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T4 Top 10 schools in the World Award for Supporting Healthy Lives

Dear Parents,

We're thrilled to announce that GEMS Legacy School has been shortlisted as the Top 10 in the World's Best School Prize by T4 Education, specifically recognized for our outstanding work in the category 'Supporting Healthy Lives.'

Announcement Video



The five World's Best School Prizes - for Community Collaboration, Environmental Action, Innovation, Overcoming Adversity, and Supporting Healthy Lives – were established in the wake of COVID in 2022 to give a platform to schools that are changing lives in their classrooms and far beyond their walls, sharing their best practices to help improve education everywhere.

The final winners of the five Prizes will be chosen by an expert Judging Academy based on rigorous criteria. In addition, all 50 shortlisted schools across the five Prizes will also take part in a Public Vote, which opened today. The school which receives the most public votes will receive the Community Choice Award and membership to T4 Education's Best School to Work programme to help them support teacher wellbeing and solve the teacher recruitment and retention crisis.

Kindly click on the link and follow all these steps to vote for GEMS Legacy School – VOTING LINK







I am thrilled to congratulate GEMS Legacy School on being selected as one of the Top 10 schools in the world for Supporting Healthy Lives by the World's Best School Prizes.

This recognition highlights our commitment to holistic healthy living, ensuring that our students receive the very best guidance in this vital area. Well done to the entire team for this outstanding achievement!

Mr. Dino Varkey Group Chief Executive Officer GEMS Education

The Top 3 finalists for each of the five World's Best School Prizes will be announced in September 2024 followed by the winners in November. The winner of each Prize will be chosen based on rigorous criteria by a <u>Judging Academy</u> comprising distinguished leaders across the globe including academics, educators, NGOs, social entrepreneurs, government, civil society, and the private sector.

A prize of US\$50,000 will be equally shared among the winners of the five Prizes, with each receiving an award of US\$10,000. Meanwhile, the winner of the Community Choice Award, as determined by the Public Vote, will receive membership to Best School to Work - an independent, evidence-based mechanism to certify schools for their culture and working environment. Membership comes with detailed feedback, actionable insights, and benchmarking data to help schools transform their culture to attract and retain the best teachers.

At the end of the circular are congratulatory messages from Mr. Dino Varkey, Group Chief Executive Officer, GEMS Education and H.E. Aisha Miran, Director General of the Knowledge and Human Development Authority in Dubai.

Thank you for your unwavering trust in the educational process in our school. Your support allows us to create a positive and engaging learning environment for your child.

Warm regards,

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