

## Circular- Welcome Back - KG to GRADE 12

Dear parents  
Greetings from GMS!

It was indeed heartening to see the children back in action both on-campus and face to face! It's two weeks since we reopened and there are a few important pointers which we would like to share with you.

### Change of platform

We do understand that our student and teaching community did face some concerns adapting to MS teams. While these issues may be attributed to teething , we would still like to respect the views of the majority of our parents and students.

We will revert to the platforms used in the first half of the year i.e. **Zoom for phase 1 and 2, and Google Meet for phase 3 and 4**, beginning from Sunday,13/9/20. We will be operating on these platforms for a week to ensure that it goes smoothly and may continue with the same in future. All details pertaining to the same will be sent to you by the class teacher. This is being done so as to choose the apt learning platform for the school as per the interests of all school communities. Do bear with during this transition period.

### Assessment

Assessment will be conducted for all phases from KG to grade 12, in the month of October, 2020. The portion paper with dates and other specifications will be sent to parents in the next week. All the details regarding the assessment will be briefed by the class teacher, as well. Encourage children to get prepared well in advance for the term examinations.

### Registration and Exam fees -Final reminder (Grades 9 to 12)

All the students who haven't cleared the fees will have to pay a penalty and may even miss the chance for registration this academic year. Board exam students are once again reminded to pay the exam fees to avoid losing one year. Kindly consider this as very important and urgent.

Safety of our students and staff is our top priority now and we urge parents to keep reminding the children about all the protocols to be followed to keep themselves and others safe.

With every good wish for a great year ahead  
Gulf Model School