



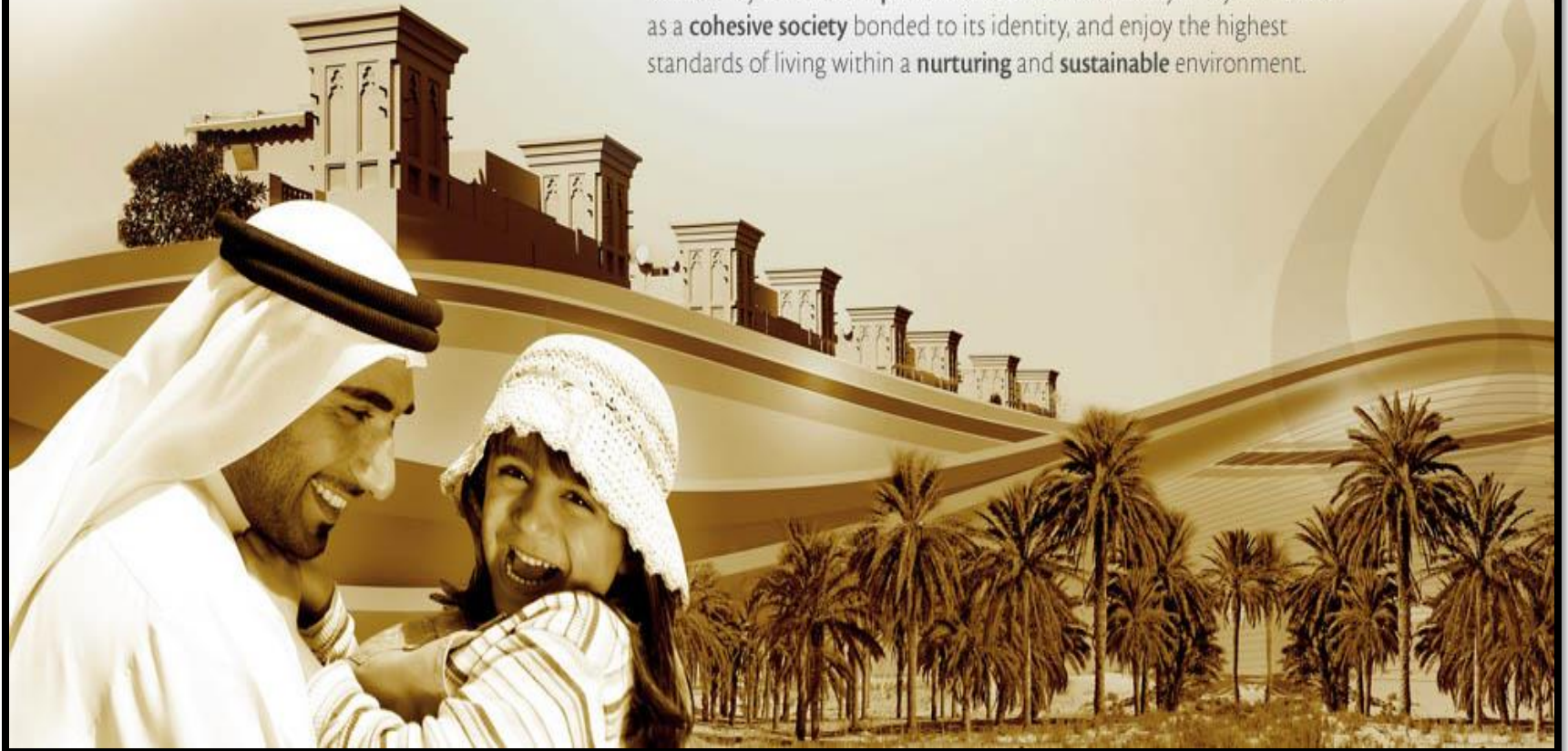
UAE NATIONAL AGENDA

2021 Vision

عربي

We want to be among the **best countries in the world by 2021**

In a **strong** and **safe** union, **knowledgeable** and **innovative** Emiratis will confidently build a **competitive** and **resilient** economy. They will thrive as a **cohesive society** bonded to its identity, and enjoy the highest standards of living within a **nurturing** and **sustainable** environment.



WHAT IS UAE NATIONAL AGENDA?

The agenda involves objectives and projects in the educational, health, economic and security sectors, as well as housing, infrastructure and government services and it will coincide with the golden jubilee of the Union of the UAE when it will celebrate its 50th anniversary in 2021.

EDUCATION

UAE National Agenda



PISA: To be among the 20 highest performing countries in PISA



TIMSS: To be among the 15 highest performing countries in TIMSS

The National Agenda Parameter for all schools

1. **CAT 4**
2. **One benchmark assessment in Mathematics, Science and English Eg:ASSET**

Grade 4 and 8 participate in a joint cycle of two major international assessments:

TIMSS (Trends in International Mathematics and Science Study) – Every 4 years

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PIRLS (Progress of International Reading and Literacy Study) – Every 5 years

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PISA (Program For International Student Assessment)

For 15 yr old students- Every 3 years



TIMSS SCORES – GRADE 4

Trends in International Mathematics and Science Study

	MATH	SCIENCE
ALL PRIVATE SCHOOLS IN DUBAI	521	530
TIMSS 2015 SCORES	511	549
TIMSS 2019 TARGET SCORES	536	569



PIRLS SCORES – GRADE 4

PIRLS is the Progress of International Reading and Literacy Study conducted in 2016

	PIRLS	EPIRLS
ALL PRIVATE SCHOOLS IN DUBAI	527	539
OUR SCHOOL	558	559
TARGET SCORES FOR 2021	573	574



PISA- 2018

Program For International Student Assessment

**Focus Area – Reading Literacy
Critical Thinking**



ACTION PLAN TO ACHIEVE THE NATIONAL AGENDA TARGET SCORES

- **Giving extra focus to Grade 4 and Grade 8, who will be appearing in TIMSS 2019**
- **Adaptive teaching methods based on CAT4 and ASSET data**
- **Remedial and accelerated learning classes for the different levels of students.**
- **Including Critical thinking and ASSET type of questions in all lessons and assessments.**
- **STEM based learning**
- **Open door assessments for learning and relearning .**

Strategies to help students at home

- **Expose your child to Mental Math**
- **Practice Problem solving and application based questions**
- **Encourage your child to practice tables**
- **Read more books for increased vocabulary**
- **Practice Grammar and syntax**
- **Solve previous test papers or sample ASSET papers**