thank you very much for being amazing teachers and for all your great and fun lessons. I feel so fortunate that Adil has been placed in your class. You have inspired and inspired me daily and for that I am thankful because you are truly a wonderful teacher. As a teacher you give him the tools he will need to face the future. Thank you once again for your hard work, dedication and punctuality. Really appreciated your ability to reach all students even from a distance in this situation."
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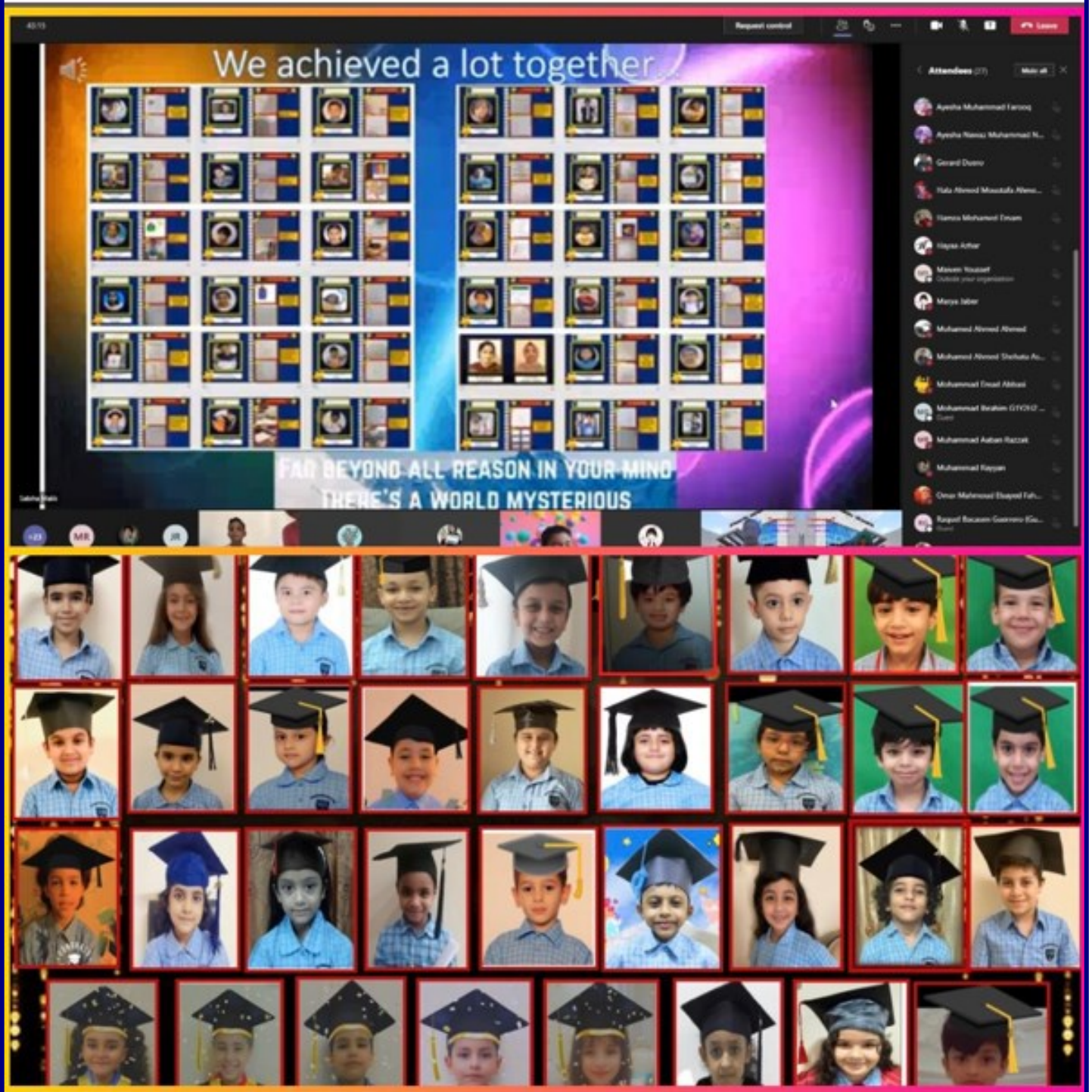
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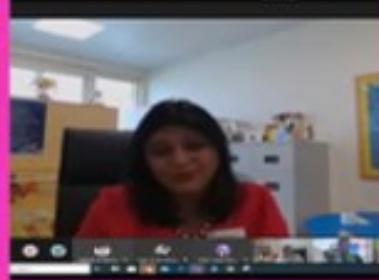
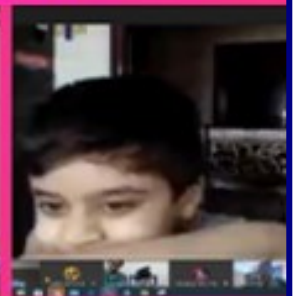
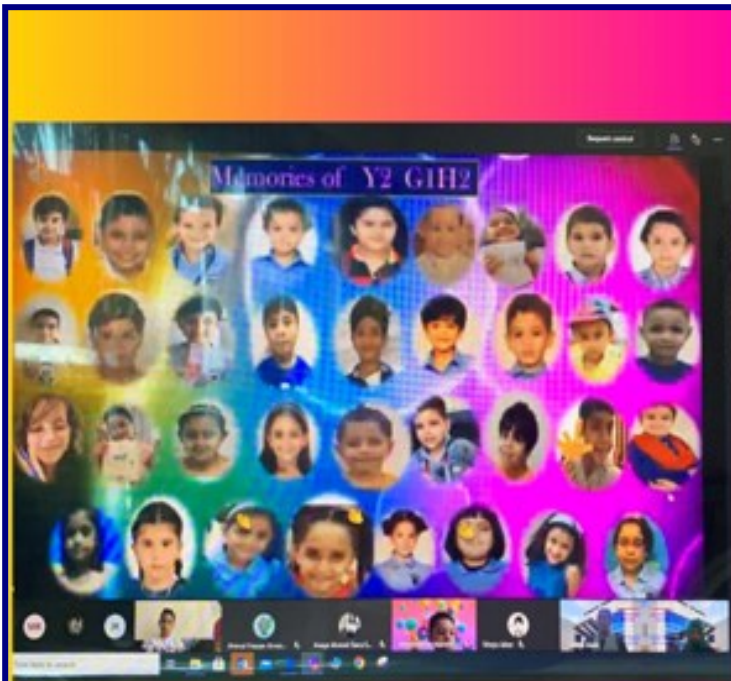


*Junior Section News; G1/Y2 Graduation on 27/6/21!*

**G1Y2H2 Virtual Graduation Ceremony 2021**



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# Junior Section News; KG2/Y1 Concerts on 28/6/21!



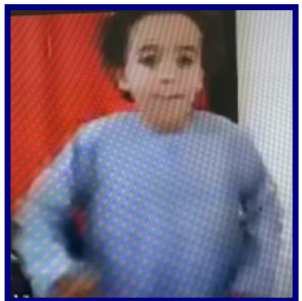
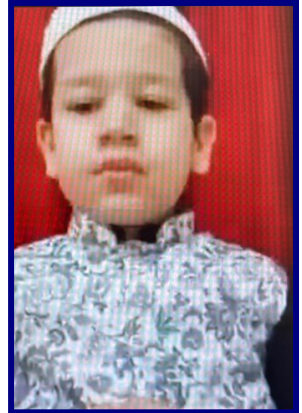
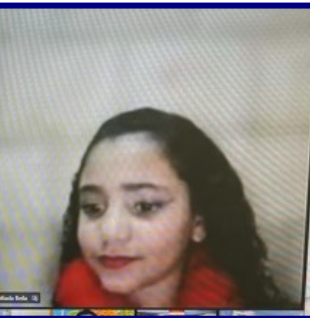
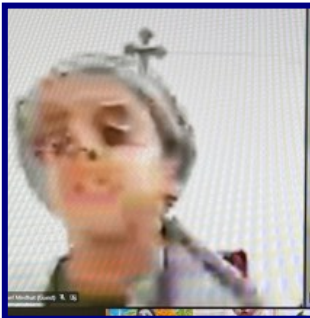
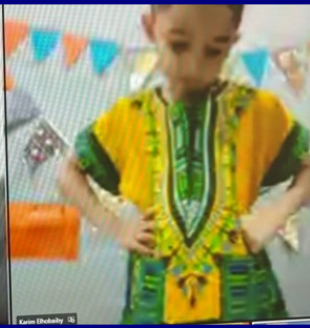
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Team Leader  
KG2/Y1



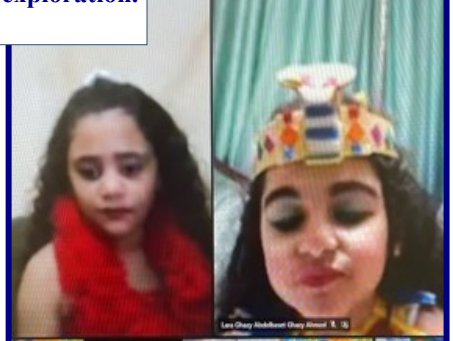
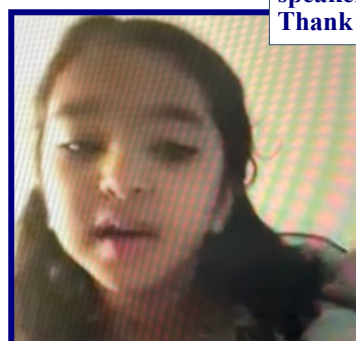
Ms. Uzma Kanwal  
Class Teacher  
KG2/Y1H1



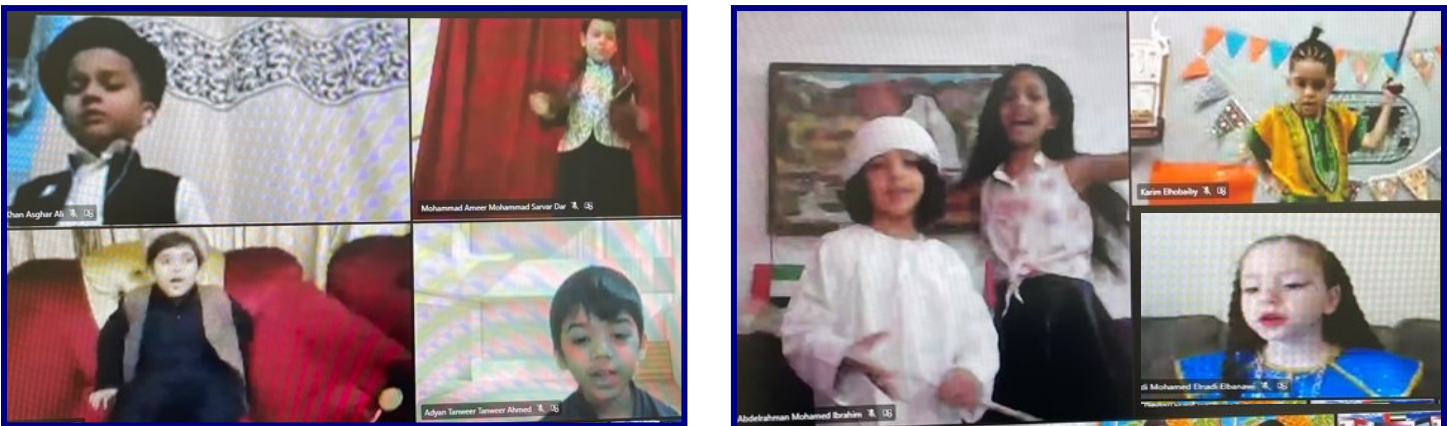
Ms. Huma Ali  
Assistant Teacher  
KG2/Y1H1



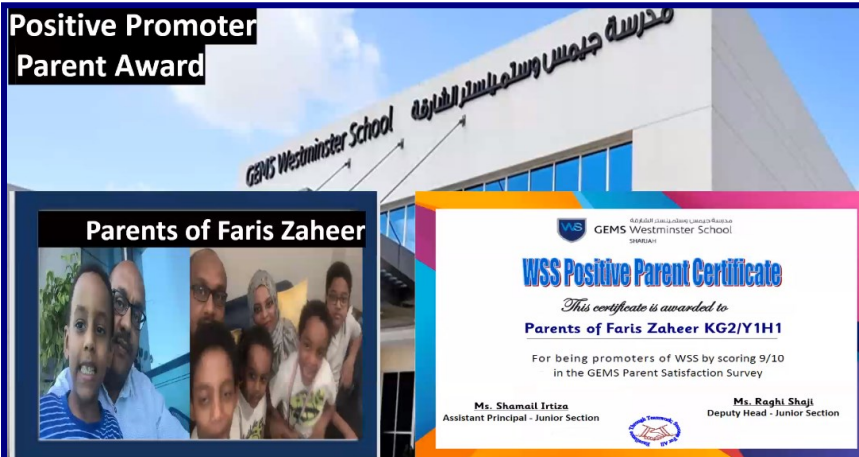
Nothing has stopped our ongoing learning, engagement in fun activities & creativity! We enjoyed wonderful online concerts this week, full of drama, confident speakers, dancers & cultural exploration. Thank you to all involved!



# Junior Section News; KG2/Y1 Concerts on 28/6/21!



## Positive Promoter Parent Award



## Lovely thank you notes by the students



# Junior Section News; KG2/Y1 Concerts on 28/6/21!



# Primary Section News; Student Wellbeing!

## G4/Y5 S1 Mental Health Awareness for Student's Wellbeing

by: Mr. Arvie

### MENTAL HEALTH

A person's condition with regards to their psychological and emotional well-being.

(World Health Organization) is a state of well-being in which the individual realizes his or her own abilities, can cope with the normal stresses of life, can work productively and fruitfully, and is able to make a contribution to his/her community.

### Helpguide's 6 Keys to Mental Health



#### STAYING ACTIVE



#### MANAGING STRESS



#### BRAIN HEALTHY DIET



#### QUALITY SLEEP

Quantity & quality sleep, indubitable laugh are pillars of health.

— Marudra Patel



### MEANING AND PURPOSE

WHAT IS MY MEANING AND PURPOSE IN LIFE?

PADLET ACTIVITY

<https://padlet.com/arv21087/8slbipfojcs13ood>



**Daniyal**  
My purpose in life is to become very educated and help my family. But I am still a far way away from that because currently I don't really think about my future and I am still a kid who just plays video games

**Hamdan**  
My purpose in life is playing video games and want to be an astronaut. I hope to be successful to become an astronaut and land on the moon I hope I can be an astronaut one day

**azaan**  
I want help people and make my own dream to be a cricketer I will study and get good mark so study and get more marks to be successful and my purpose of life is to train study to be a cricketer and help my family when I be successful and my family can be proud of me

**Seja**  
there are two main experiences that encourage meaning and purpose in life. Physical and mental well-being. Personally treasured activities. I purposely live to make everyone happy, and proud, because some people often feel left out, sad or very stressed.

**adn**  
I really want to try mustard but that will be in the future. I want to be a teacher just like mr. Arvie. I also want to be a digital artist. But I don't know what's my future. I want to be a gamer. I do youtube as my career. I want to be a successful youtuber because I want to show my skills.

**Luke**  
my purpose in life is playing video games and be happy and be a successful gamer

**Renee**  
Meaning and purpose in life I wake up having the same cycle every day, but every time I get hit by every decisions that are different. I wish to be a doctor one day, so I could help every one, help them from their sickness I wouldn't say some because their sickness might come again. There is God a single future I want this since to end so I want have to be allowed to be a doctor when I grow up to help everyone who has a sickness.

**Tenzile**  
My purpose of life is to help others, become a successful cartoon director and also watching TV I want to become a cartoon director so I could make fun cartoons to make people happy.

**Anasfarah**  
My purpose is to accompany my mom because my dad stays in the office for four days so my mom gets alone and I also accompany when she drives on her own. Another purpose is because when I will be 18 I want to put up a business to reduce pollution and lead to to serve my God.

**Aayan aad**  
purpose is to be the significance of living or existence in general. There other related questions include "Why are we here?", "What is life all about?", or "What is the purpose of existence?" My purpose of life is to train from God to become a good soldier and to help all poor people in the world and to show grace and make my own invention known as a project destination 2.0 and own my own country and be the richest person in the world and for a famous producer.

**purpose**  
I personally think that my purpose in life is to become a good role model for my siblings so that they can be the best versions of themselves in the future and for me to take care of others.

**Meaning and Purpose**  
My driving force in life is my parents because I would like to be successful in my future career so that I could be able to help my parents. They serve as my motivation and they have guided me since day 1. Because of that, I would like to return that favor by finishing my studies and helping my siblings to achieve their own goals too.

G4/Y5 S1 with Mr. Arvie explored wellbeing in a session on 27/6/21. Students reflected on the meaning & purpose of their life & shared their thoughts on a Padlet wall.

# Secondary Section News: Innovation Times #8!

## WSS INNOVATION TIMES

ISSUE#8

Here is our last edition for the academic year 2020-21. We are super proud of our conscientious magazine team of Sixth Formers who, despite all the challenges, were resilient to complete the magazine. Please find the link below for the magazine.

<https://www.flipsnack.com/gemswss/innovative-times-issue-8.html>



**Team Leader:**  
Hamna Hoor  
Y13/G12 GF1

**Editor:**  
Zuha Khan  
Y13/G12 GF1

**Writer:**  
Amal Mandha  
Y12/G11 GH1

### Meet Our Leaders; Pride of WSS!

**Head Boy - Shaheer Asad**  
Shaheer Asad has been Head Boy for the academic year 2020-21. Despite the challenges, he has managed to lead the school through the year with a lot of passion and dedication. He has been instrumental in many of the school's achievements and has been a great role model for the students.

**Head Girl - Sidra Ghani**  
Sidra Ghani has been Head Girl for the academic year 2020-21. She has been a great role model for the students and has been instrumental in many of the school's achievements. She has been a great role model for the students and has been instrumental in many of the school's achievements.

**Deputy Head Boy - Darshan Dakshinamurthy**  
Darshan Dakshinamurthy has been Deputy Head Boy for the academic year 2020-21. He has been a great role model for the students and has been instrumental in many of the school's achievements.

**Deputy Head Girl - Hamna Hoor**  
Hamna Hoor has been Deputy Head Girl for the academic year 2020-21. She has been a great role model for the students and has been instrumental in many of the school's achievements.

### Yellers Club

The club allows students to enjoy assemblies that will not only enlighten them but also offers an opportunity to showcase their talents to the members of the team. They will be assigning tasks that you will be able to enjoy from as well as recommendation of the members.

### Well Being Club

Inspiring girls to be strong, smart, and bold. Help them get their best side out, shine the brightest. Teach girls how to prioritize and take care of themselves, as well as aware them about their everyday topics.

### Ted Talk Club

The club's purpose is to enable its members to confidently present their ideas in an innovative and engaging manner. Students will be talking and world wide topics, improve their speaking skills, as well as learn how to be confident.

## WSS MENTORSHIP PROGRAM

A few years ago, WSS initiated the 'Mentorship Program' for the IGCSE students where the seniors helped the students out with their academics as a part of the Passport Program, earning community service hours. Additionally, AS Mentorship Program was also introduced recently, where A-Level Students shared their tips and knowledge with their juniors.

The program overall has aided numerous students with their studies and help them achieved better grades. Not only was this program beneficial for the mentees but also the mentors, as we have received positive responses from both.

HERE ARE A FEW RESPONSES FROM OUR STUDENTS:

"As a mentor this experience has helped me revisit and strengthen old chapters. It has certainly made me more aware of the importance of communication and the participation of both parties. Moreover, I have realized the effort put by our teachers to deliver education to our homes. Overall, I thoroughly enjoyed helping others and the satisfied feeling of achieving my goal."  
- Ruba Salam IGCSE Mentor

"It was immensely useful and it has helped me understand my concepts better and feel more confident when doing questions."  
- Veydant D.P AS Mentee

"The program was very helpful, I liked that we did past papers as practice And my mentor had explained a topic I didn't understand in a very nice manner."  
- Saniya Anwar IGCSE Mentee

"Personally, I have enjoyed teaching and helping others as it undoubtedly helps me improve my own reasoning and understanding. I have even learnt new things, while teaching, like better ways to approach a problem. To sum it up, interacting with people while learning a specific topic helps us to retain information for much longer; when compared to learning by ourselves with no interactions; due to the eccentric ways our brains link information and memories, with social interactions and emotions."  
- Rashad Hassan AS Level Mentor

**Emaad G12-Y13 BD 1st Place**

**Hamna Hoor G12-Y13 GF 3rd Place**

**THINK TANK WINNERS 2020-21**

**Neha Vinod G12-Y13 GF 2nd Place**

**Certificate of Appreciation**

### Spreading her knowledge:

**Duaa Fatima's YouTube Channel!**

Article by: Hamna Hoor

### How INNOVATIVE IDEAS ARISE?

With Ms. Manju Solvin

### A DIY FOR ALL THE NATURE LOVERS

BY: MANANIL FATIMA (GRADE 11GA)

ARE YOU THE TYPE OF PERSON WHO BRINGING NATURE LOVES INTO YOUR HOME RIGHT ON AND LEARN HOW TO CREATE A TERRARIUM FOR YOUR MOST PRECIOUS PLANTS AT HOME JUST LIKE THIS KID FROM WSS!



*Secondary Section News; G12 Graduation Ceremony, 28/6/21!*



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GEMS Westminster School

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*Dear Class of 2021,  
Our WSS vision is 'Excellence Through Teamwork; Success for all!' Remember this as you forge ahead on new pathways, new learning journeys and new relationships. We are all interconnected, part of a bigger picture, unique pieces of the same complex puzzle, and how we engage with others is central to our wellbeing and success. I thank you for your contribution to WSS and wish you every happiness and success in your life ahead!*

**Ms. Valerie Thompson**  
Principal/CEO



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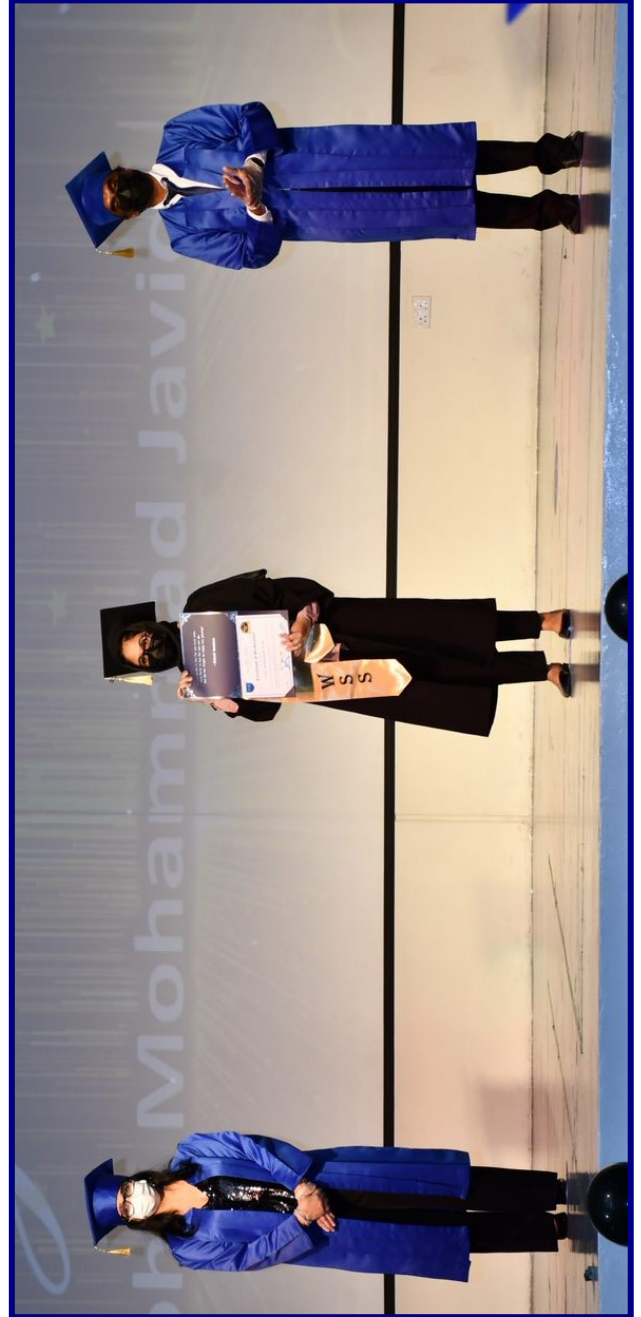
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# Secondary Section News; GEMS Global Ambassador Initiative!

## GEMS Global Ambassadors' Society Investiture, 24/6/21

The GEMS Global Ambassadors' Society is a collaborative community created with the goal of spreading awareness, taking concerted actions and providing innovative solutions for achieving the Sustainable Development Goals by 2030.

GEMS Legacy School, Dubai hosted the GEMS Global Ambassadors' Society Investiture with the participation of 20 global schools, as far away as Australia, USA, Germany, Italy India, Oman, Bangladesh, Jeddah, Kuwait and Pakistan in an august online gathering on 24<sup>th</sup> of June 2021. This is just the beginning of the journey in creating an impact towards a sustainable present for a better future.

Ms. Asha Alexander, Principal of GEMS Legacy school, Executive Leader- Climate Change, GEMS Education presided over the function. She mentioned in her address that Global Ambassador society is a space for sharing knowledge, expertise, technology and resources to support the implementation of Sustainable Development Goals. She wished that the partnership offered through this platform would enable students to ideate prototypes and create solutions to eradicate poverty, hunger and ensure quality health care and gender equality.

The key note address was given by Yumiko Yokozeki, Director of UNESCO, International Institute of Capacity Building in Africa. She was extremely delighted to see the noble endeavors taken by the GEMS team on the path of SDGs.

The chief guest on the occasion was Dr. Eesa Mohmmmed Bastaki, President of the University of Dubai, and his speech was followed by the address to the Global Ambassadors which was given by Jaymie Hoyzer, Executive Vice President Finance, Siemens Industrial.

Speeches were followed by the badging ceremony of the nominated teacher and student ambassadors. From WSS, Ms. Laneetha Shajahan was nominated as GEMS Global Teacher Ambassador and Aadil Nawab Khan of G9/Y10 was nominated as the GEMS Global student Ambassador.

The closing ceremony was blessed by the gracious presence of Mr. Dino Varkey, Group Chief Executive Officer, GEMS Education. He rendered appreciation to the organizers of the event and also the flag bearers of the noble venture. His presence and words were indeed an inspiration to all teacher and student ambassadors who had taken the oath.



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24/6/2021



## GEMS GLOBAL AMBASSADORS SOCIETY

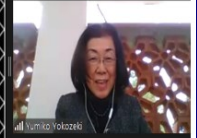
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### KEY-NOTE ADDRESS

Director of UNESCO International Institute for Capacity Building in Africa (IICBA)



### ADDRESS BY CHIEF GUEST

DR. EESA MOHAMMED BASTAKI



PRESIDENT OF THE UNIVERSITY OF DUBAI



### ADDRESS TO GLOBAL AMBASSADOR



JAMIE HOYZER

EXECUTIVE VICE PRESIDENT FINANCE, SIEMENS INDUSTRIAL LLC



## OATH

"DO YOU PROMISE TO UPHOLD THE VALUES THAT WILL HELP TRANSFORM MY LIFE AND THE LIVES OF OTHERS TOWARDS A SUSTAINABLE FUTURE BY LEADING AND CREATING A SUSTAINABLE WORLD THROUGH MY THOUGHTS, WORDS AND DEEDS AND TAKE UP THE RESPONSIBILITY AND DUTIES AS A GEMS GLOBAL AMBASSADOR?"

### CLOSING ADDRESS



DINO VARKEY

Group Chief Executive Officer, GEMS Education

"Powerful catalyst to improve the state of our world"



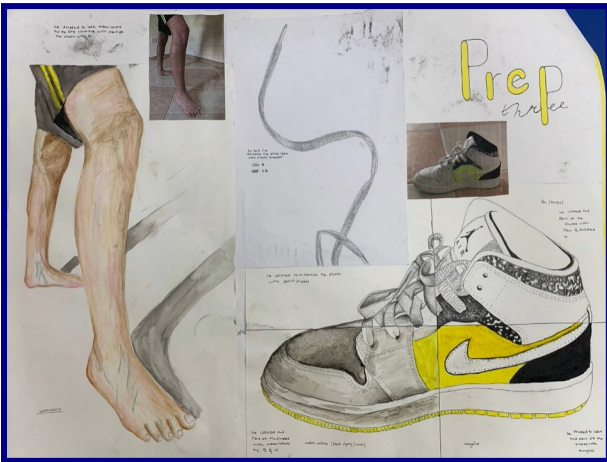
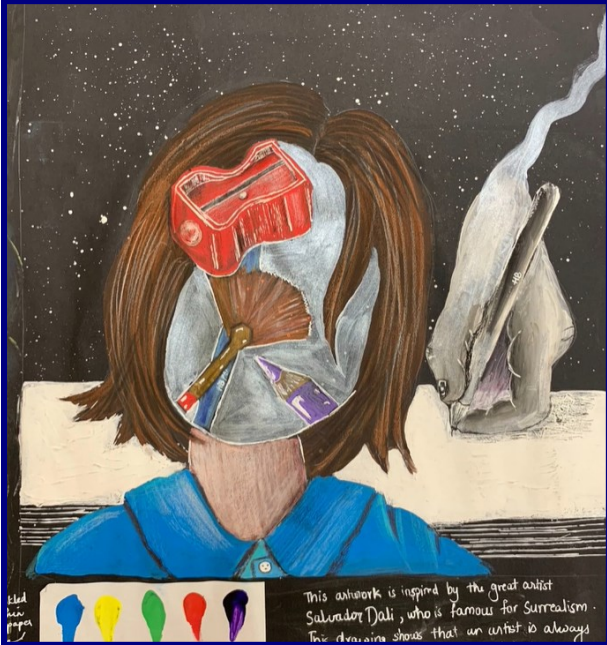
WSS cares about our environment & the protection of the planet for the next generation. Thank you to Ms. Laneetha, Aadil & the rest of the Environment Team for their positive engagement with this important society.

<p>GEMS WESTMINSTER SCHOOL, SHARJAH</p>		<p>GEMS WINCHESTER SCHOOL, DUBAI</p>	
<p>LANEETHA SHAJAHAN</p>	<p>AADIL NAWAB KHAN</p>	<p>Dr. Eesa Bast...</p>	<p>Dino Varkey</p>
<p>LAYA PRIYA</p>	<p>SHRAVAN NAIR</p>	<p>GEMS GLOBAL AMBASSADORS SOCIETY</p>	<p>Jamie Hoyzer</p>
		<p>Yumiko Yoko...</p>	<p>Ranjani Ramnath</p>
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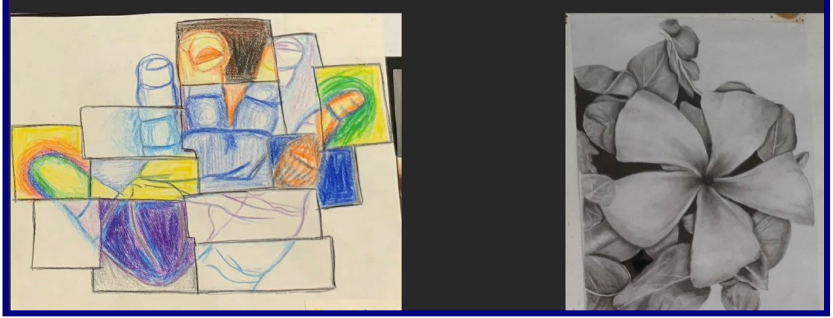




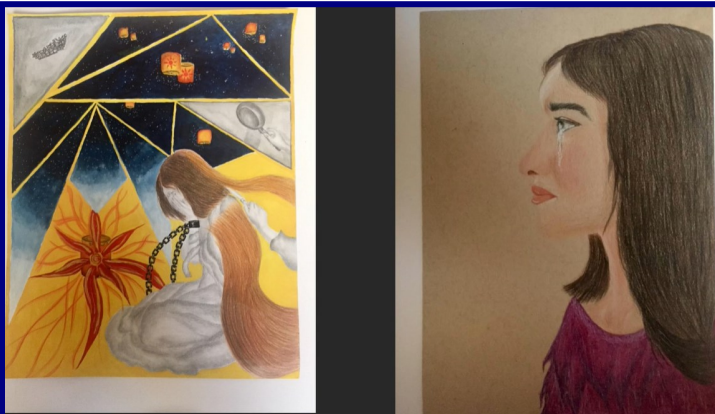
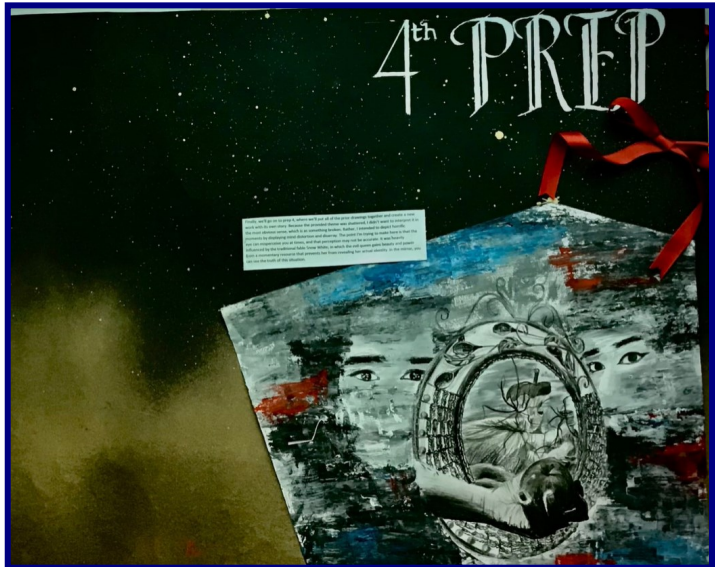
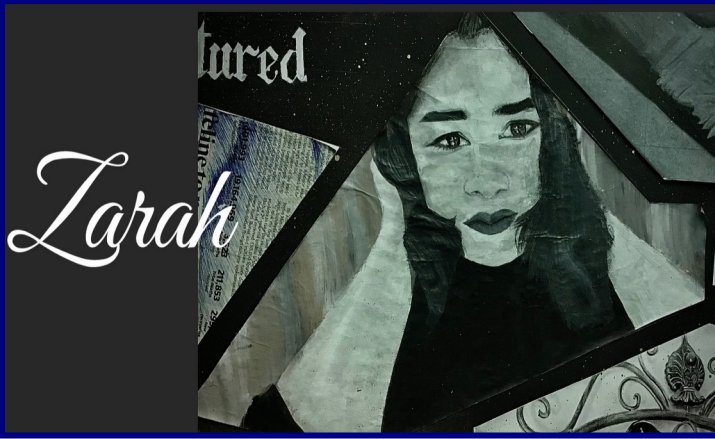
# Secondary Section News; Celebrating the Arts in G10/Y11!



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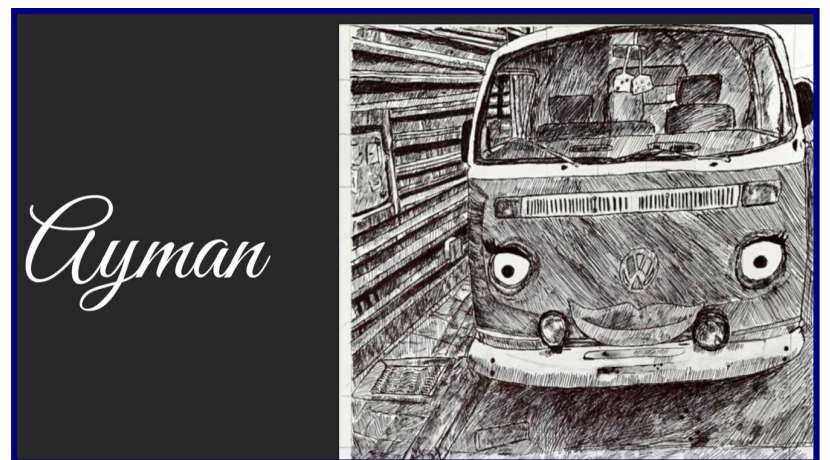
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success is no accident. It is hard work, learning, studying, sacrifice and most of all, love what you are doing or learning to do

-Pele



*Hasan*



*Cyman*

# Secondary Section News; Celebrating the Arts in G9/Y10!

## NOT JUST MATHS

Secondary Mathematics club 20-21

Secondary Mathematics department organized the mathematics club named **"NOT JUST MATHS"** activities digitally by creating 5 interactive MS Team groups with more than 90 students from Key Stage 3. The objective of this club is to inculcate the students talent bounded with application of Mathematics.

Live interactive sessions are conducted including innovative Maths projects linked with real life Scenario.

Some of the Highlights are :

- Brochure preparation :As a part of marketing, the students have prepared a brochure to improve the interest in Mathematics by imagining the role of a CEO in an institution.
- A four package with family and estimated the expense.
- Designed an ecofriendly water theme park model with its area and cost of expense
- Mathematical games to improve mathematical skills.
- E-magazine named Mathscascade -2021 with the participation of club members and KS3 students.
- Model making of polyhedrons.

Teachers in-charge lead the club were  
 Ms.Seerat(KS3 Boys In -charge)  
 Ms.Smitha(KS3 Girls in -charge)  
 Mr. Muhammad Nishad S.N. (E-magazine in-charge)  
 Ms. Jini Ouseph (Grade 7/Year 8 in-charge)  
 Ms. Payal Dave ( Maths game in-charge)



Marketing brochures prepared by students as part of activity

Objective :Create interest towards learning Maths in a town where majority don't value the importance of Mathematics



Nakshatra Premon G6/Y7G D1

Ayesha,Fatima,Menna,Sarah, Farah,Alveena(KS3 G7/Y8 group)



Amatulah G6/Y7GD1

Mathscascade -2021 releasing day



Club members and secondary team on first ever E-Magazine releasing live meeting day



Best club activity evidence

Objective :Create an ecofriendly park with the limited resources and area of the park

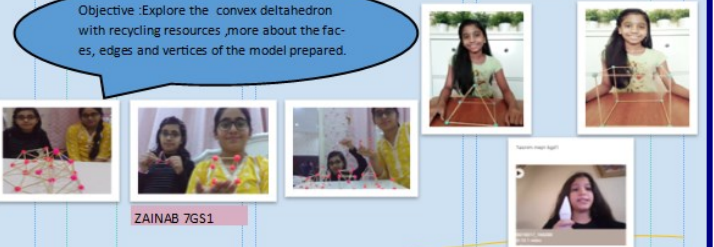


Roman Khan G7/Y8G D1

Alveena, Rida, Farah, Lea, Malak, Roman (G7/Y8group project)

Nakshatra's Tetrahedron ,cube Model(G6/7GD1)

Objective -Explore the convex deltahedron with recycling resources ,more about the faces, edges and vertices of the model prepared.



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"INNOVATION IS TAKING TWO THINGS THAT ALREADY EXIST AND PUTTING THEM TOGETHER IN A NEW WAY."

TOM FRESTON