



Presidency School

Bangalore South



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Welcome to Presidency School, an institution for learning that seeks to provide education of the highest academic standards. Presidency School, Bangalore South, established in the year 2006-2007 was well received by the parents community.

Choosing the right school for your child is probably one of the most important decisions you will make. Our brochure aims to provide appropriate information to help you make the right choice for your child's future.

We believe that learning is a life-long journey.

At Presidency, it is our aim to establish a work culture that fosters diligence, sincerity and accountability in which our students develop a passion for learning, and thinking out of the box, that will serve them throughout and beyond school years.

We endeavour to promote the pursuit of excellence and achievement for every student to enable him/her to optimise his/her potential. Our goal is to create and maintain an ethos that encourages high academic standards, self-reliance, co-operation, enthusiasm, initiative and global citizenship.

Parents are important to us. They are encouraged to participate in the child's education. A close relationship and partnership with parents is vital to the process of education. We very much look forward to working in partnership with you and your children during the journey of their formative years in school for cognitive ability & skill development.

Glimpses into Presidency Working Milieu

Knowing the Kindergarten Way

Learning is caring, sharing and responding.

Walk by our Kindergarten section. It is vibrant with colour, music and the joy of activity – centered learning. These first few years set the tone for the entire academic life of later years. Bearing this in mind, the utmost care has gone into the experiential learning curriculum designed exclusively for the little ones at Presidency. Classrooms are furnished with customized furniture, bright visuals, display boards and an array of Nursery equipment, in fact everything to beguile the little learners. The child is gently led in the direction of an Interactive learning process with a thematic integrated approach.

The warmth and supportive atmosphere of home is replicated here. A child's natural curiosity and joy in exploring its environment, is given full rein in the Play –Way Methodology.

- Caring and qualified staff
- Teacher Children ratio
- Safe, clean facility
- Experiential learning environment
- Established rules and policies
- A complete schedule of activities
- Behaviour policy - discipline, self control and respect for themselves, for others and for the environment.
- Working in partnership with peer groups, faculty and parents

Age appropriate strategies - Bulletin Board displays, role play, story telling, puppetry.



The Elementary Section

Learning is exploring, Experimenting and responding.

This is the next rung of the ladder. Along the corridor are grades I to IV. There is a buzz of excitement and activity in the air. Following the latest pedagogical trends, the Thematic Inter-disciplinary approach has been adopted at this level. The curriculum encourages children to explore their interests, as they move gradually from the familiar to the unknown. Scope is given for creativity and self expression and social skills of adaptability and team work.

The curriculum addresses the uniqueness of each child and provides exposure beyond the academic. Role-play, dance, music, field trips, sports and a range of hobby interests add new dimensions to the growth of the child.

Our faculty are experienced in the fields of early childhood education and child development. In addition to this, all members of staff participate in continuous in-service training by experienced trainers, and take part in curriculum design and implementation, assessment strategies and classroom management as well.

Middle School

Growing through Social Interaction, Taking on Responsibility – Moving in the direction of self Discipline.

The Middle school, grades V – VII, challenges learners with a broader curriculum, to lay the foundation for the High School Academic program. Study skills are honed, concepts taught are thoroughly grounded – group work and interacting with classmates cater to growing social awareness. Resourcefulness and commitment to work are encouraged. Induction into the House system helps to inculcate loyalty, and team spirit. Use of the well stocked library for project work, enhances habits of self study. The spectrum of extra curricular activities gives scope for talents to surface in Dramatics, Music, Art, Dancing, Games and Sports. Each student's talent is channelised in a range of hobby clubs. Field trips and excursions are organized.

Tests and examinations now become a part of the assessment methodology and parents are kept apprised of the child's academic progress and are welcome to interact with teachers.

Maximum growth for each learner is the professed motto at this level.

High School

Learning life skills such as -

Self confidence, Independence, Leadership, Social Awareness

The Senior Grades VIII to X – a veritable bee hive of activity. Quality education – the best possible is provided, taking into consideration individual needs and aspirations. Suitably high demands are placed on the learners, with a view to stimulating high achievement. Each learner receives personal attention and guidance. Students’ work is monitored on a day to day basis, through class work, home work and projects. Comprehension of course materials is tested unit – wise through mid term tests and examinations. Progress reports and parent teacher meetings are a regular part of this program. Extra curricular activities still form a part of the curriculum. Students now help in the planning and organization of school celebrations and competitions and are encouraged to test their skills at the Intra School and Inter School Fora. The School cabinet provides a valuable training ground for leadership.

Personality grooming is ensured through workshops on Life Skills, Value Education, Vocational Counselling and Counselling for teenage problems. Resource persons with necessary expertise conduct these programs. Every attempt is made to see our graduates develop full fledged, confident, self sufficient and focused on future goals, when they leave the sheltered environment of Presidency.



Senior Secondary School

Choosing the right educational institution for your ward is probably one of the most important decisions you will make. Our prospectus aims to provide the appropriate information to help you make this important decision.

- Curriculum - Presidency School, Bangalore South is affiliated to the Central Board of Secondary Education (CBSE) Government of India, New Delhi and thus follows CBSE + 2 Curriculum. The medium of instruction is English. The school offers its students a broad based, progressive approach towards education with life long learning skills.

- Class XI Course - Presidency School Bangalore South offers the Science and Commerce stream. Under Science, the following subjects are offered:

- Mathematics
- Physics
- Chemistry
- Biology / Computer Science (Optional)
- English (Compulsory Language)

Under Commerce the following subjects are offered:

- Economics
- Accountancy
- Business Studies
- Informatics Practice/ Mathematics (Optional)
- English(Compulsory Language)



- General Studies - Work experience, physical and health education. Presidency School, Bangalore South has well equipped science and computer laboratories. The School has a well stacked library which works as a Resource Center of reference books, providing young and curious minds with ample opportunity to learn. Special attention is given to games like basket ball, football, volley ball, badminton & cricket. Other Co-curricular activities like music, dance, guitar, keyboard, painting, debating, dramatics, yoga and karate are taught by qualified teachers and professionals.
- Admission process - Admission to Presidency School Bangalore South is open to all. The school prospectus and application forms are available at the school office on payment. Admission is granted on merit and against vacancies. Preference will be given to the students of class X presently studying at CBSE Schools. Provisional admission is granted to the students of class X based on the average marks obtained in Mathematics and Science in the second pre-board exams. The student should have scored a minimum of 60% in Mathematics and 60% in Science with an aggregate of 65% in both the subjects. An additional weightage of 5% of the marks will be considered for exceptionally outstanding students in sports / games.
- Evaluation - The school follows the CBSE prescribed norms of evaluation, that is, Continuous Comprehensive Evaluation - CCE
- Promotion policy - Presidency School, Bangalore South has established a benchmark in the field of education, encouraging students to perform in the best possible manner. The promotion policy is based on the criterion that a student of grade XI



must have an aggregate of 50% in all subjects with a minimum 45% of marks in the individual subjects offered in the stream.

- Integrated Courses - The school offers the integrated additional coaching for admission into courses like IIT, AIEEE, CET, BITS etc to help students prepare for competitive entrance examinations of prestigious institutions.
- The school's expectation - The need for discipline in education is constantly stressed upon in the Presidency Group of Institutions. The senior students are encouraged to be good role models to their younger counterparts. Hence they are expected to conduct themselves in an exemplary manner. Objectionable and irresponsible behaviour will invite strict action. Regular attendance is a must and students absenting themselves will have to seek prior permission from the authorities. Students are required to come dressed in the uniform stipulated by the school, unless otherwise specified.

We believe that learning is a life-long journey.

There is no finish line in the race for quality.



The Academic Standard of the School

The School has always stood for and promoted a high level of academic excellence and this has remained a hall mark of the Institution even to this day. It is our belief that observation and documentation of students, knowledge, thoughts, conversation and creations are the only effective ways of making learning visible, to genuinely assess a students learning. All faculty are recruited based on their respective knowledge and experience in their subject fields.

The high academic levels are maintained right from the lower classes until the students leave the school. Constant expenses are met to keep pace with global trends and developments in the fields of Science and Technology, Mathematics, Humanities, Information Technology, Computers and the Fine Arts. Our young graduate is now confident, and ready to take life's challenges head on!

Faculty

Keeping in mind the criteria that the success of educational reforms depends on the qualitative imparting of education; creative, competent and professionally qualified teachers are recruited. The teachers, working as a closely-knit community, have promoted excellent work culture of the highest professional standards.

The staff members are provided with a supportive and congenial work atmosphere. Apart from these, the periodic workshops and the orientation programmes under the aegis of the Staff Development Programme, have always prompted the right motivation, competency and above all, helped in updating the staff with the latest methodologies of classroom teaching, thereby enabling them to give their professional best.



Library

The Library is well stocked with a plethora of books from various disciplines. Children are fascinated by the world of books and are encouraged to read, go through pictures, narrate and discuss themes and facts. A library hour is scheduled for each grade and it is ensured that children make the most of this hour. Video tapes, a picture library, CDs and audio tapes form the rest of the collection of the Library. Children are encouraged to make use of the library for all references. Being an open – selfhelp library, children are free to pick up and browse through any book.

The Academic Calendar

The academic year for the school is programmed from June to the following April, with brief breaks between academic terms. The academic year once again is compartmentalized into three terms for all levels of schooling with the first term commencing in June, the second term in October and the third term in January. The timings of the school is between 8:30am to 3.40pm with staggered dismissal schedules as follows :

Kindergarten : 8:30am – 12.45pm

Elementary School : 8.30am – 3.40pm

Middle & High School : 8.30am – 3.40pm

A group of school children in white uniforms are playing musical instruments. In the foreground, two girls are playing flutes. Behind them, two boys are playing trumpets. The background shows other children, some holding drumsticks, suggesting a larger musical ensemble or band. The scene is set outdoors on a set of stairs.

All Round Development

Presidency is committed to the holistic development of children through a broad range of challenging co-curricular and extra curricular activities which is an important part of total education.

Students are exposed to a wide range of curricular activities such as Music, Arts, Dramatics, Community Services and Excursions. Our aim is to offer ample opportunities so that the students enjoy and feel confident of their abilities. Needless to say, they play an important role in developing social skills, values, a spirit of co-operation and above all regional and national consciousness.

Facilities

In keeping with the philosophy of exploring the unknown, the physical environment at Presidency school is a highly effective teaching tool and much planning goes into its creation.

- Classrooms are large and have windows that flood rooms with light and fresh air.
- All areas incorporate open spaces that allow children to freely move around and select how they want to work.
- Walls are decorated with children's work, given a strong sense of ownership and pride; 'They like what' they do here. They think its important because its on display'.
- Outside areas contain a wide range of child - friendly equipment and activities plus an extensive selection of natural flora and fauna.



Sports and Games

Sports and games in the curriculum has been an important objective for a healthy and balanced growth of the school. Keeping this in mind the students are encouraged to participate in a wide range of indoor and outdoor games at the school. Participation in inter-school competitions is a regular feature.

Presidency has initiated a scheme to promote cricket and basket ball. The scheme is a long term plan to promote cricket and basket ball amongst the youth in a big way. To facilitate this, the school has engaged a cricket and basket ball academy to shape the team. Regular coaching by this academy of international and national repute is arranged for boys / girls.

Transport

Good transport is an added amenity which will ensure safety and convenience of the students. Bus routes will cover Jayanagar, J.P. Nagar, B.T.M Layout, Gottigere and neighbouring areas.

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Presidency School Location Map

Not to scale

