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Inspection Report 2018-2019

Horizons English School



























11 YEARS OF INSPECTIONS

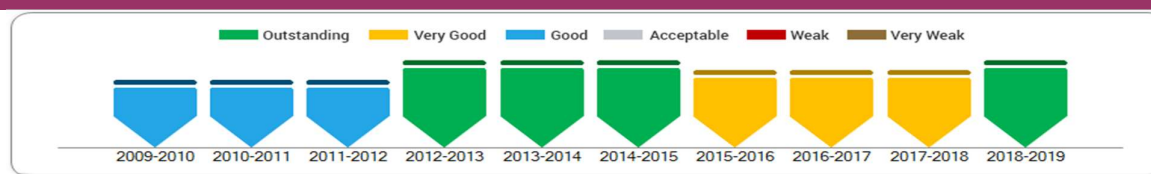
Outstanding

Curriculum
UK



School Information







General Information	 Location	Al Wasl
	 Opening year of School	1989
	 Website	www.horizonschooldubai.com
	 Telephone	0097143422891
	 Principal	Ian James Wallace
	 Principal - Date appointed	8/20/2018
	 Language of Instruction	English
	 Inspection Dates:	05 to 07 November 2018
Students	 Gender of students	Boys and girls
	 Age range	3-11
	 Grades or year groups	FS1-Year 6
	 Number of students on roll	937
	 Number of Emirati students	24
	 Number of students of determination	50
	 Largest nationality group of students	UK
Teachers	 Number of teachers	69
	 Largest nationality group of teachers	British
	 Number of teaching assistants	38
	 Teacher-student ratio	1:14
	 Number of guidance counsellors	1
	 Teacher turnover	28%
Curriculum	 Educational Permit/ License	UK
	 Main Curriculum	UK
	 External Tests and Examinations	GLPT, SAT, CAT 4
	 Accreditation	BSO and BSME
	 National Agenda Benchmark Tests	GL

School Journey for Horizons English School


Overall School Performance

Outstanding ↑

1. Students' Achievement

		Foundation Stage	Primary
 Islamic Education	Attainment	Not applicable	Acceptable
	Progress	Not applicable	Good
 Arabic as a First Language	Attainment	Not applicable	Acceptable
	Progress	Not applicable	Acceptable
 Arabic as an Additional Language	Attainment	Not applicable	Good
	Progress	Not applicable	Good
 English	Attainment	Outstanding ↑	Outstanding
	Progress	Outstanding ↑	Outstanding
 Mathematics	Attainment	Outstanding ↑	Outstanding
	Progress	Outstanding ↑	Outstanding
 Science	Attainment	Outstanding ↑	Outstanding ↑
	Progress	Outstanding ↑	Outstanding ↑
		Foundation Stage	Primary
Learning skills		Outstanding ↑	Outstanding ↑

2. Students' personal and social development, and their innovation skills

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

3. Teaching and assessment

	Foundation Stage	Primary
Teaching for effective learning	Outstanding↑	Outstanding↑
Assessment	Outstanding↑	Outstanding↑

4. Curriculum

	Foundation Stage	Primary
Curriculum design and implementation	Outstanding	Outstanding
Curriculum adaptation	Outstanding	Very good

5. The protection, care, guidance and support of students

	Foundation Stage	Primary
Health and safety, including arrangements for child protection/ safeguarding	Outstanding	Outstanding
Care and support	Outstanding	Outstanding

6. Leadership and management

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

For further information regarding the inspection process, please look at [UAE School Inspection Framework](#)