

## جيمس مـودرن أكاديمـي GEMS Modern Academy



## **GEMS MODERN ACADEMY**

## **POLICY ON SECOND LANGUAGE**

Second Language {Hindi and French} is introduced in Grade 1 and continues up to Grade 10 which culminates in the Indian Certificate Secondary Exam {ICSE}. Hence, choice of second language must be made carefully.

- If for some reason a change in Second Language is required for the next academic year, a written request must be made to the Principal by 31<sup>st</sup> December. (*Diary says 3<sup>rd</sup> November*) Please note, no change will be entertained during the year.
- Change in second language is permitted only till grade 5. Students who wish to change their second language must appear for the Entry Level Test to determine competency and proficiency in the language being opted for at the end of the academic year.
- Ordinarily, no change in second language will be permitted from grade 6 onwards. However, in special circumstances, an appeal may be made to the School Principal for consideration.
- In the case of change to French, the Council rule stipulates that the student must have a minimum of three continuous years of French prior to registration for the ICSE at the beginning of Grade 9.



