



# REPTON

## AL BARSHA

### COLLABORATIVE EFFORT Personal excellence



**Together we will ensure your child's  
successful path to an exciting and fulfilling  
future.**

Learning is our core purpose and we will challenge your child in a way that encourages independence and resilience. Repton Al Barsha students are taught to explore ideas, reason, explain and justify their decisions. Our commitment to inclusion enables us to strive for success in all areas of the curriculum.

Our pastoral care supports positive relationships and attitudes. The school is a warm and happy one, where self-esteem and confidence are developed and grown. We expect the highest standard of behaviour at all times. We are very proud of our Reptonians and their exceptional achievements, with a particular focus on academic excellence, sporting success and performing arts.

I look forward to getting to know you and your family.



**ZOE WOOLLEY**  
Headmistress

# ACTIVE LEARNING

## Individualised teaching



### BESPOKE CURRICULUM

Our curriculum, which follows the UK National Curriculum for England, is enhanced with elements of the ISEB curriculum and is designed to meet the rigorous standards expected for entrance examinations. In Senior School we offer IGCSE & A levels.

Active learning, scientific progress tracking and individualised teaching are the cornerstones of the Repton Al Barsha curriculum. We are preparing students to join world leading universities but beyond this, our mission is to instil a love of learning and an excitement for the future. Reptonians are ready to embrace challenges, take risks and seize any future opportunity to lead an enriched and purposeful adult life.

### SPECIALIST TEACHERS

We believe specialist teaching fosters exceptional progress and attainment. Specialist teaching begins in the Early Years Foundation Stage in a range of subjects and increases as the children move up the school. In Year 5 to Year 13, all lessons are taught by specialist teachers.

This ensures depth in the Repton Al Barsha curriculum in every year group and every subject as well as smooth transitions between year groups. All our specialist teachers have expertise in a particular field, have specific qualifications to teach that subject to a high level and are passionate about it. More than half of Repton Al Barsha teachers are specialists.

### CURRICULUM PLUS

We offer extensions to our More Able, Gifted and Talented children and provide support in the form of booster groups for those requiring a little extra help. These are provided free of charge through the Curriculum Plus programme. This is just another example of how Repton Al Barsha personalises the curriculum to meet the needs of each individual child.

### EARLY YEARS

Taught in our purpose-built foundation campus, our Early Years department offers the Early Years Foundation Stage (EYFS) curriculum and focuses on developing enquiring minds by learning through play.

The expertise of our outstanding teachers, the well-resourced classrooms, dedicated outdoor space, swimming pool and library all provide opportunities to continuously develop seven core areas of learning.

### JUNIOR SCHOOL

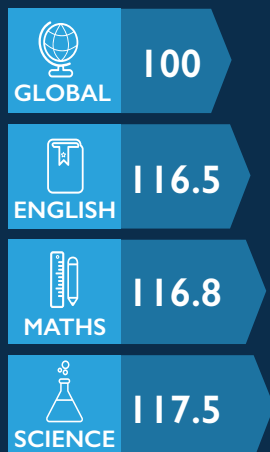
Students progress through the Junior School from Year 1 to Year 6 following the British National Curriculum, they are taught traditional values of respect and good manners alongside an outstanding curriculum of academic, sporting and creative excellence. Our students develop their critical thinking skills and stretch their understanding through an exciting skill-based learning approach.

### SENIOR SCHOOL

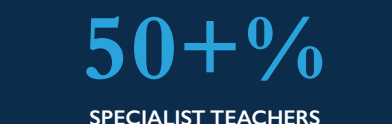
Our Senior School is designed to extend students' academic ability further; whilst encouraging them to think deeply, question and explore ideas for themselves. The expectation for all students is to take responsibility for their learning and begin to carve their own future pathway.

### IGSCE & A-LEVELS

The IGCSE offers a breadth of electives that caters to 21st century learning, where students then progress to complete A-Levels. We are committed to ensuring students have the academic knowledge and the skills and competencies to succeed and join their first choice university.



YEAR 1-6  
Standardised test results  
Above 115 is exceptional  
as per international benchmark



FREE OF CHARGE





## SCIENTIFIC DATA TRACKING

Repton Al Barsha has developed a unique and sophisticated data tracking scheme, based on international standardised tests and benchmarks. Irrespective of their initial level or background, every child's progress in each area is thoroughly analysed, identifying weaker points to swiftly and precisely adapt their curriculum as well as the learning style that best suits them (Visual, Auditory or Kinaesthetic).

This framework, combined with Repton Al Barsha's exceptional teaching staff, has proven immensely successful: more than half of our students have reached progress levels beyond their cognitive abilities and all year groups significantly exceed their Dubai and international peers in all core subjects.

## DIGITAL LEARNING

We are honoured to be an Apple Distinguished School. "Apple Distinguished Schools are centres of leadership and educational excellence — and we believe they are some of the most innovative schools in the world" - Apple.

The use of technology is proven to increase the students' engagement levels as well as accelerate learning. Our innovative teachers are all Apple Accredited and embed digital literacy across all subjects to enhance the curriculum and connect with the world around them. Parents have direct access to their children's education and are empowered to take an active role in their learning beyond the classroom.

Our students have access to an exciting innovation wing, drones, iPads, robots, VR devices, green screens and much more. The curriculum also includes specialist teaching for Coding and Robotics, app development as well as specifically allocated Innovation time every week, so we can develop our students' creativity, problem solving and entrepreneurship skills.

## SCHOLARSHIPS

Scholarships at Repton Al Barsha are awarded to students in Year 5 to 13, both internal and external candidates, and are tenable for student's time at school, subject to high standards of behavior, performance and engagement in all school areas. Years 5-11 scholarships are offered for Academics, Sport, Innovation, Arts and Performing Arts. A-Level scholarships are offered to students who excel in their IGCSEs.

## SPORTS

Competitive sports allow students to develop their team work skills, communication and sportsmanship. Repton Al Barsha offers three hours of physical education per week from Year 2, swimming lessons from FS1 and actively promotes a healthy lifestyle. We provide a wide range of sporting opportunities and have a very successful track record competing with schools across Dubai and internationally.

## CREATIVE ARTS

We truly believe every child is an artist and we are committed to developing their creativity early on, which is why we offer specialist Music from FS1, Drama and Arts from Year 1 and three hours of creative arts per week from Year 2.

The Arts allow students to express themselves and develop their confidence and creativity. At Repton Al Barsha, we provide students with numerous opportunities to perform and showcase their work. We produce weekly café concerts and participate in initiatives such as World Art Dubai to showcase their fantastic creations to the wider community as well to encourage them to develop a sense of pride in their achievements.

# TRADITIONAL VALUES

## Modern thinking

*Upholding values and embracing change guided by an extraordinary vision*

### BEYOND THE CLASSROOM

At Repton Al Barsha, learning can take a variety of forms and many of these take place beyond the confines of the classroom. We emphasise the importance of engaging with other schools and societies, with students successfully taking part in the Dubai Academic Olympiads, Annual Digital Summit in Abu Dhabi, and sustainability initiatives, to name but a few.

Repton Al Barsha provides an outstanding and ambitious program of outdoor education involving overseas trips, local adventure camps, leadership workshops, and the Duke of Edinburgh's International Award. The students attending our school benefit from a progressive program starting in year 2 and culminating in year 13 which equip the individual with key life skills such as team work, self-confidence, leadership and self-reliance.

### AFTER SCHOOL ACTIVITIES

We believe that ASAs are essential to developing a broad and far reaching education. Our ambitious and purposeful ASA program is designed to complement the curriculum and offers limitless opportunities for our students to find their passions and have fun exploring them. Repton Al Barsha offers a range of over 65 different ECAs including drama, rugby, violin, debating, computer coding and much more.

### INCLUSION

Inclusion lies at the heart of Repton Al Barsha's vision. We provide a fully inclusive environment that welcomes and values all children.

We inspire excellence in all of them, whatever their age, ability, gender or background. Whether a child requires additional support within the classroom, or for those that excel, we work with our dedicated Inclusion Department and in close partnership with parents, to ensure teaching is suited to all individual needs, providing a personalised education that is bespoke to every child, enabling them to reach their full potential and beyond.

### PASTORAL AND WELLBEING

Our vision is to nurture our students at each stage of their emotional development. The pastoral care system at Repton Al Barsha is based on the premise that all children have a right to wrap-around care that supports their moral, social, intellectual and physical well-being and development.

We provide a caring, stimulating and happy environment where students grow into self-confident, active and successful young people. All students are expected to be compassionate, articulate, principled individuals who are able to develop and maintain positive and supportive relationships with others.

Our strong House system not only provides students with the opportunity to compete in various academic and sporting competitions, but also fosters a sense of belonging, unity and support. Allegiance and loyalty to your House runs deep at Repton Al Barsha.

### FACILITIES

Repton Al Barsha's expansive range of facilities support our rich and specialised curriculum with dedicated science labs, language rooms, art workshops, music and dance studios.

Our sporting facilities include both a learner and a 25-metre swimming pool, cricket pitches, tennis and netball courts and numerous indoor and outdoor multi-purpose areas.

### REPTON FAMILY OF SCHOOLS

Repton Al Barsha cherishes its close links to Repton UK with over 450 years of academic and sporting excellence. Our Board of Governors consists of representatives of our UK partners. Repton UK performs annual Quality Assurance inspections to ensure the curriculum, teaching and learning and ethos are all aligned.

We also benefit from our close collaboration with our sister schools Repton Dubai and Repton Abu Dhabi.



# CONFIDENTLY PREPARED

## Rightly successful

*Empowering and inspiring young minds, making them ready for future schools and beyond*

<b>EARLY YEARS</b> <b>FS1 - FS2</b>	<b>JUNIOR SCHOOL</b> <b>YEAR 1 - YEAR 6</b>	<b>SENIOR SCHOOL</b> <b>YEAR 7 - YEAR 9</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• EYFS programme</li> <li>• Read Write Inc phonics programme</li> <li>• Focus on fine motor skills</li> <li>• Social, emotional and physical development</li> <li>• Building a strong foundation in maths, literacy and science through practical hands on learning</li> <li>• Coding from Nursery</li> <li>• Specialist teaching in French, Arabic, Music, Physical Education, Library and Swimming</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Curriculum includes: English, Mathematics, Science, Coding, Drama, French, Physical Education, Swimming, Music, Art, Social Studies, Arabic, and Islamic Studies (for Muslim children)</li> <li>• Introduction to independent thought and action combined with rational and responsible decision-making</li> <li>• Emphasis on acquisition of life skills such as confidence, creativity and curiosity</li> <li>• Introduction to outdoor education</li> <li>• Extra-curricular peripatetic music lessons</li> <li>• Specialist teaching in French, Arabic, Music, Physical Education, Library, Swimming, Drama, Arts, Coding, and Islamic Studies</li> <li>• Three hours of Physical Education and three hours of creative arts per week from Year 2</li> <li>• Specialist teaching in all subjects from Year 5</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Broad exposure to a wide variety of subjects to develop interests, talents and learning skills</li> <li>• Curriculum includes: Mathematics, English, Science, Arabic, French, Geography, History, Social Studies, Islamic Studies (for Muslim students), Music, Physical Education, Swimming, Art, Design and Technology, Computer Science and Drama</li> <li>• Specialist teaching in all subjects</li> <li>• Preparation for IGCSE examinations</li> <li>• Advanced outdoor education including overseas trips and excursions</li> <li>• Extra-curricular peripatetic music lessons</li> </ul>
<b>IGCSE</b> <b>YEAR 10 - YEAR 11</b>	<b>A LEVEL</b> <b>YEAR 12 - YEAR 13</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• One to one guidance from a senior member of staff to support Year 11 students regarding A-Level choices and career development for their future aspirations</li> <li>• University visits</li> <li>• Dedicated careers and university advisor</li> <li>• CV, application and interview workshops</li> <li>• Extra-curricular peripatetic music lessons</li> <li>• The core IGCSE Curriculum is made up of the following subjects: Mathematics, English, Biology, Chemistry, Physics and Islamic Studies (for Muslim students)</li> <li>• To encourage a balanced curriculum, students choose 4 optional subjects, which must include: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Arabic, French or Spanish</li> <li>- Computer Science, Geography or History</li> <li>- Art, Design and Technology, Drama, Music or Physical Education</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Exciting mix of traditional and contemporary subject options</li> <li>• Preparation for the most distinguished and rigorous universities in the world</li> <li>• Development of skill-sets which equip students to become successful and confident global citizens</li> <li>• CV, application and interview workshops</li> <li>• Bespoke career guidance</li> <li>• Oxbridge application seminars</li> <li>• Dedicated careers and university advisor</li> <li>• Established links with UAE and global leading universities</li> </ul>	



## ADMISSIONS PROCESS

- 1 Book a tour of the school by calling **+97148188600** or emailing **admissions@reptonalbarsha.org**
- 2 Complete an application via our website **www.reptonalbarsha.org**
- 3 For Early Years applications, we will send an offer on receipt of an application form  
From Year 1 onwards, we will arrange a taster morning for children which will include an assessment
- 4 Early Years children and families will then be invited to the school for a taster session  
For Year 1 - Year 13 applications, our admissions team will be in touch with feedback from the assessment and will provide you with an offer

## FEES

YEAR	TOTAL ANNUAL TUITION FEES
FS1	49,500
FS2	54,500
Year 1 & Year 2	59,500
Year 3 & Year 4	64,500
Year 5 & Year 6	69,500
Year 7 - Year 13	83,000

- Repton Al Barsha offers a 5% sibling discount from the 3rd child
- Pupils joining from Dovecote nursery will receive 15% discount on their first year tuition fees
- All students can benefit from an early payment discount of 5%

## TIMINGS

	SUNDAY TO WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY
FS1	8.30am-2.00pm	8.30am-1.30pm
FS2	8.30am-2.30pm	8.30am-1.30pm
YEAR 1 - 4	8.30am-3.30pm	8.30am-2.30pm
YEAR 5 - 6	8.10am-3.30pm	8.10am-2.30pm
YEAR 7 - 13	8.00am-3.30pm	8.00am-2.30pm

ECAs run until 2.45pm for FS1, 3.30pm for FS2 and 4.30pm for Y1-Y13

## TRANSPORT

School transport is available from FS1 onwards with booster seats where needed and 3-point seat belts for all children. More information is available from **amanullah@sts.ae**

## WRAP AROUND CARE

Repton Al Barsha offers a free of charge Breakfast Club from 7.30am.

In addition to this, we offer an exciting after school programme which runs until 5.30pm. Children can choose from a variety of planned activities alongside free flowing play. More information and pricing is available from the admissions team.

## MAP



## CONTACTS

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