

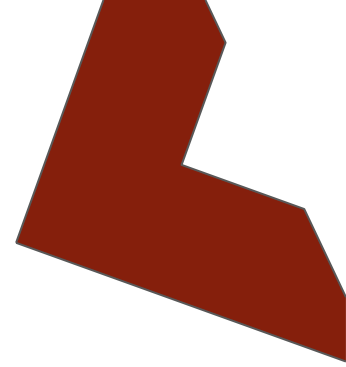


Karachi Grammar School College Section

Co-Curricular Programme
2023 - 2024

Co-Curricular Categories Offered:

- Sports
- Student-Led Societies
- Clubs & Projects
- School Events



Sports

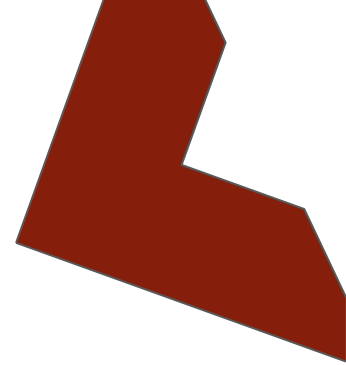
At the College Section, there are 12 different sports that are offered with specialised coaches for each.

Barring outdoor rowing on water, we offer all facilities on campus for students.

In addition to receiving training during PE lessons, there is an afterschool intensive programme available for students to further enhance their skills.

Competitions are held every month on an intra-school level through house matches.

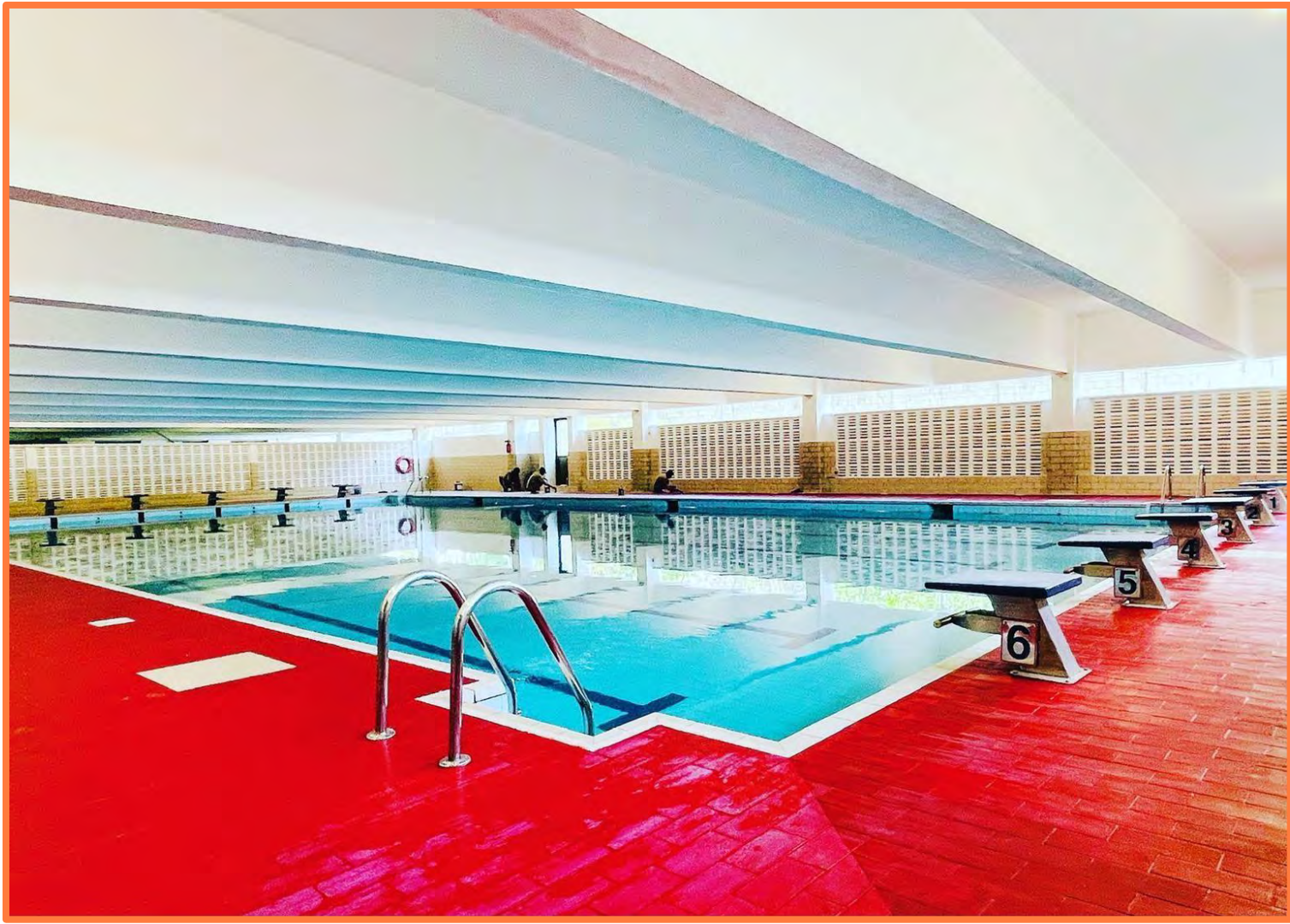
Our students also compete in external inter-school competitions in the city as well as nationally.



Basketball



Swimming



Football



Rowing



Cricket



**Table
Tennis**



Badminton



Athletics Track & Field



Volleyball & Throwball



Netball



Student-Led Societies

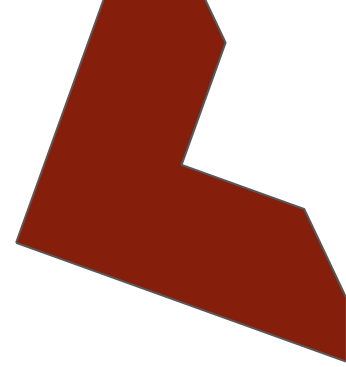
Students are empowered to create and lead societies with unique mandates and deliverables.

Each Society is overseen by a patron/faculty member.

Students can register to become members for societies and are assigned specific roles such as marketing, finance, HR, operations and communication.

Societies are active from August – February. Students are engaged in multiple projects and events through the school year.

Any participation in society events is added to the students co-curricular portfolio which is done issued to them at the end of the year and is also sent forward in their university applications.





Psychology Society

Patron: Ms Tooba Qaiser

Founding Year: 2017

Mandate:

- The Psychology Society has a simple mission: to cultivate a shared love for psychology and provide a safe space for every student
- The council has held frequent sessions where the members anonymously share what was on their minds. Those present at the meetings would offer advice and support, aiding in fostering a safe environment.
- Moreover, the Psychology Society has called renowned speakers and conducted a workshop where students were trained in behavioural studies and operating at their optimum potential.
- One of the main highlights of the society is hosting mental health awareness sessions and activities on campus throughout the year, in collaboration with the student wellbeing department.

Instagram Handle: @kgspysociety



STEM Society
Patron: Ms Amina Khalife, Mr Hasan
Iqbal Founding Year: 2009

Mandate:

A combination of Mathematics, Chemistry, Physics, Biology and Cybernetics, this is a society if **you're** interested in any area of science. For the inquisitive minds, the goal is to foster interest in, and support exploration of, the natural sciences and the scientific method through contests, Olympiads, scientific publication and cooperation with other Societies.

Our calendar kicks off with an intra-school competition called the Einsteins Gauntlet, followed by an inter-house science bowl competition and we finish with our most popular Science Olympiad (KGSO) where we have participating teams from all over the city.

Instagram Handle: @kgs.stem



KGS Model United Nations

Patron: Ms Batool Ahmed

Founding Year: 2002

Mandate:

Model United Nations is an educational simulation in which students can learn about diplomacy, international relations, and struggles of common citizens closely referring to complex policies that impact social conditions. Through debate, members interact with other **'diplomats'** and analyze ways to manipulate and influence burning political issues of the world.

Training sessions are held thrice a week. Leading up to major competitions such as LUMUN, MUNIK or HUMUN, rigorous sessions are held every day.

Instagram Page: @kgsmun

Parliamentary Debate Society

Patron: Ms Hanah Zuberi

Founding Year: 1998

Mandate:

The Parliamentary Debate **Society's** aims are threefold;

1. Encourage students and push them in terms of public speaking and confidence, giving them the necessary skills to share their opinions and raise their voice
2. Familiarise students with the Parliamentary Debate format, teaching them to engage with other speakers and individuals in a respectful manner, how to explain their views in a structured manner, as well as to deconstruct argumentation from others, learning the strategy behind getting a point across and winning in a competitive, high-pressure environment
3. The society aims to instil the curiosity to learn and research within students, teaching them about world affairs, philosophy, economics, art, technology, and a myriad of other topic areas, giving them the ability to engage in conversation and confidently articulate thoughts on anythings



Journalism and Research Society

Patron(s): Ms **Zarmina Raza & Ms Ramsha Shamsi**
Founding Year: 2018

Mandate:

“Journalism can never be silent: that is its greatest virtue and its greatest **fault.**”

The KGS Journalism & Research Society empowers students by creating a diverse and collaborative platform for writers, researchers, artists, orators, photographers and more.

It helps them interact with the world around them from an objective, yet creative lens where they can showcase their own experiences and insights. JAR strives to find a place for every student, regardless of their niche. Some of our student-led initiatives include the regular publication of "The Daily **Grammarians**", the annual journalistic convention GRAMA, extensive research reports, discussion panels and podcasts.

Instagram Page: @kgsjournalismsociety



Empowerment Society

Patron(s): Ms Batool Ahmed & Ms Ramsha Shamsi
Founding Year: 2006

Mandate:

The KGS Empowerment Society aims to foster safer and empowering spaces within the school community. It does so by creating greater consciousness regarding harassment, mental health and societal inequalities. By producing student-led films, hosting agora square sessions, inviting social activists and initiating projects to teach underprivileged students - the empowerment society is holistic in its approach towards empowerment.

One of the most popular events for the empowerment society is the KGS Mock Trial.

Instagram Handle: [kgsempowermentsociety](https://www.instagram.com/kgsempowermentsociety)



Culinary Society

Patron: Ms Wajida Asad

Founding Year: 2000

Mandate:

Forming a community where people can share their love for food. Teaching students how to cook in preparation for university. Hosting events in which students can showcase their culinary prowess. The culinary society has its presence at almost every event, including **PTM's**, where students prepare food items to sell.

Simulating Master Chef, we host an inter-house competition as our most anticipated event of the year.

Instagram Page: [kgs.culinary.society](https://www.instagram.com/kgs.culinary.society)



History Society

Patron: Mr Hammad Junejo
Founding Year: 2022

Mandate:

The objective of the historical society is to allow students the opportunity to explore their interests in history outside of the **school's** curriculum. We hope to facilitate further exploration into historical time periods and themes that stretch from Ancient Greece to the current era, through historical debates, discussions and exciting events. Visits to historical locations in the city and other destinations. Our events include hosting trips to historical sites in the city. We also have an inter-school competition on History.

Who should join?

History enthusiasts with an interest in the rich and varied history of the world and its link to modern day developments.

Instagram Page: @kgshistsociety



Urdu Society

Patron(s): Mr Faizuddin Ahmed and Ms Jamal Fatima

Mandate: Urdu Society is mandated to inculcate the love of Urdu literature and language through these activities:

- o Urdu Elocution
- o Dramatic Reading of Urdu poetry
- o Urdu Play
- o Thematic Poster Design
- o Annual Seerat Event
- o Essay Writing
- o Debate Competition

Who should join?

Those with love and joy for our beautiful native language. To explore further the history, journey and rich development of the language.

Instagram Handle: @KGSUrduSociety



Helpers Society

Patron: Ms Saira Adeel, Ms Sundus Rashid, Mr Faisal Hussain
Founding Year: 1999

Mandate:

The Helpers Society aims to inculcate social responsibility in our students so they can play a meaningful role to support the community at large.

Our approach is solution-oriented and simple: students are encouraged to volunteer at charitable organizations, arrange collection drives and raise funds to support sustainable projects via Bake Sales, information sessions by philanthropists and various leaders in the community.

The objective of the Helpers Society is to encourage, motivate and inspire students to provide services to support the community in not only at the hour of the need but also regularly to make connections and bridge the gap in the society.

Students also develop a holistic personality as well as certain integral skills such as student led initiatives, leadership, organization, communication and team work.

Our Motto: Sympathy, Empathy, Compassion

Instagram Page: [kgs_thehelpers](#)



Dramatica Theatre Society

Patron(s): Onaissa Imtisal Abbasi & Hira Sayem
Founding Year: 2022

Mandate:

Dramatica provides a platform for histrionic performance both on stage and off stage, encouraging students to explore the many processes that lead to meaningful, creative theatre. Our annual events include the Readers Theatre in the first term where students perform original pieces. The second term is when we have our much-awaited Drama Fest weekend.

Who should join?

Budding actors, directors, producers, sound and light editors, set designers, screenwriters...all find a place in the spotlight here.

Instagram Handle: @kgs.dramatics



Visual Arts Society

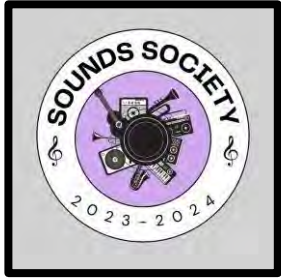
Patron: Ms Sundus Rasheed

Founding Year: 2020

Mandate:

The Visual Arts Society combines a range of arts under one umbrella including fine art, graphic design and film. Our flagship event for the year is GRAMMART.

Instagram Page: @kgs.vas



Sounds Society

Patron: Ms Sundus Rasheed & Mr Hammad
Junejo Founding Year: 2006

Mandate:

To allow our learners to engage in music and the wider range of performing arts including singing, dance and spoken word. Our flagship event for the year is GRAMMART.

The sound society performs at most school and society led events such as Independence day, Founders Day, Sports Day etc.

Instagram Page: @kgssoundsociety



First Aid Society

Patron: Ms Aiza Salam

Founding Year: 2015

Mandate:

The First Aid society aims to equip each and every member of the KGS College Section community with the skills and knowledge to tackle real life emergency scenarios through workshops, presentations and demonstrations.

Instagram Page: @kgs_firstaid



Eastern Music Society
Patron(s): Ms. Yasmeen Zaman & Mr. Asif Jamil
Founding Year: 2007

Mandate:

'Music is a moral law. It gives a soul to the Universe'. - Plato. EMS not only aims to revive traditional music but charted a new path by offering the participants/ audience a diversity ensemble of music genre, stretching all the way from pop, classical, ghazals to Sufi music. As music is expression of culture, EMS also aims to enhance Urdu and other regional languages through music. It allows singers and musicians from different courses and backgrounds to explore their interests, create a bond and have fun.

To promote and revive mainly traditional music; provide participants/audience a diverse ensemble of music genre from classical to pop. It also aims to enhance diverse cultures, Urdu & other regional languages through music & have fun.

Instagram Page: @ems_kgs



The Conservation Society

Patron: Ms Farheen Khan

Founding Year: 2021

Mandate:

The Conservation Society is a highly proactive society which focuses on inculcating and supporting environmental consciousness within the school community. We believe it is important to promote sustainable practices both in and aim to encourage environmental responsibility through various activities, competitions, workshops, drives and more.

Instagram Page: [@kgs.conservationsociety](https://www.instagram.com/kgs.conservationsociety)



Photography Society

Patron: Sir Nadeem Ahmed

Founding Year: 2022

Mandate:

The Karachi Grammar Photography Society aims to remove limitations on creativity by offering every individual a chance to capture various events taking place inside the school premises in their unique way. This is where emerging photographers can hone their skills by learning tricks from their **“buddies.”** Our mission is to create lasting memories with passion and enthusiasm through a range of exciting events and workshops that we have planned for all of you!

Major Annual Event(s):

Exhibition at the end of the academic year

Grammarians and Daily Grammarians

Interhouse event with a house theme

Collaborating with other societies: if an event requires a photographer

Instagram Handle: @KGSPhotographySociety



Entrepreneurship Society

Patron: Ms Shamsa Currimbhoy
Founding Year: 2019

Mandate:

The Entrepreneurship society is one **that's** completely unique. The society caters to aspiring entrepreneurs and business minded individuals through its participation in various external and internal entrepreneurship summits, designed to test and develop skills that successful entrepreneurs need, such as creativity, marketing and budget management. Participants in the society need no prior knowledge or experience as the society is inclusive to everyone. The society is coming off an extremely successful year, winning major trophies at every competition they participated in and are looking forward to continuing their success. The society also frequently holds panel discussions with seasoned entrepreneurs from Pakistan to give an insight into the local business atmosphere and the challenges of doing business in Pakistan.

Instagram Handle: @KGES



KGS Finance League
Patron: Mr Raffae Mansuri
Founding Year: 2022

Mandate:

To act as a gateway between students and the world of practical finance through opportunities beyond coursework.

Major Annual Event(s):

Forex Market Simulation Competition - Students will be given the opportunity to learn about the exports and imports of world powers, along with using that knowledge and current day events to make informed forex portfolios
Financial Literacy Program - Students will receive Financial Literacy, and then will be provided with the tools to develop their own curriculums for various demographics, along with teaching an already developed curriculum to students at schools across Karachi

Instagram Page: @kgs_finance_league



Peer Tutoring Society
Patron: Ms. Maimoona Rehman
Founding Year: 2021

Mandate:

The Peer Tutoring Society provides a platform for young learners to seek academic help from their more experienced peers. Based on the principle of initiative, the society allows for inter-grade collaboration and empowers students to eventually become tutors themselves.

We have held several successful sessions hosting a large number of students, including SAT sessions and exam preparatory sessions. Starting from this year, in collaboration with the Student Learning department, our mission is to continue enhancing the already high academic standard of KGS and to provide a wide array of opportunities for students.

We also offer community service opportunities to our tutors. During the summer and winter school breaks, we host educational camps where school students volunteer to tutor our domestic staff and their children, imparting them with important knowledge and skills.

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Athletes Training Leadership and Skill Society (ATLAS)

Patron: Mr Muhammad Riaz
Founding Year: 2023

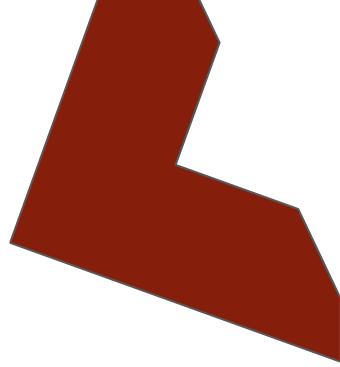
Mandate:

We are a sports society that aims to ensure that every athlete's journey is marked by recognition and respect. We aim to build a platform to represent our schools athletes as they deserve to be brought to light.

This society is for all elite athletes as well as those aspiring to embark on the journey just as a novice. We believe everybody can develop skills if they are willing to put in the work and our student coaches will be with you to actualize your ambitions.

Instagram Handle: [atlas.kgs](https://www.instagram.com/atlas.kgs)

Clubs & Projects





Chess

Patron: Mr Muhammad Shoaib
Founding Year: 2022

Mandate:

For all chess enthusiasts willing to learn and master the game. Training sessions and matches held during break as well as after school. Our main event is the inter-house competitions. Students also partake in inter-school, regional and national level competitions.

Instagram Handle: @kgs_chess



Scrabble

Patron: Ms. Sobia Haleem

Founding Year: 2022

Mandate:

A home for anyone with a love for words, the Scrabble Society will work to cultivate interest in scrabble and encourage learning through engagement, connecting with peers and healthy competition and communication. We aim to host Scrabble workshops, after-school Scrabble games, and want to facilitate Inter-house Scrabble Tournaments, Inter-school Scrabble tournaments and other virtual scrabble competitions.

Instagram Handle: [kgsscrabbleclub](#)



Executors

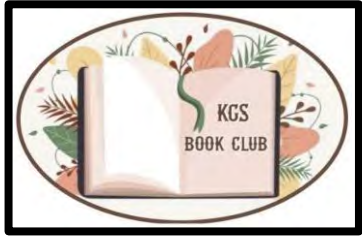
Patron: Ms Sabira Ahmad

Founding Year: 2022

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Readers Club

Patron: Ms Emane Haque

Founding Year: 2022

Mandate:

Book clubs promote a love of literature in a positive, nurturing environment. The purpose of this KGS readers/book club is to bring a community together to learn about and discuss something that is of interest to them,

Students are given one book reading per month after which they all come together and discuss their perspectives, take aways and learnings.



Dead Poets Club
Patron: Ms Zarmina Raza
Founding year: 2021

Mandate:

The Dead Poets Club (DPC) is a space for the writers, poets, and literature enthusiasts of KGS to come together and unleash their creativity in an environment conducive to self-expression and creative externalizing.

Over the course of the school year, DPS holds events such as open mics, writing competitions, literary debates, and various workshops. This year, the Dead Poets Society aims to publish a magazine featuring original work ranging from writing to art and photography.