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OUR VISION

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Circular No. SIS/044/2024-2025

27th August 2024

For the students of Grade 3 to 10 only

**Dear Parent
Sir/Madam**

Sub: International Benchmarking Assessments 2024

Further to our Circular No. SIS/037/2024-2025 dated 3rd July 2024, please be informed that you are required to make the payment for the International Benchmark Assessments as per the schedule given below:

Fees for the International Benchmarking Assessments 2024:

Grade	Amount / student	Remarks
3 to 9	AED 200/- (as actuals)	To be paid in two installments. The first installment along with the September 2024 fee and the second installment with the October 2024 fee.
10	AED 50/- (as actuals)	To be paid along with the September 2024 fee.

The International Benchmark Assessments mentioned below are mandatory as per the directives of Sharjah Private Education Authority (SPEA) and they are aligned with the federal framework for school improvement and review.

- 1. ASSET (Assessment of Scholastic Skills through Educational Testing) for the students of Grade 3 to 9.**
- 2. CAT4 (Cognitive Abilities Test) for the students of Grade 3 to 9.**
- 3. CARES (Comprehensive Assessment, Reports and Evaluation for Schools) for the students of Grade 3 to 10.**

Along with the above tests, the students will appear for age-appropriate international benchmarking assessments such as PISA, TIMSS and PIRLS as per the directives of Sharjah Private Education Authority (SPEA) which are administered free of cost.

We look forward to your kind cooperation in this regard.

With regards

**PRAMOD MAHAJAN
PRINCIPAL**

