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Date- 26<sup>th</sup> February 2022

**Re- Freeze on Scholarship & Fee discounts for the academic year 2022-23**

Dear Parents,

During the past 18 months we made a decision to help our Springdalian families to continue to have access to quality teaching and learning regardless of the difficulties presented by the Covid pandemic. We were able to preserve all of our staff during this period through whole school sacrifices and strategies to spread costs knowing we would eventually get back to normal school life as the pandemic dissipates.

To this end as we approach the 2022-23 academic year, we need a 12-month period to recover after providing near to **AED 3,000,000 ( AED Three million)** in discounts and scholarships that enabled so many of our families to continue to get an outstanding education at Springdales School, Dubai.

**I am therefore announcing a freeze on scholarships and fee discounts for the next 12 months.**

**Please be informed only Termly / Yearly school fees will be accepted as per KHDA contract.**

We are introducing an exciting new model of tailored scholarships in 2023-24 academic year that recognises a wider variety of talented students and **will see students receive a direct benefit to support their career choices rather than exclusively receiving fee relief.**

**The tailored scholarships are as follows:**

- Academic Excellence
- Creative and Performing Arts
- Sporting Scholarships
- Innovation and Digital Technology
- Arabic Studies
- Arabic Studies Scholarships (Native Speaker)
- Arabic Studies Scholarships (Non-Native Speaker)
- Inclusion Scholarship
- Chairman's Scholarship

Looking forward to an exciting 2022-23 academic year ahead and the new tailored scholarship program in the following year.

**Best regards,**

**Dr. Brian Gray  
Principal  
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