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**ISSUANCE OF HALL TICKET AND CBSE GUIDELINES**

Dear Parents,

As we approach the upcoming CBSE Board Examinations, we request all parents to kindly take note of the important information and guidelines outlined below.

Hall tickets for **Grade 10 students** will be issued according to the following schedule:

➤ **Monday (9<sup>th</sup> Feb 2026):**

- Sections -10 A, 10 B, 10 C – 9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.
- Sections -10 D, 10 E, 10 F – 12 :00 p.m. to 2:00 p.m.

➤ **Tuesday (10<sup>th</sup> Feb 2026):**

- Sections -10 G, 10 H, 10 I – 8:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.
- Sections -10 J, 10 K – 12:00 p.m. to 2:00 p.m.

➤ **Wednesday (11<sup>th</sup> Feb 2026):**

- Open Slot – 8:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m. The last day to collect the hall ticket for all those parents who couldn't collect the hall tickets on the provided schedule above.

Please note that hall tickets will be issued only if all outstanding fees are cleared and the fee status on the parent portal reflects zero balance.

**Examination Centre:**

Gulf Indian High School, Al Garhoud, Dubai, UAE

**Transport Arrangements:**

- Students who avail themselves of STS transport services will be picked up from their residences and brought to school, from where they will proceed to the examination centre using school transport.
- OT (Own Transport) students are requested to report to school no later than 7:15 a.m. The bus will depart promptly thereafter.

**Important Timings:**

- Examinations commence at 9:00 a.m. sharp.
- Examination center gates close one hour prior to the start of the exam.
- The same transport arrangements will apply for the return journey.

Further details regarding daily schedules and logistics will be shared closer to the examination dates by the class teacher/supervisor.

In addition, as informed by CBSE, please find below the ethics and instructions that must be followed strictly:

- Students must strictly adhere to examination ethics and shall not believe, spread, or engage in any examination-related rumors.
- Students are required to be aware of CBSE examination ethics, and the penalties prescribed for any violation of examination rules.

- Students must ensure that they do not carry any barred or prohibited items to the examination centre on the day of the examination, as per CBSE regulations.
- To ensure a fair and transparent testing environment, the CBSE has implemented a strict CCTV Policy where all examination halls are now monitored in real time. Along with this, new penalties under the Unfair Means (UFM) Rules have been introduced.
- Please take note of the following "Category – 3" violations and their consequences:

Prohibited Action	Penalty
<b>Electronic Devices:</b> Possession, use, or attempted use of any communication device (e.g., mobile phones, smartwatches) inside the centre.	<b>Immediate Cancellation</b> of the current year's exams AND the following year's exams.
<b>Spreading Rumours:</b> Any student found spreading rumours that disrupt the conduct of the examinations.	<b>Immediate Cancellation</b> of the current year's exams AND the following year's exams.

Accordingly, all students are strictly informed that possession, use or attempted use of any communicative device may lead to stringent measures as mentioned in the above table. They should further be informed that they should desist from spreading rumors which can affect the smooth conduct of the examination.

For your convenience, we have enclosed a list of permitted and prohibited items, along with the UFM guidelines, for your easy reference.

We look forward to your support in upholding the examination guidelines and ensuring the best outcomes for our students.

Thank you for your continued support.

Warm regards,



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**Principal** مديرة المدرسة

**Executive Leader - Climate Change** الرئيس التنفيذي - تغير المناخ

# **PERMITTED AND BARRED ITEMS AND DRESS CODE**

Students will be subjected to extensive and compulsory physical frisking before entering the examination centre. The following is a list of items that are permitted and barred from taking to the Examination Centres:

## **LIST OF PERMITTED ITEMS**

- a) Admit Card & School Identity Card (for regular students)
- b) Admit Card & Any Govt. Issued Photo Identity Proof (for Pvt. Students)
- c) Stationery items i.e., Transparent Pouch, Geometry/Pencil Box, Blue/Royal Blue Ink/Ball Point/Gel Pen, Scale, Writing Pad, Eraser,
- d) Analogue Watch, Transparent Water Bottle.
- e) Metro Card, Bus Pass, Money.

## **LIST OF BARRED ITEMS**

- a) Any stationery item - such as textual material (printed or written), bits of papers, Calculator (Students with Learning Disability i.e. Dyscalculia are permitted to use Calculator as per Circular No. CBSE/COORD/2020 dated 20.01.2020 and are provided the same by Exam centre), Pen Drives, Calculator, Log Table (shall be provided by the centres), Electronic Pen/ Scanner, etc.
- b) Any communication device - such as Mobile Phone, Bluetooth, Earphones, Microphone, Pager, Health Band, Smart Watch, Camera, etc.
- c) Other items like Wallet, Goggles, Handbags, Pouches, etc.
- d) Any eatable item opened or packed, except for diabetic students
- e) Any other item which could be used for unfair means
- f) Use of the above or similar items will be treated under the "Unfair Means" category and will attract punishment as per rules.

## **DRESS CODE**

- For Regular Students - School Uniform
- For Private Students - Light Clothes

1. All cases of Unfair Means will be dealt as per the following **GUIDELINES**

CATEGORY - 1		
1.1	Having Question Papers of previous years. Supported by report of Invigilator/Checking Staff	Cancellation of current Examination in the concerned subject.  Shall be allowed to take the Examination in that Subject in the Compartment examination, if otherwise eligible.  The benefit of doubt shall be given to such student against whom no evidence is available to testify to the foul intents on their part.
1.2	Writing Questions or Answers on any material other than the Answer Book for writing answer. Supported by report of Invigilator/Checking Staff	
1.3	Tearing of any page of the answer book or supplementary answer book etc.  Supported by report of invigilator/checking staff that the student has torn the page(s) of Answer-Book	
1.4	Contacting or communicating or trying to do so with any person, other than the Examination Staff, during the examination time in the examination centre.  Supported by report of invigilator/checking staff	
1.5	Having copying material (hard copy etc.) in her/his possession but have not use it.  Supported by report of invigilator/checking staff	
1.6	Breaching examination rules or any direction issued by CBSE from time to time, in connection with the conduct of Examinations.  Supported by credible evidence	
CATEGORY - 2		
2.1	Affixing/uploading of fabricated photograph on the Admit Card.  Supported by Documentary Evidence	Cancellation of current Examination in all Subjects.
2.2	Erasing or obliterating any information printed on the Answer Book(s).  Supported by report of Invigilator/Checking Staff or Evaluator	Shall have to take the examination in all subjects in the next year

2.3	Providing wrong information on the answer sheet. Supported by documentary evidence	
2.4	Having copying material in her/his possession (hard copy etc.) and having used it. Supported by report of invigilator/checking staff or Evaluator	
2.5	Having communicated with another student or the Assistant Superintendent directly or indirectly. Supported by report of invigilator/checking staff	
2.6	Assisting other student to engage in malpractice. Supported by report of invigilator/checking staff	
2.7	Giving assistance to other student(s) directly or indirectly of any kind or attempting to do so. Supported by report of invigilator/checking staff	
2.8	Taking assistance from other student(s) directly or indirectly of any kind or attempting to do so. Supported by report of invigilator/checking staff	
<b>CATEGORY - 3</b>		
3.1	Taking away the Answer Book out of the Examination Hall/Room/Centre.	Cancellation of current as well as next year's examination in all subjects.  Shall have to take the examination in all subjects thereafter.
3.2	Smuggling out Question Paper or part thereof, out of the Examination Hall. Supported by report of Invigilator/Checking Staff	
3.3	Smuggling out Answer Books/Supplementary Answer Sheet or part thereof, out of the Examination Hall. Supported by report of Invigilator/Checking Staff	
3.4	<b>Possession, use or attempted use of any electronic device (including Mobile Phone), which can be used as communication device, after entering the examination centre.</b>  <b>Supported by report of invigilator/checking staff</b>	



3.5	Using abusive language, threatening the staff on duty. Supported by report of invigilator/checking staff	
3.6	Indulging in violence at the time of examination or thereafter in the examination center. Supported by report of invigilator/checking staff	
3.7	Forceful entry/exit in/from Examination Centre or Hall. Supported by report of invigilator/checking staff	
CATEGORY - 4		
4.1	Impersonation. Paying/placing/making someone else to write examination. Supported by report of invigilator/checking staff	Cancellation of current as well as of next three years' examination in all subjects.  Shall have to take the examination in all subjects thereafter.
4.2	Uploading/sharing any examination related material, correct or wrong, on social media. Supported by credible evidence	
4.3	Approaching any Authority(ies)/person(s) related to the conduct of exams soliciting unauthorized privilege(s) in these Examinations. Supported by report of such authority	
4.4	Taking legal course or any other means to influence CBSE for gaining advantage in their favour, by providing false information. Supported by documentary evidence	
CATEGORY - 5		
5.1	Using obscene/derogatory language in the answer book. Supported by report of invigilator/checking staff or Evaluator	Counseling by UFM Committee so that she/he abstains from using such language in the answer book in future examinations.  Currency notes etc. shall be forfeited and deposited in Board's
5.2	Using threatening language in the Answer-Book for the evaluators with or without any appeal. Supported by report of invigilator/checking staff or Evaluator	
5.3	Using language/threat of harm to oneself in the Answer-	

	<p>Book with or without any appeal.</p> <p>Supported by report of invigilator/checking staff or Evaluator</p>	account.
5.4	<p>Use of Any other Ink or Pencil for writing answers in the answer book.</p> <p>Supported by report of invigilator/checking staff or Evaluator</p>	
5.5	<p>Having enclosed/attached a currency note or other such instrument with the answer book with or without any appeal/message for the evaluator.</p> <p>Supported by report of invigilator/checking staff or Evaluator</p>	