

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

CALENDAR OF EVENTS	DATE	
May Day	1.5.2025	
Buddha Purnima	11.5.2025	
SuperTmatik Mental Math	1-14.5.2025	
Competition	1-14.3.2023	



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.





Class Notes: Class 4 May 2025

Summer Term Syllabus...

English: Unit 9: What Do You Think of It?, Unit 10: Wonders of Science, Unit 11: Great Olympians. Resources: MPH 4B Textbook, Workbook, Homework book, CW/HW/CT copy + Visual aids, Worksheets

Maths: Chapter 10: Decimals, Chapter 11: The Four Operations of Decimals, Chapter 12: Decimals: Word Problem, Chapter 13: Area and Perimeter, Chapter 15: Time, Chapter 14: Tables and Line Graphs. Resources: My pals are here – Workbook, Pupil's book (B series) and HW book

Bangla: বাংলা ১ পত্রঃ গদ্য- ঘুরে আসি সোনার গাঁও, খলিফা হযরত উমর(রাঃ) পদ্যঃ মা, বীরপুরুষ (শব্দার্থ, বাক্য রচনা, প্রশ্ন উত্তর, শূন্যস্থান পূরণ, সঠিক উত্তরে টিক চিহ্ন)বাংলা ২য় পত্রঃ বিপরীত শব্দ, এক কথায় প্রকাশ, বিরাম চিহ্ন, কম্প্রিহেনশন, সূজনশীল রচনা। Resources: আমার বাংলা বই, বাংলা ব্যাকরণ বই, বাংলা সহায়িকা বই।

Science: Unit-9 Heat Transfer, Unit-10 Physical and Chemical changes, Unit-11 Materials and their properties, Unit-12 The Water Cycle. Resources: MPH Science 5 -Textbook & Activity book, classwork copy and test copy

EM: Unit 5: Soil Erosion, Unit 6: Natural Ecosystems and Human Activities Resources: Workbook, Youtube Videos

Literature: Charlotte's Web: Chapters 16-22 CGS Collection of Poems: The Hyperbole Cafe, Nighttime, Dr. Invention, The Day Jerry Skipped Breakfast

Social - Studies: Geography: Chapter 2 (The Earth System 2.2-2.4) & Chapter - 3(Physical Geography 3.1, 3.2, 3.3-pg:69-74) **History:** Chapter - 7 (The Taj Mahal, The Statue of Liberty & The Great Wall of China) Resources: Text book, CW copy

ICT: Module 3: Exploring Spreadsheet, Module 4: Exploring Database

Art: 1.Pablo Picasso (1881 - 1988) - Artist's Biography, Still life. 2. Salvador Dali (1904-1989)- Artist's Biography, Landscape. 3. Safiuddin Ahmed (1922-2012)- Artist's Biography, Still life, Landscape

Achievement Awards for April:

English: Joyita, Juwayria
Maths: Ayana, Pariwish
Bangla: Saffat, Tahmid
Science: Nameer, Rayyan
EM: Orhan, Nuwaira
Literature: Ashmira, Zaara
Social Studies: Amirah, Idrak

ICT: Manha, Nuwaira Art: Zuhayr, Mebsan Gym: Sreejita, Zikra

Kindness Guardian: Joyita, Zaara

Happy Birthday to...

Zikra for the 17th of May!

Class News...

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It has been truly heartening to witness the enthusiasm and creativity displayed by our students during the recent art competition held in April, centered around the inspiring theme "Together We Rise."

As we continue through the term, we would like to remind you that the Summer Term exams are scheduled for the end of this term. We encourage all students to maintain their focus and commitment to their studies.

Our aim remains to provide a positive and enjoyable learning environment for every child, and we look forward to a productive and enriching remainder of the term. Thank you.

Teachers of Class 4

May Projects.....

English: Essay Literature: A Country Fair S. St.: Types of resources

May Tests	
4 Sun	
5 Mon	
6 Tue	
7 Wed	
8 Thur	Math
12 Mon	Bangla
13 Tue	
14 Wed	ICT
15 Thur	
18 Sun	
19 Mon	English
20 Tue	
21 Wed	Science
22 Thur	
25 Sun	Literature
26 Mon	Social Studies
27 Tue	
28 Wed	
29 Thur	

