



JSS INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL, DUBAI



The JSS MAHAVIDYAPEETHA (JSSMVP)

JSSMVP is a Socio-Cultural Society (Trust) that has dedicated itself to the development of culture, literature and education for the prosperity of society in general and also serves as a tool for social change. 'Education for All' is the central teaching of this Trust. From humble beginnings less than six decades ago, it has grown into a social force that transcends boundaries and cultures. It has taken a lead in spreading literacy, providing healthcare and rural development and strengthening culture, as it works towards the economic upliftment of society.

The Trust has established more than 300 Institutions spread across India and overseas with centers in USA, Mauritius & Dubai, in the field of school and collegiate education.

Touching the lives of millions...

Medical and Para Medical Science, Engineering, Pharmacy, Law, Management Education, Sahana Schools for special needs children, School for the Blind, Institute of Speech & Hearing, Vocational Training Centres for the youth and Professional Training Institutions.

JSSMVP runs more than 120 schools in India. The standard of education is consistently outstanding, resulting in academic excellence. These institutions also provide abundant opportunities for sports and cultural activities with excellent infrastructure. Alumni are spread all over the world, working in various fields as successful contributors to society.



The JSS INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL (JSSIS)

The JSS International School, Dubai was inaugurated on the 30th March 2009, by H.E. Dr. A.P.J. Abdul Kalam, Former President of India and H.E. Dr. Hanif Hassan Ali, Minister for Education, UAE, in the gracious presence of H.H. Jagdguru Sri Shivarathri Deshikendra Mahaswamiji, Sri Suttut Math (Mysore Dist.) and Mr.Venu Rajamony, The Consul General of India.

Dr.A.P.J.Abdul Kalam in his inaugural address spoke of

"Providing, the Youth with Knowledge, Power, Value systems and Confidence should be the Goal of Education... JSS has been in the mission of spreading Education for over five decades and has created world class institutions both in India and abroad".

THE LOGO



A world of opportunity. A world of challenge. A world so different from the one we've always known. What are we doing to prepare our children for it? How are we equipping them to make their mark? By Creating a Culture of Excellence, by being world-class ourselves and by bringing together the Best Learning Opportunities and Techniques to enhance our childrens' Calibre and Global Competitiveness. We want them to become the leaders of their generation., sharing not only their own destiny but that of the world they inherit.

Above: To rise above the ordinary, above every circumstance, every challenge. To rise above minor differences and set our sights on higher goals with integrity and courage.

Ahead: To be ahead in a competitive world as a leader and inspire others to follow, by raising standards and setting new benchmarks.

Beyond: To think beyond the obvious. To see beyond the immediate. To go beyond the common horizon. To excel beyond expectations.



The SCHOOL (JSSIS)

The JSS International School is a day boarding school which follows the curriculum laid down by the Council for the Indian School Certificate Examinations (CISCE), New Delhi. As a learning organization, JSSIS provides the highest quality educational programmes by blending education with technology and an environment conducive to learning which fosters the all round development of the child. The school offers a well balanced and broad curriculum with emphasis on creativity and excellence through various curricular, extra curricular and sports activities. At JSSIS, each student is encouraged to develop leadership qualities along with intrapersonal skills.

JSSIS brings in more than sixty years of experience of educational institutions network. The school aims to provide an extensive, stimulating and structured educational experience of the highest level. As a progressive school, JSSIS is committed and will strive to provide a congenial, positive and secure atmosphere to the children who begin their student life with JSSIS. The school has implemented an educational programme, which inculcates in the students the qualities of leadership, initiative, sensitivity, adaptability, togetherness, honesty and social consciousness. The students are encouraged to attain their maximum potential, to become contributing members of the ever changing society and global community.

JSSIS is a centre for excellence and a heaven for learning, where the students are empowered to channelize their energies, to take responsibility for themselves and become responsible world citizens.

The SCHOOL with Difference

The JSSIS pedagogy integrates learning with technology where educational methods and material are enhanced by the use of smart boards, multimedia and learning software.

At JSSIS we believe that

Each child is unique and talented.

Encouraging students to put in hardwork and at the same time cultivating in them the habit of creative thinking, desire to excel at every level, with the amalgamation of a rich culture with modern technology knitted with the 3C's - (Confidence, Creativity and Character) which enables them to become critical thinkers and life long learners.

The holistic education will transform our students, who in turn can make a difference to the society and the world.

The productive partnership with the parents enables the school in providing a progressive educational programme.

The MISSION



Impart a complete Education to produce Global Citizens with a keen sense of Commitment, Selfconfidence, Social awareness and Responsibility.

The VISION



Relating Education to Life.

Message from the CEO



Legendary sportsman Jimmy Johnson once said: **"The difference between ordinary and extraordinary is that little extra"**.

I believe that extraordinary opportunities equal extraordinary results which is why JSS International School strives to provide students with opportunities they can explore to find that little 'extra' which will propel them to success in life's journey.

Education can be a sum of many things. While JSSIS Dubai endeavors to incorporate all of its educational values, what is important for us as educators is to inculcate a positive and confident attitude into each child who passes through our portals.

A positive attitude causes a chain reaction of positive thoughts, events and outcomes. It is a catalyst and it sparks extraordinary results.

The JSS Mahavidyapeetha, Mysore, India has over six decades of experience in running over 300 Educational Institutions across the Globe which has made us fully conscious of the fact that good education provides the right platform for the future. We are here to transform lives for the benefit of our society and for students to embrace our core values of learning, discovery, freedom, leadership, individual opportunity and responsibility.

I have no doubt that the committed faculty we have at JSSIS and the unreserved support of the parents will help to achieve our goal.

I welcome you to take a tour of our school and see first-hand how we mould and build young lives into responsible citizens.

Dr. Shivkumar D.P.

Principal's Message



JSS International School is a vibrant learning community that encourages a three way partnership between students, parents and the school. The strength of that partnership is reflected in the success of our students.

The school values every child in its care and strives to provide a happy, safe and intellectually challenging environment helping students reach their highest potential.

Our academic program includes breadth and depth, is rigorous and is tailored to meet individual needs. We encourage and recognize high level of academic standards and have a high expectation of personal discipline which would help our students in their life after school.

JSS International School is a wonderful place for students from diverse backgrounds to grow educationally, get involved, take initiatives and have a meaningful school experience.

It gives me pride to be the Principal of JSS International School. I have an open door policy and urge all parents to take this opportunity and discuss any issue with me so that we can move forward together.

I can be reached at
principal@jssisdubai.com.

Mrs. Lata Nakra



Partnership with Parents

Productive partnerships with parents are an integral part of the campus culture and this enables the school in providing progressive educational programmes.

Induction Day for new students and parents.

Open House to discuss areas of mutual concern and interest.

Parent-Teacher Meetings.

Parent involvement in school activities.

Regular communication through students' diary and portal.

Voluntary support from parents in conducting seminars and workshops.

Accompanying students and teachers on trips arranged by the school.

To develop physical abilities, intellectual skills, emotional stability, social adjustment and cultural appreciation.

To provide child centered education that facilitates and supports students to reach their potential.

To develop a global sense of belonging to humanity as a whole so as to achieve National Integration and International Understanding.

To pursue excellence and set pace in the field of school education.

To inspire children to embrace challenges by exposing them to a wonderful and joyous world of learning which ensures success to every student.

To infuse a spirit of responsibility for the emergence of a global society.

The JSS Promise to

Students...

...We promise to help you become Independent, Responsible and Reliable Citizens with high standards of behaviour and exceptional character.

Parents...

...We promise to provide your child an inspiring and engaging learning environment, with a sound programme in all areas of study, with honest feedback and transparency in all our student dealings.

Teachers...

...We promise to listen to your thoughts, encourage your creativity, believe in your efforts and ideas, value your strategic insight, input and experience and stand by you in your Innovative Approach to Academic and Non-Academic endeavours.



The Curriculum

The JSS International School follows the curriculum laid down by the Council for the Indian School Certificate Examinations (CISCE).

Our mission is to provide for the varying educational needs of a culturally diverse and geographically dispersed students body with a goal of preparing them academically, personally and professionally for successful careers.

The school has designed an international curriculum that is built around a strong ethical component that sets before the students a considerable amount of knowledge, coupled with respect for cultures and values of different regions of the world.

Academic Environment

The programme stresses on Experiential and Collaborative Learning through workshops, interactive sessions, role plays, project work, group discussions and games. The integrated curriculum enables students to think and solve problems, and comprehend concepts with manifold perspectives. The activity based learning enables students to enjoy the subjects and learn without any fear. We seek to redefine achievements based on the capability for the life long learning and acquisition of life skills rather than mere academic excellence.

The Faculty

The school pursues a policy of careful recruitment of quality teachers followed by an intensive orientation. These efforts have translated into the formation of a highly qualified and experienced team of teachers, who are committed to their profession.

Teaching faculty is recruited from India and abroad. Teachers are chosen not only for their academic qualification and work experience but also for their communication skills, adaptability and dedication to work, willingness to learn and utility of innovative methods in classroom setting.

Extremely efficient, professional and friendly staff lend their expertise that encourages the students to Search, Plan, Think, Apply and Act to reach their Goals.

Focus is oriented on students and an activity based curriculum for the holistic growth of the child in an enriching and challenging atmosphere. Technology is an integral part of the curriculum and is used as a vital tool to enhance and accelerate the learning process. As per the Ministry Regulations, Arabic is compulsory language upto Grade 9.

The Scheme of Studies

Foundation Stage (Pre-KG, KG 1 & KG 2)

Children are like tender shoots that have to be nurtured lovingly and also handled delicately. The care given at kindergarten is gentle and warm. By nature, children are active learners and they need hands on experience. The curriculum at this level is meaningful, fun filled, a blend of indoor and outdoor activities that focuses on motor control and concept building. Attention is paid to languages, communication development, social and emotional development. The subjects introduced at this level are English, Mathematics and Environmental Science. Children's cognitive and perceptive abilities are developed through various activities like art, craft, music, dance, nature walks, excursions and competitions.

Primary Stage (Grade 1 to Grade 5)

At the primary level, the emphasis is on multiple skill development, encouraging students to think creatively and critically by adopting activity based instructional strategies. The subjects offered at this stage are English, Second Language (Hindi/French), Arabic, Mathematics, Science/EVS, Social Studies (UAE), Islamic Studies, Computer Education, Art & Craft, Music, Dance, Socially Useful Productive Work (SUPW), Physical & Health Education. Overall development is supported by Art Education, Work Experience, Sports Activities, Health Education, Music, Dance, and Co-Curricular activities. Moral values are inculcated through Value Education/Islamic Studies. Participating in Club Activities and Inter House competitions, students imbibe the spirit of healthy competition. Students are also encouraged to take part and excel in inter school competitions.

Middle School (Grade 6 to Grade 8)

At this stage, the focus shifts to self directed and collaborative learning. Students are encouraged to be self motivated and confident in their endeavour through experimental, co-operative and participative learning. The subjects offered at this stage are English, Second Language (Hindi/French), Mathematics, Physics, Chemistry, Biology, History, Civics, Geography, Arabic, Value Education/ Islamic Studies, Computer Education, Art and Craft, Music, Dance, Socially Useful Productive Work (SUPW), Physical and Health Education and Life Skills. The Co-Curricular activities make the learners aesthetically responsive. Sports activities make the students physically fit and mentally alert. Club activities, theatre and drama, inter and intra school activities provide students an opportunity to discover their talents in diverse fields with the right spirit.





Secondary Stage (Grade 9 to Grade 12)

At the secondary level, students are trained to be self-reliant and resourceful to manage challenges effectively to actualize their goals. The CISCE curriculum fosters divergent and perceptive thinking and problem-solving skills. It helps to comprehend concepts and to incorporate information gathered from various sources through experimental and research-based learning. The course of studies at this stage are as per the CISCE guidelines.

Group I (compulsory)

English, Hindi/French/Sanskrit, History, Civics and Geography, Environmental Education, Arabic as per the UAE Syllabus.

Group II (any two subjects)

Mathematics, Science (Physics, Chemistry and Biology), Economics, Commercial Studies.

Group III (any one subject)

Computer Application, Economic Application, Commercial Application, Fashion Designing, Technical Drawing, Value Education/Islamic Studies, Physical Education, Art and Craft, SUPW and Music as per the CISCE guidelines. Theatre activities, extracurricular activities, club activities, various competitions and special sessions are an integral part of the school programme.

Subjects offered in Grade 11 for ISC examination:

Compulsory Subject

1. English

SCIENCE Stream

1. Physics
2. Chemistry
3. Mathematics/ Psychology / Computer Science / Art
4. Biology / Economics / Psychology / Computer Science / Art

COMMERCE Stream

1. Commerce
2. Accounts / Sociology
3. Mathematics / Sociology / Psychology
4. Economics / Computer Science / Art

HUMANITIES Stream

1. History
2. Geography
3. Political Science / Home Science
4. Mathematics / Sociology / Psychology
5. Economics / Computer Science / Art

Note: Subject options will be provided only if there are minimum 15 students opting for the subject.



The Activities

It is a well established fact that self esteem is determined by how successful we are in accomplishing tasks or reaching the goals we value. It is therefore incumbent on the institution to provide adequate opportunities to succeed. The school therefore offers a well balanced and broad curriculum with emphasis on creativity and excellence through various extracurricular and sports activities.

Students can participate in any of the activities of their choice and undertake journey of self exploration and discovery to identify the activity or skill that they best enjoy and wish to train and excel in. We therefore create and sustain a culture of achievement in the campus that evokes high levels of self esteem in students.

House System

The entire school is divided into 4 houses to promote leadership qualities, healthy competition, values like caring and sharing, positive attitude towards success and failures, cooperation with peers, respecting the decision of others and sportsmanship.

The challenging tasks given to the students through various co-curricular activities which are integrated with curricular subjects will help them to have an in-depth knowledge about the subjects, to gain self awareness, self confidence, self discipline, to improve self esteem, to think and do things creatively, to relate what they have learnt to real life situations.

The school endeavours to give students a sound education and inculcate in them confidence, self reliance and the spirit of sportsmanship through Physical and Health education. The school offers opportunities to students to get trained and excel in various sports and games such as Athletics, Cricket, Swimming, Basket Ball, Chess, Foot Ball, Yoga, Volley Ball and Table Tennis.

Prefectorial Board

The Head Boy, Head Girl, House Leaders, Deputy Leaders, Prefects, Sports Secretary and Cultural Secretary are selected from among the students to provide leadership and assume responsibility for the groups placed under their charge. They form the Student Council which meets periodically, interacts with the school authorities on behalf of the student community and conducts various activities.



Club Activities at JSSIS

Duke of Edinburgh Club, Formula 1 Club for Schools, Gavel club, Quiz Club, JSSIS Mock United Nations Club, Nature Club, Adventure Club and Sports Club play an important role in tapping and identifying the inherent potential of each child in co-curricular and extra curricular activities by conducting various club activities throughout the academic year. Group activities help to inculcate human values like team spirit, discipline, tolerance and benevolence.

JSS Enrichment Programme (JEP):

JEP activities cover a wide range of subjects like music, art and sports. JEP (after school activity programme) is held from 2:00pm - 3:30pm, 3 days a week (Sunday, Monday and Wednesday).

The JSS Enrichment Programme gives students the opportunity to take part in a range of afternoon activities of their choice in the school campus. It also enables students to discover strengths and abilities apart from academics and develop healthy social relationships.

Music, Dance & Fine Art Rooms



Drawing & Painting



Sculpture



Pottery



Craft Work



MUSIC
(Vocal & Instrumental)



DANCE
(Classical, Folk & Contemporary)



The ACADEMIC FACILITIES

Classrooms:

Capacious and airy classrooms with internet connection for blended education features in all classrooms, each of which has specially designed furniture and unique seating arrangements.

Laboratories:

Labs for Physics, Chemistry, Biology, Mathematics and Language to get hands on experience to improve skills in each subject and provide a stimulating learning environment.

Audio Visual Room:

Technologically advanced room that houses DVD, OHP and LCD projectors that focuses on enhanced learning.

Lecture Halls:

To arrange special sessions for students and training programmes for the teaching staff.

Library:

A comprehensive library as a learning nerve center and computer work stations with internet connection, printer and photocopier.

Project Room:

The school has a dedicated place for the students to explore and experiment and to complete the assigned projects.

Auditorium:

An auditorium with a stage and 1200 seating capacity, forms a platform for the students to demonstrate their talents in co-curricular and extra curricular activities.

Counselling Centre:

A qualified clinical psychologist and special educators are available to help the students with varied learning needs i.e. students with learning difficulties, the highly gifted students and students with behavioural issues. The centre also provides career counselling to the older students and helps them choose the right career and field based on their aptitude.



Infirmary

Fully equipped clinic supervised by a qualified Doctor and full time qualified nurses, for health related emergencies.



Book Store

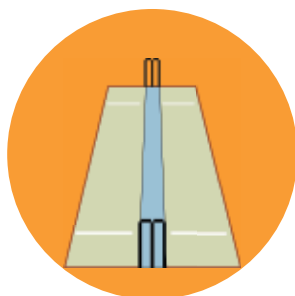
The central book store caters to the students' daily needs. This store supplies all text books, note books and stationery items.



SPORTS INFRASTRUCTURE



**Well Designed
Playgrounds**



Cricket Pitch



**Covered Hygienic
Swimming Pool**



**Well Equipped Gym Area
for Boys and Girls**



Athlete Track



**Large Indoor Sports Hall
(Badminton, Basket Ball,
Table Tennis)**



School Cafeteria

Canteen to provide nutritious food that is prepared in a hygienic environment.



Parent Meeting Hall

To have a one on one interaction with the teachers and to know about the performance of their wards, parents can meet the staff members in a separate meeting room with prior appointment.



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