

# CGS Dhaka Newsletter

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Dear Parents.

Following a period of intense heat extending from late April through the first week of May, our school has been bursting with activity. We kicked off a partnership with WISH (Wellbeing in School and Higher Education), implementing a meticulously crafted strategy aimed at bolstering social and emotional skills of our students through weekly sessions led by the WISH team. Additionally, focus group sessions (pictured below left) on Climate Change and Sustainable Development were held for students in Classes 3 through 8, led by Ms. Amina Mahmood, Director of Environmental Programmes at CGS and CGSD.

As we go into print, our delegates are preparing to travel to the Round Square conference at Samworth Academy in the UK which will be followed by an extended stay for sightseeing. Furthermore, a Fire Training session conducted by the Fire Service department provided essential guidance on fire safety protocols for all staff, accompanied by evacuation drills for both students and staff.

As a forward-thinking institution, we recognize the importance of continuous learning and skill development. Consequently, regular training sessions are held for all our teachers. Recently, Elementary teachers benefited from an enlightening session on "Phonemic Awareness" led by Ms Mona Qaiser. I had the privilege of participating in a training on Cambridge Primary Maths conducted by Marshall Cavendish. We remain committed to staying abreast of the latest educational practices to effectively engage with the current generation of learners.

Wishing you a safe and joyous Eid.

Eid Mubarak!

Ridwana Ali

Head of CGSD Elementary

| CALENDAR OF EVENTS DATE       |           |  |  |  |  |
|-------------------------------|-----------|--|--|--|--|
| Final Examinations            | 2-12.6.24 |  |  |  |  |
| World Ocean Day               | 8.6.2024  |  |  |  |  |
| Class Parties                 | 13.6.2024 |  |  |  |  |
| Summer Holidays begin         | 16.6.2024 |  |  |  |  |
| Eid-ul-Azha*                  | 17.6.2024 |  |  |  |  |
| Summer Term PTM - Elementary  | 23.6.2024 |  |  |  |  |
| Class of 2024 Graduation      | 25.6.2024 |  |  |  |  |
| Summer Term PTM - Classes 3-9 | 26.6.2024 |  |  |  |  |



#### **ELEMENTARY PROMOTION**

Our wonderful class 2 students are pictured above in their resplendent red gowns as they graduate from Class 2 in Elementary to Class 3 in Primary. We wish them the very best as they move to a new chapter in their lives.

#### AI: THREATS AND OPPORTUNITIES

An Art Competition on our theme for next year, AI: Threats and Opportunities' was held recently. Zunairah's (8G), entry pictured below was one of the top entries.



#### **ROUND SQUARE CONFERENCES**



CGS / CGSD / CGS NC teams are heading for three exciting Round Square conferences in June.

**Samworth Academy,** UK: CGSD delegates pictured above, they will be joined by 2 further teams, from CGS and CGS NC with a total team of 20.

Westfield School, UK: A 6 member CGS delegation will experience another conference in the UK, on the theme, 'Finding Friends and Facing Fears.'

Rockport Grammar School, Australia: Ruslan (9G) and Ms. Rubaiyat will be joining 4 students from CGS on the theme 'Cultural Adventures in Paradise.'

Our Round Square membership opens a world of opportunities for students and parents are requested to send their children to explore these.



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## Class Notes: Class 8 June 2024

#### **Achievement Awards for May:**

English: Faraz, Ryan

Maths D: Adeean, Fabbiha Add. Maths: Tasdik, Ravive Bangla: Saahir, Aydin Physics: Shehzad, Armaan

Biology: Zumana

Chemistry: Shehzad, Labib BD. Studies: Rabitul, Nafisa

Env. Management: Saahir, Nafsiyat

Commerce: Rayan Economics: Faraz Accounting: Rayan Bus. Studies: Daanyal

Computer Science: Ruhani, Mastura

Gym: Aryan R, Safwat

Kindness Guardian: Ruhani, Safwat

Art: Zarraf

#### Happy Birthday to...

Fabbiha for the 14th of June.

#### **Class News**

Dear Parents and Students,

As we bid farewell to Summer Term 2023-24, it's time to gear up for the ultimate challenge: Exams! Fear not, for we've got your back with subject-specific revision classes and our amazing teachers are here for any clarifications you need. Mark your calendars for June 13th, because we're ending the term with a bang with our joyous class party! Plus, we can't wait to catch up with all you esteemed parents at the Summer-Term Parents Teachers Meeting on June 26th.

Wishing all of you the best of luck in your exams and a joyous Eid Ul Adha celebration! May your exams be as easy as pie and your Eid celebrations be filled with love, laughter, and blessings.

Class 8 Teachers

#### PTM on 26th June, 2024

#### June Exam Schedule:

| Fri | Sat | Sun   | Mon  | Tue         | Wed | Thu                                |
|-----|-----|---|--|-------------|-----|------------------------------------|
|     | 1   | 2 Economics<br>Paper 1&2<br>Biology Paper<br>1&2<br>Art | 3 Accounting<br>Paper 1<br>Bangla Paper<br>1&2 | Bus Studies | ,   | 6 BD Studies<br>Paper 1 & 2<br>Art |
| 7   | 8   | 9 English Paper<br>1&2<br>Env Mgt Paper<br>2            | Paper 1&2                                      | - r         |     | 13<br>Class Parties                |
| 14  | 15  | 16 Summer<br>Holidays begin                             | 17<br>Eid-ul-Azha                              | 18          | 19  | 20                                 |