ADMISSION TO PRE-SCHOOL (NURSERY CLASS) 2015-2016

1. Total number of seats available for admission to Pre-School Classes : 90

2. Total number of seats to be filled from EWS and disadvantaged Group : 23

3. Minimum age as on 31st March, 2015 : 3+

4. Availability of Online Registration Number from the School Office on all working days (8.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m.) : 8th January to 17th January, 2015

5. Last date of submission of Online Forms : 17th January, 2015

6. Draw of lots for EWS Category (tentative) ( at 2: 30 p.m.) : 20th January, 2015

7. Declaration of first admission list (including waiting list ) : 22nd January, 2015

8. Declaration of the 2nd list including waiting list (if any) : 12th February, 2015

9. List of supporting documents to be produced by the parents at the time of admission:
   a. Original Date of Birth Certificate of Child
   b. Photocopy of the Vaccination Card of Child
   c. Photographs of Father, Mother and the Child (1 each)

10. Categorization of Seats

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a. Admission to EWS and Disadvantaged Group (Category -1) would be done by Draw of Lots in the presence of the nominees of Directorate of Education.
b. Computerized random selection would decide the successful candidates in each category from 2 to 6.
c. In each category given above, single/ Girl Child will be given preference.
d. In case the number of applications in the category 2 – 5 falls below the number of seats available in respective category, the unfilled seats will be transferred to the RAA category.

The category of Representative Affirmative Action has been made to ensure that the incoming class into a school is as diverse as possible, representing a wide array of society and all walks of life since we believe that life’s true education comes from interacting with people from diverse backgrounds, cultures and experiences.

(Note : * who has studied for at least 4 years and passed Class XII from the same school)
**Admission Committee**

1. Mrs. Anita Paul, Principal
2. Mr. Bharat Shakya, Parent
3. Mrs. Vinita Sachdeva, Incharge – Pre-Primary Incharge

The above listed members of Admission Committee will be monitoring Pre-School admissions.

**Grievance Committee**

1. Mrs. Anita Paul, Principal
2. Mrs. Vinita Sachdeva, Pre-Primary In-charge
3. Ms. Shalini Tandon, Primary In-charge

**INFORMATION ABOUT THE SCHOOL**

**APEEJAY SCHOOL SAKET – AN INTRODUCTION**

Apeejay School, Saket completed twenty five years of excellence in the field of education in the year 2013. The school is proud to have gained the reputation of a school that is working towards achieving higher pinnacles of excellence both in scholastic and co-scholastic activities with a resolve to realize the motto of the school- Soaring High Is My Nature.

The school was **ranked seventh amongst 250 top schools** across the country by the “Education World” magazine in an intensely competitive ranking survey undertaken by IMRB International, one of the India’s most respected pioneering research firms that took into account numerous holistic parameters associated with school education. The survey was conducted in the year 2007, based on the criteria of academic reputation, co-curricular education, honesty and integrity of the school management. The school was awarded a commendable rating for the same.

In 2010, the school was selected for a highly competitive ‘**HP Innovations in Education- 2009 Grant**’. The grant was valued at more than US$ 95,000 and was utilized to further develop the HP technology and professional development of the faculty.

Apeejay Saket has also been accredited with **the British Council International School Award**. The school has also been granted a lead school status for South Delhi by the Tony Blair Foundation for the programme Face to Faith. The school has also been awarded the ‘**Gold Award**’ by the Tony Blair Faith Foundation for its efforts and involvement to promote respect for cultural diversity through the Face to faith programme.

Apeejay School, Saket, has been conferred the ‘**Best Education Initiative in Schools Award**’ at the e-India Awards. The event was supported by the Department of Science and Technology, Union Ministry of Commerce, Union Ministry of Urban Development and the Department of IT and Communication, Government of India.

This year the school has been placed in the “**Leaders**” category amongst the top ten schools of South East zone by the ‘Times of India’ one of the leading Newspapers.

The school is one of the pioneer schools in launching of its online learning management system- **MOODLE ( Modular Object -Oriented Dynamic Learning Environment )** to enable the parents to get all the information related to scholastic and co-scholastic activities, homework and assignments, just at the click of a button. It is also a great step in the school’s continued initiative towards a green environment by reducing paper consumption.
**Curriculum**

The dynamic curriculum of the school is continuously enriched and evolved. In Pre-primary and class I, the school has introduced Thematic curriculum to make learning more meaningful and joyful. Emphasis is laid on activity based learning at all levels. At the middle and senior school level, the school follows the curriculum and guidelines prescribed by the Central Board of Senior Secondary School.

**International Dimension in the Curriculum**

Our students every year work extensively on research based multidisciplinary projects in collaboration with schools across the world and present their findings in the form of exhibitions and symposia.

The school has collaborated with William De Kooning Academy of Art and Design based in Rotterdam and has set up a D-Lab for professional development of the teachers to empower them with new skills through Virtual Learning Community.

The school has also collaborated with the Korean Cultural Centre, India to provide an exposure to students to Korean culture and to promote friendly relations existing between two countries.

**INFRASTRUCTURAL FACILITIES**

**Well Equipped Laboratories:**

With the development in the field of science and technology, we facilitate our students with well-equipped laboratories for Biology, Physics, Chemistry, Mathematics and Home Science. Children have an easy access to these facilities under the supervision and expert guidance of the teachers. For the primary section, we have Mobile Laboratories on trolleys.

**Library:**

The school library is a vast reservoir of books. A wide range of fiction, poetry, prose, philosophical books, magazines and newspapers are available for readers. The school is also the member of the British Council Library and books are issued from BCL on a regular basis.

**Subject Specific Room:**

The environs of the classroom play a very significant role in enhancing the teaching-learning process. The school follows the system of subject specific rooms for students of classes VI to VIII. These classrooms act as a catalyst in the learning of the subject related concepts. They provide a stimulating environment with their subject related attractive displays, teaching and the audio-visual aids.
Computer Education:

The school has well equipped Computer Laboratories with the latest technology based multimedia machines for providing hands on experience to the students from Nursery to class XII. Computer Aided Learning (CAL) is integrated to enrich the teaching learning process. The internet facility enables the students to draw the latest information from global computer networks. Robotics as an activity is a recent introduction in school. This enhances the creativity, imagination, innovation, problem solving skills and team spirit amongst the students along with sharpening their programming skills.

To further enhance the understanding and experiential learning of the students, classrooms are equipped with smart boards at the primary, middle and senior level.

Science Park:

It is a cluster of interactive play models installed at one place. These models are based on scientific principles. The concept of the park is to teach science in an informal way with exhibits that cover many topics.

Faculty:

The school has a team of highly qualified teaching staff which not only gives academic knowledge but also provides a child friendly environment to the students for developing a holistic personality.

SCHOLASTIC ACHIEVEMENTS

In the All India Senior Secondary Certificate Exam conducted by CBSE in March 2014, four students of the school were in the CBSE 0.1% merit category.

Out of 46 students who appeared in the Science stream, seven students scored 90% and above and 30 secured above 75%. There were 144 distinctions with 3.13 distinction per student. Shabir Grover topped with 97.2%. The school Head Boy, Nishith Sharma was the second rank holder, scoring 96.2%, and Ujjawal Puri secured the third position with 94%.

In the Commerce stream, out of 40 students, eleven students scored 90% and above while 24 students secured above 75%. There were 126 distinctions, and 3.15 distinctions per student. Akansha Sharma topped with 97.2%. Megha Taneja secured 96.8% and secured the second position while Mayank Makkar was the third rank holder with 96%.

In class X, out of 87 students, 45 secured a CGPA (cumulative grade point average) of 8 and above. Five students, Gauri Bhardwaj, Hrithik Rohilla, Anushka Goel, Kunal Goel and Atishay Jain scored a perfect cumulative grade point average of 10.

In the Apeejay Talent Search Exam conducted by Apeejay Education Society every year, Hrithik Rohilla of Xth and Tanuj Dabas of Xth qualified and were the recipients of a scholarship of Rs. 400 per month.
The school is the first school from the country to participate in an **International Mathematics Online Competition, High Four**. A team of four students from class XI participated in the same and secured the third position amongst 115 teams from the best schools of Malaysia, China, Singapore and Philippines.

**CO-SCHOLASTIC ACHIEVEMENTS**

**Sports:**

Sports is an integral part of a student’s life. It is a matter of pride to see the students of the school making a mark for themselves in this field. Anushka Goel of XI bagged the silver medal in the 400m race and the bronze medal in the 200m race conducted by the Directorate of Education. In the boys category, Shivam Nand of class X received the bronze medal in the 200m race.

In the zonal level chess championship, Udisha of VI and Sukrit Sharma of V stood 1\textsuperscript{st} in the U14 category. In the U-17 category, Pravneet Kaur of X stood 3\textsuperscript{rd} while Harshit Sharma of XII stood 2\textsuperscript{nd} in the U-19 category.

The school’s cricket and the basketball teams, both, are the Zonal runners up.

Nishant Das will be representing the school at the CBSE National Soft Ball Championship to be held at Chattisgarh.

Reon Saikia, a National Taekowondo champion, after winning the state level Taekowondo championship in the under -17 category, organized by School Games Federation of India, will soon be competing at the National level.

The school has acquired a special name in Yoga. Shreya Aggarwal of standard XII is not only a national but an international star as well. Shreya represented India at the World championship held at Malaysia in the month of August and honoured with the 4th prize. Shreya Aggarwal has also been selected to represent Delhi at the national level competition to be held in West Bengal soon.

At the competitions conducted by the Directorate of Education, Shreya Aggarwal secured the 1st position in the events- Rhythmic Yoga, Artistic Yoga as well as at the individual level, becoming the proud recipient of the Delhi State Yoga Championship.

At a sub-junior artistic Yoga competition, Arnav Raj of V stood 3\textsuperscript{rd}, Shivam Gupta of VII stood 2\textsuperscript{nd} while Kumar Shashwat of VII bagged the 1\textsuperscript{st} prize. In the Junior Boy’s Artistic Yoga competition, Satyam Kumar of VIII received the 2\textsuperscript{nd} prize.

**Literary:**

The students have brought laurels to the institution by doing exceptionally well in the Inter school competition arena. Rashad Bhasam of class VII was the proud recipient of 2\textsuperscript{nd} prize in the poetry writing competition held DPS R.K.Puram. At a Diary Writing contest conducted by Gyan Bharati School, Sonakshi Singh of XII stood 2\textsuperscript{nd}. Anirudha Singha Roy of XII won the best interjector award at the Inter-School News watch Competition conducted by Red Roses Public School. At Apeejay School Pitampura, Shreya Kak of XI and Anirudha Singharoy of XII won the 2\textsuperscript{nd} prize in the English debate competition.
In the competitions conducted by the Directorate of Education, the students of the school won recognition. At the zonal level Poetry Recitation contest, Chetan Soni of VIII stood 1st and Reema Singh of VII stood 2nd. At the district level, Vasvi Puri of class VI and Drishti Singh of class VIII stood 1st in the English Debate Competition. Sayan Dutta of XII bagged the second position in the senior boys poetry recitation contest. Anirudha Singh of class XII and Niyati Gakhhar of class VIII stood 1, while Navjeeth J.L of VII stood 2nd in the senior boys, junior girls and junior boys category of the English extempore competition respectively. All the proud winners further represented the school at the state level.

In the Hindi Hasya Kavita competition held at Amrita Vidyalayam, Adhiraj Goel of class VII bagged the 2nd prize.

At the Zonal level, the school Hindi debators, Tarun Garg and Dhiren Aggarwal of class VIII and Urvi Vashishtha of class VIII along with Jia Rohilla of class VII won the 1st prize in the junior Boys and Girls Category respectively.

After winning the 1st position in Sanskrit Poetry Recitation Competition at the zonal and district level, Chinmay Pant of class VIII represented the school at the state level.

In the Hindi Extempore competition, Shubham Yadav of IX and Sohail Khattar of VII bagged the 2nd position in the Senior and Junior Boys Category respectively.

In the Junior Boys Category, Aditya Hota of class VII secured the 1st position in the Hindi Slogan Writing Contest and represented the school at the state level.

The school’s notable budding writers have been actively contributing to various newspapers and magazines. Manal Iqbal of class X won the second prize for her remarkable story that earned a publication in Children’s world magazine. A story by Navjeeth J.L of class VII was selected amongst the best entries for short stories in the nationwide competition by CBSE and Katha.

**Performing Arts (Music, Drama and Dance):**

The school believes in instilling a love for finer elements in the students. At Amrita Kala Sangam contest held at Amrita Vidyalam, the students got 1st prize in Group Patriotic Song competition. At the Indian Music Competition held at G.D. Goenka Public School, the school bagged the 3rd prize. Accompanists, Sourabh Mangla on the Tanpura and Aditya Gautam on the tabla, won the Best Accompanists Award.

At the District Level Group Patriotic Song Competition organized by the Directorate of Education, the school bagged the 2nd position. In the instrumental music competition, Umesh Nadkarni of class IX won the 2nd position in the senior boys category while in the junior girls category, Lakshya Sabharwal of class VI bagged the 1st prize and represented the school at the state level.

In the senior girls category, Anukriti Sengupta of class XII won the 1st position in the Solo Classical Vocal Competition and secured the 3rd position in the Semi Classical Solo Music Contest. Sandeep Mohanty of class VII won the 2nd prize in the Solo Light Vocal Music Competition in the Junior Boys category.

The school has also shown a noteworthy standing in the field of dance at the inter school level. At the Indian Folk dance contest held at Mount Carmel School the school stood 3rd and the students were awarded a cash prize of Rs. 1200. At the zonal level, Solo Classical Dance contest Shibangi Bhattacharya of class X floored the audience with her rhythm. She was awarded the 2nd prize in this category. The school also won a special appreciation award in a dance competition based on the elements of nature organized by DPS R.K. Puram.
**Fine Arts:**

The budding artists of the school excelled in the field of fine Arts and brought laurels to the school during the session 2014-15.

At the Art Illustration and Calligraphy competition held at Gyan Bharati School, Utsav Maharana and Namami Patairia of class X won the 1st prize. At the MINT On-The-Spot Painting Competition held at Mother’s International School, Namami Patairia, once again bagged the 1st position. Utsav Maharana secured the 1st position at the Poster Making Contest held at Red Roses Public School.

At the State Level Painting competition organized by Power Finance Corporation Limited M.G. Samraat of class VIII won the 1st prize. Joshua Willy Potter and Naman Kesari of class XI bagged a special appreciation award at the article-cum poster making contest organized by Gandhi Darshan Smriti.

**Computer Science, Science & Technology:**

In the competitions based on Computers, a competition named Logolization Logo Rangoli competition was held at Gyan Bharati School, in which Sonakshi Singh, Bhavya Dhankani and Vansh Virmani of class XII bagged the 1st prize. An event titled CODE 2014, IT Symposium held at Apeejay School, Noida, Sudhanshu Sorout of class XII won the 2nd prize in Group Discussion, Sonakshi Singh and Vansh Virmani of Class XII won the 1st prize in Photography, while Harshit Sharma and Dhruv Jain of classes XII and XI respectively won the 3rd prize in programming.

In the Web Designing competition under the event “QuizWizz” held at Bhatnagar International School, Utsav Maharana and Tanuj Dabas of Class X won the 3rd prize.