

LAHORE GRAMMAR SCHOOL

2022



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55 MAIN



WELCOME

At 55 Main, we value excellence, creativity, and a commitment to using one's knowledge and skills to engage fully with the world.

You have worked hard for many years and achieved many academic and other successes. We invite you to continue that journey, developing all aspects of your personality, and learning to use your many talents to contribute to the society you live in. There is a wealth of opportunities available to you. Make sure you take advantage of them.

Our A Level Programme is set up to support our values and philosophy. It is not merely a conduit for passing a battery of exams. The clubs and societies on offer provide essential support to our deeply held conviction that the learning that takes place in the classroom must connect to activities that you take part in outside the classroom.

We see education as the road not just to a career, but to the fullest growth of the individual and to nurture responsible citizens who will contribute to a more open, just and tolerant society. We aim to instil respect for themselves as young women and for the diversity of ideas and goals of others.

We hope you will leave 55 Main with a greater understanding of yourself and the world and an enthusiasm for learning about and shaping the world you live in.

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Ms. Nasrene Shah
Principal and Director





ACADEMICS

Our students hold differing beliefs, perceptions and worldviews. Together, in stimulating classes led by expert teachers, you will debate and discuss, challenge your classmates and yourself. With over 20 A Level subjects to choose from, 55 Main gives you a chance to discover your passion—and go after it. Along the way, you will be pushed to think critically and become a fearless campaigner for what you believe in.



SUBJECTS ON OFFER

Accounting	Biology
Art & Design	Chemistry
Business	Computer Science
Computer Science	Physics
Economics	
Environmental Management (AS)	
English Language	
Further Mathematics	
Politics	
Global Perspectives	
History	
Information Technology	
Islamic Studies	
Law	
Literature in English	
Mathematics	
Media Studies	
Psychology	
Sociology	
Urdu	

ADMISSION PROCEDURE

*Note: *This form is meant for students interested in securing admission at A Level_55 main Gulberg (Girls only) campus. **

Registration Process begins on Tuesday, May 2, 2022.

Last date of registration will be Saturday, July 30, 2022.

Classes for A1 commence on Tuesday, August 9, 2022.

Online Admission Process:

- Step 1: Download the A Level Registration Fee Bill (*LGS students exempted*) from our website, deposit fee in the relevant bank, scan paid slip and convert into a pdf doc.
- Step 2: Download the 'A Level Payment Policy', print, sign, scan and convert into pdf doc.
- Step 3: Complete the Application Form on-line and submit the following documents as PDF (*NOT jpeg/any other*):

- i. Final exam result of Class 10 & last exam result of Grade 11 from previous school
- ii. O' Level result (if any)
- iii. Scanned copy of paid Registration Fee Bill; *LGS students exempted*
- iv. Scanned *signed off* 'Agreement of A Level Payment Policy' document with Parents' CNIC (front & back)
- vi. Students NADRA Smart Card (front & back)
- vii. Recent passport size photograph with a white background.

Please note that incomplete applications will not be processed.

- It is mandatory for all students to email complete O Level result within TWO DAYS of announcement by the respective Board/s.
- Written Tests:

The following students will be required to sit for a test at the commencement of classes (a week after the Orientation Session) :

- i. **Comprehension** (for students opting for Literature in English or English Language).
 - ii. **IT** (for students who have not done Computer Science/IT in O Level).
 - iii. **Art & Design** (for students who did not take Art in O Level).
 - iv. **Media Studies** (for all students opting for the subject).
 - v. **Global Perspectives** (for students who have not studied Global Perspectives in O Level).
- A Level Office will schedule the interviews with the candidate and/s parent/s after receipt of complete uploaded documents.
 - The selected candidates will be issued an Admission Offer Letter along with first bill. If the fee is not paid before /at the due date, the admission will automatically stand revoked and the seat may be offered to another candidate.

For any queries, contact the school office by

- **Emailing at** lgs55main@lgs.edu.pk **OR**
- **call up** Ms. Nabila Ayaz + 92 42 3 5712566 (Monday-Friday; 9:00 am- 12:00pm).





CAMPUS LIFE

Everyday is extraordinary inside 55! An environment full of creative, innovative students ensures that there is always so much to do! With each student-led society catering to a different set of interests, you will find a world of possibilities at your fingertips. Don't wait, just dive in and get involved – remember it's your time to explore!

According to our students, life at 55 is an experience unlike any other. Instead of going to a school every day, they feel they are at their second home. Our students are happy on campus because our community gives them the space and support they need to grow into who they want to be. If students are curious about trying a new idea, initiative or leadership role, they are provided with the support and encouragement they need. The result is a lively, energetic and vibrant campus atmosphere.

Whether you choose to attend an MUN session, play a sport, help us plan an alumni event, act in the annual play, or decide to participate in NASA, you will find that all activities are fueled by student energy and involvement.

Our Student Council serves as the school's student governing body with over 50 students working in some capacity to represent and lead from the front. Each society has an allotted number of A Level Representatives and each of our four houses, Falcon, Swift, Kestrel and Eagle have a democratically elected Captain and Vice Captain . The Council liaises between the administration and the student body and plans and executes campus-wide events like the Annual Welcome and Farewell, the Debating Competitions and Sports Festivals among many other annual happenings.

In the second term of A1, all students with a sound academic record are welcome to apply to the Student Council. We believe that getting involved will increase your organizational and team building skills and that you will enjoy the multitude of opportunities for friendship, leadership, and community service.

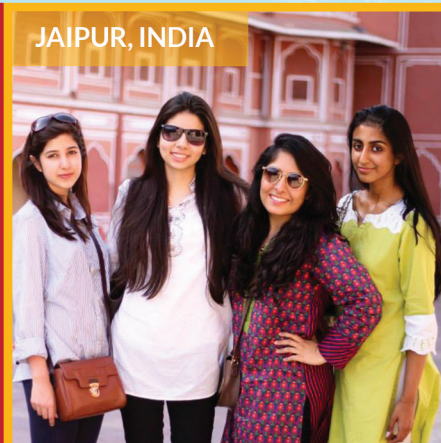


INTERNATIONAL EXPOSURE

At LGS 55 Main, we believe in learning through a rich diversity of experiences beyond the classroom. With ever increasing technological advances and economic and social interdependence, the world has transformed into a global village. Providing exposure plays an integral part in fulfilling our aim of developing and nurturing global citizens. Whether it's NASA's International Space Settlement Design Competition (ISSDC), camp at the Seeds of Peace headquarters, a cultural exchange, or simply a recreational trip, we provide endless adventures and opportunities for our students to travel and gain international exposure.



PETRA, JORDAN



JAIPUR, INDIA



FLORIDA, USA



MADRID, SPAIN



HAMBURG, GERMANY



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55 Main aims to inculcate respect, honesty, integrity, courage and love in all students. These five core values formed the foundation of my school life. For every hurdle that I encountered, I found an army of supporters cheering me on. For every moral dilemma I faced there were teachers who nudged me in the right direction, ultimately giving me the autonomy to make an independent and informed choice.

55 Main taught me to trust, to show compassion, and to express my thoughts and emotions with confidence. We were always treated with love and respect, and in turn we learnt to adopt simple act of compassion in our lives, be it by helping tutor a friend or volunteering for an animal rescue.

In the face of setbacks, we trust in our power to overcome. As 55 mainers we spent our days surrounded by the most accomplished teachers and devoted peers from whom I have learnt so much. I leave 55 main with a dream and a sense of purpose.

Shezreen Shah
Head Girl 2021-2022





MANAGEMENT

Ms. Syeda Farhana Mahmud
Ms. Nabeela Ayaz
Ms. Sahar Arif



EDUCATION ADVISING

Ms. Zarene Malik
Ms. Sidra Usman
Ms. Sadaf Moinuddin



ACCOUNTING

Mr. Sheraz Siddique
Mr. Rizwan ul Hassan



POLITICS

Ms. Ayesha Mirza
Ms. Asma Ahmed



ENGLISH LITERATURE

Ms. Irfana Jafri
Ms. Hajrah Khan
Mr. Zulfiqar Mannan



BUSINESS

Ms. Qurrat ul Ain Aziz
Ms. Rabia Hasnain



ART & DESIGN

Ms. Dua Abbas Rizvi

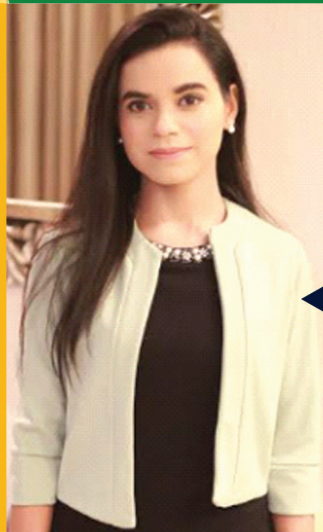
Media Studies

Ms. Soha Ali
Mr. Hadi Rehman



ECONOMICS

Ms. Aneela Hashmi
Mr. Jasir Shahbaz



ENGLISH LANGUAGE

Ms. Zoya Jamil
Ms. Mehreen Zaidi



PHYSICS

Mr. Azhar Mahmood
Mr. Nadeem Anwar
Ms. Amina Sabahat
Mr. Jabran Ali Syed



URDU

Mrs. Nayyar Hashmi
Ms. Saman Saif



CHEMISTRY

Mr. Shahbaz Ahmed
Dr. Bushra Maliha
Mr. Nouman Ahmad



FURTHER MATHEMATICS

Mr. Muhammad Yooshah



BIOLOGY

Mr. Asad Jamil
Ms. Sidra Shakeel



MATHEMATICS

Ms. Tehniyat Kardar
Mr. Ahmed Bilal
Mr. Muhammad Yooshah



Sociology

Ms. Ayesha Mirza



COMPUTER SCIENCE & IT

Ms. Snowber Humayoun
Ms. Zahra Zahid
Mr. Muneeb Arshad



GLOBAL PERSPECTIVES

Ms. Casey J. Odesser



ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT

Ms. Sharmeen Tariq

HISTORY

Ms. Anila Anjum



LAW

Ms. Sara Hfeez



PSYCHOLOGY

Mrs. Sehr Saigol
Ms. Natasha Sohail



55 WORLDWIDE



I stepped into 55 Main as a shy, timid girl in Prep class, who wouldn't say a word, and slowly entered O Levels as a more outgoing person, with many interests, but little focus. It was the two years of A Levels where the school aided me in making my passions, goals and qualities concrete. 55 Main led me towards realising the core of what I want my academic present and future to look like.

After the rocky beginning of A Levels, amidst a global pandemic, and inner lack of direction and confidence, the Education Advisers at 55 brought me back to my focal point-my passions. They encouraged me to take Urdu as a fourth subject, a language I was extremely fond of but too under-confident to test myself in. They brought structure to my many different ideas for college essays and applications, while giving me the breathing room to express my creativity.

As the Editor-in-Chief of our magazine, I learnt that 55 Main takes your interests seriously, while not letting it compromise your academics. I worked on our magazine, I took part in our plays, while also, with the help of our faculty and advisors, stayed consistent with my classes and tests.

The faculty and advisors prioritised my well-being and aspirations before anything else, always. To me, a good school provides you with facilities, resources and avenues for your academic future, however, a great school, such as 55 Main, provides you with all that, and cares about you too. 55 Main cared about me, and has helped me to become who I am today.

Noor Jehan Ahmad
Class of 2026



Cornell University
Class of 2026

Education Advising at LGS 55 Main aims to guide and facilitate students as they make the transition from school to university. We believe applying to college is an exciting time for self-discovery and exploration. We urge you to think of this as an extended research project, where our goal is to provide you and your parents with the advice and information you need as you journey through the process.

We want you to apply to universities which you think will foster intellectual stimulation and growth; where you will be encouraged to think for yourself and be able to develop and grow into the role you want to play in the larger world.

How you navigate the college application process is just as important as where you may end up. Along the way, we are confident that you will develop and hone skills in organization, communication and research.

Education Advising at 55 Main offers many exciting opportunities which includes:

- Information workshops by the Advisors.
- Visits by a myriad of college admission representatives and University Fairs.
- Lecture series by alumnae who are now professionals in a variety of fields.
- Information sessions on writing the college admission essay.

COLLEGE ACCEPTANCES & OFFERS

USA

Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT)
Stanford University
Yale University
University of Pennsylvania (U Penn)
Columbia University
Cornell University
Brown University
Dartmouth College
University of Chicago
Williams College
Wellesley College
Johns Hopkins University
Northwestern University
New York University
Illinois Institute of Technology
Worcester Polytechnic Institute
Trinity College
University of Michigan
University of Virginia
University of California-Los Angeles (UCLA)
University of Rochester
College of William and Mary
Purdue University
Ohio Wesleyan University
Wesleyan University
Bard College
Sarah Lawrence College
Union College
Oberlin College
Connecticut College
St. Olaf College
Fordham University
Georgia Institute of Technology
Lafayette College
Grinnell College

USA

Colgate University
Middlebury College
Hamilton College
Carleton College
Bowdoin College
Skidmore College
University of Southern California (USC)
University of California - Berkley
University of Maryland
Boston College
Smith College
Colby College
California College of the Arts
Parsons School of Design
Pratt Institute
Mount Holyoke College
Bryn Mawr College
Agnes Scott College
Hampshire College
Wheaton College
Brandeis University
Drexel University
University of Wisconsin, Madison
Rochester Institute of Technology
Michigan State University
Florida Institute of Technology
University of Massachusetts - Amherst
University of Illinois - Urbana Champagne

UK

University of Cambridge
University of Oxford
London School of Economics
Imperial College
Durham University
Kings College London
University of Warwick
University of Edinburgh
University College London
University of St. Andrews
University of Sussex
University of Essex
School of Oriental and African Studies (SOAS)
Queen Mary University
University of Glasgow
University of Manchester
Kent University
University of Sheffield
University of Bristol
University of Bath
Lancaster University
Leeds University
University of Birmingham
Royal Holloway
University of the Arts London

UAE

Carnegie Mellon Qatar
Georgetown Qatar
Northwestern Qatar
NYU-Abu Dhabi

CANADA

University of Toronto
Waterloo University
Ontario College of Art and Design
University of Western Ontario
McGill University
York University
Queens University
McMaster University
University of British Columbia

PAKISTAN

Aga Khan University (AKU)
Lahore University of Management Sciences (LUMS)
National College of Arts (NCA)
National University of Science and Technology (NUST)
Beaconhouse National University (BNU)
Habib University
National University of Computer and Emerging Science (FAST-NU)
PAC-CA
Forman Christian College (FCC)
Kinnaird College
Information Technology University (ITU)
Fatima Memorial Hospital
CMH
Lahore School of Economics (LSE)
Ghulam Ishaq Khan Institute of Engineering Science and Technology (GIKI)
Lahore Medical and Dental College LMDC)
University College Lahore (UCL)
School of Culinary and Finishing Arts (SCAFA)

TURKEY

Sabanci University
Bilgi University
Bilkent University
Istanbul Sahir University
METU

GERMANY

Jacobs Bremen University
Bard College, Berlin

ITALY

University of Milan
Istituto Marangoni
Bocconi University

NETHERLANDS

Erasmus University Rotterdam
University of Maastricht
Utrecht University

SINGAPORE

Yale-NUS College

SOUTH KOREA

Seoul National University

HONG KONG

Hong Kong University of Science and Technology
Hong Kong University

AUSTRALIA

Monash University

HIGH ACHIEVERS

SUBJECT	STUDENT	ACHIEVEMENT
2014 O Level English Literature O Level World Affairs O Level Global Perspectives Best Across Nine Cambridge O Levels O Level English Language A Level Physics, Chemistry	Aamnah Khalid Amen Imran Aamnah Khalid Aamnah Khalid Aamnah Khalid Wardah Rahim	Top in the World Top in the World High Achievement Award 2nd Place Top in Lahore Top in Pakistan Best Across three Cambridge A-Levels Top in the World
2015 O Level English Literature A Level Applied ICT A Level Language and Literature A Level History A Level Mathematics A Level Psychology	Aaliya Amir Khan Minahil Raza Wardah Rafaqat Fatima Faisal Khan Noor-ul-Huda Pashma Sameer Fizza Zafar	Top in Lahore Top in Pakistan High Achievement Award Top in Lahore Top in Lahore Top in Lahore Best Across three Cambridge A-Levels
2016 O Level Chemistry A Level Government and Politics A Level English Literature	Warisha Tahir Sharmeen Azeem Fatima Afzal	Top in Punjab Top in Pakistan Top in Punjab
2017 O Level English Literature IGCSE First Language English IGCSE First Language English A Level Global Perspectives A Level Government and Politics A Level Chemistry A Level Literature in English	Neha Wasim Anushe Khan Laiba Mubashar Arooba Aleem Shami Azadeh Ahmed Areeba Suhail Arshad Laiba Niaz Paracha	Top in the World Top in Pakistan Top in Pakistan High Achievement Top in Pakistan Top in Punjab Top in Punjab
2018 O Level Mathematics IGCSE ICT IGCSE First Language English A Level Global Perspectives A Level Economics Best Across four Cambridge A-Levels	Khadija Shafiq Khadija Shafiq Hajra Malik Wisha Jamal Iman Fatima Chaudhry Iman Fatima Chaudhry	Top in the World Top in Pakistan Top in Pakistan High Achievement Award Top in Punjab First Place in Punjab

SUBJECT	STUDENT	ACHIEVEMENT
2019 IGCSE First Language English A Level History Cambridge O level History (modern world affairs)	Hafsa Ateeq Nimra Mansoor Saleha Sultan Awan	Top in Pakistan Top in Punjab, world rank: 5 Top in the World
2020 IGCSE First Language English IGCSE First Language English IGCSE ICT A Level Literature in English	Hiba Khan Maliha Hamid Jannat Aslam Sarah Omer	Top in Pakistan Top in Pakistan Top in Pakistan Top in Pakistan
2021 O Level Biology O Level Biology O Level English Language O Level English Language O Level Physics IGCSE First Language English IGCSE First Language English IGCSE First Language English A Level Mathematics A Level Law A Level Literature in English A Level Literature in English A Level Best Across Four Cambridge A Level Subjects	Aaiza Ahsan Rahma Fatema Qizilbash Abeer Hafeez Fatima Cheema Amna Zahid Manahil Tariq Rahma Fatema Qizilbash Sarah Raza Ahmed Sataish Elahi Zara Naveed Zahra Habib Shanzay Asif Maken Sataish Elahi	Top in Pakistan Top in Pakistan Top in Pakistan Top in Pakistan Top in Pakistan Top in Pakistan Top in Punjab Top in Pakistan Top in the World Top in Pakistan Top in Punjab First place in Punjab



ALUMNI



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55 Main didn't just give me the opportunities in STEM fields that I needed in order to discover my passions – my teachers were also instrumental in nurturing me into the woman that I am today. So many phenomenal teachers at 55 Main have shaped the way that I view the world, and have made me more passionate about social advocacy and activism. I graduated from this school sure of my intellectual and personal abilities as a result of my schooling. Without a doubt, I owe my confidence today to the community I had at 55 Main during my O and A Levels.

Aisha Malik

Class of 2018

BS Engineering Candidate at Columbia University



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LGS 55 main played a very formative role in my life and career. Even today, I can trace some of my best memories to that institution, where I found a fantastic balance between academic success and extra curricular support. More so than anything else, I'm writing this testimonial for the incredible teachers who acted as friends and mentors, who continue to inspire and instil confidence and self belief in young women. As a women's rights activist, I believe our country needs more institutions that can empower the women of tomorrow so that they can play their role in becoming the leaders that can steer our country towards greatness. 55 main has played a definitive role in producing such leaders and I'm confident that it will continue to do so with its openness, inclusivity and diversity.

Nayab Gohar Jan

Class of 2009

Women's Rights Activist

ALUMNI



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LGS 55 Main has a uniquely open, inclusive and innovative community. Here, I got the opportunity to explore and challenge myself. From appreciation of various art forms including music, dance and painting to knowledge about laws of physics, world history and climate change, 55 Main taught me how to be a fair player on the sports field, a convincing speaker in public and a compassionate servant of the community. In Mrs. Shah, I found the role model for what an effective and ethical leader is like. I had the privilege of being taught by teachers who were experts in their fields and supportive and encouraging of all their students. They cheered us on our successes and helped us when we struggled. I was never afraid to speak up in class, never hesitant to ask questions, never scared to make a mistake, all because I felt safe within the classroom. I owe every bit of confidence and determination that I have today to my 55 Main family.”

Fizza Haider

Class of 2002

Assistive Technology & Academic Support Specialist at Georgia State University

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I joined LGS 55 main in grade one as a scared withdrawn child; but my class teacher drew me out of my shell - with her love, kindness and compassion. Henceforth I no longer dreaded school. LGS became for me not just a place of learning but a way of life. It taught me the values, which I uphold, to this very day. It taught me that a woman's voice matters, and that one should not be afraid of pursuing one's dreams no matter the age. I did exactly that.

At school I felt like I mattered and got the opportunity to pursue all that I wanted to, whether it was a role, however small, in the annual play, or taking part in a dance competition, or designing the cover of the school magazine, or creating my version of a trifle in the kitchen, or peering carefully into the tubes to see the result of an experiment, or playing all kinds of sports. I had the freedom to explore and question. When academics became challenging I found support and encouragement in Mrs Shah's words.

Whenever I think of my school I think of Mrs Shah, a woman I admire and respect greatly. LGS would not be the dynamic, unique, integrative school that it is had it not been for Mrs Shah and her wonderful community of teachers.

Ayesha Khan

Class of 1990

MPhil Education - Educational leadership and School Improvement

(University of Cambridge)

Chevening and Cambridge Trust Scholar

DIVE RIGHT IN!

DEBATING SOCIETY

The English and Urdu debating teams really know how to heat up a room! Our students are given the opportunity to broaden their skills in public speaking, indulge in intellectual exercises and research current affairs. Our school enthusiastically participates in both Under 17 and Under 19 tournaments held under the aegis of the Debating Society of Pakistan. Coaching Sessions are held throughout the year and continue during the summer break. In January, we host Lahore Grammar Speaks, our very own U-17 Debate Tournament which is attended by hundreds of enthusiastic debaters across Pakistan. Interested in Debating at 55 Main? Both the English and Urdu Debate Representatives would be delighted to have you join in the fun!

LITERARY SOCIETY

It's all about sharing your love for literature! The 55 Main Literary Society seeks to promote writing as the most integral form of self-expression and voicing opinions and concerns. We employ this society as a platform to share what we write and read. Whether poetry or prose, we use literature to connect on the intra-school and inter-school level. We would love more people to join us. You don't need to be an excellent writer to have your words heard, we'd love to hear you anyway. This society is a boat that any literary enthusiast can sail on.

SPORTS

Our diverse Sports Society caters to a number of sports including netball, throw ball, softball, cricket, and swimming. Other than the regular sports period, after school and weekend practice sessions are held to train for upcoming inter-school and intra-school events.

The Sports Society has been a source of pride for the school for many years through its active involvement in many sporting events that take place throughout the year. This year, we were awarded the Best Delegation trophy at numerous sports festivals including LUMS, winning either gold or silver in almost all categories. Our school is known for its competitive skills at the Punjab Olympics where we have secured first position in netball four times!

MEDIA & GRAPHICS

The significance of the media society in the history of 55 Main is akin to that of pixels in a photograph. As a team, we strive to capture special moments that occur within the walls of 55. The Media Society is not confined to merely taking pictures but allows students to broaden their perspectives and see the world in whichever way they choose to. Photography, video and documentary making, editing and creating graphics are some areas our Media Society focuses on. For every event, we have an efficient team ever-ready to engrave it in 55 Main's timeline. Get in touch if you think you may be interested in joining us, we will be delighted to hear from you!

MODEL UN

In the MUN Society, we aim to educate our students about current events and conflicts in international relations. Students are provided an opportunity to step into the shoes of various ambassadors and empathize with their given country's stance. Popular topics include peace and security, human rights, the environment, economic development and globalization. We take immense pride in our MUNers who have won Best Delegate and Outstanding Speaker Awards at both National and International conferences in India, Jordan and Germany. In October, we host LGS55MUN which provides countless student-leadership opportunities. To find out more, explore our MUN website or get in touch with the MUN Representatives.

ECONOMICS & BUSINESS

The significance of our Society in an increasingly globalized world is undeniable. We encourage students to improve research and communication skills and find creative solutions to global issues. There are various opportunities to get involved and activities include research projects, guest speaker sessions, competitions and an upcoming entrepreneurial club!

STUDIO 55

By presenting young artists the opportunity to hone their skills and share their creations, Studio 55 works towards giving art a greater presence within our school. Look out for biopic screenings and exhibits, artists' speaker sessions as well as the much anticipated intra-school arts event!



**DESIGN
YOUR OWN
WORLD**

GET INVOLVED!

MUSIC

Our society is about sharing passion of music. We aim to empower young artists and individuals through workshops, concerts, gigs and competitions that occur on both intra and inter-school platforms. Every student is given a rudimentary musical education as a part of the school's education policy and we provide several platforms for exposure as we participate in and have won in competitions like LGS Musicfest, ACFest, LUMS Music Fest, in both Western and Eastern categories. We have exciting plans for the future such as the creation of a school band and a school choir.

DRAMA

Lahore Grammar Stage takes pride in striving to be different and promoting areas of the performing arts that are neglected in this part of the world. Through performing arts, we challenge our society's deepest assumptions and stereotypes while spreading awareness and preserving the art and cultural identity of Pakistan. We plan to involve the amateur artist in our dramatic society to build upon their artistic creation and expression, to spark new ideas through theatrical activities and workshops. Our expertise lies in experimental theatre, abstract mimes, dark comedies, street theatre, and shadow theatre. Lahore Grammar Stage reflects this ideology by way of an annual play and numerous other performances which include "Sultana ka Khawaab", a feminist play set in a Matriarchal society, "Sun Dou Hazaar Ikaasi", a play about an equal community set in a dystopian world, and "Death", a dark comedy depicting the mind of a serial killer.

ENVIRONMENT SOCIETY

Environmental degradation is one of the most prevailing issues in the world today. People ask, who caused it? The answer to which is: we did. The Environment Society of LGS 55 Main recognizes these issues and teaches students the significance of the environment and the measures necessary to preserve it for future generations to come. We focus on global, national and local issues and represent 55 Main on a variety of environmental platforms and competitions. Whether it is initiating recycle programs in our school, planting trees all over Lahore, celebrating Earth Day, saying no to plastic, or attending a conference on Animal Rights, the Environment Society has something in store for all planet Earth lovers and enthusiasts.

MASHAL

The publication of Mashal is a time-honored tradition that brings together the perspectives, imaginative musings, year-round activities, and artistic abilities of 55 Main into one magazine. Because we believe the Mashal is an ode to the memories students make inside 55, each year we aim to make the magazine more vibrant, colorful and spirited, immortalizing what our students will take away from the year. With 38 publications resting on Mrs. Shah's shelf, the Mashal is an integral part of the culture and spirit of our school. The Mashal's Editorial Board is a dedicated team of seven students and several Faculty Advisors who work tirelessly throughout the year to bring into life the experiences our school has to offer in and out of the classroom. If you are interested in contributing to the magazine, feel free to get in touch with the Editorial Board.

ALUMNI RELATIONS SOCIETY

It has been almost forty years since 55 Main opened its doors to a handful of students. Today, our Alums make 55 worldwide as they cover the globe in their active involvement in a diverse range of fields. We are proud of the generation of ambitious young women who have walked through our doors. The Alumni Relations Society helps our alums stay connected to their home at LGS through Annual Reunions, the Alumnae Page and Mashal, and enables them to contribute to networking opportunities as they arise.

ICT SOCIETY

The ICT Society facilitates and organizes competitions, internships, seminars and workshops in and outside of school - whether it is at Whiz Kids by Plan9 or Makeistan where our students work with experts to learn new skills and techniques. Our students participate in numerous competitions such as the INTEL Technology and Science Fair, IBIC Kangaroo, and COSMOS. The Society also organizes inter-house technology competitions and innovation fairs to help students develop and build IT skills. We then arrange internships at Alif Laila where our students teach the skills they have acquired to underprivileged students and take great pride in raising money to buy computers for underprivileged students in collaboration with the Community Service Society. Recently, we have hired professionals who are teaching our students graphic designing and robotics.





GET
YOUR
GAME ON

GET INSPIRED!

SCIENCE SOCIETY

We encourage enthusiasm for science through enquiry and experimentation. We enable students of all abilities to enjoy and understand different scientific concepts and take part in a diverse range of competitions and projects. From holding yearly science fairs to sending students to India for space camps such as Astrotrek, we try to develop passion for science amongst students at a very early age. We facilitate participation in renowned international competitions such as the Buraq Space Camp, Google Science Fair, Intel and interschool competitions such as PSIFI. One of the most integral features of the extracurricular programme at 55 Main is the Asian Regional Space Settlement Design Competition held by NASA. We take pride in the fact that we have won the finals of this competition once and held the semi-finals a record of four times! Here's what one of our students has to say about her NASA experience:



Before I joined 55 Main (the fifth school I would transfer to) my mind was plagued by millions of 'what-ifs'. The big class sizes intimidated me, being the girl who had only ever learned to flourish in small, intimate groups. However, my anxiety proved baseless because when I came to do my A'Levels at 55 Main, I discovered a community eager to instill the love of learning in young women and a student body that was eager to respond with flair and enthusiasm.

Within these school walls, students are encouraged and facilitated to explore different channels of self expression. You will find those whose canvas becomes the means of their communication, or the debater who can engage hundreds from behind a podium, you will find aspiring doctors and budding economists. Here, you will find a microcosm of the world at large, which is why at 55 Main, you will not only discover your niche but you will push boundaries and excel. And that is what makes this place special to me. It is not merely a school, it is my home and the launchpad for my future success.

Shehr Naz Ashraf
Deputy Head Girl 2021-2022

COMMUNITY SERVICE

At 55 Main, we believe in exposing our students to the reality of the region we live in. The prominent and vibrant Community Service Society teaches our students to be considerate and compassionate about those less fortunate than us and helps them gain an understanding of the disparity between the resources needed and those available to solve community needs. We collaborate with many organizations that work for the social, educational, and vocational uplift and assistance of the underprivileged.

Some of our activities are:

- Raising funds for Rehai which works for juvenile and female prisoners.
- Participating in the Reading Buddies Programme at Al-Hayat Foundation where our students volunteer to spend a few hours with children to help them with their reading skills and carry out useful spoken English and vocabulary exercises. We buy chips, juices, biscuits, stationary items and prepare goodie bags for all the students at Al-Hayat and for Operation Eid
- Child. Arranging visits to the Bali Old Home so that our students are able to spend quality time with our community's senior citizens who have many valuable experiences and anecdotes to share. Volunteering to take part in clean up activities at heritage sites such as the
- Lahore Fort. Organizing summer internships at SOS Children's Village, Shaukat Khanam Memorial Hospital, Rising Sun, Fatima Memorial Hospital, and Parbat and
- Aabroo Foundations. Holding weekly bake sales to raise donations for numerous charity organizations including the Pakistan Society for the Rehabilitation of the Disabled (PSRD), TCF, CARE Foundation and Pakistan Association of the
- Blind. Running the 50 Rupee Campaign to generate funds each month for our janitorial and custodial staff to support and assist them with tuition fees and books for their children.



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LGS

CLUBS
26 &
SOCIETIES

IN 2018
55

IN 2021
454
STUDENT
ENROLMENT

24 **A LEVEL**
SUBJECTS
AND COUNTING

80% GRADES RANGE
A TO C

98% GRADES RANGE
A TO E

STUDENTS
TRAVELLED
TO TURKEY FOR
SOCIAL AND CULTURAL
EXCHANGE

78%
OF STUDENTS RATE
OUR FACULTY AS
OUTSTANDING

83%
A LEVEL
STUDENTS ON
SCHOLARSHIPS

25:1
STUDENT-TEACHER
RATIO

US universities most students apply to

Wellesley College
Amherst College
Dartmouth College
New York University
Georgia Institute of Technology
Yale University
Smith College
Stanford University
Grinnell College
Columbia University
Union College

UK universities most students apply to

Kings College
Durham University
Warwick University
Oxford University
Saint Andrews

Subjects with best student-teacher ratios

Further Mathematics (5)

Art & Design (8)

IT (8)

Environmental Management (9)

Global Perspectives (12)

Computer Science (12)

History (12)

Politics (15)

Literature in English (16)

English Language (17)

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