



مدارس الظهران الأهلية
Dhahran Ahliyya Schools

مجتمع تعلّم غير ربحي
A not-for-profit learning community

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"Our Mission"

Inspired by the principles of Islam, the mission of Dhahran Ahliyya Schools is to empower each student to be a compassionate, thinking, lifelong bi-lingual learner, who makes a positive difference locally and globally.

"Our Vision"

Our vision is to provide a world class education with an Arab and Islamic identity through a pioneering learning community that is sustainable and socially

Our school is supervised by the Ministry of Education and accredited by The Commission on Accreditation and School Improvement (NCA CASI)



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Teachers' Appreciation Day

Teachers' Day is a special day dedicated to honoring and appreciating the hard work and dedication of educators worldwide. Celebrated on different dates in various countries, it is an opportunity for students and communities to express their gratitude towards teachers. Teachers play a crucial role in shaping the future of individuals and society as a whole by imparting knowledge, inspiring curiosity, and instilling values. On this day, students often present gifts, cards, or organize special events to show their respect and admiration for their teachers. It is a time to acknowledge their efforts and the positive impact they have on students' lives.

To celebrate this occasion, the Activities' Department at our schools has collaborated with the Positive Climate Committee as well as the STUCO and the PTA to honor DAS faculty and staff to commemorate this special day that is held annually on 5 October to celebrate all teachers around the globe.

All thanks and appreciation go to all teachers.

We extend our gratitude to all families and DAS staff who supported this event.





Bebras Contest

What is Bebras Competition?

Bebras Challenge is an international initiative aiming to promote Informatics (Computer Science) and computational thinking among school students at all ages. Participants are usually supervised by teachers who may integrate the Bebras challenge in their teaching activities. The challenge is performed at schools using computers or mobile devices. The competition is the main way to join the National Olympiad within the Saudi Informatics Team. Saudi Team Members will be chosen from the intermediate level according to the requirements of the program. The challenge is performed on computers PC/laptops.

Objectives:

1. Encouraging problem-solving skills and informatics concepts that include the ability to turn difficult issues into accessible elements and learn about the principles of algorithms, patterns, and abstraction.
2. Challenging student's abilities in problem-solving.
3. Learning applied ways of solving.
4. Solving the largest possible number of problems in the allotted time.

Nature of Contest Questions

It is a set of short online problems, called the Bebras Challenge. The tasks are fun, engaging, and interactive. They can also be solved without prior knowledge, but they require logical thinking.



Mawhiba International Olympiad Programs



Bebras Mawhiba Content Timetabe 2023

October 4, 2023	Registration Opens
November 6, 2023	Registration Closes
October 15 - November 29, 2023	Pilot Test
December 9, 2023	Official Exam
60 minutes	Duration of the Exam
2:00pm	ExamTime
January 2, 2024	Announcement of Results

For more information kindly contact [the Activities' Department:](#)

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DAS talented Students got Qualified.

We are pleased to announce that a total of 28 students from our schools, comprising both intermediate and secondary levels, have successfully qualified for the second phase of the Mawhoub Contest in scientific fields. This contest is organized annually by Mawhiba. In comparison to last year's figure of 13 qualifying students in 2022, our schools have seen a significant increase in qualified students this year, with the number rising to 27 students, demonstrating a remarkable growth rate of 108%.

The qualified students who have excelled in various scientific subjects are:

Biology (3 students)		
9 th grade	Daniel Al Ismail	1
9 th grade	Yasser Al-Jawad	2
9 th grade	Abdulaziz Ali Al-Salham	3
Mathematics (11 students)		
6 th grade	Salam Al-Jaziri	4
7 th grade	Khalid Al-Dosari	5
7 th grade	Nawaf Al-Mulhim	6
6 th grade	Anas Malik Al-Arfaj	7
6 th grade	Ahmed Al Shehri	8
6 th grade	Muhammad Al-Mulla	9
7 th grade	Muhammad Abdul Rahman Al-Qahtani	10
6 th grade	Abdul Rahman Al-Mishari	11
7 th grade	Mesaaed Al-Arifi	12
7 th grade	Hassan Ali Al-Badr	13
7 th grade	Abdul Hadi Al-Ahmad	14
Physics (8 students)		
9 th grade	Kenan Al-Khalif	15
9 th grade	Ahmed Al-Mulla	16
8 th grade	Nasser Al-Subaie	17
8 th grade	Faisal Al-Salama	18
9 th grade	Ali Ahmed Qarifa	19
9 th grade	Muhammad Al-Abdulqader	20
8 th grade	Amir Raafat Al-Olayan	21
8 th grade	Abdul Rahman Yasser Al Rad	22
Chemistry (6 th students)		
9 th grade	Basil Al-Zahrani	23
9 th grade	Rashid Al Qasim	24
8 th grade	Abdulaziz Al-Mir	25
9 th grade	Muhammad Al-Asis	26
9 th grade	Saud Ibrahim Al-Dosari	27
8 th grade	Muhammad Wajdi Mokbel	28

All thanks appreciation goes to all the teachers who supported our students, especially Mrs. Bilal and all the members of the Leader's committee.

Congratulations to our students.



The "Good Morning" Reading Program



The "Good Morning" reading program began in the second week of the first trimester for elementary level students. Teachers, parents, and DAS staff organized reading sessions in English and Arabic from 7:15 to 7:27 AM.

We appreciate everyone who contributed to the program and encourage other parents to join us in fostering our students' love for reading.

