

### St Joseph's School, Abu Dhabi

# Report

CBSE CLUSTER: Swimming tournament

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## **CBSE CLUSTERS**

The annual CBSE UAE CLUSTER swimming meet for girls was held at GEMS New Millenium School, Dubai, on 28<sup>th</sup> and 29<sup>th</sup> September. The competition had an impressive turnout with numerous students CBSE schools all across UAE. There were 4 categories: Under-11, Under-14, Under-17, and Under-19 with a wide range of events for each category.

#### Details

I represented my school, St. Joseph's School Abu Dhabi, in the Under-19 category for five events. The competition was held on 2 days, starting at 8am and ending at around 5 pm. I won one gold, 2 silver and 2 bronze medals. Here are the details:

- 200 mts butterfly (Gold)
- 2. 100 mts butterfly (Bronze)
- 3. 200 mts Individual medley (Silver)
- 4. 400 mts Individual medley (Silver)
- 5. 200 mts breaststroke (Sronze)



### My experience

Leading up to the event, I trained hard, honing my skills and building my stamina On the day of the competition, I arrived in Dubai, filled with nervous excitement. Each event was tiring, I gave it my 100%, with my competitive spirit pushing me to the peak of my physical limits. By God's grace, I managed able to secure one gold medal, 2 silver medals and 2 bronze medals. Despite the intense competition, I connected with swimmers from other schools and even made several friends. By the end of the competition, I felt fulfilled, my heart brimming with joy. It was an honor to represent my esteemed school, and I left the event with a deep sense of satisfaction and accomplishment.