









# APOLLO INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL

**DEHRADUN** 

**Prospectus** 



#### Chairman Message

AlS is dedicated to the pursuit of academic excellence, encouraging students to become independent and perceptive thinkers; confident, enlightened learners; and socially-responsible citizens,



with a mindset that can both interact and integrate effectively with people of different race, culture and religion.

We are also committed to inculcating in all our students, strong ethical values of integrity, respect and discipline as well as clarity in thought and decision-making ability, as a life-long process, which a good education fosters.

In order to achieve all this, AIS follows a rigorous program that is based upon the best educational practices, highly progressive and recognized worldwide; and one that creates conditions for students to maximize their potential at an internationally competitive level. Our state-of-the-art infrastructure, coupled with highly qualified staff and well-trained teachers, will ensure that the students at AIS will be able to gain an enriching experience.

AIS is the foundation for a new generation of leaders and innovators, who continue to pave the way for a better and brighter future for our world.

Thanking you,

Mr. Sushil Kumar Bansal Founder & Chairman

# **Welcome Address**

#### Principal Message

It is my proud privilege to be a part of Apollo International School which is one of the most advanced educational institutions in Dehradun.



At Apollo International School

we value every individual in our care and it is our aim to provide the best possible environment in which children can succeed. We are fortunate to have a talented, highly committed teaching and support staff here to ensure the learning environment of our students is the best it can be. Our Anglican foundation provides the fabric with which the tapestry of our students' experiences unfolds. Optimism, tradition, inclusiveness, service, compassion, tolerance, hope and faithfulness are the underpinnings of AIS education. It is in this context that our students learn.

We seek to instil in our students a passion for learning that will bring the knowledge and understanding they will need to make a positive contribution to the communities in which they live and work.

We would be delighted to be involved in the education of your child and to foster in her/him the values we value and seek for our departing students.

#### Mohit Bansal

Principal



# The School

The verdant, beautiful 22 Bighas campus of Apollo International School (AIS) is situated in the picturesque surroundings at Sahastradhara Road, Dehradun. It has a grand view of Mussoorie hills with a serene environment free from all distractions. It is easily accessible by road from Jolly Grant Airport, Dehradun.

It is a secular, co-educational, day and residential school dedicated to the pursuit of excellence. Whether in the field of academics, sports, arts or music, we believe that every child has inherent talents that we strive to unearth and foster through individual attention.

Apollo International School was founded in March 1999 in order to provide quality education - a place where the students' needs are the centre of the educational philosophy. The School prepares children to appear for the CBSE Board examination.



To be a world class school that provides best of education in the formative years by blending culture and spiritualism and using modern technological tools, taught by highly qualified faculty to deliver best citizens of the world.

#### Our Mission

To achieve our vision in an environment of love, kindness & discipline with our students, parents & educational system. The school adopts a flexible approach to learning incorporating local and global perspectives. Our mission is to promote academic excellence, a balanced life and responsible citizens of the country and the world.

# Why AIS ??

#### Our Educational Policy

Extract and develop the potential of individual students to the maximum, by offering enough time to improve basic academic skills and inspire interest in study.

Educate students in the value of communication through relationships with teachers and foster rich minds to communicate with others with sincerity.

Achieve any goal with a passion and have a life policy full of





"Those who educate children well are more to be honoured than parents, for these only gave life, those the art of living well" - Aristotle

Academic results in AIS School are consistently high with students achieving well above national averages for equivalent examinations

## Inside the classroom

- With a maximum of 30 students in a class, every child receives the personal attention that he/she deserves and needs.
- A broad range of subject areas are taught to provide children with sufficient flexibility when choosing their area of specialization.
- Innovative problem-solving techniques, questioning, and active participation in discussions are strongly encouraged to build curiosity and confidence.
- Unique teaching methods are used to make learning a fun, interactive and engaging process.
- Teachers are approachable and friendly. They encourage children to think, question and freely express themselves during lessons.

# Outside the classroom

 Yoga, Meditation and Prayer form an integral part of the school curriculum so that students have a calm and unburdened mind.

Leadership

Confidence

Respect

Tolerance

- Celebrations of cultural festivals and historic occasions, both national and international, foster a spirit of togetherness amongst children.
- Inter-house and school-wide events are organized to inculcate a spirit of loyalty and healthy competition in the children and to showcase their talents.
- Excursions, field trips and off-campus activities are organized frequently to explore varied areas of interest.

### **Affiliation**

Presentation

Communication

The school is affiliated to the Central Board of Secondary Education (CBSE), New Delhi, preparing students for All India Secondary School Examination (AISSE) and All India Senior School Certificate Examination (AISSCE), offering Science, Commerce & Humanities streams at AISSCE level.

# Co-Curricular Programme

Apollo International School has a mandatory co-curricular programme that fully supports a child's learning process. All students at AIS pursue different activities based on their interests.

#### Sports & Games

Besides nurturing their athletic talents, it inculcates a spirit of healthy competition and team work in students. Qualified trainers and coaches monitor the progress of every child, to ensure that they learn, and excel at a wide range of sports and games. It includes Athletics, Cricket, Football, Volleyball, Kho-kho., Badminton, Chess, Table Tennis, Basketball, Aerobics, Martial Arts, Yoga

#### **Performing Arts**

An involvement in Performance Arts helps students to increase academic discipline and provides them with a medium for self-expression. It includes Drums, Guitar, Harmonium, Piano, Singing, Tabla , Synthesizer, Indian and Western Dance, Theatre

#### Creative interests

Pursuing hobbies and interests is a great way to enhance one's personality and discover hidden talents. It includes Calligraphy, Clay Modelling, Drawing, Gardening, Origami, Painting

#### Personality Development

The importance of inter-personal and communication skills cannot be undermined in today's competitive world. These need to be instilled in a person at a young age as it gets harder to acquire them as we grow older. It includes Debate, Elocution, Etiquette Building, Presentation, Skills, Public Speaking, Reading









# **Boarding Life**



The time spent by a student at AIS is not just the gathering of memories for a lifetime, but, a genuine cycle of growth: physical, mental and spiritual.

#### **Highlights**

- We at AIS believe every child possesses special intelligence, which he/ she exhibits in either academics or sports or co-curricular activities. Every child in the school boarding is given additional help in academics under the supervision of a teacher.
- Each floor of the Boarding House is supervised by an experienced residential House Parent. They counsel students on real life issues, besides their academic concerns.
- The progress of each child is meticulously recorded and monitored periodically to assess the progress of each individual. Phone facilities and internet connectivity are provided to enable effective communication opportunities for our students.
- A neat and tidy school attire facilitates learning, besides inculcating a habit of being well-dressed and presentable.
- Common Rooms are equipped with cable TV, Chess, Carom boards and other indoor games besides ample space for socializing.
- The students unwind with movie shows during weekends that are carefully selected by the school committee.
- The School celebrates various festivals of our culture.
   The underlying thread is Universal brotherhood and Unity in Diversity. We aim to teach our students that Religion is not differential; it is a Unifying cord, a reason for celebration.
- AIS has a sterile, hygienic, vegetarian refectory with specialist chefs catering to the nutritional needs of the students.
- The Health Centre comprises of well qualified doctors along with a consultation room. The School also has a tie-up with nearby hospitals for emergency.

- Laundry Services, including washing, drying and pressing in sanitized conditions, are extended to the students.
- A reliable security system with professional security personnel, a completely fenced campus, and 24/7 guard duty are in place to safeguard the sprawling campus.

We aim to make the schooling experience safe, secure, purposeful and fun. The stress-free & nurturing environment at AIS creates the right ambience for both study and leisure.





# **Facilities at AIS**

The sprawling AIS campus strikes a balance between modern facilities and natural surroundings, creating an atmosphere that is ideal for students to learn, explore, and grow in perfect harmony with nature.

The academic, co-curricular and ancillary zones are purposebuilt with state-of-the-art infrastructure and a broad range of provisions.

#### Academic Zone

- Spacious and innovatively designed classrooms
- Suite of separate laboratories to encourage experiential learning
- Well-stocked Library to facilitate independent research and learning

#### Co Curricular Zone

- Playing and practice grounds for cricket, football, basketball and volleyball
- Games Halls for table tennis, chess, martial arts and other indoor games
- Suite of rooms for music and dance, equipped with superior sound and light systems
- Art Studios for drawing, painting and other artistic interests

#### Ancillary Zone

- Dining hall with best hygiene standards.
- Administrative Block with faculty rooms and offices.
- Continuous IT support





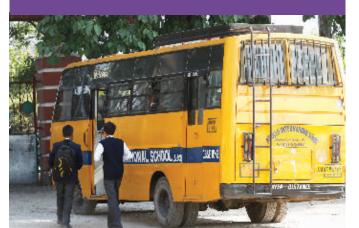
# **Amenities**

#### Multi-purpose Hall:

Our Multi-purpose Hall solves the purpose of auditorium, examination hall as well as meeting point. With a classy look& feel, the school multi-purpose hall makes a perfect atmosphere where students can explore themselves like never before.

#### Transportation:

The School has its own fleet of buses to pick students from any destination in Dehradun. Each bus has a driver, conductor who is provided with mobile phone for the easy access of the parents along with complete safety and security of the children.



# **Admissions**

Apollo International School welcomes students to an enriching and joyful learning experience. The Admission Procedure is completely transparent.

#### **Admissions Process**

Pre-Primary: Parents applying for Play, Nursery & K.G. will be required to fill out an Application Form. There will be no formal tests or interviews conducted on the child.

Grades 1 onwards: A simple, yet comprehensive admission process will be used:

- Initial Screening on the basis of an Application Form
- Aptitude Test to determine the child proficiency across different subject areas
- Interaction with child and parents to assess the child's ability and eagerness to gain from the AIS experience

Parents/guardians can obtain the Application Form, from the School Campus (during school hours) on payment of fees of Rs. 500/- in cash. Please retain receipt for future reference.



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