



**THE KINDERGARTEN STARTERS - DUBAI  
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**Introduction of Tamil and Urdu as additional Second Language Choices**

Dear Parent,

As announced earlier, The Kindergarten Starters will now offer Urdu and Tamil as additional alternative options for Second Language apart from French, Hindi and Malayalam from the academic year 2021-22 for students of Grades 1 to 6.

Students currently in Grades 3 – 6 will also have the option to change their Second Language from the new academic year. An Accelerated Curriculum Programme and additional mentoring sessions will be arranged by the school to help the students be at par with the expected Grade level curriculum standards. Additional parental support is expected and an undertaking form (attached) must be submitted to the Class Teacher along with the request email for change of second language to Tamil or Urdu for students from Grade 3 to 6.

Parents of students from the Grades 1- 5, who wish to change the second language option for their children for the next academic year starting April 2021, are requested to send an email to the supervisor and class teacher requesting the change. We request you to please confirm your changed second language choice on or before 20<sup>th</sup> January, 2021.

Parents who do not wish to change their child's second language need not send this request letter.

In case of any further clarification regarding change of second language choice for the next academic year, kindly mail to [aswathy.s1\\_kgs@gemsedu.com](mailto:aswathy.s1_kgs@gemsedu.com) or call 0503982099.

Thank you for your continuous support and cooperation.

Warm regards,

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