



ABU DHABI INDIAN SCHOOL – BRANCH 1, AL WATHBA

Being awarded the prestigious Sheikh Hamdan Bin Rashid Al Maktoum award for Distinguished Student has been a great honour and blessing for me. I received my award – a trophy, a certificate and a cheque of AED 20,000/- from H.H Sheikh Hamdan (Deputy Ruler of Dubai, Minister of Finance and Patron of the award) at Sheikh Rashid Auditorium, World Trade Center, Dubai on 20th April, 2016 . It was an awesome feeling and one of the best moments of my life. This award takes into account not only consistent Academic Excellence over of a period of 3 years but also excellence in varied extra- curricular activities as well as a strong commitment to national and social responsibilities. While preparing for this award I learnt so much about myself. It is this journey of self-discovery that will encourage me to continue to strive for further excellence. My parents and teachers motivated and guided me and were my pillar of strength throughout this journey. Winning this award has made me more confident and eager to do my best and also to help society at large. I would like to thank HH Sheikh Hamdan Bin Rashid Al Maktoum for instituting this award to encourage students like me to strive for greater excellence.

- Flavian Abe Sam
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