



مدارس الظهران الأهلية  
Dhahran Ahliyya Schools

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

# Tawasul

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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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With firm, resolute steps and endless inspiration

**Our students won the first place in WRO, open-ended category (boys & girls) country wide.**

Within the International Robot Olympiad 2021, three teams from DAS have participated in WRO (boy & girls) country wide.

(Robodas) Team from the 9<sup>th</sup> grade, participated within the regular category:

(Basmah Alamer, Joud Alfaraj, Marsam Sadiq)

The Revolutionaries Team from the 11<sup>th</sup> grade, participated within the open-ended category:

(Najla Alyamy, Sadeen Alnahdi, Maria Abusurah)

WRO Team from the 11<sup>th</sup> grade, participated within the open-ended category:

(Rima Alheraiqi, Jouri Alheraiqi, Fatimah Alhilal)

The last team has successfully won the WRO Competition in the open-ended category and were placed first country wide.

Seven teams were nominated to represent our country globally, and DAS team represented the Eastern Province. The ceremony was held virtually on Thursday, November 18, 2021, in Singapore, the host country for the WRO competition for 2021.

Thank you for our students and the robot teams' trainers at DAS:

(Mrs. Hajer Sabri, Mrs. Asma Mahmoud, Mrs. Sarah Alshahrani)

Notes of appreciations are extended to the parents of our participating students.



Please check the schools' website regularly for any inquiries and appointments



## The 7<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Pledge of Allegiance to the Custodian of the Two Holy Mosques King Salman Bin Abdelaziz

DAS have celebrated the seventh anniversary of the pledge of allegiance to the Custodian of the Two Holy Mosques King Salman bin Abdelaziz, from Monday to Thursday 8 - 11/11/2021.

It aimed to reinforce the values of belonging and loyalty to our religion, to the king and to our beloved homeland among all school staff, students and parents, and to implement the Kingdom's 2030 vision, under the title "Allegiance and Loyalty", and to highlight the efforts of the Custodian of the Two Holy Mosques to serve the country, and the most important achievements since assuming the reins of Government.

Everyone has expressed feelings of joy towards the anniversary of the pledge and allegiance to the Custodian of the Two Holy Mosques and celebrated the nation's achievements.

### Distinctive aspects of the program:

- Participation of DAS to commemorate the seventh anniversary of the pledge of allegiance in the Educational Office at the level of the Eastern Province. Students' activity department (Girls' Section) celebrated the most important achievements of King Salman bin Abdelaziz in accordance with 2030 Vision, under the theme of empowering women in the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia, and Expo 2030.
- The students' activity department (Girls' Section) at DAS participated in the exhibition of the Educational Office of Al-Khobar to celebrate the the seventh anniversary of the pledge of allegiance with paintings and posters, and the most important achievements of King Salman bin Abdelaziz since he came to power.
- Students in all grade levels participated in expressing their feelings and pledging loyalty and belonging to the king on the seventh anniversary of the pledge of allegiance to King Salman with (photos, videos, drawings, thoughts on DAS virtual wall.)
- Social accounts were filled with posts of DAS students and school staff to express their feelings towards renewing loyalty and belonging to our beloved King Salman Bin Abdelaziz.

### Thanks and appreciation from the Educational Office in the Eastern Province, On the seventh anniversary of the pledge of allegiance to the Custodian of the Two Holy Mosques

The educational office in the eastern province, represented by the department of Activities offers its thanks & appreciation to DAS for the active participations of our students in the 7<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the pledge and allegiance to King Salman Bin Abdelaziz, the celebration took place on 10/11/2021.

The exhibition included interactive corners, through which the students presented the most important achievements of King Salman since he assumed the reins of government. Student **Saba Samer Abdul-Jabbar, from 11<sup>th</sup> grade Diploma**, participated with a presentation about the Expo 2030 theme under the title "Era of Change, Stirring Our Planet towards the Future" and its most important themes (a lively society, An ambitious homeland, a thriving economy) ,student **Lin Alawi Al-Sharfa, from the 11<sup>th</sup> grade Diploma**, spoke about the empowerment of women in the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia during the reign of King Salman, under the title "Empowerment of Saudi women throughout history."





**13 Students are Nominated to Join the “Elite Forum” for the Intensive Training of the International Olympiad Mawhoub – Math & Science, for the Academic year 2021-2022**

Within the framework of the training program of the King Abdulaziz and His Companions Foundation for Giftedness and Creativity Program “Mawhiba” for the “Mawhoub” competition for the year (2020-2021), 13 students from our schools passed the training program for the Mawhoub for Science and Mathematics from October 25 until November 4, 2021, and the test was held on November 6, 2021 AD.

Our students achieved high scores in the fields and disciplines of the competition (mathematics, science, chemistry, physics, biology and informatics), and were qualified for the intensive training "elite forum" for the International Olympiad, which will be held in Riyadh and Jeddah according to the levels of the competition during the period (November 25 to December 6, 2021).

Nominated students – 3 <sup>rd</sup> Level		
Student Name	Field	Grade
Jana Ali Aldossary	Math	10
Jana Muhammed Alsinan	Chemistry	10
Nominated students – 2 <sup>nd</sup> Level		
Sarah Khalid Alkhamees	Chemistry	11
Lulu mustafa Alnajjar	Physics	11
Lama Mhanna Almhanna	Math	8
Shahad Mesaaied Almitlaq	Biology	9
Maria Husien Alfaraj	Biology	10
Nominated students – 1 <sup>st</sup> Level		
May Muhammed Alharbi	Physics	9
Yasmeen Abdulaziz Alqahtani	Physics	9
Samar Ahmed Al Almajed	Chemistry	9
Yasmeen Muhammed Alkhenaizi	Chemistry	9
Batoul Asaad Ghanim	Chemistry	9
Fay Ali Albinali	Math	9

We wish them good luck in their future endeavors



## Our Students Continue their Journey Towards University Excellence

برنامج موهبة للالتحاق  
بالجامعات المرموقة "التميز"  
Mawhiba Program for  
Elite Universities (Tamayuz)



DAS extends the warmest congratulations to our students in the 11<sup>th</sup> grade for being accepted in the "Tamayouz" program to apply to the best American universities that are ranked among the 50 universities in the world. The Excellence Program ranges from enrichment programs in the fields of science, engineering and health to the "Mawhiba" program to be enrolled in prestigious universities organized by the King Abdulaziz Foundation and the "Mawhiba" man. It is one of the Mawhiba Qualification for Excellence programs, which provides students with guidance and training to excel in international tests and to increase their chances of being accepted into prestigious universities globally. The students are:

**Sarah Alnasir, Sarah Alkhamees, Jouri Alheraiqi, Reem Alhakeem**  
**Hala Almajed, Talia Bahoul, Leen Alshurfa, Lulu Aljar, Sadeem Alnahdi**

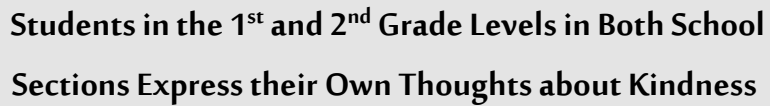
## PTA celebrates World Kindness Day

Mothers and Teachers Association (PTA) activated the kindness campaign on Tuesday, November 9, 2021, in collaboration with the Student Council under the slogan "Be kind, life is nice," the elementary level teachers conducted classroom activities that encouraged students to write nice phrases to their classmates.

**Notes of appreciation are extended to the mothers and teachers for their inspiring efforts in activating all the activities, we also thank our teachers and the responsible of activities as well as our counselors for carrying out all the activities.**







At the conclusion of the "Where are we in time and space" unit, second graders expressed their understanding of the central idea (Earth events affect the shape of the Earth's surface and human stability) through verbal presentations that reflect what they have learned using simple models that show the impact of Earth's events on the Earth's surface and humans.





## Students in KG Celebrate the Anniversary of the Pledge of Allegiance

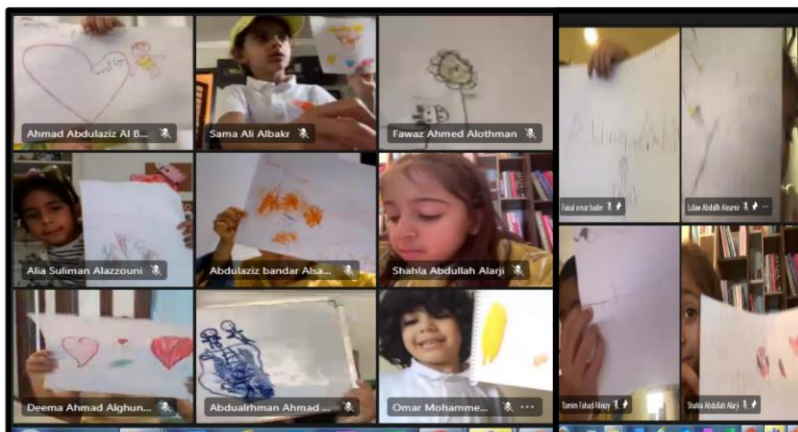
On the seventh anniversary of the pledge of allegiance the Custodian of the Two Holy Mosques, King Salman bin Abdelaziz, our students in kindergarten participated in activities that support the seventh anniversary of the pledge in the eleventh week.



## Students in KG Participate in the Kindness Campaign

In order to develop the emotional intelligence among our students, our kindergarteners have campaigned for the World Kindness Day in the 11<sup>th</sup> week by wearing yellow-coloured outfits and writing kind notes to each other.

### رسومات الأطفال لبعضهم البعض







## STEAM Exhibition 2021-2022

To strengthen the 21<sup>st</sup> century skills and problem-solving abilities, Students of Grade 12 diploma had research on different problems faced by the society under the themes of *“Creating a better environment”* & *“Social and emotional wellbeing”*. They proposed different solutions to problems such as *“Dealing Flash Floods in poor countries, Renewable Energy resources (electricity through transportation & recycled water hydroelectric power plant, treating hard water, recycling used water to develop ideal community housing, Recycling Cloths, ways to reduce stress level among fellows”*

They created working prototypes of their model solutions while using all the aspects of **S**(Science), **T**(Technology), **E**(Engineering), **A**(Arts), **M**(Math) in order to make highly challenging projects. We extend our gratitude to the students and their teacher Mrs. Sara Sajjad for their exerted efforts.

