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19<sup>th</sup> September 2021

**EXPO 2020 STUDENT TRIPS.**

Dear Parent,

With the start of the EXPO 2020 from October 1<sup>st</sup> 2021, the school will be organizing student trips to the EXPO 2020 site to enable students to experience the four journeys designed by the EXPO School Program team. The four journeys offer an immersive learning experience to the students **free of cost**.

World Expos are extraordinary mega events that celebrate human ingenuity, global collaboration, and collective solutions to global challenges. Expo 2020 Dubai will continue this tradition with the latest ideas that can power a vision of a better future. A historic milestone for the region, Expo 2020 is the first World Expo held in the MENASA region and coincides with the UAE's Golden Jubilee, celebrating our nation's achievements over fifty years.

With the approval from the KHDA, the student trips will be organized for all our students as per the below schedule. The dates are likely to change depending on the booking confirmations.

In view of the health and safety protocols as approved by DHA, the students will be traveling in small groups of 15 – 20 students each along with 3 accompanying adults (Kindergarten) and 2 accompanying adults (Primary and Middle School).

The below schedule is for the First Student Trip; there will be 3 more such trips planned in the near future to ensure that each child of the school experiences all the four journeys at the EXPO 2020 – the Sustainable Planet, The Legacy of the UAE, Universe in Motion and the World of Opportunity. The EXPO 2020 School Program team has taken all necessary precautions to ensure safety of all students visiting the site for these curated journeys.

In order to ensure smooth planning and booking of slots for the students, we require your approval to allow your child to be a part of this experience. Your child's class teacher will share a link with you so that you can indicate your confirmation on the same.

**We request you to please submit your confirmation by 20<sup>th</sup> of September to ensure we plan the logistics appropriately.**

KG1	24 <sup>th</sup> – 28 <sup>th</sup> October
KG2	17 <sup>th</sup> – 19 <sup>th</sup> October
Grade 1	20 <sup>th</sup> – 21 <sup>st</sup> October
Grade 2	27 <sup>th</sup> – 28 <sup>th</sup> October
Grades 3, 4	24 <sup>th</sup> – 26 <sup>th</sup> October
Grades 5, 6	27 <sup>th</sup> – 28 <sup>th</sup> October

Please note that it is absolutely essential that you ascertain your confirmation, so that we are able to plan the safety and travel arrangements in line with the health and safety protocols as we begin the student trips on 17<sup>th</sup> October.

We encourage all our students to engage in this enriching real-life learning experience.

Looking forward to your valuable responses so that together we can provide the best learning provisions for all our students. Thank you for your time & support as always.

Thank you.

Warm regards,



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