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A Celebration of Determination: Karim's Journey to Success

Yesterday, I arrived at my office to find a beautiful drawing created by Karim. It was a heartfelt wish for a great 2025. Karim is a remarkable student of determination who has completed his degree in Business Administration at ADU.

Karim's journey to graduation was not easy. He faced many challenges, but he never gave up. One of his biggest supporters was his mother. For four years, she attended every lecture with him. Her love and encouragement played a vital role in his success. She always believed in him and pushed him to strive for excellence. In addition, the support he got from his professors was exceptional.

Another important person in Karim's story is Ms. **Roula Qasem** from the student affairs department at Abu Dhabi University headed by Dean **Shakib Farhat**. Ms. Roula provided Karim with the support he needed, helping him navigate his studies and offering guidance along the way. Her dedication to helping students like Karim shows how important it is to have a strong support system.

Karim's story teaches us about the importance of supporting students with determination. When students face challenges, having a support network can make all the difference. Whether it is a parent, a friend, or a teacher, encouragement can help students achieve their goals.

Karim is now helping the students affairs department at ADU with some events. He always brings joy and positivity.

Let us celebrate Karim and all students who show incredible determination. With support from family and mentors, they can reach their dreams and inspire others.

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