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Allotment of classes for AY 2025-26 (Grades 2- 5)

Dear Parents,

We hope this message finds you well.

In line with Dubai's vision and the Education 33 (E33) strategy, KHDA aims to strengthen Arabic language skills among students in private schools; to strengthen the nation's identity, culture, and values among students. All private schools in Dubai are expected to adhere to the standards and expectations of the MOE, outlined in the UAE National Curriculum documents for mandatory subjects.

To support this mission, KHDA has shared directives stating that students will be assigned to a class based on their years of Arabic language learning and attainment levels. This adjustment aims to ensure that students receive instruction tailored to their proficiency, to enhance a more effective learning environment. This will also enable students to achieve the expected linguistic competencies and use Arabic confidently in academic and real-life contexts.

GLS is committed to ensuring effective learning outcomes for students. Hence from academic year 2025-26, students from Grades 2-5 will be reshuffled into their next grade based on the number of years of Arabic instruction they have received and attainment levels. This restructuring aligns with educational requirements while ensuring an optimal learning environment for all students.

As this reshuffling is mandated by KHDA, **requests for placing students with specific peers cannot be accommodated.** We understand that changes in class composition may bring a mix of emotions for students. Please rest assured that our staff will be actively supporting them in settling into their new classes, building friendships, and feeling comfortable in their learning journey. We aim at making this transition smooth and positive for every child.

We appreciate your understanding and cooperation in this matter.

Warm regards,



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