













# School with a Difference-----Day Boarding Concept:

Spark School Mahanad in district Hooghly of West Bengal, a CBSE affiliated school in rural Bengal, has been establish to meet the long felt demand of quality education in this part of the country. The philosophy and concept is to develop students of this region in a manner so that they can become responsible and productive citizens who can contribute in nation building. Further the broad objective is to prepare the students so that they can compete with students from rest of the country in various fields.

Spark School provides a comprehensive and holistic education through an overall developmental approach. In today's world intrinsic and imperative need for wholesome education is integration of games and sports in the school curriculum. Likewise, co-curricular demands leading to creative activities pursued happily for rest and relaxation on regular basis goes a long way in contributing to the completeness of education. Children are given the opportunities to complete most of their academic work in school. A child in the junior section is not burdened with carrying heavy school bag daily as his books are kept within the classroom. Teacher student ratio is kept within manageable limits, which lead to helps good interaction between teachers and students. Even shy and introvert students get opportunity to clarify their doubts and interact with the teachers. The teachers reach out and help the individual child to understand the curriculum, enjoy learning and allied activities during the school hours. Every child gets opportunity to perform better & learn better.

The school also provides opportunity to the child for development of proper eating habits, avoid fussing on food and learn to enjoy well cooked, nutritious and a balanced diet provided by the school. Learning to share, developing table and dining manners becomes an integral learning pattern by itself.

#### FACILITIES

#### **Classroom:**

A Peep into the classroom- Going beyond chalk and talk method of teaching, our faculty uses latest technology as a tool to reach out to the students, be it in Mathematics, Science or English. Visual presentation, Math-kits, flash-cards etc have assisted in retention and understanding of the concepts. LEARNING-BY-DOING has been another pillar of strength for the inventing and innovative thinking of our students.

We believe in an interactive lesson. At Spark School, we are committed to the academic transcendent of all our students. The interactive enrichment class is a big step towards this commitment. Students complete their class assignments under the guidance of subject teachers within their day long-teaching. Lessons and concepts are re-taught, whenever needed, in the BRIDGE classes. Every child have his or her own areas of difficulty. This difficulty is identified carefully and remedial sessions with a different approach and concepts are organized for them. These are worksheets or assignments as per their individual needs. WE NURTURE, WE REFINE AND WE DIRECT them towards academic excellence & personality development.

#### Computer Lab:

The school has fully equipped computer lab to teach computer related topics to all age groups within the school. The school has the internet facilities to expose the students to internet as per CBSE norms. Teachers make effective use of the internet to update themselves and provide students the very latest information.

#### Laboratories (Science & Maths):

The school provide laboratories for all science subjects including Mathematics. All kinds of modern equipments are present in these labs to ensure that students learn scientific theories by trying them out practically with their own experiments. Our target is to make students capable enough to derive their own theories for better understandings by hands-on lab activities.













#### Library and Reading Room:

The school provides a well equipped library which is managed efficiently by a qualified and experienced Librarian. It provides reference books and CBSE Course-related books and materials to make sure that students understand the examination system and CCE pattern. Moreover, the school subscribes weekly and monthly journals for leisure reading. The library also contains wide range of story books and value education books in English, Hindi and Bengali for all age groups. Students are allotted with library period once a week but they can take full advantage of the library resources in their zero periods or substitution classes.

#### Value inculcation classes:

Apart from classroom learning moral values are imparted through activities like School Assembly, Display Boards, Continuous Projects, Guest Speakers, Class Libraries and Celebrations. Five students on an average get opportunity to speak in the assembly every day.

#### Physical Education and Sports:

At Spark School, Sports and Games curriculum is an integral and compulsory part of education. We believe Physical fitness and mental development go hand in hand. The school has a fully equipped indoor games room with facilities like Carom, Chess, Table Tennis and other indoor games, where all these games are played in a competitive environment.

We have provisions for promoting sports like Football, Basket Ball, Badminton, Volley Ball and athletics. Students are nurtured to participate and win major sporting tournaments of different levels organized by various agencies and other schools. The school has the provision of hosting State and National level tournaments.

#### **CO-CURRICULAR ACTIVITI**

Every student is expected to be involved in co-curricular activities.

Art & Craft, Dance, Music, Debate, Quiz, Recitation, Social Work etc

### EXTRA CURRICULAR

Every child is gifted with creativity, though in varying degrees. To harness such creativity traits and tap the talent at an early age, Spark School offers its students a variety of extra-curricular activities. Vocal and instrumental Music, Folk and Classical Dance, Art and Craft, Debating, Social Work and Quiz are integral part of the education system in the school. Subsequently the students will be encouraged to develop any of these as their hobby. Special extra classes will be arranged for them.

#### **CLUBS**

The School has the following clubs:

Environmental Club, Deba<mark>ting</mark> Club, Literary Club (Public Speaking Elocution) Creative Arts (Drama), Heritage Club, Community Service Club, Quiz Club

# PERSONALITY DEVELOPM

Personality Development classes are conducted for students from class III onwards. These classes are aimed at grooming young girls and boys for manners and etiquettes, with a stress on value based development of their personality. The curriculum designed for these classes takes into account two major aspects, right values and the conventional rule of social behavior i.e. manners and etiquettes. The areas of development are:

-You and your Home

- -You and your Society
- -You and your Country.

The methodology consists of interactive session for the purpose. Children are introduced to a variety of social and familiar situations and motivated to react. They are guided towards the right directions and conclusions. Growing girls and boys are thus expected to develop the right kind of finesse, confidence, and humility to become complete and good human beings. Various kinds of competitive examinations in Mathematics, Science and English are organized for the development of talent and building the future of students. Some competitive exam may fetch scholarships also.













### **ADMISSION PROCEDURE**

Admission is open to students from Nursery onwards on a first come-first serve basis and on the basis of interview and admission test.

- 1. The list of selected candidates will be put up on the notice board at the Administrative office
- 2. The admission procedure will be intimated to the parents of the selected candidates along with fees slip. It is expected for both parents to be present to complete various admission formalities
- 3. For students seeking admission in Class III onwards, Transfer Certificate (original) from the last school attended is required.
- 4. Fees, once paid at the time of admission, are not refundable in any case except the caution money (refundable) in case of withdrawal
- 5. The management reserves the right to have the last word in all matters relating to admission

## FILLING UP THE APPLICATION FORM

- 1. Please fill up the application Form in Capital Letters
- 2. Age Criteria must be strictly maintained. In any case, if the child's age does not match with the class he/she is seeking admission to, the management holds the right to reject the Application Form (Refer Age Criteria displayed on School Notice Board).
- 3. Attach one photocopy (Self attested by parents) of the child's Birth Certificate issued by the competent authority
- 4. Attach four latest identical passport size photographs of the child and one passport size photograph of parents/guardian with Application Form
- 5. The Application Form, duly filled-up and complete in all respect, together-with Application Fees Receipt of Rs. 300/- (Rupees Three Hundred Only), shall be submitted in person to the Administrative Office for registration of admission.
- 6. Applications must be complete and information mentioned in the Form should be true. In case of any discrepancy with the fact, management holds the right to cancel the Application Form as well as the admission of the child
- 7. Registration does not imply admission, which is subject to assessment procedure and availability of seats

#### ASSESSMENT SYSTEM (AS<mark>PER </mark>CBSE NORMS)

- 1. The students will be constantly evaluated by their teachers throughout the year (Continuous and Comprehensive Evaluation)
- 2. Notices will be sent to parents informing them about the periodic assessments. These continuous assessments are meant to ensure that the child is regular in work and attendance. Please note that class assessments are a very important part of the continuous assessment for the progress of the child

Academic inclination and performance throughout the year, attendance in school, conduct in and outside school, participation in class activities and in school events are very important for the development of child.

#### FORMS AVAILABLE AT

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