

TCS/GEN/113/2025-26

Date: 07-03-2026

**CIRCULAR**

**Subject: Academic Update – KHDA Guidelines on School Schedule,  
Distance Learning, and New Academic Session**

**Dear Parent/Guardian,  
Greetings from The Central School Dubai!**

We have received updated clarification from KHDA regarding the current operational guidelines for Indian curriculum schools. As per the latest communication, all Indian curriculum schools in Dubai will continue with distance learning for the remaining working days of the current academic year. KHDA has also confirmed that schools must follow their approved academic calendar without any change to the scheduled academic term.

Accordingly, our online annual examinations, bridge classes, and last working days will continue as planned. The grade-wise schedule is provided below for your reference.

**KG to Grade 2**

| GRADE         | ONLINE CLASS                                                                    | LAST WORKING DAY<br>(AY 2025–2026) | ONLINE PTM                  |
|---------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| KG to Grade 2 | 9 <sup>th</sup> March to 12 <sup>th</sup> March 2026<br>Time 8:00 AM – 10:30 AM | 12 <sup>th</sup> March 2026        | 14 <sup>th</sup> March 2026 |

**Grade 3 to 5**

| GRADE      | ONLINE EXAMINATION                                                              | LAST WORKING DAY<br>(AY 2025–2026) | ONLINE PTM                  |
|------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Grade 3 -5 | 9 <sup>th</sup> March to 12 <sup>th</sup> March 2026<br>Time 8:00 AM – 10:30 AM | 12 <sup>th</sup> March 2026        | 24 <sup>th</sup> March 2026 |

## Grade 6 to 8

| GRADE       | ONLINE EXAMINATION                             | LAST WORKING DAY<br>(AY 2025–2026) | ONLINE PTM                  |
|-------------|------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Grade 6 – 8 | 8:00 AM to 10:30 AM<br>Time 8:00 AM – 10:30 AM | 12 <sup>th</sup> March 2026        | 24 <sup>th</sup> March 2026 |

## \*Grade 8 (Bridge classes – Grade 9 AY 2026-2027)

| GRADE   | BRIDGE CLASSES                                  | LAST WORKING DAY            |
|---------|-------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Grade 8 | 13 <sup>th</sup> to 17 <sup>th</sup> March 2026 | 17 <sup>th</sup> March 2026 |

**\*Bridge classes will run from 9:00 am to 1:00 pm.**

**On Friday, Bridge classes timing will be from 8:00 AM to 11:15 am.**

## \*\*Grades 9 & 11(Bridge Classes - Grades 10 &12 AY 2026-2027)

| GRADE         | BRIDGE CLASSES                   | LAST<br>WORKING DAY         | ONLINE PTM                  |
|---------------|----------------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Grades 9 & 11 | Till 17 <sup>th</sup> March 2026 | 17 <sup>th</sup> March 2026 | 17 <sup>th</sup> March 2026 |

**\*\*Bridge classes will run from 9:00 am to 1:00 pm from Monday, 9th March 2026.**

**On Friday, Bridge classes timing will be from 8:00 AM to 11:15 am.**

### Note:

- Result publication on Educore will be informed later.

**Eid Al-Fitr Break: Thursday, 19 March to Sunday, 22nd March 2026**

**Parent-Teacher Meeting (PTM)**

- The scheduled face-to-face PTM stands cancelled.
- Parents who require the KHDA Attested report card may collect it from the school reception between 26 March and 5 April, from 9:00 am to 1:00 pm (excluding weekends).

**Sale of Books and Uniforms & Transport (AY 2026–2027)**

- A separate circular will be sent with detailed information.
- Transport details (bus routes, driver and other information) will be emailed to parents who have opted for school transport soon.

**New Academic Session 2026–2027**

| Reopening Dates, April 2026           |                                   |
|---------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| 6th April 2026, Monday                | KG 1 (New Students)               |
| 8 <sup>th</sup> April 2026, Wednesday | KG 2 (All students)               |
| 6th April 2026, Monday                | Grade 1 to 12 (Existing students) |
| 7th April 2026, Tuesday               | Grade 1 to 9 & 11 (New students)  |

## Virtual Orientation Schedule (AY 2026-2027)

| GRADE                          | TIME                | DATE       |
|--------------------------------|---------------------|------------|
| KG 1 (First Shift)             | 9:00 AM             | 16-03-2026 |
| KG 1 (Second Shift)            | 10:30 AM            |            |
| KG 2 (New & Existing Students) | 9:00 AM             | 17-03-2026 |
| 1 & 2 (New Students)           | 9:00 – 10:00 AM     | 16-03-2026 |
| 3 to 5 (New Students)          | 9:00 AM – 10:00 AM  | 17-03-2026 |
| 1 to 5 (Existing students)     | 9:00 AM – 10:00 AM  | 25-03-2026 |
| 6 – 8 (Existing Students)      | 9:00 AM – 10:00 AM  | 25-03-2026 |
| 6 to 8 (New Students)          | 10:30 AM – 11:30 AM | 25-03-2026 |
| 9, 10 & 12 (Existing Students) | 9:00 AM – 10:00 AM  | 24-03-2026 |

For any clarification, parents may contact the respective supervisors.

We wish all our students and families good health and safety.

Thank you for your continued support.

Regards,



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**PRINCIPAL**