



# SHARJAH INDIAN SCHOOL

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## OUR VISION

Educate Enlighten Empower

Circular No. SIS/043/2018-2019

4<sup>th</sup> October 2018

Dear Parent  
Sir/Madam

Dear Parent,

### Sub: International Benchmark Tests, 2018 for Improving Learning

We are pleased to let you know that our school will be participating in the **ACER Assessments, 2018**. The Assessments under this Program are designed and conducted by The Australian Council *for* Educational Research (ACER), leading research organization that provides a number of assessment services across the world. ACER has also developed and administered the UAE National Assessment programme for MOE and is included in the National Agenda (curriculum benchmark test) measurement.

**Reasoning Skills Assessment (RSA)** - is designed to assess students' reasoning skills in three core areas of **verbal, numerical and abstract reasoning** and provide a comprehensive report on the students' problem solving skills and attributes for reasoning. The skills assessed require students to think critically, make logical deductions, and identify connections and spot patterns.

**Arabic Language Assessment – Arabic B** - are designed for **non-native Arabic speakers** in Levels corresponding to the number of years the students have studied Arabic B and the recommended the target Grade based on the numbers of years of Arabic B the student may have studied.

**Hindi Language Assessment** – are designed specifically for students opting to study Hindi as a second language within the school community.

#### Registration Fees

Reasoning Skills Assessment (RSA)	AED 45/-
Arabic Language Assessment – B	AED 45/-
Hindi Language Assessment	AED 45/-

#### Test Dates: November 2018

Thursday, 15 <sup>th</sup> November 2018	Grade IX & X	Reasoning Skills Assessment (RSA)
Thursday, 15 <sup>th</sup> November 2018	Grade III & IV	Arabic Language Assessment – B
Monday, 19 <sup>th</sup> November 2018	Grade V	Hindi Language Assessment

Please encourage your ward to participate in these assessments.

With regards,

**PRAMOD MAHAJAN**  
**PRINCIPAL**



### ACKNOWLEDGEMENT SLIP - CIRCULAR NO. SIS/043/2018-2019

I would like to register my daughter \_\_\_\_\_ of Grade \_\_\_\_ Section \_\_\_\_ for the International Benchmark Tests.

Total Amount to be paid: AED \_\_\_\_\_

Parent's Name and Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Mobile \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

