



Newton International Academy

Relevant regional and economic circumstances

An International Community of Learners, Striving for Excellence and Celebrating Success



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1. Balancing Modernisation and Tradition:

The Qatar 2030 Vision recognises the tension between rapid modernisation and the preservation of Qatari traditions, mirroring the challenges faced by international schools in Qatar. NIA Barwa, as an international school, actively foster respect for Qatari culture and values within its diverse student body, aligning with our values of RESPECT and DIVERSITY. Our curriculum integrates elements of Qatari history, culture, and language to promote a sense of belonging and cultural understanding, contributing to the broader national goal of preserving cultural identity.

2. Sustainable Development and Intergenerational Justice:

The Qatar 2030 Vision emphasises on sustainable development, and ensures that the needs of the present generation are met without compromising future generations. This aligns with NIA Barwa's commitment to ENVIRONMENTAL AWARENESS and SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY. We therefore integrate sustainability into our curriculum through projects focused on environmental conservation, resource management, and responsible citizenship. Furthermore, our operational practises reflect sustainable principles, such as reducing waste and promoting eco-friendly initiatives, thereby modelling responsible behaviour for our students.

3. Managed Growth and Quality of Life:

The Qatar 2030 Vision advocates for managed growth to avoid economic imbalances and stresses. This is relevant to NIA Barwa as we navigate increasing enrollment and expansion. Maintaining a high quality of education and student wellbeing is paramount. This requires strategic planning, resource allocation, and continuous improvement of our teaching and learning practises. We therefore ensure that our growth does not compromise the individualised attention and support that our students need to thrive, aligning with our mission to cater for all abilities.

Newton Group Values:

 Support	 Honesty	 Respect	 Transparent Communication	 Social Responsibility	 Personal Accountability	 Environmental Awareness	 Empathy	 Diversity
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4. Human Development as a Cornerstone:

There is a strong emphasis on human development through education and healthcare, recognising that future success depends on a knowledge-based economy. This directly aligns with NIA Barwa's mission to provide the highest quality of education and to develop critical thinking skills and lifelong learners. We continue to invest in professional development for our teachers, ensuring they are equipped with the latest pedagogical approaches and resources to deliver outstanding teaching and learning, as highlighted in our school objectives. The focus on scientific research and intellectual activity within the Qatar 2030 vision also provides opportunities for NIA to partner with local institutions to foster research and innovation among our students.

5. Social Development and Cohesive Society:

The focus is to promote a just and caring society based on high moral standards, tolerance, and international cooperation. This resonates with NIA Barwa's commitment to fostering global citizenship and promoting values such as HONESTY, EMPATHY, and TRANSPARENT COMMUNICATION. Our curriculum actively promote intercultural understanding, respect for diversity, and responsible global citizenship, preparing our pupils to be active and engaged members of the international community. PSHE, P4C (Philosophy for Children) and Character Education are key tools for developing these values.

6. Economic Diversification and Private Sector Role:

NIA Barwa, as a private international school, plays a role in this diversification by providing high-quality education that prepares pupils for a range of future career paths. We contribute by fostering entrepreneurship and innovation through extracurricular activities and involvement with local businesses/organisations.

Conclusion:

The Qatar National Vision 2030 provides a framework for NIA Barwa to align its strategic goals with the broader national development objectives. By focusing on human development, social responsibility, and environmental awareness, we can contribute to Qatar's transformation into an advanced and sustainable society. Our commitment to outstanding teaching and learning, global citizenship, and student wellbeing will ensure that our students are well-prepared to thrive in a rapidly changing world and to contribute positively to their communities, both locally and globally. By embracing the NIA Way, we integrate the Vision and Mission, our values, and P4C into our everyday practice.

The points on balancing modernisation and tradition, sustainable development, human development, social development, and economic diversification were included because they directly relate to the core values, mission, and objectives of NIA Barwa and the CIS framework. These points provide a clear link between the national vision and the school's strategic priorities.



