



# مدرسة جواهر دبي الخاصة DUBAI GEM PRIVATE SCHOOL

## Congratulations Riyan Malhan

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### **RIYAN MALHAN 2023**



Our Year 8 student, Riyan Malhan, is ranked Number 2 in All India Junior Championship (Boys singles U-13) for badminton. He has been trained in the prestigious Prakash Padukone Badminton Academy for a scholarship training program.

In the UAE he has played the prestigious 45th Isc Apex UAE Open Badminton Championship 2023 in (Jan –Feb 2023 ) where he won the Gold medal in Boys Singles (U-15), Silver medal in Boys Singles (U-17) and Men’s Singles (B category). He was also awarded the title of the most promising player of the tournament.

He has been selected for the UAE Team and has represented UAE in Blue Ocean Badminton Asia Team Championship! He has travelled extensively to Uganada, Spain and Cyprus and represented UAE to play Men’s Singles (under 19) where he is ranked 217 according to the Badminton World Federation.

He has recently played the Boys Singles (U 15) in Bahrain Junior International Series where he won the silver medal and is ranked 8<sup>th</sup> in the world according to BWF.



He has also participated in the Al Masah Sports UAE Badminton Gold Junior Championship where he won the gold medal in Boys Singles U 15, the Gold and Silver medal in Boys singles U15 and U17 respectively in the 44<sup>th</sup> UAE open Badminton Tournament, Gold medal in Boys Singles U 15 and Bronze medal in Boys Singles U 17 in the Sudhakar Vemuri UAE Badminton Gold Junior Championship 2023 and the Victor UAE Badminton Gold Junior Championship 2023, where he won the gold medal in Boys Singles (U-15)

The highlight of the year was to knock and play a few shots and train alongside Victor Axelson, the World number 1, from Denmark. These are memories that he will cherish forever.

We, at the DGPS family are very proud of all his achievements and wish him more success!