

Latifa School for Girls History Department



Emirati school of about 600 girls aged from 3 to 18.

We follow the English national curriculum and MOE requirements. Students take GCSE and A level examinations.

Using EP since 2020

EP users (Students) 300

EP users (Teachers)

50

About

LSG has been providing best practice education to Emirati girls for over 30 years.

Member of the following associations:

BSME

Our online learning journey

LSG started working with Google Classroom in 2019 in some departments (Mathematics and Science).

In 2020, LSG introduced Education Perfect across the whole of the secondary school and subscribed to the full-suite.

Why Education Perfect (EP)

LSG wanted a Learning Platform which offered an infrastructure that learners could easily grasp and engage with. When EP was first used in the Mathematics and Science departments the feedback from the students highlighted that they were enjoying their learning through EP. The staff from those departments felt it was freeing up their preparation and administration time so they could focus on other things.

The range of tools and subjects available and the fact that tutors or teachers can easily create and clone multiple courses added to making EP the attractive choice for student learning.

For some departments (such as English, ESOL, Languages, Mathematics and Science) the ready-to-go material provided is appropriate for our curriculum and can be used 'as is'. For other departments (such as History) the material needed modification to suit our history curriculum and to be simplified for our EAL students. However, this adapting was very easy to do as the platform is straightforward to use. We used the frameworks and tools within EPStudio to also create our own materials where needed.

In addition, the ability to monitor examinations in 'real time' was of huge importance for SLT during the time of COVID and distance learning.

"A great interactive tool which students find both accessible and motivating."

Rosalind Stirzaker Head of History Latifa School for Girls

Impact

- History teachers have been able to use EP to set personalized lessons which have enhanced student learning.
- Students enjoy the lessons as they like the instant feedback which has encouraged engagement in their learning.
- My GCSE group liked the online peer review activity and I could see their written answers gradually improving.
- Retrieval quizzes have been set up on EP. This feature has freed up teachers' time since the program can be set to do the marking automatically.

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"Staff have found EP easy to use with students. We have assigned some of the prepared lessons but we have also created our own custom made lessons and assessments, using the formats provided. The platform has an easy to understand interface so this has been a straightforward undertaking. We will be happy to continue using post-COVID."

Rosalind Stirzaker Head of History Latifa School for Girls