Thank you for your interest in joining us at Nord Anglia International School, Dubai.

Our School opened in September 2014. It is purpose built and very generously resourced with our enrolment touching 2222. We have experienced continuing enrolment growth with outstanding academic results as well as very healthy feedback from the range of inspections we undertake with the local authority, KHDA, with the BSO, with NEASC and when we review ourselves as a Nord Anglia Education School. Across the board we are judged to be 'Very Good' and 'Outstanding' understanding that regular school review is central to school improvement.

As an 'all through' school meeting the needs of children across the age range from three to nineteen we enjoy a very strong sense of community belonging that is felt by parents, children and staff alike. Everyone comments on the positive atmosphere of a very busy school where the students are extremely well mannered.

Our curriculum is based upon the legacy of the English National Curriculum adapted to the local environment leading up to GCSE and on to the IB Diploma programme, and A Levels introduced this year. Our GCSE pass rate is a 100% overall pass with 48% A* and 97% of 5 or above and a 39.4-point IB average points score with 40% achieving more than 54% points and one with a perfect 45!

NAS Dubai is a member of the Nord Anglia Education Group with over 68,000 students in 76 schools around the globe. This provides us with multiple opportunities for exciting staff and student exchange, professional development, and the thought leadership that results from our dynamic partnerships with external institutions.

Of particular significance are our partnerships with the Juilliard School, the Massachusetts Institute of Technology and Kings College London. The Juilliard partnership is impactful as it engenders creative personal responses in Music, Drama and Performing Arts across the age range. The MIT partnership provides students with exciting and relevant challenges while encouraging more project based integrated learning. Kings provide a bespoke MA in Education for staff. More recently, our shared commitment to the UN's Seventeen Sustainable Goals helps us to work with clear focus with young people as they explore how they can build a better world. Last year NAS Dubai funded the building of a school in Western Nepal and continue to support its development. This year we are raising funds for little wings who provide free medical aid for children in extreme need.

Before Covid students at NAS Dubai would travel widely, linking with our other schools around the world on languages and cultural visits. Currently we take part in expeditions locally and enjoy making best use of the resource of EXPO in Dubai.

As an international school with over 80 nationalities amongst our student body we celebrate the diversity of our community that is united within the supportive and family friendly atmosphere that characterises the school. But there is nothing cosy about this as we are truly ambitious for our students, teachers and parents believing that everyone can achieve more than they ever thought possible when learning is truly personalised.

Recognising that outstanding teachers create outstanding schools, we are keen to attract the highest quality candidates to help to take our school forward. If this is for you then I look forward to hearing from you and considering your application to join our team in Dubai. Enjoy seeing more in our video for teachers found here .

Candidates who are long listed for this important post will be sent more information and if you have any questions at this stage please do not hesitate to ask.

Yours sincerely,
Matthew Farthing
Principal