

ST. GEORGE'S SCHOOL, EAST JERUSALEM

Established in 1899, adjacent to St. George's Cathedral, St. George's School is known for having many notable alumni. Originally a school for boys, St. George's now serves 700 boys and girls by providing an excellent education at affordable costs for Jerusalem families.

Located just across from St. George's Cathedral close, St. George's School's academic standards are rigorous. The school seeks to prepare young men and recently, young women, for higher education and, ultimately, to assume leadership roles in Palestinian society. Many of its graduates already occupy such positions.

St. George's integrates lessons of tolerance and respect for differences into the curriculum at all levels. Students of all religious, ethnic, and economic backgrounds are educated together in an atmosphere that fosters Christian values.

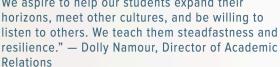


K-12 academic education for children living in Jerusalem



With few positive models and countless negative pressures, it is no wonder that hall monitors are necessary at the boys' high school. But among these at-risk young Palestinian men is exactly where hope, education, and productive life-skills are most needed. St. George's School is patiently, courageously doing this difficult work.

 The Rev. Cn. Nicholas Porter, AFEDJ trustee and Jerusalem Peacebuilders' executive director We aspire to help our students expand their horizons, meet other cultures, and be willing to listen to others. We teach them steadfastness and resilience." — Dolly Namour, Director of Academic



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AT A GLANCE St. George's School

- + The Very Rev. Hosam Naoum, Principal
- + Founded in 1899
- + The Rev. Wilbert Awdry, author of The Railway Series, taught at the school in 1933-1936.
- + Languages spoken: English, Arabic, and Hebrew
- + Most students come in as Kindergarteners and stay all 13 years until graduation