



محرسـة جـيـمـس مــتــروبــول الواحة **GEMS Metropole School** AL WAHA



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Dear Parents,

Welcome to our 6th newsletter message! We're excited to share some important updates and snapshots of the happenings at our school. Let's dive right in! We are pleased to be working with STS for your transport needs to and from MTW. We are including some information on the areas covered and fees to engage with this service. We believe that a uniform dress code fosters a sense of belonging and equality among our students, linking all the students together as part of our school community. In this issue we will also be introducing a few more of our team members. We are very proud of the team we have, and we can't wait to welcome you into MTW. We know how much you love seeing glimpses of the progress in the school. In this newsletter, we have included a few more photos. We hope these snapshots offer you a glimpse into the school and let you feel like you are on this journey building this school and community with us. BYOD (Bring Your Own Device): As technology continues to play a crucial role in education, we encourage our students to utilise their device in school and home for education. Our BYOD policy allows students to engage in interactive learning experiences, access digital resources, and collaborate seamlessly. We value your partnership and appreciate your continued support in creating a positive educational experience for our students. If you have any questions or concerns, please don't hesitate to reach out to us. Let's continue working together to provide the best possible education for our children.

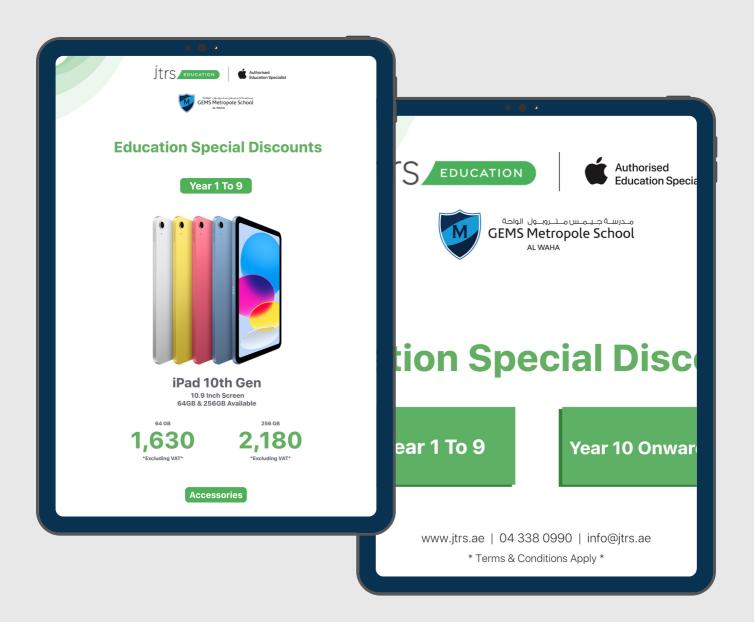
Sincerely,
Jeremy Hallum



BYOD - Bring Your Own Device

iPads are an environmentally friendly and excellent option for children to use in schools. Compared to traditional textbooks, iPads significantly reduce paper consumption, minimising the need for tree harvesting and reducing the energy-intensive production processes involved. By utilising digital resources, we can help protect our forests and conserve natural resources. Additionally, iPads are built to be durable and long-lasting, reducing electronic waste and the constant need for device replacement. They also offer energy-efficient features, promoting responsible energy consumption and minimising power usage. Moreover, iPads provide a versatile platform for accessing educational content, interactive learning experiences, and collaboration tools, empowering children to engage in dynamic and personalised learning. By incorporating iPads into our educational system, we not only provide students with advanced learning tools but also contribute to a greener and more sustainable future.

You can find JTRS here



Parent Portal

We invite you to explore the parent portal by visiting the link below.

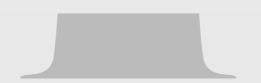
Here, you will find a wealth of information at your fingertips. From school policies and calendars to teacher information and transport services.

We genuinely value your feedback and suggestions as we continuously strive to enhance your user experience. If there are any additional features or specific information you would like to see included in the portal, please do not hesitate to let us know. We are committed to tailoring the portal to better serve your needs and provide you with a seamless experience.

We genuinely appreciate your input and look forward to hearing your thoughts on the Parent Portal. Your continued support is invaluable to us, and we hope that this new resource proves to be a valuable tool for you and your family.

https://sites.google.com/view/welcometomtw/home





Our Team

If you have had chance to look around our Parent Portal you will have had the opportunity to have seen our team.

Allow us to introduce you to some of them. Meet EYFS.



Head of EYFS Kate Marshall

Daisy Thornton

Farhia Chaudhary



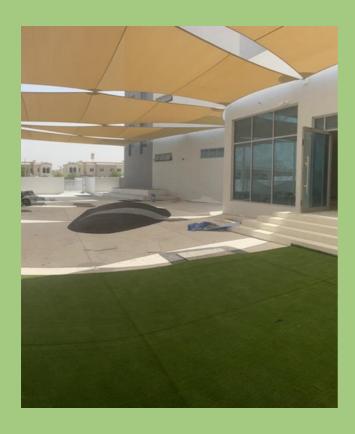
Courtney Relph

Paige Edmonds

Sarah Jones

School Pictures









We understand the importance of convenience for busy parents, and partnering with Threads Cityland Mall allows for a centralised location to fulfill your uniform needs. We appreciate your support in maintaining the uniform policy, as it promotes a sense of unity and belonging among our students.

If you have any questions or require further assistance, please do not hesitate to contact our PRE, pre_mtw@gemsedu.com or visit the Threads Cityland Mall store directly. We are looking foward to seeing all the MTW children on their first day in their uniforms.



School Transport Services LLC

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TRANSPORT FEES - RATE LIST

NAME OF SCHOOL: GEMS Metropole School Al Waha

		Annual Fees Academic Year	Founders Discount for	Bus Fee Per Term (AED)		
Sr. No	Area / Route	2024-2025 onwards (AED)	Academic Year 2023-2024 (AED)	Term 1 (Sept - Dec)	Term 2 (Jan - Mar)	Term 3 (Apr - Jun)
1	Layan Community, Al Waha, Al Mudon, Studio City, Al Mira, Motor City, Remraam, Damac Hills, Townsquare, Serena	8,500 (6,150) *	7,650 (6,150) *	3,060 (2,460) *	2,295 (1,845) *	2,295 (1,845) *
2	Sports City, Arabian Ranches 1, Arabian Ranches 2, Arabian Ranches 3, Arjan, Al Barsha South, Jumeirah Village Circle, Dubai Hills, Jumeirah Village Triangle, Villanova, Al Barari, Al Barsha 2, Al Barsha 3, IMPZ, Jumeirah Golf Estate, Sky Courts, The Villa, Umm Suqeim 3, Damac Hills 2, Tecom, Al Quoz, Dubai Investment Park	8,800 (6,250) *	7,920 (6,250) *	3,168 (2,500) *	2,376 (1,875)*	2,376 (1,875) *
3	Al Barsha 1, Al Furjan, Al Sufouh, Green Community, Jumeirah Islands, Falcon City, Jumeirah Park, Liwan, The Greens, Discovery Gardens, Dubai Investment Park 1, Dubai Silicon Oasis, Dubai Marina, Media City, The Gardens, The Lakes, Umm Suqeim 2, Meadows, Palm Jumeirah, Al Safa, Springs, Umm Suqeim 1, Business Bay, Jumeirah Lake Towers, Jumeirah 2, Nad Al Sheba, Jumeirah Beach Residence, Jumeirah 3, International City, Al Warqa'a 1, Al Warqa'a 3, Al Warqa'a 2, Bur Dubai, Ras Al Khor, Emaar South, Trade Centre, Al Jaddaf, Health Care City, Nad Al Hammar, Dubai South, Jumeirah 1, Mirdif, Rashidiya, Satwa, Jebel Ali, Karama, Al Mizhar, Al Qusais, Abu Hail, Deira, Al Nahda	9,000 (6,450) *	8,100 (6,450) *	3,240 (2,580) *	2,430 (1,935)*	2,430 (1,935) *

^{*} one-way bus fee

Note

We have dedicated pickup points / drop off points in the above areas. Please check your location and pickup/drop off points with the STS Service Delivery Executive available at the school to confirm the transport service.

Booster pads and child seats will be charged at AED 300 per seat per student.

The transport fee is applicable and charged for the academic year. Full payment for each term must be made irrespective of the number of school days or usage and this applies to exam periods.

Transport fees are required to be paid in advance to activate the student ID card and the student ID is required to
travel on the bus. All ID cards must be activated for registration and insurance of bus journeys. If any transport fees
are not paid by the 10th of the first month of the new term, the student ID card will be deactivated, and the student
will not be permitted to travel on the bus until fee payment has been made.

We reserve the right to change any associated transport service fees without notice. For further information regarding school transport, please refer to the Terms and Conditions.

Please click on the link below to share your question with us or scan the QR code below



https://forms.office.com/r/2S07fzs4LV

Inevitably there will be questions that you as parents have when joining a new school. To support in this matter each newsletter we will endeavour to clarify anything you need to know. Please populate the link with any questions that you have and we will do our best to reach out to you & address your questions.





