



# طلبة التعليم الخاص يستأثرون بـ 49٪ من جوائز الدورة 17

حاز طلبة التعليم الخاص على 49,1 في المئة من جوائز الدورة السابعة عشرة لجائزة حمدان بن راشد آل مكتوم للأداء التعليمي المتميز، بواقع 120 طالباً وطالبة، مشكلين 54,3 في المئة من إجمالي الفائزين بفئة الطالب المتميز على مستوى المنافسات المحلية والذين بلغ عددهم 221 طالباً فائزاً. واعتبر الطلبة الفائزون أن الجائزة جعلتهم يتذوقون حلاوة التميز، كما أنها علمتهم أهمية التوثيق والسعي دوماً إلى تطوير الذات، معبرين عن شكرهم وامتنانهم لسمو راعي الجائزة التي تحثهم جميعاً على التميز، واعدين سموه بمواصلة درب التميز.



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**Karthik Satheesh Kumar** 

School: The Millennium School, Dubai - Educational Zone: Dubai

My hard work over the years have certainly taken me a long way in achieving this award-be it in academics, co-curricular activities or my contributions to the society that I live in. This Award is a reflection of my commitment towards my cause and my persistence towards my goal. It has given me a big platform to showcase my talents and skills. I whole heartedly thank HH Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid for giving the expatriate students the opportunity to participate in this prestigious Hamdan Award.





Mohit Talreja Grade: 10

School: The Millennium School, Dubai - Educational Zone: Dubai

Hamdan Award for Academic Excellence not only gave a boost to my morale but also instilled in me the strength and will power to strive for more. Through this Award I gained the qualities of self-confidence, determination, organization and a realization of my true potential. This Award has endorsed me to pursue the path of excellence. It has also brought resplendence to both my family and my school. I like to thank HH Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid Al Maktoum, for being the patron of this prestigious Award.

### Subhaditya Mukherjee

Grade: 11

School: The Millenium School Dubai, Dubai - Educational Zone: Dubai

I have always been a hard worker and I have strived to excel in each and every field possible, and Hamdan Award made me realize that studies are not the end of the world but there are other things that I can do along with them. It has helped me move one step further in my journey to becoming a research scientist. I am truly overjoyed after winning Hamdan Award as I have worked extremely hard for it. I would like to thank HH Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid for having the vision to create such an award.





Sarvagya Gupta

Grade: 11

School: Delhi Private School, Sharjah - Educational Zone: Sharjah

I strongly believe is saying "Winners Never Quit and Quitters Never Wins" and this approach has helped me to excel consistently in Academics as well as Swimming. Hamdan Award has a great role in my future as it encourages me to continue to excel in academics and make good balance with Sports and other extracurricular activities. It is the great vision of HH Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid Al Maktoum to recognize distinguished people in different category and encourage them to further excel in their field.





**Amal Prashand** 

Grade: 10

School: Our Own English High School - Educational Zone: Abu Dhabi

This is a unique award which helped me to fulfill my dreams. The efforts I had paid off for achieving this award has taught me that the fruits of hard work are always rewarded. My continuous efforts for the last three years in different fields, best practices, activities among the community, my hard work - all leads me to winning this award. I would like to express my sincere gratitude to HH Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid for introducing such an award which is a huge source of encouragement.

Vijay Vivekanandan

Grade: 10

School: Our Own High School - Educational Zone: Dubai

The main reasons leading to my excellence and winning the prestigious Award are the perfect blend of academics, my environment protection initiatives, hobbies, skills, voluntary services with the support, motivation and encouragement given by my parents. This Award has helped me increase my confidence, has boosted my enthusiasm and also acts as an incentive to go on performing to the best of my capabilities. I would like to thank HH Sheikh Hamdan for providing me with this great opportunity.





#### **Bassim Faizal Eledath**

Grade: 11

School: The Millennium School, Dubai - Educational Zone: Dubai

Hamdan Award has been a great source of encouragement. Working for Hamdan Award has been an amazing journey where I discovered that there is no limit to our capabilities and after winning I have become a lot more confident to take up new roles and challenges. I would like to thank HH Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid for this initiative as it emphasizes the importance of overall development of a student. It gives a platform for talented and motivated students to exercise their potentials.





#### المنافسات المحلية \_ الطالب المتميز ـ المدارس الخاصة

**Harshith Belagur** 

Grade: 10

School: Our Own English High School, Sharjah - Educational Zone: Sharjah

I am sure that Hamdan Award will always be my guiding force and will be one of my first stories of success in life. I see the Award as reflection of what I have been doing in life over the past few years. Just like a tree cannot be called a forest, I wish to join the forest of 'successful people' and recognition such as this propels me to do more and more. I would like to thank HH Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid for laying down the foundations of such a grand platform to commend the skills of students.





Pooja Vinod Grade: 11 School: GEMS Our Own English High School - Educational Zone: Dubai

I sincerely believe that the main building block in a person's development at any level is the amount of hard work, patience, determination and devotion that an individual puts into completing and fulfilling a responsibility or task. I feel extremely happy and inspired to achieve more and even more. Moreover, I am extremely thankful to HH Sheikh Hamdan for implementing such a thoughtful initiative that has been successful in giving encouragement and enriched students across the length and breadth of the Emirates.

حور بدر البحري الصف الحادي عشر ـ مدرسة المهارات الحديثة الخاصة منطقة دبى التعليمية وهيئة المعرفة والتنمية البشرية

أحمد الله أن منّ على بالوصول إلى مرادى والفوز بالجائزة، فتوفيقه كان يتصدر قائمة الأسباب التي تقف خلف هذا التميز، يليه طموحي وأهدافي التي سعيت جاهدةً للوصول إليها وتحقيقها، ولا يمكنني أن أنسى فضل صديقاتي وعائلتي في مساعدتي، وبمشاركتي في الجائزة استطعت صقل مواهبي وقدراتي وتنميتها، مما ساعدني على اكتشاف ذاتي وتطوير نفسي. أتقدم بوافر الشكر والتقدير إلى سمو الشيخ حمدان بن راشد آل مكتوم وإدارة الجائزة الذين حرصوا على تبنى الموهوبين، وإتاحة الفرص التي تساعد على تنمية المواهب والقدرات لدى أبناء الدولة، فبارك الله جهودهم، وسدد خطاهم.





#### **Afra Alakkat Mohamed Ashique**

Grade: 10

School: Our Own English High School, Sharjah - Educational Zone: Sharjah

I was encouraged to put in my best efforts due to which I performed well and got nominated for this prestigious award. I gave equal importance to my talent, hobbies and most importantly academics. I also kept myself updated with all the charity, environmental, and other important events. This is a moment of pride for me, my parents, teachers and relatives. I would love to say a lot of things to HH Sheikh Hamdan for instituting the award but would summarize it in two words - 'Shukran Sir'.





**Nithia Mary Aisac** 

Grade: 12

School: Our Own English High School, Sharjah - Educational Zone: Sharjah

Hamdan Award is certainly a vindication of my enduring efforts in the past few years, which my family and I are certainly proud of. It has definitely boosted my morale and motivated me to perform my best in every sphere of life. My joy knew no bounds when I came to know I had won the Award. I would like to place on record my sincere gratitude towards HH Sheikh Hamdan for providing such a platform to reward distinguished students and for providing an equal opportunity to nationals as well as expatriates.

### **Maryam Ehtesham**

Grade: 10

School: International School of Choueifat, Ras Al Khaimah - Educational

Zone: Ras Al Khaimah

Hamdan Award is an enriching experience. It is one of my greatest learning experience and achievement. It is one of the best possible recognition to me. It has improved my organizing skills, strengthened my talent and taught me that we can achieve our goals in Life by being focused and determined. I would like to thank you all (Award administration) and off course thank our Patron, HH Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid for allowing me to participate and providing a wonderful platform for so many people.





## **المنافسات المحلية \_ الطالب المتميز** ـ المدارس الخاصة



### Varnica Bajaj

Grade: 12

School: Abu Dhabi Indian School - Educational Zone: Abu Dhabi

Winning Hamdan bin Rashid Award is the greatest academic achievement in the UAE. It has acted as a sound pillar in my overall development and has made me all the more understanding towards humanity. This Award, being is a major feather in my cap, has given me a big platform to showcase my talents and skills. I whole-heartedly thank H.H. Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid Al Maktoum, Patron of the Award, for giving the expatriate students the opportunity to participate in this prestigious Hamdan Award.





Bhavya Karapath

School: Delhi Private School - Educational Zone: Sharjah

I had the opportunity to get actively involved in various cultural and social activities that led to winning Hamdan Award, which is one of the fine achievements in my life. I am really thankful to my teachers and parents for encouraging and guiding me all through. Without the ample opportunities and blessings of the Almighty this achievement would have been impossible. I have no words to thank HH Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid for arranging such a glorified award to the young budding kids all over UAE.





Simran Vedvyas

Grade: 11

School: Universal American School - Educational Zone: Dubai

This Award means a lot to me as it has given me an opportunity to assess my own capabilities and talents. Winning this Award made my school and my parents feel very proud of me and while working for winning the award, I wanted to put a smile on the faces of all who have worked hard for me and with me during my participation in this Award. I am ever so thankful to His Highness Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid Al Maktoum, for my participation, which led to win this prestigious Award thrice

ندى محمد البدواوي

الصف الثاني عشر ـ مدرسة دبي الوطنية ــ منطقة دبي التعليمية وهيئة المعرفة والتنمية البشرية

من أهم أسباب فوزي تفوقي الدراسي، واهتمامي بالسباحة كرياضة جعلني متميزة، وساعدني على ذلك إحراز بطولات عديدة واهتمام مدربي بي، وتشجيع والدتي المستمر لي، وكذا معلماتي في المدرسة، والمشرفات على الجائزة. إن جائزة حمدان جعلتني أتذوق حلاوة التميز، وزادتني شرفاً وأحلم باليوم الذي سأقابل فيه أبي سمو الشيخ حمدان، وبالتأكيد هذا سيجعلني مميزة في حياتي الجامعية، كما ساعدتني الجائزة على توثيق إنجازاتي والعمل على تنمية نقاط القوة عندي. وأريد أن أشكر والدي وسيدي سمو الشيخ حمدان على هذه الجائزة العالمية التي تحثنا جميعاً على التميز وأعده بمواصلة درب التميز.



#### المنافسات المحلية \_ الطالب المتميز ـ المدارس الخاصة

#### شيخه درويش خميس بالحاج المراشده

الصف العاشر ـ المدرسة الإنحليزية بكلياء ـ منطقة الشارقة التعليمية

من أسباب نجاحي قدوتي برسولنا الكريم عليه الصلاة والسلام وشيوخنا الكرام، حفظهم الله، وأنا أحافظ على حفظ القرآن الكريم، وساعدني هذا على الحفظ بصورة جيدة، وأنظم وقتي لأحقق التوازن، وبفضل دعوات أمي وأبي وتوجيهاتهم لي. وعلمتني الجائزة التفكير والإبداع والتميز، ومنحتني الجرأة والثقة بالنفس عن طريق تبني قضايا المجتمع، فقد زودتني بالكثير من الثقافة عن طريق التنمية الذاتية، وحققت لي الوصول إلى هديخ وهو التميز.

وفي البداية تكون كلمات الشكر في غاية الصعوبة ربما لأنها لا تفي حق من نهديه الكلمات، واليوم أحب أن أشكر سمو الشيخ حمدان بن راشد آل مكتوم، والقائمين على الجائزة المتميزة.





**Hemang Dash** 

Grade: 8

School: The Indian High School - Educational Zone: Dubai

Self-belief is the paramount to every success. We need to first believe in our self to get somewhere. "There is a difference between interest and commitment; when we are interested in doing something, we only do it when it is convenient; but when we are committed to do something, we accept no excuses, but only results." I express heartfelt thanks and sincere gratitude towards HH Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid Al Maktoum for instituting such a prestigious award for acknowledging students like me.

**Ayan Deep Hazra** 

Grade: 8

School: Abu Dhabi Indian School - Educational Zone: Abu Dhabi

I understand that there is no shortcut to success. I have worked really hard over the years, practicing my skills and abilities in order to develop them. I am passionate about some of the activities which lead me to be a winner. I feel elated and thankful to all the teachers and the administrative staff of my school who helped me to win the Award. I would like to thank HH Sheikh Hamdan for giving students and teachers the opportunity to prove their capabilities and help them to be a more competitive person.



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#### **Barath Rajesh Menon**

Grade: 8

School: Delhi Private School, Sharjah - Educational Zone: Sharjah

Nothing is possible in this world without Gods' blessings and therefore it is natural for me to thank the almighty for blessing me throughout this journey. Winning this Award will always be a stepping stone towards my future success. It helped me realize my inner potentials and brought out my hidden strengths. I would like to stand in front of HH Sheikh Hamdan to extent my gratitude for organizing such an inspiring award that helps to mold an individual into a better individual in every possible way.





#### **Mohamed Sinaan Kombanezhath Mohamed Saleeth**

Grade: 9

School: Our Own English High School, Sharjah - Educational Zone: Sharjah

My hard work, perseverance and concentration in studies have helped me to achieve best results in academics and my commitment to my fellow beings. This Award is a true inspiration for me to set a much higher goal and work for it. I am so privileged to win this prestigious this award and I consider this award as a real inspiration for talented, outstanding students. All my hard work and efforts have been paid off. I would like to express my sincere gratitude and thanks to HH Sheikh Hamdan for his great vision.





**Deepak Chempozhe Satheesan** 

Grade: 9

School: Abu Dhabi Indian School - Educational Zone: Abu Dhabi

There are three main factors that have a played a significant role in my excellence and have helped me win the Award: the inspiration I received from those around me, the unconditional support from my parents, and the faith I had in myself. Hamdan Award's role was rather pivotal in my excellence. I feel extremely elated and, at the same time thankful for winning this prestigious Award. I do realize that winning this Award is a great honor, and I would like to thank the Award staff and HH Sheikh Hamdan.

#### Sidhaarthaa Savelimedu Veeravalli

Grade: 8

School: Our Own English High School, Sharjah - Educational Zone: Sharjah

Sustained effort, good guidance and encouragement from teachers and parents are the main reasons leading to your excellence and winning the Award. This prestigious Award has encouraged me to continue doing my best in various fields. It really means a lot to me and I believe is the best appreciation for my efforts towards excellence. I feel extremely happy and this award has made me realize that I am on the right path to success. A big 'thank you' to HH Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid for such wonderful inspiration.



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#### **Nizam Mahamood**

Grade: 9

School: Our Own English High School, Sharjah - Educational Zone: Sharjah

Hamdan Award for Distinguished Academic Performance is one of the greatest honors a student can get in UAE. I feel extremely happy after winning the Award. My happiness cannot be expressed in words; it is like a dream come true. I am thankful to everyone who helped me in achieving this honor, especially my parents and teachers. I would like to thank His Highness Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid Al Maktoum for his vision, his contribution and support in honoring excellence in the field of education.



### المنافسات المحلية \_ الطالب المتميز ـ المدارس الخاصة

#### عبدالله محمد يعقوب أحمد التميمي

الصف الثامن ـ مدرسة الرسالة العلمية الدولية ـ منطقة الشارقة التعليمية

نحن، ولله الحمد، نعيش في بلد الأمن والسلام والقادة فيه يدعون أبناءهم للتميز والإبداع والتطلع إلى المركز الأول، وهذا دفعني لأن أشارك وأصبح متميزاً، وأحذو حذوهم، وأشكر ربي على أن هذه الجائزة أضيفت في حصيلتي المعرفية والدراسية، فهي ستكلل كل جهودي وتميزي بالنجاح، وهي الدليل على أني أسير على الدرب الصحيح، ودورها الكبير في أن أعرف كيف أكون متميزاً واضحاً في وطني، وشعوري لا يوصف، إنه شعور فخر واعتزاز لأني تربيت في هذا الوطن المعطاء. وأقدم شكري وامتناني لسمو الشيخ حمدان بن راشد آل مكتوم، وجميع القائمين على الجائزة التي فجرت الإبداع فينا، فخر أهم الله خبراً.





**Richie Philip Thomas** 

Grade: 9

School: Indian School, Al Ain - Educational Zone: Abu Dhabi

Winning Hamdan Award has raised my level of confidence and instilled in me the urge to scale greater heights. When I came to know that I had won the Award, I could not believe it. It was a like a dream which came true. I am really grateful to God Almighty, my parents, teachers and friends for the support they had rendered to me in achieving this Award. No words can express my sense of gratitude towards HH Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid for providing such a wonderful opportunity to the students of UAE

Raj Aryan
Grade: 8
School: The Indian High School, Dubai - Educational Zone: Dubai

I have realized that when you participate in any activity, one should not think of trying to defeat others, but one should think that if I put in my best, I shall definitely win. By winning this Award at this stage I feel that it shall boost my confidence in everything I do. One feels like he is on top of the world at this stage. I would like to appreciate and thank His Highness Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid Al Maktoum for establishing this prestigious event and Award which helps students to bring out their best.



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Joseph Sebastian Thanniyathu

School: Abu Dhabi Indian School - Educational Zone: Dubai

Participating in the Hamdan Award has helped me to improve my personality and has increased my confidence level and has been very helpful in making me ready to fight any odds in my path to success. I feel extremely honored to have won the award because I consider this to be a great start to my life and winning this award has encouraged me to work harder. I am expressing my sincere gratitude to HH Sheikh Hamdan for giving me this wondrous opportunity to participate in this prestigious Award





**Joseph Clarin Flemin** 

Grade: 8

School: Indian School, Al Ain - Educational Zone: Abu Dhabi

This Award has improved my all round personality and boosted by confidence level. It has given me a self-motivation and inner strength and also has made me believe that 'Hard work and perseverance always leads to success'. I will continue to improve myself for the future endeavors of the society. I truly feel uplifted and honored by this recognition. I am really thankful from the bottom of my heart to HH Sheikh Hamdan, Patron of the Award and also thank God Almighty for giving us a leader like him.

### **Bharath Prathap Nair**

Grade: 8

School: Our Own English High School, Al Ain - Educational Zone: Abu Dhabi

Hard work, consistent effort, encouragement from teachers and parents and my inner urge to excel in all fields have helped me in reaching the helm of success. The Award is considered as an acceptance for my achievements and talents. It has given me immense satisfaction and confidence which would help me to achieve more success. It has also acted as a driving force in my future pursuits. I would like to thank HH Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid Al Maktoum for providing a platform to showcase our talents.





#### **Disha Bobby**

Grade: 8

School: The Millennium School, Dubai - Educational Zone: Dubai

I have always been an excellent and bright student at school. I had won the prestigious Hamadan Award before three years which greatly motivated me to continue to pursue my goals and to aim higher. I am humbled that the Award committee has chosen me to be the recipient of the distinguished award for the second time. I was euphoric when they told me that I won the Award. I sincerely thank HH Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid for providing me with a platform to discover myself and enhance my personality.





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**Maheen Masood** 

School: Al Ain Juniors School - Educational Zone: Abu Dhabi

I believe my dedication to studies, contributions to the society I live in and my interest in sports and extracurricular activities since childhood is the main reason leading to my excellence and winning the Award which is not just an educational award but an overall student's personality award. Alhamdulillah,I feel extremely happy and honored after winning the most prestigious award of all. I am very grateful to the administration and HH Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid Al Maktoum for establishing this Award.





Geerthana Muthukaruppan

Grade: 8

School: GEMS Our Own English High School - Educational Zone: Dubai

The main reason leading to my excellence and winning the Award is that I do all my work with all my heart. Whatever work it is I do not complain; instead I put my 100 % effort and do my best. Hamdan Award has made me feel surprised of my own hidden talents like art, public speaking, etc. I feel extremely happy to have won this Award. I would like to express my gratitude to HH Sheikh Hamdan. I would also like to thank my School, Teachers, Parents and Friends for their continuous support.

Jo-Ann Rose Sanu

Grade: 9

School: The Indian High School, Dubai - Educational Zone: Dubai

Dedication, determination, perseverance and hard work are what led me to winning the Award. Participating in the Hamdan Award has been the greatest learning experience. It has given me the motivation to work harder and strive to reach my goals. I am very grateful and extremely happy to have won this prestigious Award and it means the world to me. I would like to thank His Highness Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid Al Maktoum from the bottom of my heart for instituting this unique Award.



Liva Ann Joy

Grade: 8

School: Indian School, Al Ain - Educational Zone: Abu Dhabi

The versatility I have shown in different kinds of activities has helped me in achieving such a great honor. Participation and preparation for Hamdan Award has enabled me to identify my potentials and expose my weak points. I realized that, apart from academics and sports, there are other ways in which I can spend my time productively. I feel extremely proud and privileged to be a part of this prestigious Award. My ever increasing gratitude for HH Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid Al Maktoum.





Pramita Padmakumar Nair

Grade: 8

School: Delhi Private School - Educational Zone: Sharjah

The main reason for me to win this prestigious Award is the determination towards winning and the confidence which my parents poured in to me, in addition to my zeal, focus, hard work and the constant urge to excel. The Award boosted my self-confidence and it proved what I am doing for my cause and goal is right. Winning this Award has not only given me immense happiness. My gratitude towards HH Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid cannot be expressed in words for blessing me with such an award.

Aishwarva Ganesh Ram

Grade: 9

School: Abu Dhabi Indian School - Educational Zone: Abu Dhabi

Hard work, perseverance, guidance of my teachers and parents, encouragement are the main reasons leading to my excellence and winning the Award. It gave me immense confidence and developed my leadership skills. It also made me to have a positive outlook on everything I do. It is a proud moment for me and my family. This has projected me as role model amongst my friends. I am grateful to HH Sheikh Hamdan, for providing me the platform to showcase my talents, skills, academic achievements





Gopika Dinesan

School: Abu Dhabi Indian School - Educational Zone: Abu Dhabi

Hamdan Award helped me gain recognition among my family, school and society. It invoked in me a sense of pride and told me to never give up and keep doing my best at all times. I was really glad and excited when I came to know that I was among the lucky students to receive such a prestigious honor. I am thankful to HH Sheikh Hamdan for giving me the opportunity to showcase my abilities. This initiative has helped me and many kids alike to spend their resources rightly for a fruitful ending.





راما يحيى فارس خليل الصف التاسع ـ مدرسة الحكمة الخاصة ـ منطقة عحمان التعليمية

من أهم الأسباب التي ساعدتني على التميز وقوف والداي إلى جانبي ودعمهما المتواصل؛ إلى جانب ثقتي بنفسي وقدراتي، وزادت الجائزة ثقتي بنفسي وعززت قدراتي، وعلمتني أهمية التوثيق والسعي دوماً إلى تطوير الذات، وأشعر بالفخر والفرح لأنني توجت إنجازاتي في المجالات كافة بحصولي على الجائزة، ولأني أدخلت الفرح على قلوب كل المحيطين بي. أتوجه بالشكر الجزيل إلى جميع القائمين على الجائزة، وعلى رأسهم سمو الشيخ حمدان بن راشد آل مكتوم، حفظه الله ورعاه، وأخص بالذكر أعضاء لجان التحكيم على ما قدموه لنا من دعم خلال مشروع الجلسات الإرشادية، مما كان سبباً في حصولي على الجائزة.

### Aswathi Jayakumar

Grade: 9

School: Our Own English High School, Sharjah - Educational Zone: Sharjah

I believe that the main reasons for winning the Award are my parent's and my sister's encouragement and support and also the benevolence from my teachers, family, friends and importantly award committee members. Hamdan Award is certainly the most bona fide vindication of all the efforts and hard work which my family and I are certainly proud of. I would like to express my heartfelt gratitude to HH Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid Al Maktoum for encouraging the students and recognizing them for their talent and excellence. I am proud to say that I live in the UAE.



**Vrinda Mohan** 

Grade: 9

School: Our Own English High School, Sharjah - Educational Zone: Sharjah

I see this Award as a moral boost to achieve my long cherished goals. It has helped me learn great values of perseverance and has encouraged me to strive for excellence. I would like to thank the Almighty for blessing me with his great achievement. I feel extremely happy and humbled. This award has always inspired me to work hard and achieve more. I would like to express my gratitude to HH Sheikh Hamdan and the whole UAE government for giving such a precious opportunity to motivate young prodigies.





**Meenakshy Ajith** 

Grade: 8

School: The Indian High School, Dubai - Educational Zone: Dubai

The Award has proved that hard work always pays. Above all, it has boosted my morale to strive for loftier attainments in life. It has advanced my confidence and sense of responsibility. It has also made me a humbler human being. Winning this Award was a touchstone of all my talents, qualities and all aspects that make up my personality. I sincerely thank HH Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid Al Maktoum for doing a noble service and giving young talented children, a platform for healthy competition.

**Linda Ann Joseph** 

Grade: 9

School: The Indian High School, Dubai - Educational Zone: Dubai

Sheer perseverance, unconditional support from my family, teachers and friends, and the unbound blessings of the Almighty are indeed the reasons behind this bestowal. I have always dreamt big, made big plans, adhered to them and never gave up. This Award is a major feather in my cap and has provided me with a sense of self-esteem and pride. I feel truly humbled by this recognition. I am extremely thankful to HH Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid for implementing such a thoughtful initiative that aims at creating pioneers in the management of excellence in educational performance.







### Sanjana Chelat Menon

Grade: 8

School: Our Own English High School, Sharjah - Educational Zone: Sharjah

Hamdan Award is one of the most prestigious awards in UAE, for the budding youngsters. The pre-requisite of the Award is very unique as it evaluates a child's ability and interest in an array of various fields that is an utmost necessity for becoming a good human being. I am extremely honored and motivated by this recognition. I sincerely thank HH Sheikh Hamdan for instituting such an allusive award that gives all possible avenues to the aspiring youngsters to showcase their talents.



#### **Aparna Rajeeve Menon**

Grade: 9

School: Sunrise English Private School - Educational Zone: Abu Dhabi

The main reason leading to an exceptional achievement like the Hamdan Award was solely the ability to recognize the talents in me. Also, perfect contribution to the preparation of my file and along with the help of my parents and friends by giving support to me has helped me a lot. Achieving Hamdan Award had given me a new light towards success. I would like to thank HH Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid Al Maktoum for giving such a wonderful opportunity to the students of UAE.





Ananya Manoj Nair

Grade: 9

School: Delhi Private School, Sharjah - Educational Zone: Sharjah

Winning the Hamdan Award has boosted my morale and has encouraged me in pursuit of excellence. It will motivate me to set my goals high and strive to achieve them so that I develop into an asset for my family, for the community and the world at large. My love, loyalty and admiration for the UAE and its wise and benevolent rulers have grown still larger. I wish to express heartfelt gratitude, on my own behalf, as well as on behalf of my family to the patron HH Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid.

### Gayatri Janardhan

Grade: 8

School: Our Own English High School, Sharjah - Educational Zone: Sharjah

Dedication, discipline, sincerity and hard-work are the main reasons for me winning the Award along with God's Grace, blessings and encouragement from my parents and teachers. This unique and prestigious Award has boosted the confidence in my abilities and made me a more capable individual. The motivation and recognition associated with the Award inspires me to put in my best efforts and to scale further heights in excellence. I wish to thank HH Sheikh Hamdan bin for instituting this Award.





#### حور أمين حميد الدراجي

الصف الثامن الإعدادي ـ مدرسة الحكمة الخاصة (فرع النعيمية) ــ منطقة عجمان التعليمية

من أهم الأسباب والعوامل التي ساعدتني على تحقيق التميز والفوز بالجائزة، الثقة واليقين بأن الله تعالى هو الموفق، وتنظيم الوقت وجدولة الأعمال حسب الأولوية والأهمية، والدراسة أولاً بأول ومراجعة الدروس، وتخصيص وقت لمارسة الهوايات والمواهب والتواصل مع الأهل والأصدقاء. وأضافت لي الجائزة الثقة بالنفس والفخر والاعتزاز، وعلا شأني في مدرستي وبين صديقاتي وأهلى، وأضافت إلى لقب الطالبة المتميزة الذي طالما حلمت به.

تحتار الكلمات ويعجز التعبير عن إيفائكم حقكم من الشكر والامتنان يا إدارة الجائزة يا من وقفتم إلى جانبنا ورفعتمونا إلى هذه المنزلة، وإلى سمو الشيخ حمدان بن راشد آل مكتوم، حفظك الله ورعاك، كل الشكر.



## Meghna Manoj Nair

Grade: 8

School: GEMS Our Own English High School, Dubai - Educational Zone: Dubai

A lot of dedication and hard work is required to fulfill any dream. Consistent hard work and focus, the hallmarks of my character, has helped me a lot in achieving this Award which is considered to be the best honor in a student's life. Applying for this Award has brought a change to my attitude towards social life. I am extremely happy for receiving this prestigious award and would like to convey my sincere gratitude to the patron, HH Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid Al Maktoum for introducing this Award



### خالد عبدالفتاح أحمد قزلى

الصف السادس الأساسي ـ مدرسة السلام الإنجليزية الخاصة ــ مجلس أبوظبي للتعليم

لقد كان للجد والاجتهاد والسعى الدؤوب نحو التفوق والتميز والنجاح دور كبير في تحقيق حلمي بالفوز بالجائزة، فهي متميزة بكل المقاييس، وتبعث على روح المنافسة والإبداع، وكانت الدافع الحقيقي لي للاستمرار في صعود سلم التميز والنجاح وتحقيق الفوز بالجائزة للمرة الثانية بفضل الله تعالى ورعاية والدايّ ودعمهما المستمر لي.

أحب أن أتقدم بالشكر الجزيل إلى راعى الجائزة سمو الشيخ حمدان بن راشد آل مكتوم، حفظه الله ورعاه، لرعايته الكريمة، وحرصه على دعم المتميزين والمبدعين، كما أتوجه بالشكر الجزيل إلى أمناء الجائزة ولجان التحكيم على جهودهم في إيصال الجائزة إلى مستحقيها من المتقدمين.





### Varun Varma Jaganath

Grade: 6

School: Delhi Private School - Educational Zone: Sharjah

Hard Work, dedication, focused approach and support from family and school helped me achieve this prestigious Award. Working towards Hamdan Award made me realize the voids in my chosen fields and helped me stay focused. Winning it has affirmed that I am on the right track -the path of excellence. I would like to thank HH Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid very much for encouraging us through a platform to express our budding personalities which is a terrific booster to strive forward and excel in life.





محمد ماهر أحمد الحواري

الصف السابع ـ مدرسة المنهل الدولية الخاصة ــ مجلس أبوظبي للتعليم

علمتنى جائزة حمدان أن النجاح هو طريقي إلى التميز، وعززت ثقتي بنفسي، وساعدتني على بناء شخصيتي القيادية، ودفعتني إلى الاجتهاد والتفوق في الدراسة لنيل أعلى الدرجات، وزرعت في نفسي روح التنافس، وحببت إلى الأعمال التطوعية والخيرية، وساهمت في إبراز موهبتي وصقل مهارتي وتنمية وتطوير قدراتي، وفتحت أمامي أبواب المعرفة، وزادتني همة وإصراراً على الفوزي المسابقات والمشاركة الفعالة في جميع المناسبات.

إن جائزة حمدان هي وسام فخر واعتزاز على صدرى فكل الشكر والتقدير إلى سمو الشيخ حمدان بن راشد آل مكتوم لرعايته الكريمة لهذه الجائزة، حفظه الله ورعاه، كما أشكر جميع القائمين عليها وجزاكم الله خيراً.





**Imad Mohamed Shahid** 

Grade: 7

School: Indian School, Al Ain - Educational Zone: Abu Dhabi

I believe that it is my determination and hard work that has led me towards winning this Award. I have also received great love and support from my family, school, teachers and friends. Hamdan Award has boosted up my confidence to a great extent. It is a validation of all that I have achieved so far. It has encouraged me to chase my dreams, not just follow them. I'd like to take this opportunity to thank HH Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid for providing such a vast platform to showcase young, budding talents.

### محمد عبد الله خليل الكسواني

الصف السابع ـ مدرسة أشبال القدس الثانوية الخاصة ـ منطقة أبوظبي التعليمية

علمتني جائزة حمدان أن أرفع سقف طموحي وأمنياتي في حياتي العلمية والعملية، فتعلمت ألا أرضي إلا بالمركز الأول، وأن أكون فخراً لوالديّ ومدرستي وكل من يحبني، من خلال استعدادي للجائزة تعلمت أن قمة التميز أن تنطلق لأهدافك البعيدة بهمة ونشاط وأن تحتفظ بعزيمتك ونشاطك لآخر الشوط، كما ساعدتني الجائزة على صقل شخصيتي وتنمية موهبتي ومهاراتي، وكونت صداقات جديدة أفتخر وأعتز بها.

وبهذه المناسبة أقدم عميق شكري إلى قيادة الجائزة متمثلة في سمو الشيخ حمدان بن راشد آل مكتوم، حفظه الله، لتشجيعه المتميزين، وإلى جميع القائمين عليها لجهودهم في اكتشاف المواهب ودعمهم الإبداع.



#### المنافسات المحلية \_ الطالب المتميز ـ المدارس الخاصة

**Abhishek Suresh** 

Grade: 7

School: Delhi Private School - Educational Zone: Sharjah

My commitment and passion in whatever I do both in academics and other co-curricular activities and my excellence in arithmetic and numerical ability are the main reasons which made me win this prestigious Award which makes me proud of all my achievements in life so far and gives me confidence. This has increased my responsibility and commitment towards myself and the society. I am indebted to HH Sheikh Hamdan and am proud and honored to receive this prestigious Award from His Excellency.





أسامة يوسف الميروك الصف السابع ـ مدرسة الشارقة الأمريكية الدولية منطقة دبى التعليمية وهيئة المعرفة والتنمية البشرية

حققت الفوز بتوفيق الله سبحانه وتعالى، ومساعدة أمي وأبي، كما حرصت على تنظيم وقتى، وتوثيق أعمالي، وعند لحظة سماعي بفوزي بالجائزة طرت من الفرح، وشكرت الله على النجاح، ولكن لم تكتمل فرحتي حتى رأيت أمي وأبي وأصدقائي سعداء لحظة سماعهم بفوزي. أشكر راعى الجائزة سمو الشيخ حمدان بن راشد آل مكتوم بصورة خاصة الذي عرف عن سموه اهتمامه الكبير بتربية النشء على كل ما هو مفيد، ويظهر ذلك واضحاً من أياديه البيضاء والكريمة في دعم هذه الجائزة، وأشكر جميع المشرفين والقائمين بصورة عامة، وكافة من ساعدني بالفوز بها.

**Arnav Kirit Ramaiya** 

Grade: 6

School: The Indian High School - Educational Zone: Dubai

I see the Award as very important milestone in my path to excel ahead in life. The whole process of evaluation laid by Award committee and administration is so unique and effective that it brings out the real value of the awardees. I cherish this moment of glory remembering each and every person who supported me to be what I am today. I salute HH Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid for his vision and directions towards not only spotting talents through precise and unique system but for creating future leaders.





Agni Ravi Deepa

School: Sunrise English Private School - Educational Zone: Abu Dhabi

The Award is a major feather in my cap and has provided me with a sense of self-esteem and pride, from simply being a boy with big dreams. It gives me an inspiration to achieve bigger goals in my life. Winning this prestigious award made me feel ecstatic as my hard work had paid off. However, this was accompanied by gratitude for my parents, teachers and wellwishers without them it would have been difficult to win. I would like to express my heartfelt gratitude to HH Sheikh Hamdan for his generosity



# عمر عادل رحب محمد السيد الصف السابع ـ مدرسة أكاديمية الفجيرة العلمية الإسلامية منطقة الفحيرة التعليمية



من أهم الأسباب التي ساعدتني على تحقيق التميز والنجاح أبي الذي يرعاني دائماً ويدفعني إلى التميز، وكذلك أمي الحنون التي تفرح كثيراً لتفوقي يوماً بعد يوم، وأخي دائماً يشجعني، بالإضافة إلى تشجيع مدير ومعلمي المدرسة، وقد كان للجائزة دور مميز في تميزي وتفوقي، فأنا أنظر إليها على أنها أعرق وأفضل الجوائز التي حصلت عليها. وأتوجه بجزيل الشكر والعرفان إلى سمو الشيخ حمدان بن راشد صاحب أغلى جائزة في حياتي، وأتوجه بالشكر والتقدير للقائمين على الجائزة الذين شعرنا بحبهم لنا ورعايتهم وتوجيههم المستمر، فلهم الشكر والعرفان والإجلال.

#### Karishma Ravikumar

Grade: 6

School: Delhi Private School - Educational Zone: Sharjah

Hamdan Award has helped me immensely. The guideline provided by the Award has enabled me to assess my strengths and weakness and channelize my activities and time in the right direction to achieve the Award. I thank my teachers and parents in helping to win the Award. I am very much motivated to persevere and continue to work hard with dedication in all my endeavors. I would like to thank HH Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid for recognition and awarding the deserving students with the Award.



#### المنافسات المحلية \_ الطالب المتميز ـ المدارس الخاصة

#### **Afreen Nizam Rasheed**

Grade: 7

School: Abu Dhabi Indian School - Educational Zone: Abu Dhabi

I would say that Hamdan Award has certainly boosted my morale to work harder and helped me strengthen my will to excel further and has given me recognition of my hard-work. I feel extremely humbled, blessed and honored to be selected as a distinguished student. I thank the Almighty, my parents, my teachers and everyone who has helped me. I am very grateful and I thank HH Sheikh Hamdan for organizing such an award for students to show their talents and express their ambitions in life.





Srujal Surendra Gawali

Grade: 6

School: Delhi Private School, Sharjah - Educational Zone: Sharjah

Hamdan Award has boosted my self-esteem and self-confidence. It gave me tremendous happiness. It has encouraged me to work towards environment and social activities. Hamdan Award is one of the most prestigious awards that any student in the UAE can dream of winning. The Award has come as a reward not only for me, but for all my teachers, mentors and coaches. I would like to thank HH Sheikh Hamdan Al Maktoum from the bottom of my heart for patronizing such a motivating, wonderful award.

### Priyanka Parimelazhagan

Grade: 6

School: GEMS Millennium School, Sharjah - Educational Zone: Sharjah

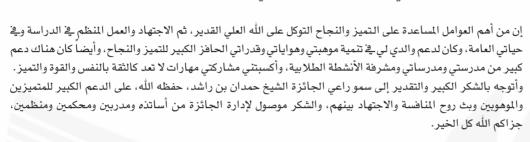
My hard work and continuous determination towards the academic and co-curricular activities have led me winning this award. My parents and my school were the strong pillar of support and their encouragement was boundless. Hamdan Award has allowed me to ponder on my best practices and organize things in a systematic and planned way. It has made me more determined and eager to reach any goal that I set for myself. I am extremely grateful to HH Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid for giving me this opportunity





### ليانا عصام شلش

الصف السادس ـ مدرسة دبي الوطنية ـ البرشاء ـ منطقة دبي التعليمية وهيئة المعرفة والتنمية البشرية





#### Sara Iqbal Ahmed Ansari

Grade: 8

School: The Millennium School, Dubai - Educational Zone: Dubai

Our family is involved in many social and charitable activities. Our activities were not properly structured, the award manual is a best guideline to follow and achieve the goal. We realized our shortcomings, weaknesses and strength while working for the award and accordingly we programmed the activities so we excel not only in academics but also in extracurricular activities. We would like to thank HH Shaikh Hamdan bin Rashid for creating a platform where we can showcase our talents and skills.





Kadegaonkar Meheweesh Tahir

Grade: 6

School: Delhi Private School, Sharjah - Educational Zone: Sharjah

The Award has made me strive to be a better individual and to focus on my talents, skills, also making a conscious effort to save the environment. I feel proud about winning this prestigious award and respect the non-stop efforts of my parents and encouraging me to work hard. I am happy that I have made my parents proud of me. I would like to thank HH Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid for giving me this wonderful opportunity to prove myself and to showcase my talent and my academic excellence.

**Shree Rath** Grade: 6 School: JSS International School - Educational Zone: Dubai

I would say that the Award played an important role in helping me to achieve my goals and helped me to build up my strengths. The award has a tagline 'Aim High' that encourages us to build in our inner talents and show it out with confidence. I was very happy after getting the result. It was like dream came true for me. I thank HH Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid Al Maktoum from the bottom of my heart for his vision that encourages the students to explore their hidden potential in achieving the greater heights.





#### Manasvi Udaya Kumar

Grade: 6

School: Indian School, Al Ain - Educational Zone:

Hard work, dedication, focus and commitment, guidance given by my teachers, support from family and friends helped me to win this prestigious Award. Winning the internationally acclaimed Hamdan Award is like a dream come true. It has now given me an additional boost to aim high in life. It has also reassured me that I am moving in the right direction in my individual growth. I would like to sincerely thank from the bottom of my heart, HH Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid for this wonderful Award.





Rithu Rajesh Grade: 7

School: Abu Dhabi Indian School - Educational Zone: Abu Dhabi

Hamdan Award has played a major role in showcasing my excellence to the world. My achievements and overall performances came to limelight immediately after declaring results and was appreciated my school and social organizations. It gives me confidence and energy to do more activities with dedication and confidence. I sincerely thank HH Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid Al Maktoum for giving equal opportunity to all those whom are living in UAE to show our dedication and love to this country.

#### Namitha Pillai

Grade: 6

School: The Millennium School - Educational Zone: Dubai

Hamdan Award is the most prestigious award of UAE. Participating in this Award made me identify my strength, talent and explore my hidden potentials. It enhances my confidence and self-esteem. It will motivate me to excel in my academic and other activities. I am extremely happy and honored after winning this Award which is the crown of my sincere hard work. I would like to express my sincere thanks to HH Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid for his support and encouragement towards the educational sector.







### Abeeshna Krishnankutty

Grade: 7

School: Delhi Private School, Sharjah - Educational Zone: Sharjah

The Award's role in my excellence is that my responsibilities have increased and my attitude towards others as well as myself will be the same no matter what big award I get. It also improves my environmental and social awareness to a great extent. After winning this Award it was like a dream come true for my family and me. We were thrilled and very happy. I would like to thank HH Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid Al Maktoum for patronizing the Award. I really feel proud for being in this country.





**Elisha Mary Thomas** 

School: Delhi Private School, Sharjah - Educational Zone: Sharjah

My strong determination and hard work, my parent's constant support and motivation and Almighty's blessings guided me to achieve the Hamdan Award which is one of the most prestigious awards that can be achieved by a student in UAE. It brings along with it glory and honor, not only for the student, but also for the family, school and country. I would like to express my sincere gratitude to HH Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid. His efforts have indeed placed UAE among the most innovative countries in the world.





**Anusha Sharma** 

Grade: 7

School: Delhi Private School, Sharjah - Educational Zone: Sharjah

Hard work, dedication and constant support from my parents and School are the primary reasons for my excellence and Hamdan Award has motivated me to take on new challenges with confidence. It has made me realize the importance of consistency and all-round development. I would like to thank HH Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid from the bottom of my heart. This Award is inspiring students in the UAE and the GCC to not only excel academically but also to make a positive contribution to the society.

#### Venkatesan Sundar

Grade: 5

School: Delhi Private School, Sharjah - Educational Zone: Sharjah

Sincerity, dedication, time management and hard work have helped me win the prestigious Hamdan Award. Winning the most prestigious Hamdan Award for has given support as a great stepping stone and an effective endorsement. It was a dream comes true for me. Thank you very much Your Excellency for giving me this wonderful opportunity to participate in this most prestigious Hamdan Award. Winning this award had boosted my confidence in leaps and bounds. SHUKRAN





#### المنافسات المحلية \_ الطالب المتميز ـ المدارس الخاصة

### عبد الله ماهر أحمد الحواري

الصف الخامس ـ مدرسة المنهل الدولية الخاصة ــ مجلس أبوظبي للتعليم

إن جائزة حمدان بن راشد ساهمت بشكل كبير في شحذ همتى، وأعطنني الدافع الأقوى للتميز، فقد وضعتني على بداية درب التميز، وعلمتنى أن الطموح ليس له سقف أو حد، وأن التخطيط والتوثيق الجيدين هما أساس أي عمل ناجح. وأرى أن من أسباب تميزي، وحصولي على الجائزة توفيق الله سبحانه وتعالى ورضا والدي وثقتى بنفسي وامتلاكي مهارات متعددة وتنميتها بأساليب متنوعة وفاعلة وتنظيم الوقت بين الدراسة والمشاركة في الفعاليات.

وأتقدم بجزيل الشكر والتقدير إلى راعي الجائزة سمو الشيخ حمدان بن راشد آل مكتوم، حفظه الله، وإلى جميع القائمين عليها لجهودهم المبذولة في دعم المتميزين.





**Pranav Sreekumar** 

Grade: 4

School: The Indian International School - Educational Zone: Dubai

The grace of God Almighty and the encouragement and support of my lovely teachers and parents is the reason which has helped me achieve this Award. I believe this is just the beginning and plan to achieve much more in my life. It has pushed me to work harder and rectify my shortcomings which will help me to succeed in my ambition. I am indebted to the UAE government especially His Highness Sheikh Hamadan who has been kind and generous in encouraging young students like us.

Athel Sumoj John

Grade: 5

School: Delhi Private School, Sharjah - Educational Zone: Sharjah

Hamdan Award is a prestigious award offered only to the distinguished students in UAE. Being an award winner, it increased my confidence and inspired me to aim at higher goals in the future. I would like to express my gratitude to HH Sheikh Hamdan, for giving this opportunity to prove ourselves and get rewarded. I consider this Award as my first significant achievement. I would like to add that this is a huge step for me, and I shall do my best to keep up with my abilities and make you proud.





Devagya Gupta

School: Delhi Private School, Sharjah - Educational Zone: Sharjah

I always believe that dedication, sincerity and hard-work pay the result. My motto is "Never Settle Less Than the Best" that is the main reason for my excellence and winning the Award. Winning Hamdan Award is a great honor and encouragement to continue to excel in academics as well as work for improvement in living of less privileged people and environment. I would like to say a big "Thank You" to HH Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid Al Maktoum for establishing this prestigious Award.





Shiven Singh
Grade: 5
School: The Indian High School - Educational Zone: Dubai

Earlier my focus was to excel only in academics but now my vision and perspective is more wholesome, where besides academics I have developed virtues like compassion for elderly and special need children. The award has guided me to excel in sports as well and win in prestigious competitions like Marrs Spell bee. We salute HH Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid Al Maktoum for his great vision to promote excellence in educational performance which will keep <code><us></code> and UAE, ahead in this competitive world.

#### **Mohammed Faizaan Ahmed**

Grade: 4

School: Kindergarten Starters - Educational Zone: Dubai

The main reasons are my parents who supported and motivated me to perform well in the academics and always encouraged me to achieve Grade A+ in all the subjects, so that I can get top position in the class. They ensured close follow up that I complete the homework on time and same time makes me understand the subject and the respective topics. I sincerely thank and salute HH Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid Al Maktoum, for his great support and contribution to the Education in the country.





Sanjit Saji

Grade: 5

School: The Millennium School - Educational Zone: Dubai

My hard work, dedication, Gods blessings and support from my parents and school helped me to excel in both academic and non-academic activities consistently. I feel so thrilled and excited after winning the Award and this has boosted my confidence and morale. This win would definitely make me achieve greater heights. I would like to express my sincere gratitude to HH Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid Al Maktoum for providing such a platform to prove our excellence in both academic and non-academic activities.





**Mridul Ashokan** 

Grade: 5

School: Delhi Private School, Dubai - Educational Zone: Dubai

Excelling in academics and balancing all other activities are the main contributing factors in winning the Award. Hamadan Award application process helped me to identify various aspects of excellence in me in many fields like academics, environmental protection, charity activities, participating in religious and cultural activities, nurturing talents and hobbies etc. I would like to express my whole-hearted gratitude to HH Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid, for giving students opportunity to participate in the Award.

**Arjun Sachin Nair** 

Grade: 6

School: The Indian High School - Educational Zone: Dubai

Hamdan Award has helped in molding me to be a better person by inculcating the importance of social service in me. And also this award has given me a feeling to be more focused into social and environmental issues which can benefit human beings in future. I feel very happy, proud and privileged to win this Award. It is very special to me because it is a reward for my hard-work and sincerity. I would like to express my heartfelt gratitude to HH Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid for introducing this Award.





**Subham Roy** 

School: The Indian High School, Dubai - Educational Zone: Dubai

The main reasons that steered me to win this Award are the self-confidence, faith, holistic and determined approach and the efforts of everyone including myself & my family. I feel greatly encouraged and motivated to achieve this great prestigious achievement. I would like to express my sincere gratitude to His Highness Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid Al Maktoum for being the patron of such an innovative and prestigious award that has equipped children for taking the nation to greater heights.





# عددخاص

الصفّ الخامس ـ مدرسة الأُكاديمية العلمية الإسلامية منطقة الفجيرة التعليمية

من أهم أسباب تميزي التوكل على الله، تشجيع الوالدين، العزيمة والإصرار لزيادة التحصيل الدراسي وتعدد المواهب، ولقد أضافت لى الجائزة الكثير، كزيادة الثقة في نفسى والنظرة الإيجابية لمن حولى، وأصبحت أطمح إلى التميز والتطلع إلى الأفضل، وهو شعور رائع لا يوصف أن تحصد ثمار ما زرعت على مدار سنوات من الجد والمثابرة.

وبكل معانى الحب والتقدير أتوجه الى سمو الشيخ حمدان بن راشد، حفظه الله، بالشكر وأقول لسموه: «بارك الله في جهودكم ووفقكم الله»، كما أشكر القائمين على الجائزة المتميزة، لجهودهم الكبيرة في دعم التميز والمتميزين.





Sooraj Sajikumar

Grade: 4

School: Indian School, Al Ain - Educational Zone: Abu Dhabi

Winning this prestigious Award is one of the best possible recognitions to me. It will also be an inspiration to perform better and persuade me to aim for greater goals. My strong determination and diligence, my parent's constant support and motivation and the Almighty's blessings would definitely help me to achieve my aimed target. I would like to express my immense gratitude towards HH Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid Al Maktoum for giving the youth a platform for achieving further successes in our life.

Yashita Saxena

Grade: 5

School: The Millennium School - Educational Zone: Dubai

Dedication, hard-work, persistent effort, well planning, teachers' guidance, parents support and Almighty's blessings have helped me to win this Award which has taught me to share what I have, like my knowledge by teaching others and helping the less privileged. It has improved my all round personality. I would like to thank HH Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid from the bottom of my heart for providing an opportunity to participate in this Award which promotes the idea of serving the needy in the minds of young children, making them responsible citizens of a society.





**Isha Hashir** 

School: The Indian High School, Dubai - Educational Zone: Dubai

This Award has helped me to develop my leadership qualities, enhance my strong determination and it has inculcated into me the confidence to approach any situation. It has also given me a big platform to showcase my talents and has encouraged me to achieve my objective. I feel extremely happy, proud and blessed to have won this prestigious Award. I am so proud that my country and my school will also be recognized with my award. I would like to thank HH Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid Al Maktoum for giving us this platform to showcase our talents.





Gandhi Hetvi Jayeshbhai

Grade: 5

School: Our Own English High School, Sharjah - Educational Zone: Sharjah

I feel extremely proud and privileged to be a part of this prestigious Award. I have enthusiastically taken part in many environment related activities. I am a regular and active student member of Emirates Environmental Group (EEG) and core committee member of ECO Club of my school, which has instilled in me a spirit to take part in activities such as clean up drives, waste collection, tree plantation, etc. I would like to put on record my sincere gratitude to HH Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid Al Maktoum for having a vision to create such an award.

Shreya Sivaram

Grade: 4

School: Our Own English High School - Educational Zone: Dubai

Hamdan bin Rashid Al Maktoum Award helped identify my strengths and allowed me to work further towards achieving them. Summarizing my own achievements for the application allowed me to reflect backwards on my personality and do a self-analysis and improve my strong areas. I am deeply honored to get this prestigious award and am happy that my tiny steps are acknowledged and appreciated. I would like to take this opportunity to thank the authorities and His Highness Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid Al Maktoum for honoring me with this prestigious Award.







## Candace Sara Ciju

Grade: 5

School: St. Joseph>s School - Educational Zone: Abu Dhabi

Self-confidence instilled by the belief in God, dedication, faith, hard work, winning attitude, positive thinking and constant striving for excellence are the main factors which lead me winning this Award which is a very big achievement in my life and has added a lot to my excellence in all walks of my life. It has strengthened my will and conscience to excel further and has given me recognition in the society. I would like to express my sincere gratitude to HH Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid for being a beacon of hope for the children like me and the whole world.





Maahiya Jain

School: Delhi Private School, Dubai - Educational Zone: Dubai

My hard work, perseverance and dedication have helped me in excelling in academics and I enjoy participating in different co-curricular activities. Hamdan Award has taught me to understand issues as a global citizen rather than as an individual. I feel encouraged to continue with my endeavors that help in the development of my personality. I would like to thank His Highness Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid Al Maktoum for encouraging deserving students through the medium of this award. This award encourages students to work harder and excel further.





**Sreeparvathy Anand** 

Grade: 5

School: Delhi Private School, Dubai - Educational Zone: Dubai

Hamdan Award gave me encouragement, enthusiasm, opportunities and big responsibilities in achieving and improving my skills, attitudes and Talents. This Award boosted my confidence and urged to set new goals to bring positive changes. I am really proud and privileged to win this prestigious Award. I feel more responsible to impart the vision and objectives of Sheikh Hamdan Award for excellence among my friends and other students. Salute to His Highness Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid Al Maktoum for such a great vision of transforming children for a better world.

## Naina Akesh

Grade: 4

School: Indian High School, Dubai - Educational Zone: Dubai

In addition to placing me in an elite league of recognized students which brings a lot of pride and honor, Hamdan Award has added much more responsibility on me to further excel in academics and excel in cultural and social activities which gives maximum back to the society and needy people around me. I am very thankful to HH Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid because he has encouraged us a lot by making this Award and gave us the vision to be the future leaders of the world.





## Leena Igbal Ahmed Ansari

Grade: 5

School: The Millennium School, Dubai - Educational Zone: Dubai

Winning is always the result of commitment to the excellence, intelligence planning and focused efforts. The excellence was not possible without the dedication from our parents who literally didn't miss any opportunity to educate, excel and excite us. The Award made us more conscious towards society and contribution to communities which really lead us to the excellence. I am overjoyed after winning, words can't express my feeling. A special thanks to HH Shaikh Hamdan bin Rashid for giving us an opportunity to evaluate ourselves for pursuing the best practices.





**Evelyn Tessy Emmanuel** 

Grade: 5

School: Our Own English High School - Educational Zone: Sharjah

Commitment and hard work along with time management lead me to excellence. It made possible with the full support of my family, teachers and friends. The prayers from everyone, far and near also helped me to win this Award, which gave recognition to my achievements and contributions. This award is also an incredible honor for me, family and my school. To HH Sheikh Hamdan I would say thank you for this beautiful chance provided to us. Those who set their "AIM HIGH" can only inspire and lead others to follow their pursuit of success.

## Arshia Javaram

Grade: 5

School: Our Own English High School - Educational Zone: Sharjah

Hamdan Award is a great inspiration and motivation for me to excel more and I feel more responsible now to be highly impactful for me and to the needy in our society. I feel highly honored and became aware that I have to continue my inspired journey with the added responsibility of being a 'Hamdan Award Winner'. I would like to express my gratitude and sincere thanks to HH Sheikh Hamdan, for inspiring and motivating young children like me to achieve more and become leaders who can make a positive impact in the life of others.





## ميرة سليمان مال الله خليل مبارك

الصف الخامس ـ مدرسة الشارقة البريطانية الدولية الخاصة ــ منطقة الشارقة التعليمية



الأسرة والمدرسة وتفوقي الدراسي ومشاركاتي العديدة في المدرسة والمجتمع من أهم الأسباب التي ساعدتني على تحقيق التميز لأشارك بالجائزة، ونجاحي وانضمامي لمخيم الموهوبين أثر في شخصيتي وجعل مني طالبة مبدعة، وشعرت بسعادة وفرح تعجز الكلمات عن وصفهما، فقد تحققت أمنيتي وهي الوقوف على منصة تكريم المتميزين، ومصافحة سمو الشيخ حمدان بن راشد آل مكتوم، أطال الله في عمره.

وكل الشكر والتقدير إلى إدارة الجائزة ولجنة التحكيم والشكر موصول إلى والدي العزيز سمو الشيخ حمدان بن راشد آل مكتوم، أطال الله في عمره، على الجائزة التي أثلجت قلبي.



Madhumathi Srinivasan

Grade: 5

School: Our Own English High School - Educational Zone: Sharjah

Persistence in achieving in a variety of activities with passion, hard work, dedication and determination evinced in my academic journey and extra-curricular activities and constant support of my parents led me to win this prestigious Award. It has undoubtedly crowned me with immense glory and genuine recognition of all my aspects of excellence. It has motivated me in my pursuit for excellence in numerous opportunities. Many thanks to HH Sheikh Hamdan for such innovative initiative, for it has helped students across UAE get recognized at the national level.



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أهم الأسباب التي حققت بفضلها الفوز، توفيق الله سبحانه، وتشجيع والدايّ على التميز والتفوق دائماً، وحرصي على تبني قضايا مهمة كقضية العمال والأيدى العاملة الفقيرة في المجتمع، حيث بذلت جهوداً لإدخال الفرح على قلوبهم، وشاركت في عدة نشاطات ومسابقات دولية، وأضافت الجائزة الكثير لشخصيتي ولثقتي بنفسى، وأشعر بالسعادة والفرح عقب فوزى بها، وأفتخر بأنني ابنة الإمارات التي تفوز بجائزة مهمة ومتميزة.

أشكر سمو الشيخ حمدان بن راشد راعى الجائزة والإدارة على هذه الجائزة المتميزة، وعلى إتاحة الفرص لي للمشاركة والفوز، وأرجو أن يكون هذا في ميزان حسناتهم.



**Durga Manoj** 

Grade: 5

School: The Indian High School, Dubai - Educational Zone: Dubai

The main reason that helped me in winning this Award is my outstanding achievement in Academics. Participating and winning in extra-curricular activities like music-vocal and instrumental, dance, etc. also helped me a lot. Winning this prestigious Hamdan Award from thousands of candidates gives me immense pleasure and made me become a more responsible student as well as a human-being. I feel very proud and happy to win this wonderful award. I sincerely thank HH Sheikh Haman bin Rashid for this initiative and for making my dream come true.





Khyati Saxena Grade: 4

School: Our Own English High School - Educational Zone: Sharjah

Regular studies and practicing, as well as guidance and encouragement from my parents and sister for co-curricular activities were the main source of my success. I feel very happy and blessed that all the efforts have given this wonderful result. I would like to thank from bottom of my heart to His Highness Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid Al Maktoum for his insightful vision to constitute this Award. The whole process was very encouraging and it was a great learning to go through it. I thank the administration team for all their encouragement and support.

## فاطمة محمد أحمد مال الله عبدالعزيز

الصف الخامس ـ مدرسة دبي الوطنية فرع البرشاء ـ منطقة دبي التعليمية وهيئة المعرفة والتنمية البشرية

أهم الأسباب والعوامل لتحقيق الفوز بالجائزة، الاجتهاد والمثابرة في الدراسة والمشاريع المدرسية، والدور الأساسي للوالدين في اكتشاف المواهب والهوايات منذ الصغر والعمل على تنمينها وصقلها عن طريق الدورات والمسابقات، بالإضافة إلى المشاركة في مختلف المناسبات والأنشطة المجتمعية والمدرسية. وأضافت لي الجائزة الكثير، فهي دافع إضافي للتفوق والإنجاز، تجعل المتقدم يعمل على تنظيم وتجميع أعماله وترتيبها، وتجعله يتعرف على مناسبات ومجالات مختلفة لتلبية المتطلبات كاملة. وكل الشكر إلى سمو الشيخ حمدان وإدارة الجائزة، على توفير هذه الفرصة الرائعة لنا لإبراز تفوقنا وتميزنا، ولتوفير هذا الحافز الجميل لنا، كي ننمي قدراتنا وهواياتنا ومواهبنا ونزيد مشاركاتنا وننوع في مجالاتها.







## **Rithika Shetty**

Grade: 5

School: Delhi Private School, Dubai - Educational Zone: Dubai

Self-development, my school and my family are the reasons leading me to my excellence and winning the prestigious Hamdan Award which has helped me thoroughly to nurture my skills, talents, noble attitudes and hobbies. It also helped me to know in detail the impacts of global warming, climate change and the importance of recycling. I feel so blessed and honored to win the Award. Further, it is inspiring me to be at my best throughout my life. I would like to thank HH Sheikh Hamdan and the Award administration for short listing me to win the Award.



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## Patchigolla Divya

Grade: 5

School: Indian High School - Educational Zone: Dubai

Being responsible in the class, developing my hobbies and talents, my contributions towards the environment and social causes, support from my parents and school, and above all the blessings of God helped me in achieving this prestigious Award. It gave me a platform to highlight my talents and this award has been a motivation to identify my inner strengths and capabilities. I express my heartfelt gratitude to HH Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid Al Maktoum for establishing this Award, which gives encouragement and support to all the distinguished students in the UAE.





Dhanvi Nikhilkumar Sayani

Grade: 4

School: GEMS Our Own English High School - Educational Zone: Dubai

I am all-rounder and actively involved in all the activities and done something different from others. I don't have only academic excellence but I am good in the other co-curricular activities like dance, art, religious, sports, environmental awareness, charity etc. So these all lead me towards winning the prestigious Award. I feel very proud and make my parents also to be proud after I got this Award. I am very thankful to His Highness Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid Al Maktoum and the whole Award administration for putting their hard work for this Award.

**Jayanth Ramganesh** 

Grade: 3

School: GEMS Millennium School - Educational Zone: Sharjah

Persistence, a deep interest to learn the fundamentals of every concept, and the great support and motivation of my parents and teachers are the main reasons for my excellence and winning the Award. The entire journey of participation in Hamdan Award process was very enriching. Though I have always strived to be the best in everything I do, it was my participation in the Award process that gave me the motivation to try and reach greater heights. I sincerely thank HH Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid for motivating young students like me with this inspiring Award.





## **Brent Adrial Dsouza**

Grade: 3

School: The Kindergarten Starters - Educational Zone: Dubai

Hamdan Award has not only helped me recognize my dormant inner talents, but has taught me that I can excel greater heights. It has helped me work sincerely for the betterment of the society. It awakened my playful mind to know that beyond the school textbook learning, an unknown world of social activities exists, which is patronized by the society and the UAE government. I want to express my heartfelt thanks to His Highness Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid Al Maktoum and the Award dedicated staff for treating us expatriates similarly with UAE citizens.



على محمد صالح على الشماع الصف الثالث ـ مدرسة العناية الانجليزية الخاصة ـ منطقة الشارقة التعليمية

كان لأهلى ومدرستي الفضل الكبير في نمو مواهبي وهواياتي من خلال تشجيعهم لي على الاشتراك في العديد من النشاطات كالتايكواندو والجرى، وأكسبتني صداقات كثيرة، وهواية المطالعة التي ساعدتني على اكتساب مفردات جديدة، كما أكسبتني القدرة على التفكير بطرق مختلفة، وشاركت في الكثير من المسيرات من أجل قضايا مجتمعية مهمة، والمشاركة في أنشطة رياضية، وكان للجائزة أكبر الأثر في إبراز موهبتي عبر معايير الجائزة وتنوعها ونتائج الموهبة، كما تعلمت ضرورة التوثيق السليم لكل نشاط. وكل الشكر والتقدير إلى سمو الشيخ حمدان بن راشد آل مكتوم لرعايته الجائزة التي غدت دولية يطمح إلى الفوز بها المتميزون من المجتمعات.

**Sparsha Shetty** Grade: 3

School: Indian High School, Dubai - Educational Zone: Dubai

My dedication, determination and thrive to achieve success have lead me to excel and win this prestigious Award. I have been blessed to have determined parents and dedicated teachers, who have made me a responsible person. The prestigious Award is a highest point of excellence in one's student life. It's a milestone and helps you to excel not only academically but also in extracurricular activities. I would like to express my sincere gratitude towards HH Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid for his interest in identifying young talent and to encourage them.



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## صبا أسامة الخطيب

الصف الثالث الابتدائى ـ مدرسة الأنصار العالمية الخاصة ــ منطقة الشارقة التعليمية

الأسباب والعوامل التي ساعدتني على تحقيق التميز وبالتالي مشاركتي في الجائزة، اجتهادي في دراستي وتحصيلي العلمي، وحصولي على المركز الأول على مستوى مدرستي على مدار 3 سنوات متتالية. ومشاركاتي في الفعاليات والمسابقات المجتمعية والوزارية، مما كان له الأثر الكبير في تنمية شخصيتي وتطور تفكيري، وكانت الجائزة بالفعل تحدياً لتحقيق الأفضل، فزادت ثقتى بنفسى، وأصبحت أكثر فهماً لقدراتي، واكتشفت بذلك جوانب القوة والضعف عندي. أتوجه بجزيل الشكر والعرفان إلى إدارة الجائزة وجميع القائمين عليها من محكمين ومنسقين، وبارك الله لكم في جهودكم الجبارة، وجعلها الله في ميزان حسناتكم، وأخص بالشكر راعي الجائزة سمو الشيخ حمدان بن راشد آل مكتوم، أطال الله في عمره.



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Anjana Subramanian

School: Abu Dhabi Indian School - Educational Zone: Abu Dhabi

The reasons for me winning this Award are God's grace, my hard work and support from my family, teachers, friends and all my well-wishers. Hamdan Award played a big role in motivating me to become a socially responsible and environment caring person. I feel very much happy, proud and honored on receiving this prestigious Award. I would like to thank the Award patron, His Highness Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid, for encouraging the students like me studying in UAE for launching this Award and for showing interest in upbringing the talents in children.





Shreya Pepsilal

Grade: 3

School: St. Joseph's School - Educational Zone: Abu Dhabi

Among the main reasons which lead me to win this award are the blessings from Almighty God and from all my elders, the continuous guidance, support and motivation from my parents and teachers and the opportunities given to me by my school to develop my talents and skills. Hamdan Award is one of the most prestigious awards in UAE and I feel extremely proud and privileged to be one among the gifted ones. I would like to express my whole-hearted gratitude to HH Sheikh Hamdan for creating such a platform for children to showcase their talent.

### Jane Anna Mathew

Grade: 3

School: The Central School, Dubai - Educational Zone: Dubai

Winning this award has been a dream come true for me. Hamdan Award has been such a great honor and recognition for me. It is such a prestigious Award. It has helped me to realize my talents and work towards achieving excellence. It has also helped me to take up many new challenges which I wouldn't have thought of before winning this Award. It has opened up for me a world of opportunities. I am sincerely grateful to HH Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid Al Maktoum, Patron of the Award for giving rewarding me. This award is such a great encouragement for me.





ريان خالد بن حماد الصف الثالث ـ مدرسة دبى الوطنية ـ البرشاء منطقة دبى التعليمية وهيئة المعرفة والتنمية البشرية

مما لا شك فيه أن السبب الرئيس لفوزى هو توفيق الله ومن ثم المتابعة المستمرة من الوالدين، بالإضافة لامتلاكي كافة المؤهلات التي تساعدني على المشاركة في الجائزة، وتميزي الدائم في المدرسة، ومشاركتي في كافة الأنشطة والمناسبات، ومعايير الجائزة ساعدتني كثيراً في التعرف على الكثير من الأشياء التي كنت أجهلها، ودفعتني للبحث عن كل ما هو جديد ومفيد. وأتوجه بالشكر والامتنان إلى سمو الشيخ حمدان بن راشد آل مكتوم، لاحتضانه الطلبة وحثهم على التفوق والتميز من خلال جائزة سموه، وتشجيعهم، مما يعزز ثقتهم في أنفسهم.





Roshni Subramaniyan

Grade: 3

School: The Indian High School, Dubai - Educational Zone: Dubai

My hard work dedication to my studies and interest in extra-curricular activities along with the support and guidance from my Parents, Grandparents, Aunt and Teachers helped me reach the pinnacle where I am today. Hamdan Award is a powerful motivator; it has tempted me to strive hard to win and has given me encouragement to continue excelling on various fields. I feel humbled and honored by this recognition. My heartfelt thanks to HH Sheikh Hamdan for patronizing students like me and providing such an excellent platform to bring out my best.

Vaishnavi Vidiyala

Grade: 3

School: The Millennium School - Educational Zone: Dubai

Blessings of Almighty; hard work and dedication to my studies, co-scholastic activities and contribution to social cause; and support of my school, teachers and my loving parents are the main reasons leading to your excellence and winning. The Award makes me feel happy and gives me confidence. I am extremely grateful to him for giving me the opportunity to participate. It encourages us to study well and also serve the community. I would like to thank HH Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid and I pray to God to bless him with peace, prosperity and good health.







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# منيرة وسلوى تتفردان بجائزتي «تعليم الكبار» و«الدارس الأكبر سناً»

فازت الطالبة منيرة دلواش إسماعيل من مركز التنمية الاجتماعية لتعليم الكبار الصف السابع، بجائزة حمدان بن راشد آل مكتوم للأداء التعليمي المتميز فئة الطالب المتميز. تعليم الكبار، كما فازت سلمي هلال راشد المنصوري من مركز مدينة زايد لتعليم الكبار. الصف الثامن بالجائزة في فئة الطالب. الدارس الأكبر سناً. وأكدت الفائزتان أن الجائزة علامة فخر واعتزاز لمن فازبها، وهي حافز قوي للعمل بجد والمحافظة على التميز والشعور بالنجاح والرفعة وتحقيق الذات، كما أنها أصبحت دافعاً للتميز الدراسي والمثابرة.



## سلمى هلال راشد المنصوري

الصف الثامن ـ مركز مدينة زايد لتعليم الكبار ـ الغربية ـ مجلس أبوظبي للتعليم

إن من أهم أسباب تميزي تشجيع زوجي وأبنائي لي، ومشاركتي في المسابقات والمهرجانات وفعاليات المدارس التراثية، واشتراكي في عدة دورات للمدارس، وبحصولي على الجائزة حققت حلماً من أحلامي، فقد أصبحت الجائزة دافعاً لي للتميز الدراسي والمثابرة في تكوين حياتي. لقد غمرتني فرحة كبيرة بما حققته من إنجازات وأتمنى أن أكون حلقة تشجيع لمن هم في سنى، فكل الشكر والتقدير إلى سمو الشيخ حمدان بن راشد لتحفيزه معنويا وماديا، وأتمنى له طول العمر ودوام الصحة.

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