



CGS Dhaka Newsletter

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Dear Students and Parents,

As we welcome the Bangla New Year 1432, may it bring peaceful times, renewed hope, and the tolerance and togetherness we so deeply need today. Here at school, we recently celebrated this special occasion with a colourful event full of energy. Students from all class levels came in festive outfits and lit up the stage with captivating performances, like the one below.



During the recent break, many of you may have watched the thought-provoking series Adolescence. For me, this was a strong reminder of the complex emotional landscape our teenagers navigate every day. From bullying and digital exposure to peer pressure and changing ways of communicating, there is a lot they are dealing with. The series really drove home how important it is for us, as a school, to give students a safe space where they can speak openly, understand the impact of their actions and learn to navigate the digital world wisely. This commitment goes beyond social awareness classes and regular counselling. We aim to equip every teacher to spot and respond to signs of student distress with care and sensitivity.

Of course, as parents we also have a crucial role to play. Adolescence serves as a reminder that children need us, to listen, be present, and guide without judgment. Knowing who their friends are, what they are doing online, and how they are feeling can make a world of difference. Getting teens to open up can be tough, but we must keep trying until it clicks.

As we gallop into the final stretch of the academic year, our focus sharpens on academics. Daily study routines and maintaining open communication with teachers are key. We encourage students to seek teacher support whenever needed.

Finally, let us keep in our thoughts and prayers all those students who are preparing for their upcoming O' Level exams in May/June. May their efforts be rewarded with great success.

With best wishes,

Rubaiyat Razzaque



POHELA BOISHAKH

CGSD welcomed the Bengali new year 1432, with festive decorations on campus; faculty and students alike, dressed in traditional red and white, cheerful group pictures above and below. Students participated in cultural activities, songs and group and solo dances, reminding us of the traditions of our wonderful culture.



SINGAPORE TRAINERS

Our textbook publishers, Marshall Cavendish from Singapore were invited to train our teachers for new edition textbooks which will be rolled out in the next academic year.

Pictured below is Mr. Eric Lim with CGSD faculty at a recent training session. Training will also continue online to prepare teachers for curriculum and textbook changes.



EID REUNION MUFTI



Students returned from their Eid vacations with a smile and continued the festive season with an Eid outfit Mufti, a Primary group pictured above.



And a group from Elementary above.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS	DATE
May Day	1.5.2025
Buddha Purnima	11.5.2025
SuperTmatik Mental Math Competition	1-14.5.2025

Class Notes: Class 9

May 2025

Summer Term Syllabus...

English: P1: Unseen Comp. (Implicit and Explicit ques., Inferential, writer's craft quest), Summary Writing and Opinion-based Questions from Teacher's Resources and Textbooks. P2: Directed Writing (Speech writing, Magazine Article writing, Report writing, Newspaper Article writing, and Letter writing) and Creative Writing (Descriptive essay and Narrative essay)
Maths D. : Chap 12: Rate of Change of Area, Chap 13: Transformation
Add. Maths: Chap: 1 to 10, 12 & 14 (Functions, Quadratic functions, Factors of polynomials, Equation, inequalities and graphs, Simultaneous equations, Logarithmic and exponential functions, Straight line graphs, Coordinate geometry of circle, Circular measure, Trigonometry, Series and Differentiation.) Text Book : IGCSE™ Cambridge and O Level Additional Mathematics (Second edition) By – Val, Jeanette, Stephen
Bangla: Complete 'O' Level Syllabus
Physics: Chapter 15, 16 and 17. TB Cambridge IGCSE Physics.
Biology: Cells, Classification, Movement into and out of cells, Biological molecules, Enzymes, Plant nutrition, Transport in flowering plants, Human nutrition, Human gas exchange, Respiration, Transport in humans, Disease and immunity, Excretion, Coordination and control, Coordination and response in plants, Relationships of organisms with one another and with the environment - Energy flow, Nutrient cycles and Ecosystems and biodiversity
Chemistry: Chapter 1-13, 16-19. Book: Chemistry Matters
BD. Studies: Complete 'O' level Syllabus
Env. Management: (revision of the following completed chapters) Chap- 1,3,4,8. Cambridge IGCSE and O level Environmental Management Coursebook by Gary, Ken, Melissa, Ann and John. Cambridge IGCSE and O level Environmental Management Workbook by Gary, Ken, Melissa and Ann. O level Past papers related to the chapters
Commerce: Chapter 1 - Chapter 43 CAMBRIDGE O LEVEL COMMERCE (7100) BOOK : CAMBRIDGE IGCSE AND O LEVEL COMMERCE COURSEBOOK BY MARY TRIGWELL - JONES
Economics: Chapter 35 - Differences in economic development between countries
Accounting: CAMBRIDGE O LEVEL ACCOUNTING (7707) BOOK: CAMBRIDGE IGCSE AND O LEVEL ACCOUNTING COURSEBOOK BY CATHERINE Chap—21
Bus. Studies: Chapters 25 - Statement of financial position
Com. Science: Complete O' Level Syllabus
Art: Component 1 (Idea Develop & Artist Study)

Achievement Awards for April:

English: Faraz, Aydin
Maths D: Rabbitul, Ziyad
Bangla: Rayan, Ziyad
Add. Math: Safwat
Physics: Ariyana
Biology: Fabbihah
Chemistry: Shehzad, Israt
BD. Studies: Ruhani, Safwat
Env. Management: Aryan
Commerce: Rayan
Economics: Ruhani
Accounting: Rayan
Bus. Studies: Ruhani
Computer Science: Saahir, Zunairah
Art: Zumana
Gym: Faraz, Nafsiyat
Kindness Guardian: Faraz, Zunairah

Happy Birthday to...

Shehzad for the 8th of May.

Class News...

Dear Parents and Students,
 We are proud of our students for completing their Bangla O Level exams and hope everything went smoothly. As they now prepare for the remaining exams, we encourage them to stay focused, study hard, and keep giving their best. Please remember, your teachers are here to support you every step of the way. You have got this!
 Teachers of Class 9

O Level Exam Dates 2025

4 Sun	
5 Mon	
6 Tue	
7 Wed	
8 Thur	
12 Mon	Computer Science P1
13 Tue	
14 Wed	
15 Thur	
18 Sun	
19 Mon	
20 Tue	
21 Wed	Computer Science P2
22 Thur	
25 Sun	
26 Mon	BD Studies Paper 1
27 Tue	
28 Wed	BD Studies Paper 2
29 Thur	