



PROSPECTUS



St. JOHN'S SCHOOL

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Mission

To provide excellent learning atmosphere where the potential and talents of each child are developed to their maximum which will enable them to attain self-actualization and thereby lead the development of society as responsible citizens.

Vision

Excellent Education to mould Excellent Citizens





Introduction

Education enlighten human minds and enable individuals to fulfill the purpose of life. Moulding future generations on a strong foundation of values and knowledge, along with the pragmatic skills to face the challenges of emerging world is the aim of St. John's School, Thumpamon. Ever since its establishment in 1987, the institution has touched the lives of thousands of children. As its founder Sri. T I John has envisioned, the institution is in constant efforts to make positive changes in the life of every individual who come in contact with it, thereby empowering the society. Its motto is 'Learn to Serve.' The school is affiliated to Central Board of Secondary Education, New Delhi vide Affiliation No : 930084.



Values & Objectives

Accept the uniqueness of each child.

Enable the faculty to identify the potential of each child.

Support the parents to understand the learning styles of their children.

Modify the behavioral patterns of students, if they are found not suitable for our society.

Understand people in a global and broader perspective.

Respect freedom, preferences and choices of other individuals.

Respect all religions and cultures and thereby all human beings.

Human mind and body are precious. Therefore they must be protected and developed to its full potential.

Develop ethics and values in the mind of children
Help children to maintain healthy relationship in society .

Help children to realize the impact of modern technologies and social media and use them wisely.

Prepare children to face the challenges and uncertainties in life.

Governing Body

The school is under the management of the Idicula Trust Society (Regd.) which is constituted of educationalists and philanthropists. The head office and the main schools are located at Faridabad, Haryana. The Trust is renowned for its consistent presence in Social welfare and Developmental activities among weaker sessions of society.



History



St. John's Group of Schools has a sparkling history of 55 years with its first School at Faridabad which got established on 17th August, 1965. As its founder Mr. T I John has envisaged, all the six institutions are committed to mould future generations who would be the ambassadors of peace and prosperity. The torch of enlightenment through education, handed over by the founder has been promptly taken to higher zeniths by the present Director Mr. Joseph John. This renowned educational group ensures excellence in terms of academic quality, efficient faculty, technological advancements and professional approach. Several Social welfare programmes have been channeled through these institutions with the involvement of staff, students and parent community. St. John's School at Thumpamon has completed 33 years of glorious performance in



education sector and flourishes as the largest CBSE School in Central Travancore.

Scheme of Education

PRE-PRIMARY [KINDERGARTEN]

Fundamental personality traits and intellectual development of an individual are attained within the first five years of life. Training, recognition, care and love that the children receive make permanent imprints in their mind. That is why the kindergarten classes are of high relevance. Considering this, St. John's School has set a separate campus for pre-primary. Safe and hygienic environment with all infrastructure facilities for learning and playing, smart digital classrooms and learning softwares are provided here to bring about the total development of children. Care and love of teachers as well as Ayahs here make the place feel as another home for children. Student centered teaching methods are adopted to identify the need of each child and help them to grow into full potential. Prime importance is given to develop speaking, listening, reading and cognitive skills. Socialization skills as well as manners and habits are nurtured for equipping them to study well in higher classes. Students are given admission in three age groups, viz. Play School (3 Years), LKG (4 Years), UKG (5 Years).



PRIMARY[CLASSI – IV]

Primary classes from 1 to 4 give the foundation for formal education in higher classes. The School curriculum is planned in a systematic way so as to develop communication skills, creativity, knowledge and moral values. Ample provisions are made available to express and nurture the inherent talents of children. Smart classrooms provide digitalized lessons and technological inputs.

Students are given training in Computer from Class 1 onwards. Teachers provide friendly guidance and help to overcome learning difficulties faced by certain children. The common objective is to make students self-reliant in learning various subjects and fluent in three languages.

MIDDLE CLASS [CLASS V – VIII]

Middle classes are the stepping stones to selected subjects. During this period, teachers and parents can identify the prominent aptitude of children and guide them to the practical applications of various subjects. Being in their physiological transformation stage, they need continuous support and guidance in developing stable personality. While following NCERT curriculum, more facilities and options for co-scholastic development as well as interpersonal skills development are provided. Rigorous attention is given at this stage to identify students

with high potential in sports and other scholastic areas. Martial arts and soft skill training are arranged as part of the time table.

SECONDARY – [CLASS IX, X]

Class IX and X are systematically planned with NCERT curriculum. Ample provisions and facilities are arranged for the physical, emotional and Intellectual development of students. Highly experienced teachers lead the classes. Personal attention is given to students with setbacks and those who are living away from parents. Subjects are English, Hindi/Malayalam, Science, Mathematics, Social Studies and Computer.

SENIOR SECONDARY – [CLASS XI, XII]

Senior Secondary division is the biggest in Central Travancore area. Science, Commerce and Humanities subjects are available. The school has proved its academic excellence by consistently attaining 100% result for 12th Class since 2002. Facilities for preparing students for entrance examination for higher studies are available. Opportunities to express their talents in National and International platforms are provided to students.



Subjects in Senior Secondary

STREAM	GROUPS	SUBJECTS	PREFERENCE
Science	A	English, Mathematics, Chemistry, Physics, Computer Science	I / II / III
	B	English, Biology, Chemistry, Physics, Computer Science	
	C	English, Mathematics, Biology, Chemistry, Physics	
Commerce	D	English, Business Studies, Accountancy, Economics, Computer Science / Mathematics / Malayalam	
Humanities	E	English, History, Political Science, Economics, Business Studies / Malayalam / Physical Education	

Examination

The CBSE has renewed its evaluation scheme with two terms in an academic year. There will be two Term Examinations out of which the second one is Final Examination. There will be two class tests each in every semester. 80% of the marks is from Term examination. Remaining 20% is from internal assignments such as class tests, assignments and note book submission. Class X and Class XII examinations are conducted by the CBSE. There will be Model Examinations and revisions before final Board Examination. Eligibility criteria for promotion to next higher class is 33% of marks in each subject.

Library

An elaborate collection of reference and study materials are available for students. Moreover, reading habit is inculcated in students by including Library hours in time table. It is enabled with latest library software modules, CDs and DVDs for demonstration of science subjects as well as language skill development. E-library facility is an advanced option for students.

Laboratories

Systematically planned laboratories with all the hi-tech equipment for various experiments in Physics, Chemistry and Biology have been set



for Secondary and Senior Secondary students. Air conditioned laboratories of the school under the supervision of faculty with vast experience in scientific application act as the incubators for the future professionals in Engineering, Medicine and other Technical areas.

Computer Lab

There are two spacious and well equipped Computer Laboratories catering to the needs of all students of the school. A team of professionals in computer application guides the students and pave the foundation for genius brains in software programming, web applications and artificial intelligence.

Transportation

The school provides transportation facilities for the students coming from various parts of Pathanamthitta and Alappuzha Districts. We have a fleet of 18 buses for collecting students from different places. Those who need the facility must submit separate application form in the office.

Faculty

The school is proud of its well qualified and committed faculty with long years of

experience in Kerala and abroad. These teachers ensure personal attention to every child with their parental affection and compassion. Retired college professors with their expertise and long years of experience act as visiting faculty for secondary and senior secondary classes along with the trained and skilled permanent faculty. Many of our faculty are talented in Art, Craft and Science scenarios and they train children in respective co-curricular areas.

Admission

Admission to various classes starts in January of every year. Application can be obtained either from the office or downloaded from website www.stjohnsschoolkerala.com.

Entrance examination

For classes from 2 to 10, there will be an entrance examination. There are two dates for entrance. 1st Saturday of March and 1st Saturday of May of every academic year

Selection

Selection of students to each class will be based on their marks in previous class and the score in entrance examination. Interviews will be conducted for shortlisted candidates.



If the child comes from another state, Transfer Certificate has to be countersigned by the Education Officer of that place. For students seeking admissions from abroad, Transfer Certificate has to be countersigned by the Embassy of the country from where the pupil is seeking admission.

Parents and guardians shall make sure of the name and date of birth of children before they are recorded in the school register. The name and date of birth once entered cannot be altered without the written permission of the competent authority. Admission Forms should be filled in with utmost care.

Satisfactory Testimonials of good conduct is required for pupils who come from other institutions.

One may consider admitted only after the payment of fees and submission of all documents needed.

Training & Counselling

Counselling facilities are given to our students by eminent Counsellors. Training to address various adolescent issues as well as training in Public Speaking, Attitude, Emotional Quotient, Social Skills are conducted for teachers and students.

Uniforms

Sample materials and pattern for uniform will be provided from office. Parents can purchase the same material from any suitable shop but design and pattern should be strictly followed.

Withdrawals

Application for Transfer or Conduct Certificate shall be submitted in writing. They will however, be issued only a day after the receipt of the application. Transfer or conduct certificate will not be issued during vacation.

School Fees

All fees should be paid at the office in the morning from 09:00 am to 01:00 pm and an official receipt will be given on receipt of money.

Fees can also be paid online by using NEFT/ by the link given in the school website www.stjohnsschoolkerala.com. Account payee cheques in favour of St. John's School, Thumpamon are also accepted.

The Tuition Fees cover ten calendar months and must be paid in bimonthly installments



from students of KG to Class X, and Quarterly installments from Class XI to XII.

If fees are not paid by the due date, the student may be debarred from sitting in the class and if dues exceed two quarter fees, their name may be struck off from the register and to continue, the readmission fee shall be charged.

School Timings :

- Class timings are from 09:00 am to 03:30 pm.
- Office Timing : 08:30 am to 04:30 pm
Monday to Friday 08:30 am to 01:00 pm on Saturdays except second Saturday
- Parents can meet the teachers after 03:20pm Monday to Friday or on 1st and 3rd Saturdays (09:00 am to 03:00 pm). Parents are not allowed to meet the teachers when school is in session. Visitors including previous students can meet teachers only at Office or Staff room after class timing.
- Parents can meet Principal between 01:30 pm to 02:30 pm from Monday to Friday or by prior appointment.

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Location Sketch



Disciplinary Rules & Regulations

1. Students must come in full uniform on all days. Uniform must be ironed and cleaned. Any exception shall be sanctioned only on Medical basis with due certification.
2. Students must have clean and tidy grooming. Beards and fancy hair styles are not allowed. Tattoos and informal ornaments are not allowed in the school.
3. Mobile phones and smart watches are strictly banned in school.
4. Toys, masks, caps, turbans and electronic play items must not be bring to school.
5. Absence from school without formal intimation will cause disciplinary action.

Uniform Patterns



Play, LKG, UKG, Class I & II



Class III, IV & V



Class VI, VII & VIII

6. Those who need sick leave must bring a written request and medical certificate must also be produced.
7. No shouting or whistling is allowed in the school building. Throwing bits of chalk on others or teasing classmates is strictly forbidden.
8. The students are liable to be punished and dismissed for the following reasons :
 - i. Immoral behaviour
 - ii. Mischief among students
 - iii. Destruction of school property
 - iv. Fights in the school premises before, during or after school hours.
 - v. Misuse of social media
9. Children should not bring crackers, Mobile phones, colours, Walkman, cameras etc. to the school. Bursting of crackers and playing with colours is an offence leading to expulsion of a student from school.
10. Care must be taken of school property and no girl / boy should scratch or spoil the desks, chairs, school buses or damage any school furniture, write or draw anything on the walls in anyway or damage things belonging to others. Anyone who sees something damaged or spoiled should report the matter to the class teachers or to the principal.
11. The cost of repairs caused by damages to the school property will be charged from the pupil concerned along with a fine.
12. No books (other than text books or library) CD, magazines or papers may be brought to the school without the principal's permission.
13. Money should not be lent or borrowed or articles exchanged.
14. Students are not allowed to bring razor, blades or any sharp instruments to school
15. No child will be allowed to go home once he/she enters the school premises, without permission. In case of emergency, parents can take the child only with the permission of the Principal. If parents are sending other people for collecting their ward, a written authorization letter should be sent to the Principal. The child should obtain a gate pass from the Principal and should be presented at the gate at the time of leaving the school premises.
16. Students are not allowed to bring vehicles to the school premises.

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Class IX & X



Class XI & XII



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