



# CGS-Dhaka Newsletter

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Welcome back, CGSD family, we have some exciting news as we start the new school year!



**Rubaiyat Razzaque**, the Deputy Head at CGSD (pictured left) will be stepping into the role of Head of School (Elementary, Primary, and Secondary) effective from the new school year in August.

We are confident that Rubaiyat will bring the vision, experience, and passion necessary to lead our school into its next chapter of growth and excellence. Please join us in congratulating Rubaiyat on this well-deserved promotion.

Dear Parents,

It is both an honor and a pleasure to welcome you to the 2025–26 academic year on behalf of our Elementary, Primary, and Secondary staff. This year, we remain committed to providing an enriching experience that blends academics, sports, diverse extracurricular activities, social-emotional growth, conferences and memorable outings, adventures, and events.

We are especially excited to meet you all during our parent induction sessions. This time, we have redesigned the experience to be more engaging. The sessions will include short and impactful breakout discussions, mindfulness activities, and reflections from students who have participated in international conferences. We look forward to welcoming you to our vibrant, purpose-built campus in the heart of the Dhaka, now fully equipped to support learners from Playgroup through A' Levels.

Your feedback continues to guide us. In response to your input, we confirm that outdoor sports will remain a key part of our programme. Additionally, we are excited to share updates on upcoming Round Square international conferences, stay tuned for details!

As the Chinese proverb reminds us, "The vast sea allows fish to leap freely, the boundless sky lets birds soar without limits." At CGSD, we strive to create these very opportunities where your child can explore their potential and aspirations without boundaries.

Our community is more than just a school, it is a family. From the moment you join us, you become part of a bond that extends far beyond graduation. Here is to an extraordinary year ahead!

Onward together,  
Rubaiyat Razzaque



## WELCOME TO CGSD 2025/26!

A warm welcome to the new school year, 2025/2026! Our theme for the year, **'Together We Rise'** is a call for our students and indeed citizens of the world to come together as we navigate through the complex challenges we are facing, including climate change, conflicts, inequalities and both challenges and opportunities arising from globalization and technological advancements. Over the year we will have conferences, events and academic debates focussing on our theme.

## CGS ART COMPETITION 2025/26



The CGS Annual Art Competition 2025/26, in its 18<sup>th</sup> year, themed **'Together We Rise'** received 412 entries from 44 schools.

- ◆ Best School: **GEMS Modern Academy**, Dubai
- ◆ Runner-up: **Shri Ram School**, India
- ◆ 2nd Runner-up: **Rajmata Krishna**, India
- ◆ Winner: **Minha Fathima**, Millennium School, Dubai, her entry pictured above.

## DIRECTOR'S AWARD 2024/25

- Class 3: **Tahfeez**      Class 7: **Tehzeeb**
- Class 5: **Taafef**      Class 8: **Ariba**
- Class 6: **Warashmin**      Class 9: **Nafsiyat**

## CGSD LAUREATES IN 2024/25

- Class 2: **Miqael, Tahfeez**
- Class 3: **Tahfeez, Amara**
- Class 4: **Sreejita, Tahmid**
- Class 5: **Emma, Ayat**
- Class 6: **Warashmin, Shahzaib**
- Class 7: **Zehna, Alveena**
- Class 8: **Adeeb, Shayaan**
- Class 9: **Faraz, Nafsiyat**

Congratulations to all!!!

## SUMMER EVENTS AT CGSD

A spate of fun events, competitions and activities marked the end of school at CGSD.

**Global Spelling Bee:** Hosted by North South University 2 students (seated below left, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup>) made it to the top 10 and will represent Bangladesh at the international final in Dubai in October.

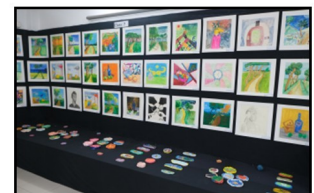


**Celebrating our stars:** A series of PTM's, Award ceremonies and Promotion and Graduation ceremonies ensured that students were celebrated and honoured for their academic and extracurricular achievements for 2024/25.

**Origins of Vision:** CGSD students and parents attended the Origins of Vision Art Exhibition at the Embassy of Japan, showcasing works by 47 legendary Bangladeshi artists.

**Class parties:** Food, activities, games and a scavenger hunt made for an enjoyable end to the year.

**ECA posters and Art Exhibition:** The year's creative endeavours were showcased at an art exhibition and ECA poster display event, see below.



CALENDAR OF EVENTS	DATE
Commencement	3.8.2025
July Uprising	5.8.2025
Parent Inductions	6-10.8.2025
Janmastami	16.8.2025
O level Results	19.8.2025
Digital Art Competition	24.8.2025

Welcome to CGS for the Academic year 2025 / 2026!

Class Notes: Class 11

August 2025

Happy Birthday to...

Shayan on 14th, and Zaeem on 17th of August!

Kindly note your timetable for 2025 / 2026

### Class 11 Time Table

<b>11</b>	<b>1 8:20 - 9:00</b>	<b>2 9:00 - 9:40</b>	<b>3 9:40 - 10:20</b>	<b>4 10:20 - 11:00</b>	<b>5 11:00 - 11:40</b>	<b>11:40- 12:20</b>	<b>6 12:20 - 1:00</b>	<b>7 1:00 - 1:40</b>	<b>8 1:40 - 2:20</b>
<b>SUN</b>	<b>Bio/ Bus</b>	<b>Bio/ Bus</b>	<b>Comp/ Practice class Bio</b>	<b>Phy</b>	<b>Phy</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>P. Math</b>	<b>Stat</b>	<b>Stat</b>
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<b>TUES</b>		<b>Eco</b>	<b>Eco</b>	<b>Phy</b>	<b>Phy</b>	<b>E</b>	<b>Comp</b>	<b>Comp</b>	<b>Practice class Phy</b>
<b>WED</b>	<b>Mech Acc</b>	<b>Mech Acc</b>	<b>Phy</b>	<b>Stat</b>	<b>Stat</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>Che</b>	<b>Practice class Che</b>	<b>P. Math</b>
<b>THUR</b>	<b>Eco</b>	<b>Che</b>	<b>Che</b>	<b>Comp</b>	<b>Comp</b>	<b>K</b>	<b>Bio</b>	<b>Bio</b>	<b>Practice class Bio</b>