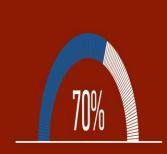


45%

ENTRIES ACHIEVING

GRADES 7-9 (A-A*)



ENTRIES ACHIEVING
GRADES 5-9 (B-A*)

10A*, 1B

WIN student since 2010

44

I am thrilled to share my outstanding results. Achieving this milestone wouldn't have been possible without the unwavering support of my family and my teachers. Their guidance, and tireless efforts have shaped my academic journey. I thank my school for nurturing my potential. I look forward to continuing this path of excellence with the continued support of the school and my teachers.

ATLANTA COELHO

School Topper

10A*

WIN student since 2011

"

IGCSE has been a transformative experience where challenges were conquered with unwavering dedication. This achievement is not mine alone; it's a testament to the support of my teachers, the encouragement of my family and their belief in my capabilities. With this accomplishment as a foundation, I embark on future endeavours with the same enthusiasm, ready to embrace challenges and carve my path to success.

JANELLE D'MELLO

School Topper

9A*, 2A

WIN student sin 2020

4

I want to thank my teachers for their great support even beyond school hours and school for aiding me to achieve excellent results on my IGCSEs. I want to keep this momentum and score excellent grades on my AS and A levels to achieve my dream of becoming a doctor.

> ASHVANTH KUMAR SARAVANAN

> > School Topper

"I am really impressed to see yet another incredible set of results. We are all so proud of our students and staff, whose dedication and commitment are unmatched. I am confident that all of you will continue to stay focussed and make the most of your final leg at high school in sixth form. Our best wishes to pursue all your dreams and aspirations. And a big shout out to all the parents, too! The strive for excellence continues year on year!"

MEENAKSHI DAHIYA Principal/CEO





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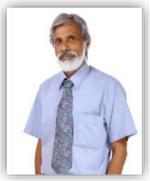
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Introduction to Key Stage 4 **Islamic Education for all** Option 1 Muslim students and Arabic **PSCHEE for non Muslims** Option 2 **IGCSE** First Language **Options IGCSE** English Option 3 (5 subjects) Mandatory Subjects Mathematics Option 4 Option 5 Accounting Business **Economics** Geography Travel and Tourism Psychology Physics Chemistry Biology Art and Design History Sociology Food and Nutrition Computer Science **EVM** ICT French **EDUCATION**

Structure and Benefits of CAIE IGCSE level

- The state of the s
 - Exams taken at the end of Year 11 for IGCSE
 - Each subject receives a separate grade.
 - ▶ Grades are from A* to G, with A* being the highest.
 - ▶ Highest possible grade for subjects that offer core curriculum is C.

our approach to education. We encourage students to become:
 confident in working with information and ideas – their own and those of others

Your child's needs as a learner are at the heart of

- **responsible** for themselves, responsive to and respectful of others
- **reflective** and developing their ability to learn
- **innovative** and equipped for new and future challenges
- **engaged** intellectually and socially, ready to make a difference...





Assessment Overview Example for IGCSE MATHEMATICS 0580



Core assessment

Core candidates take Paper 1 and Paper 3. The questions are based on the Core curriculum.

Paper 1 (Core)		Paper 3 (Core)	
1 hour	35%	2 hours	65%
56 marks		104 marks	
Short-answer questions		Structured questions	
Externally assessed		Externally assessed	

Extended assessment

Extended candidates take Paper 2 and Paper 4. The questions are based on the Extended curriculum.

Paper 2 (Extended)		Paper 4 (Extended)	
1 hour 30 minutes	35%	2 hours 30 minutes	65%
70 marks		130 marks	
Short-answer questions		Structured questions	
Externally assessed		Externally assessed	

- Candidates should have a scientific calculator for all papers.
- Three significant figures will be required in answers (or one decimal place for answers in degrees) except where
 otherwise stated.
- Candidates should use the value of π from their calculator or the value of 3.142.





Grade thresholds and grading in IGCSE

June 2022

Option	Maximum mark after weighting	Combination of Components	A*	Α	В	С	D	E	F	G
BX	200	21, 41, 51	156	130	104	79	66	54	42	30
BY	200	22, 42, 52	157	132	107	83	68	54	40	26
BZ	200	23, 43, 53	143	122	101	80	68	57	44	31

June 2023

Option	Maximum mark after weighting	Combination of components	A*	Α	В	С	D	E	F	G
BX	200	21, 41, 51	165	137	109	82	69	57	46	35
BY	200	22, 42, 52	164	140	116	93	79	65	51	37
BZ	200	23, 43, 53	164	137	110	84	71	59	48	37



Resources from Cambridge



Learner guide

Revision checklists Reading					
You should be able to	Ways to pracise the skills	R	Α	G	Comment
Understand main ideas by skim reading and select exact details by scanning texts.	Read a text quickly, deciding what each paragraph is mainly about. Then read the text more slowly, looking for certain words, phrases or information.				
Read short texts.	Read newspaper or magazine advertisements.				
Read longer texts.	Read: • blogs or web pages • articles from newspapers and magazines which also state a viewpoint • articles in textbooks and journals • a newspaper or your favourite magazine regularly.				
Understand certain ideas, opinions and views of a writer in a text.	Read any text and answer the following: What specific ideas are included? What are the writer's opinions/thoughts on the ideas given?				
Show some awareness of ideas that are not actually written down.	Read any text and answer the following: What is the real purpose of this writing? What does the writer really think/feel?				

Sample Responses

Now let's look at the sample candidate's response to the question and the examiner's comments on this response.

C. Example candidate response and examiner comments

The examiner comments are in the orange boxes.

Dear Mary

Thou are you! I hope you and your family are away! I sent you this letter to tell you something unusual that this period about the mall of cypnus with our teacher for one extra trip, because we want had competition the mall of cypnus with our teacher for one extra trip, because we wanting in the mall and while we were shopping one of my classmades saw my favourite or shopping one of my classmades saw my favourite or shopping one of my classmades saw my favourite or shopping one of my classmades saw my favourite or shopping one of my classmades saw my favourite or shopping one of my classmades saw my favourite or shopping one of my classmade but what I had I'm very say and really worted to speak with he her or take a picture photo with her but I want to should have gone but was really viewaus and dight wort to each clow something like that however, my classmade went and bring me an autograph for a shop also, there are had bring me an autograph to the gour classmade went and bring me an autograph to tell gay march more, but have a private lesson.

I nort to dying for your letter! I have you areaver soon.

Simple past is one of the main tenses for narrative pieces. Make sure you use the past simple correctly.

Say more about the audience here, e.g. Ask her a question. This helps to give the examiner the idea that you really know the person you are writing to.

Total mark awarded = 11 out of 19 Content = 6 out of 10 Language = 5 out of 9

From 2019 the total marks will be 16.
The standard of marking remains the same.

The introductory paragraph addressed the reader of the email directly in the first line.

The candidate could have introduced the topic using words to create more interest or excitement.
You'll never guess ...'

Use the past continuous and other past tenses in the story, as this candidate did. You will gain marks.

Explained why she was there and what she was doing. Extra detail will help you achieve more marks.

Mixing of tenses, 'was happy to saw her live'. Make sure you check your work for grammatical accuracy.

The candidate used common words and expressions throughout. Think of other words for 'happy' here, e.g. 'thrilled'.

The candidate wrote about the three bullet points. The introductory paragraph addressed the reader and used appropriate informal expressions. The candidate wrote a very straightforward story line which lacked development or original ideas. The task was fulfilled but lacked ambition. The style was simple. The meaning was clear and there was brief evidence of more complex structures, e.g. 1 should have gone. Grammar errors showed that the candidate was not totally in control of verbs in the simple past. There was some mixing of tenses. More development would have improved this answer.



Good use of informal

expression. You will gain

marks for giving the sense

of a relationship with the person you are writing to.

Resources from Cambridge



Marking Schemes

B. Mark scheme

The examiner uses the band descriptors in the mark scheme below to assess your response to this question. The band descriptors describe the specific evidence examiners are looking for to award a mark in a certain band. The descriptors in the mark scheme are based on the assessment objectives being tested in the question. Remember, assessment objectives are the areas of knowledge, understanding and skills you need to show you have by the end of your course. Assessment objectives W1 to W5 are tested here (You saw these in Section 3).

Marks	Content (maximum 8 marks)	Marks	Language (maximum 8 marks)
7–8	Relevance Task is fulfilled. Consistently appropriate style and register for the text type. Excellent sense of purpose and audience. Development of ideas Content is very well developed, at appropriate length. Content is communicated skilfully and effectively.	7–8	Range and accuracy Uses a wide range of common and less common vocabulary effectively. Uses a wide range of structures, both simple and complex, effectively. High level of accuracy of language throughout. Occasional errors may be present but these do not impede communication. Errors are related to less common vocabulary or more complex structures.
	To achieve this band you need to: Write about all the bullet points in the question in some detail Use an excellent style of writing throughout Write in the correct register (informal) throughout Give a clear sense that you are writing for a real person Write a story that has several ideas in it – make it fun and interesting Keep within the word limit.		Organisation Effectively organised and sequenced. Uses a wide range of linking words and other cohesive devices effectively. To achieve this band you need to: Use plenty of interesting words Use lots of different and complex sentence types Use different sentence lengths effectively, for example simple and short for suspense, longer and more complex for description Make very few mistakes Tell the events in a logical order Link the events and paragraphs together with lots

Examiner Report

Principal Examiner Report for Teachers

MATHEMATICS

Paper 0580/11 Paper 11 (Core)

Key messages

To succeed in this paper, candidates need to have completed the full Core syllabus. Candidates should read the question carefully, focussing on key words and instructions and should also check their answers for sense, in the correct form and accuracy.

General comments

Candidates should pay attention to how a question is phrased, the command words used and what form the answer should take

Candidates must show all their working to enable method marks to be awarded. Each step should be shown separately to maximise the chance of gaining marks.

The questions that presented least difficulty were **Questions 1, 14(a), 16(a)** and **21(b)(i)**. Those that proved to be the most challenging were **Questions 10** (upper and lower bounds), **18** (distance, speed and time), **20(b)(ii)** (bearings), **22(b)** and **(c)** (gradient and equation of a line). The questions that were most likely to be left blank were **Questions 18, 19(b), 20(b)(ii), 22(b)** and **(c)**. It is likely that the blank responses were due to the syllabus areas being tested rather than a lack of time.

Comments on specific questions

Question 1

Most candidates were successful with this first question and gave the correct answer. The few incorrect answers that were seen included 75, 75% and 0.8 – this last may have been an unnecessary rounding. Also seen a few times was 3.4 which did not show understanding of fractions.

Question 2

This question produced a variety of incorrect answers with the percentage given as $13.33 (16 \div 1.2)$, $19.2 (1.2 \times 16)$, 1.2 or 0.012, showing a lack of understanding of this type of percentage calculation. Sometimes the answer was a power of 10 out, for example 75% or 0.075%.

Question 3

This question caused some confusion as candidates tried to combine the two unlike terms such as $1py^2$ or 5p-30. With factorising questions like these, it is not correct to give an answer such as 5(y-1.2py) as decimals must not be used inside the brackets.



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How do we prepare our students



Assessment pattern similar to IGCSE expectations from Year 10 onwards

Practice
Materials,
sample papers
and exams that
simulate actual
IGCSE Exam
conditions

Time management
techniques that
emphasizes the
importance of pacing
themselves and
allocating appropriate
time to each question.

Study skill workshops and guidance on effective study techniques, note-taking methods, and revision strategies Exam strategies:
teach students how
to approach
different question
types, manage time
during the exam,
and present their
answers clearly and
effectively.

Support for students in school during break.
Non contact time.

Guidance with academic advisors and career counsellors



Learning Behaviors that lead to success



Active engagement in class.

Actively engage in class

discussions, ask questions,

and contribute to group

activities. This promotes

deeper understanding and

helps build confidence in

expressing ideas.

Learn to manage time efficiently by creating schedules and setting priorities. Balancing academics, extracurricular

activities, and personal time

is crucial.

Time Management

Independent learning

Take responsibility for your own learning. Research topics of interest beyond the curriculum, explore online resources, and seek additional reading materials.

Study strategies

. Experiment with different study strategies to find what works best for you.

Techniques like active recall, spaced repetition, and self-testing can enhance learning and retention.

Collaborative learning

Engage in group study sessions or projects.
Collaborating with peers can provide new insights and help reinforce learning.

Healthy lifestyle

Prioritize physical well-being through regular exercise, proper nutrition, and sufficient sleep. A healthy body supports a healthy mind.

Self Reflection

Reflect on your learning experiences, strengths, and areas for improvement.
Regular self-assessment helps you track progress.

Balancing screen time

Strike a balance between screen time for educational purposes and leisure activities. Limit distractions during study sessions.

Embrace Feedback

Welcome feedback from teachers and peers.
Constructive feedback helps you identify areas for improvement.



Assessment



International benchmark Assessments

CAT4 for Year as per the requirement Progress Tests in English and Maths for Year 10 PASS for Year 10 and 11 NGRT for Year 10 and 11

	ASSESSMEN	T AND REPORT	ING SYSTEM	
	TERM 1	TERM 2	TERM 3	Overall end of Year grade
YEAR 10	Monthly Tests + Summative Assessment 1	Monthly Tests + Summative Assessment 2	Summative Assessment at the end of Term	For Overall grade – Term 1, 2 and 3 grades are considered
Year 11	Monthly Tests +Pre Mock Examination	Mock Examination	CAIE Ex	amination



Formative Assessment







EDUCATION

Personalisation-How do teachers use data

Assessment and Data Collection

Identifying learning targets

Differentiated Instruction

Individualized support

Tracking Progress

Parent –teacher communication

Assess students' performance using various tools such as tests, quizzes, and observations. Collect student interests from their profiles.

These assessments

profiles.
These assessments and information provide valuable data points that help identify individual strengths and areas where your child may need additional support.

Once data is collected, teachers use it to set specific learning target for each student.

These targets are personalized based on your child's current abilities and areas that require improvement.

Teachers adapt
their teaching
methods to address
the diverse needs
of students.
Your child may
receive additional
challenges,
remedial support,
or alternative
approaches to
learning based on
their data.

Data helps
teachers identify
struggling students
early on, allowing
for timely
interventions and
support.
Teachers may
provide break time
and registration
time, small group
instruction, or
resources to help
your child
succeed.

Teachers
continuously
monitor your
child's progress
and adjust their
instruction
accordingly.
This ensures that
your child is
making steady
improvements
toward their
learning goals.

Teachers share
your child's data
with you during
parent-teacher
conferences to
keep you informed
about their
progress. You can
also reach out to
teachers to discuss
your child's data
and any concerns
you may have.



How Parents can Support



Understanding your child's strength and weakness

Regular review of your child's portfolio and profile

Set realistic goals

Create a learning environment at home

Regular communication with teachers

Set a Routine and Manage Screen Time

Celebrate Achievements

Seek additional support if needed

Promote a growth mindset



Requirements and conditions for Admission at A level



Before selection of option please do a thorough research of what you want to pursue in the universities, which courses and what do you need in A level, which subjects will get due recognition and credits and which will not.



A student must achieve a minimum B grade in IGCSE in all subjects that he/she wants to pursue further in A level



Students must choose a minimum of three subjects, one from each option block.



IT and Computer science cannot be written in the same setting as per CIE.



An option will be considered viable only if at least 10 students sign up for it.

Ministry Arabic is compulsory for all Arab until year 13. Arabic is compulsory for Arab students and also for all Non- Arabs students who wish to attend any UAE University (International/local) in the future.

Islamic Studies is compulsory for all Muslim students until year 13.

Please note that EMSAT examination is the ministry requirement for admission into local UAE University both National and International. Further details can be found on the individual university websites. Please refer to them.



Requirements and conditions for Admission at A level



Students need to get a recommendation letter by the HOK-4 for good behaviour, punctuality and attendance



Attendance should be 96% or above.

BTEC is a 2-year programme. BTEC can be studied alone or in combination with A levels. One BTEC is equivalent to 2 A levels. Students can also choose either 2 BTEC Options or hybrid option: 1 BTEC and 2 AS options. BTEC is a highly recognized in UK and does not require equivalency from UAE ministry of education for universities in UK. Please check on acceptance of BTEC in the university you wish to pursue.



A Level Admission Procedure



Conditional admission for Year 12

Conditional
Admissions are based
on the Performance in
Pre-mock and Mock
Examination and
consistent performance
of the child in Year 10
and through Year 11.

Final admission for Year 12

Admission will be confirmed only after the final IGCSE results are declared and you meet the grade requirement in the selected options.



Safeguarding



Federal Law No. 3 of 2016 concerning child rights, also known as Wadeema's Law, stresses that all children must be provided with appropriate living standards, access to health services, education, equal opportunities in essential services and facilities without any kind of discrimination. The law protects children against all forms of negligence, exploitation, physical and psychological abuses. It is the combined duty of the parents and the school to ensure that students are healthy and safe and are able to access education continuously and consistently.

Parental Responsibility- Chapter 3 - Family Rights - Article 15
The child's parents or their equivalents and the custodian of the child shall provide the requirements of family safety to the child within a coherent and cooperative family.

The child's custodian shall assume the responsibilities and obligations entrusted to him/ her in raising, caring, guiding and developing the child in the best way.

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Responsible Use of devices and social media



Please visit the UAE cyber law website: Cyber safety and digital security - The Official Portal of the UAE Government for more details.

At school

Please note mobile phones are not allowed in school premises. If your child is carrying phone to school for some reason, the phone should be on silent or switched off and must be kept either in bag or in the locker. If we find any students using phone inside the school premises they will be asked to deposit for the day at Head of school office and will be returned to the parent only. This will lead to a warning letter and child be placed on a behavior contract with a condition to be reenrolled.



Curriculum Enrichment

EMIRATES LITERATURE

FEST



Sports

We have opportunities for our students to showcase their sports skills and we have various sports team for both the boys and girls- Football, Basketball, Cricket, Volley ball, Net ball, Tennis, athletics, swimming etc

Arts and Performing artsSchool choir



Student Led Clubs

Book Club, Cooking Club, MUN, Debate, Dance, Music, Chess, Art, Science Club and many more

Leadership Enhancement-All students get opportunities to enhance leadership by leading and organising assemblies, leadership positions, clubs and initiatives etc.

Additional Learning

Opportunities- International School Trips, Overnight Camping Trips, Field trips, Participations in MUN, Debates, Diplomathon, World Scholars Cup, Olympiads, Participation in FLN, Technovision, Learning Market, WIN MUN, STEAM Carnival, International Coding Competition etc

Student Initiatives -

All Students are encouraged to share their talents, community awareness by initiating programmes/ activities for their peers













Career Counselling at WIN



Building student profiles from Year 7

Volunteering opportunities

Option assemblies and taster lessons at year 9

Career assemblies and career fairs

Study skills workshops

Career talks with specialists and alumni

Individual counselling



Expectation Attendance, Uniform and Punctuality



- Attendance of 96% and more is required to register for the examination
- Both Class and Subject attendance will count for overall attendance
- The school expects all children/students to be in school latest by 7:30 am and in their respective classroom/form rooms by 7:35 a.m.



- Students entering the form class after 7:40am will be marked late and late SMS will be sent to the parents.
- Registration is between 7:40
 a.m. and 8:00a.m. The school gate will close at 7:35 a.m.
- Any child arriving after 7:55 **a.m**. is required to log in at the security, and has to report to main reception. The child will be escorted to respective school secretary to mark the late

Uniform Policy



- Students are required to come to school in school uniform and Should wear Lanyard at all time
- Accessories: Jewellery should not be worn with exception of a watch and 1 pair of small ear studs for girls. Friendship bands are not permitted. Jewellery should not be worn with exception of a watch for boys. No ear studs for boys.
- Hair must be brushed/combed neatly and out of the eyes. Long hair must be tied back. Outrageous hairstyles, highlights, outrageous colours, streaks, dip dying etc. are not permitted. Hair gel and spikes are not allowed. For Boys Hair must be evenly cut. Mohawk or other styles are not permitted.
- Make Up: Make-up is not permitted at all throughout the school day. Even eye shadow / mascara is not permitted. Lip balm should be colourless.





Study Skills Workshop

Support lessons for Year 11

Resources such as IGCSE Learner guides and sample student responses

Study groups and academic clubs by students

Peer Mentors

Career counselling

Student counsellor



WIN Volunteering Program



Purpose and Aims of the WVP

Volunteer work presents a great opportunity for teenagers to prepare for the future, as well as to improve their communities. In addition to boosting socializing skills and awareness of local organizations and social issues, high school students who volunteer often may have an advantage over their peers when headed off to college.

Benefits of Volunteering

Organisational Skills

Network and collaborate

Learn new skills and technology

Discover the strengths

Make an impact

Gain insight into workplace culture

Create pathways to job after high school

	Phase	No. of Hours completed per year	Certificate awarded		
		10 hours	Bronze Commendation Certificate		
		15 hours	Silver Commendation Certificate		
Secon	ndary	20 hours	Gold Commendation Certificate		
(Key	Stage 3 and	25 hours	Platinum Commendation Certificate		
4)					
		22 hours	Bronze Commendation Certificate		
Sixth	Form	40 hours	Silver Commendation Certificate		
		60 hours	Gold Commendation Certificate		
		75 hours	Platinum Commendation Certificate		
			LDUCATION		

Parent-Teacher Communication



Face to face meetings

For Any meeting with the teacher, parents need to write an email and take prior appointment. All meetings with teacher will take place after 2: 30 p.m.

Emails and phone calls

Teachers will get back to you within 24 hours.
Teachers will be unable to reply to any emails during contact time.
If there is any urgent message, we request you to call the School reception and leave a message. The teacher will call you back during her non-contact time

Other Communication channels

We will stay in close contact with you. This will be through our website, elearning platform, calls, meetings, webinars, orientation workshops, assemblies, weekly updates and emails





Whom to Contact							
Pastoral Issues	Subject Issues	Specific Issues					
Form Tutor	Subject Teacher	Head of Key Stage					
Head of Year	Head of Department	Student Counsellor					
Head of Key Stage	Deputy Head of Secondary	Head of Well Being					
Head of Secondary	Head of Secondary	Head of Secondary					











Thank you for attending the Orientation

SCAN THE QR CODE TO SHARE YOUR VALUABLE FEEDBACK



