Tutoring Services Information Pack

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T. +971 (0) 4 267 2726 WA . +971 (0) 50 9427406 E. Learn@heatherharries.com Welcome to Heather Harries, where we understand that choosing the right tutor is a significant emotional and financial decision. We recognise the weight of entrusting someone with your child's educational journey. Our commitment is to ease your concerns by providing exceptional tutoring services backed by a team of highly qualified professionals.

At Heather Harries LLE, excellence is not just a goal; it's our standard. We pride ourselves on employing tutors who are not only highly qualified but also rigorously vetted and



checked. Our team consists of educators with strong reputations for unlocking the full potential of their students.

Our tutors are graduates of top British universities, equipped with both a relevant degree and a PGCE. Moreover, they bring invaluable experience as exam board markers, they really have the expertise to guide students towards academic success.

As the demand for our services has grown, so has our exceptional team.

We've extended our stringent selection criteria to include American, International, and Australian staff, catering to the diverse needs of students worldwide. Whether it's the American curriculum or the IB program, our tutors are skilled at navigating their educational systems and structures. With a presence in over 12 countries, we've accumulated extensive experience adapting to different learning environments, ensuring every student receives tailored support.

At the heart of our approach is the belief in forming a partnership between your family and ours. We understand that each student's needs are unique, so we offer flexibility in choosing the level of support required. Our meticulous matching process ensures you're paired with a tutor who aligns with your child's learning style and goals. However, should the need arise, we're ready to make instant adjustments to ensure your child's academic journey remains on track.

With Heather Harries, you can rest assured that your child's education is in capable hands. Let's embark on a journey towards academic excellence and personal growth together

Why we are more than just another education company?



Knowledgable

A decade of experience in education in the Middle East working with some of the best teachers and schools. Experienced from foundation through to Year 13, working with British, IB and American schools across the region.



Transparent

Key to our success is our transparency, we are open and honest about our progress and our charges, there are no hidden costs only lots of additional services and benefits you will not find elsewhere.



Local

Based in the UAE, with reach in 12 countries, we are here to support you whenever you need us. We work with outstanding and "super" teachers in many countries ensuring we are always able to find the best possible match for your budget and needs,



Bespoke

When you work in education, one size does not fit all. We always think individually when looking at your needs; we identify your needs and your preferred learning styles. Success lies in taking the time to listen and understand the exact requirements.



Dedicated Relationship Manager

A dedicated person who knows your requirements and is available when you need them. They will help students and you with everything you need.

HOW WE CHOOSE OUR TEAM

Welcome to the gateway of educational excellence! At Heather Harries LLE, we understand the profound impact that exceptional teachers can have on a student's journey. That's why we leave no stone unturned in handpicking the finest educators to inspire and empower our students.

Every teacher in our team undergoes a meticulous selection process, where their backgrounds are scrutinised and their references checked. We leave nothing to chance when it comes to shaping young minds.

Each candidate is interviewed with precision, ensuring that only the most qualified and passionate individuals make it onto our team. But their ability to captivate and engage truly sets our teachers apart. We understand that learning is most effective when it's enjoyable, which is why we seek out educators who possess the knowledge and the knack for making every session exciting and enriching. We want our students to eagerly anticipate their time with their teacher, knowing that each encounter holds the promise of discovery and growth.

So, rest assured that when you choose our tutors, you're not just selecting a teacher; you're inviting a mentor, a guide, and a source of inspiration into your child's educational journey.

As a minimum standard all teachers have:

- A first degree in the subject they teach
- A post Graduate teaching qualification
- Speak English as a first language
- Are qualified in a British / Western University
- Have been fully checked for their suitability to work with children Have a
- positive personality with the ability to push to get the best out of students

TUTOR TYPES

All of our teachers are amazing and very carefully selected, but the more experienced are obviously more expensive so these teachers are categorized as Gold. Please do not be concerned as all teachers are extremely capable and very carefully selected and we know you will not be disappointed whether you choose a teacher from the Gold, Silver or Bronze categories.





- First degree in specialist subject
- Post graduate teaching qualification from a British University
- 3+ years teaching in good or outstanding school





BRONZE

- British University qualifications
- First degree in specalist subject
- Post graduate teaching qualification from a British University
- 5+ years teaching in good or outstanding school
- 2+ years tutoring with Heather Harries Education Hub



GOLD

- British University qualifications
- First degree in specalist subject
- Post graduate teaching qualification from a British University
- 8+ years teaching in good or outstanding school
- 3+ years tutoring with Heather Harries Education Hub
- Exam board markers (AQA, Edexcel, Cambridge and more)
- Working in senior leadership role in an outstanding school
- Authors of education books*



*some tutors are published authors

PRICES

Prices shown are per hour and are subject to 5% VAT





Other Courses

Learn how to learn

Welcome to "Learn How to Learn" – the ultimate study skills course designed to empower students to conquer exams with confidence and clarity. As you navigate the maze of academia, we understand that the path to success can sometimes feel daunting and overwhelming. But fear not because we're here to equip you with the tools and techniques you need to thrive.

In this dynamic course, we don't just focus on boosting your motivation to learn – though that's certainly part of it. We go beyond surface-level strategies to delve into the very essence of effective studying. One of the biggest hurdles students face is deciphering the intricate frameworks of exams, often leaving them feeling lost and uncertain about what to prioritize. That's where we come in.

Our mission is simple: to demystify the exam process and streamline your study approach. We break down complex exam frameworks into digestible chunks, empowering you to understand exactly what's expected of you. With a clear roadmap in hand, studying becomes not just simpler, but downright enjoyable.

So, if you're ready to transform your approach to learning and unlock your full potential, then join us on this transformative journey. Together, let's master the art of learning and set you on the path to academic success.

Weekly Webinar - Mondays @5pm - 150dhs per session Personal One on One - 600dhs per hour.





Next Steps

Unlock Your Future: Navigate GCSEs and Beyond with Our Next Steps Advisors!



As you embark on the exciting journey of GCSEs, it's natural to have many questions swirling in your mind. From selecting the right GCSEs to charting your path to post-secondary education, the decisions ahead can feel overwhelming. But fear not! Our team of dedicated Next Steps Advisors is here to guide you through every step of this pivotal phase.

Whether you're grappling with deciding which GCSE subjects to choose, debating between A-levels or exploring alternative pathways, or even navigating the intricate maze of college applications, our advisors have the expertise and insights to address all your concerns.

No question is too big or too small. We understand the importance of making informed decisions about your future, and we're here to provide you with the clarity and confidence you need to take the next steps.

So why not invest just one hour of your time to gain invaluable guidance that could shape your future? Book a session with our Next Steps Advisors today, and embark on a journey towards a brighter tomorrow!

Cost 500 dhs per hour



Personal Consultation

Step into a world of personalized guidance and expertise with Heather Harries, our esteemed founder and experienced educationalist. Heather brings a wealth of knowledge and insight to the table, garnered from years of dedicated service in the field of education. Now, she's extending an exclusive invitation to book a one-hour personal consultation, where the spotlight is on you and your unique needs.

With Heather by your side, every question is handled, and nothing is seen as irrelevant; if it matters to you, it matters to us. Whether you're seeking clarity on GCSE selections, strategies to help your child improve their grades, choosing the perfect school or support with effective revision techniques and homework, Heather has the answers you're looking for.

This isn't just any consultation – it's an opportunity to tap into Heather's vast expertise and receive tailored advice that can make a real difference in your educational journey. So why wait? Book your one-on-one session with Heather Harries today and unlock the keys to academic success!

Cost 1000 dhs per hour

Book Now



FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

Welcome to Heather Harries LLE, where we understand that embarking on the tutoring journey can raise many questions and uncertainties. Rest assured, we're here to provide clarity and support every step of the way. This information pack addresses some common concerns to help you navigate the tutoring process seamlessly.

How much tutoring will my child need?

It's a question we hear often, and the honest answer is: we will know when we work with your child. Our approach is personalised and strategic, focusing on identifying gaps, understanding why specific challenges exist, and tailoring a methodology to overcome obstacles. We believe that less is more – starting with an hour of tutoring allows us to gauge progress and adjust as needed.

What if my child does not like their assigned tutor?

At Heather Harries, we prioritise the comfort and compatibility of our students with their tutors. If, for any reason, your child doesn't feel a connection with their assigned tutor, let us know, and

we'll arrange for a different teacher for the next session. No questions asked. We understand that preference is personal, and a good match is essential for effective learning.

Do we have to have lessons every week?

While we encourage regular sessions to maintain momentum and consistency, we understand that life can be unpredictable. You can set the schedule that best fits your family's needs. Whether you prefer weekly sessions, bi-weekly sessions, or a customised schedule based on your child's calendar, we're here to accommodate your preferences.

At Heather Harries, your satisfaction and your child's learning journey are our top priorities. We know that every child is individual, and we don't make you fit to us; we fit to you; every learning programme is individual, and every time slot is unique to you and your family.

When you have questions there is a dedicated person there to help. Your feedback is invaluable, and we're committed to ensuring that learning is never interrupted.



Payments

Welcome to our streamlined payment process – designed with your convenience and flexibility in mind! Managing your payments couldn't be easier, thanks to our user-friendly booking system. Here's what you need to know:

Seamless Booking and Payment Management: Your bookings and tutor interactions are effortlessly managed through our intuitive booking system. No more scrambling to keep track of payments – our system will alert you to any payments due, ensuring a hassle-free experience every step of the way.

Flexible Payment Options: We understand that everyone has unique preferences regarding managing finances. That's why we offer flexibility in payment frequency and method. Choose to pay weekly or monthly, depending on what works best for you and your budget. Plus, you have the convenience of selecting between a bank transfer or an online payment gateway with a bank card – whichever is more convenient for you.

Exclusive Package Payments: Looking to streamline your transactions and enjoy additional savings? Look no further than our package payments! Our packages offer a convenient way to bundle your sessions while enjoying a small discount in the process. Want to learn more about our package options? Don't hesitate to reach out to our friendly team for more information.

At Heather Harries LLE we're committed to making your tutoring experience as seamless and enjoyable as possible – starting with our hassle-free payment process. So why wait? Experience the ease and convenience of our booking and payment system today and invest in your child's academic success with confidence!

