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# **PARENTS REPORT**

SUMMARY OF INSPECTION 2021-2022





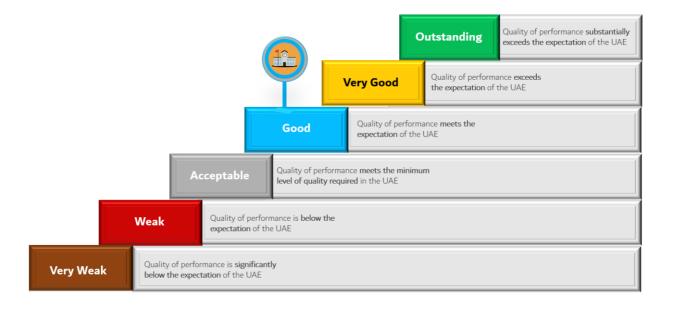
#### **About GEMS FOUNDERS SCHOOL - MIZHAR**

	General information				
$\bigcirc$	Location	Al Mizhar 1			
	Website	www.gemsfoundersschool-mizhar.com			
Q	Telephone	97142103555			
8	Principal	Akram Tarik			
Ē	Inspection Dates	28February to 03 March 2022			

		Students
**	Gender of students	Boys and girls
000	Grades or year groups	FS1-Year 11
4233	Number of students on roll	3027
-	Number of Emirati students	575
<u>(</u> )	Number of students of determination	133

		Teachers
ţ.	Number of teachers	172
	Number of teaching assistants	48
Los Montes	Number of guidance counsellors	2

### **Overall Performance for GEMS FOUNDERS SCHOOL - MIZHAR**





#### Summary of Inspection Findings 2021-2022



GEMS Founders School Al Mizhar opened in 2018. It is located in Al Mizhar 1. Boys and girls are provided with the opportunity to study the National Curriculum for England. At the time of the inspection, there were 3027 students from the Foundation Stage to Year 11. The school was inspected in March 2022. This was the first inspection of the school since it opened.



The Principal, Mr Tarik, joined the school in 2020 and is the second Principal since the school opened. The school has expanded rapidly since it opened with 947 new students and 76 new teachers joining during the 2021 to 2022 academic year.



The school provides a good quality of education for students. There are 575 Emirati students in the school. The quality of education provided for them and others meets the requirements of the UAE that all its citizens will attend good schools. The principal is committed to the school developing leaders for the future. Most leaders in the school have a good understanding of the school's curriculum and what good teaching should be. They do not always use this knowledge well enough to check that all teachers are helping students to do as well as they can.



Students make good progress in almost all subjects except Arabic and Islamic Education. Students of determination are well supported and make good progress. Students in all classes enjoy a curriculum that is varied and provides them with real life experiences. Teachers know their students well and try hard to provide students with work that will help them improve. Although this is not always successful.



Students are very safe in this school. They receive good levels of care and guidance. Students confirm they have good relationships with adults and with each other. The KHDA Students' Wellbeing Census shows that students' level of happiness is in line with that of others in Dubai private schools. Students express high levels of satisfaction of what the school provides for them.

The next steps for the school are to ensure that:



- teachers always provide work that will help students improve;
- leaders make careful checks on how well teachers are helping students to do their best; and
- students improve how well they learn in Arabic and Islamic Education.

To read the full Inspection Report for GEMS Founders School - Mizhar Visit: https://web.khda.gov.ae/en/Education-Directory/Schools/School-Details?Id=5511&CenterID=151816



### **Overall School Performance**

### Good

## 1. How good are the students' attainment and progress?

		Foundation Stage	Primary	Secondary
<b>(</b>	Attainment	Not applicable	Acceptable	Acceptable
Islamic Education	Progress	Not applicable	Acceptable	Acceptable
	Attainment	Not applicable	Acceptable	Acceptable
Arabic as a First Language	Progress	Not applicable	Acceptable	Acceptable
	Attainment	Not applicable	Acceptable	Acceptable
Arabic as an Additional Language	Progress	Not applicable	Acceptable	Acceptable
ENG	Attainment	Acceptable	Acceptable	Acceptable
English	Progress	Good	Good	Good
	Attainment	Acceptable	Good	Acceptable
Mathematics	Progress	Good	Very good	Good
	Attainment	Acceptable	Good	Acceptable
Science	Progress	Good	Good	Good

	Foundation Stage	Primary	Secondary
Learning skills	Good	Good	Good



### 2. How good is the students' personal and social development?

	Foundation Stage	Primary	Secondary
Personal development	Good	Good	Good
Understanding of Islamic values and awareness of Emirati and world cultures	Good	Good	Good
Social responsibility and innovation skills	Good	Good	Good

#### 3. How good are the teaching and assessment?

	Foundation Stage	Primary	Secondary
Teaching for effective learning	Good.	Good	Good
Assessment	Good	Good	Good

4. How well does the curriculum meet the educational needs of all students?

	Foundation Stage	Primary	Secondary
Curriculum design and implementation	Good	Good	Good
Curriculum adaptation	Good	Good	Good

### 5. How well does the school protect and support students?

	Foundation Stage	Primary	Secondary
Health and safety, including arrangements for child protection/ safeguarding	Very good	Very good	Very good
Care and support	Good	Good	Good

# 6. How good are the leadership and management of the school?

The effectiveness of leadership	Good
School self-evaluation and improvement planning	Good
Parents and the community	Good
Governance	Good
Management, staffing, facilities and resources	Very good