



INDIAN SCHOOL JALAN

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CIRCULAR TO PARENTS (KG I - CLASSX)

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Dear Parents,

Greetings from Indian School Jalan!

ACCESSION DAY HOLIDAY

The school will remain closed on Sunday, 12 January 2025, on account of **Accession Day**.

Tests scheduled for that day will be rescheduled to the following days:

Tuesday, 14 January 2025 (Class IX)

Wednesday, 15 January 2025 (Classes VI - VIII)

BALVATIKA

As per the New Education Policy (NEP 2020), the Board of Directors, Indian Schools in Oman, has decided to introduce Balvatika as part of the foundational stage across all Indian Schools in Oman. The Balvatika is a programme that focuses on developing cognitive and linguistic competencies that are necessary for learning to read, write and develop number sense through a play-based approach. The implementation of this initiative will commence in the Academic Year (AY) 2025-26 as detailed below:

I. Criterion for Admission for Academic Year 2025-26

Admissions will be granted based on the following age criteria:

Age Requirement (as of 31-03-2025)

Class	Age	As of
Balvatika	Attained 3 years - not reached 4 years	31-03-2025
KG 1	Attained 4 years - not reached 5 years	31-03-2025
KG II	Attained 5 years - not reached 6 years	31-03-2025
Class I	Attained 6 years - not reached 7 years	31-03-2025

II. Curriculum

The curriculum will focus on the following five aspects of child development:

1. Physical & Motor Development
2. Intellectual Development
3. Language Development
4. Social & Emotional Development
5. Development of Creative Expression & Aesthetic Appreciation

With regards



Seema Sreedhar

Principal