



EMIRATES FUTURE INTERNATIONAL ACADEMY



ACER – International Benchmark tests (2018-19)

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ACER is one of the world's leading Research and Assessment Services organization and has been instrumental in implementation, management and reporting of large scale assessment programs such as PISA, TIMSS and PIRLS in Australia and the UAE. ACER has also developed and administered the UAE National Assessment Program for the Ministry of Education for the last 7 years and much of the experience and expertise for developing the Arabic Language assessment is drawn from the teams that developed the UAENAP.

International Benchmark Tests (IBT) are designed to measure generic skills and concepts underlying the core subjects and build on higher order thinking skills associated with these subjects. The Tests provide comprehensive feedback in the form of electronic and paper based Student & School Reports that highlight student performance in local, regional and international contexts. ACER has developed Proficiency Statements, similar to those in TIMSS, PIRLS and PISA that describe proficiency and achievement levels for all subjects. These give students a clear indication what they know and can do and the next level of achievement that they need to strive towards.

From this year, our school has made participation **compulsory** for all students (Grades 3 to 10) in the following subjects:

1. English
2. Mathematics
3. Science
4. Arabic

Registration Fee:

International Benchmark Tests (IBT):

English, Math & Science: **AED 75/- for all 3 subjects.**

Language Assessments:

Arabic Language: **AED 45/- per student**

Tests Dates:

Monday, 12 November 2018	English	Grades 3 to 10
Tuesday, 13 November 2018	Mathematics	Grades 3 to 10
Wednesday, 14 November 2018	Science	Grades 3 to 10
Thursday, 15 November 2018	Arabic Language	Grades 3 to 9

Last date for registration - 3/10/2018

Principal