



**A Relentless
Vision & Mission
2023/2024**





Our Vision

To grow the future leaders and global citizens of tomorrow, who will **Go Beyond** and change our world for the better

Our Mission

Through amazing learning opportunities and personalised pathways, our educators and students **Go Beyond** to ensure every member of our Star Family achieves their personal best both inside and beyond the classroom

Our Staff

Star Mirdif staff are our most valued resource who are supported, listened to and invested in. They are knowledgeable, reflective and emotionally aware professionals who are expert practitioners in their fields. Star Mirdif staff are awesome, and everyone knows it!

Our Students

Our students are big thinkers and dreamers, thoughtful, reflective and respectful learners who have high aspirations to become international minded, global citizens of the future

Our Families

Our families are our partners, with a voice which is listened to, through our open door policy and are encouraged to participate and contribute enhancing our positive, co-operative and accepting star community

Academic
Achievement

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Multilingualism

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International
Learning
Opportunities

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Future
Pathways

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Life Skills &
Competencies

Research Informed
Learning

Well Being Aware

Amazing

Self-Belief

Teamwork

Adventure

Respect



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Star Mirdif USP's

- The Star Mirdif 'family'
- Kindness & Community
- Centre of research informed T&L
- Ed-Tech best practice with AI powered T&L
- Awe & Wonder offering beyond the National curriculum
- STEAM+ curriculum focusing on global and cosmic problems
- Safe with incredible learning behaviours
- Amazing Learning
- EYFS-Post-16 (GCSE/A-Level/BTEC) British curriculum school in the heart of Mirdif Dubai



The New Star Mirdif

From 500 to 1000+ students

From 30 - 80 Teachers

From an empty first floor to Every single classroom space utilised

BSO rated Excellent & Outstanding

From Acceptable to Good and Nearly there for the VG from DSIB

Outstanding/VG Progress & Attainment

From 80's vintage wood paneling to World Class resources & facilities

From an iPad trolley and a computer room to BYODD and AI in the classroom

Marco/Raj and the new staff workspaces

From rusty ceilings and dodgy lighting to gleaming corridors

From a set of BeeBots to VR/AR/Microbits/Lego Robotics/Merge cubes/Spheros/Littlebits
and more...

From a Primary school to a 6th form and our first every GCSE results

The New Star Mirdif

Completely new and expanded outdoor astro pitch

New LED lighting, eggshell white paint job and ceiling tiles across all corridors and classrooms

Primary Art/Science Room

New Secondary Science lab

Redesigned and improved STEAM+ Makerspace

Primary & EYFS Reading corners with... Carpets!

Primary mathematics tables for every class

Lego STEAM parks for all EYFS & KS1 classrooms

Monster Phonics

iSams (Pilot school for the region)

Sonar and Sisra Analytics

New Staff Quiet Workroom & Meeting room

New screens for all Primary & EYFS classrooms

Final WiFi phase so single network and expanded bandwidth and line put in CCTV whole school

New 24/7 Security Team

New Food technician (Hello Joan), LSAs and Specialist teachers

Extra classes in EYFS2, Y1, Y2, Y4, Y6

New Sixth form Common room & KS4 hub with... lockers!

New Kitchen for the existing staff workroom (arriving this week...)

Class VR Headset class packs of 8 x 2

Merge Cubes

LittleBits Pro Library

Spheros

KS1 Kubo coding robots

New PE spending on kits and equipment

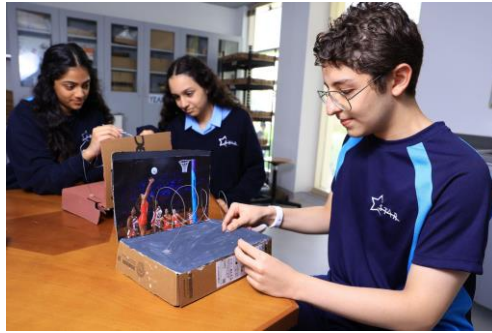
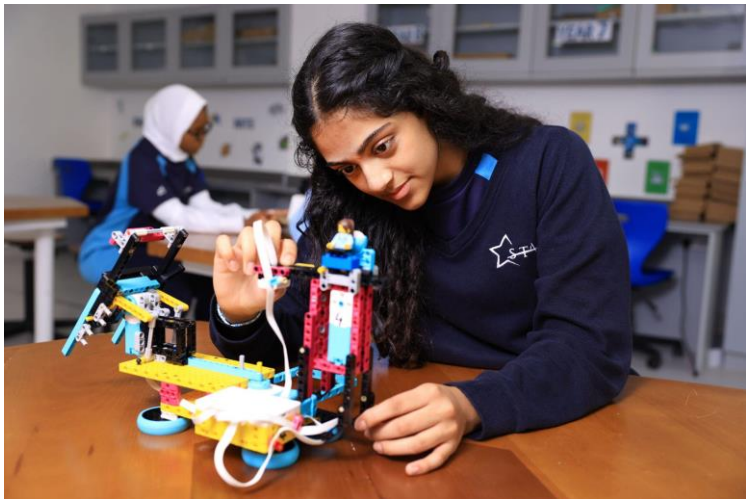
Further Secondary Science spend

New security doors

Repainting of external sports hall wall

New library books for all phases

And more to come...



<p>SELF-BELIEF</p> <p>I Think I Can I Know I Can</p>	<p>TEAMWORK</p> <p>Together Everyone Achieves More!</p>	<p>ADVENTURE</p> <p>Adventure Awaits... Go Find It!</p>	<p>RESPECT</p> <p>Treat Others As You Would Want To Be Treated</p>
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CENTURY
INTELLIGENT LEARNING™



#GoBeyond at Star Mirdif

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Relentless Focus 1
Research Informed L&T
Jabeen

- The Learning First Student Learning Cycle
 - WALKTHRUS 3.0
- Instructional Coaching at Star Mirdif (New Project)
 - AI in the classroom
 - WALKTHRU Triads

Relentless Focus 2

The Awe and Wonder Curriculum

Mariam





Relentless Focus 3
Curriculum Adaptations & Inclusion

Rachel

- G&T and Challenge
- ELL & EAL
- POD

Two key external CPD opportunities

Coaching



AI in the classroom





#GoBeyond in your lives and classrooms this year. Make the difference to your own lives and that of others.

Be the noisy neighbours, the disruptors, the mavericks. Make sure everyone in this community, and around the UAE know what we know, that the Star Mirdif family is awesome, and everyone should know it!