

# SCHOOL ANNUAL REPORT

2023-24



Since 1927

**PODAR**  
INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL

MORE THAN GRADES



## | About your school

Year Established: 2013

Board: CBSE

Affiliation number: 430270

(Only include this if you have got your affiliation number)

Timings :

Podar Prep : 9:00 am to 12:30 pm

Podar International School : 8:00 am to 1:50 pm

Current standards operational: Nursery to Std XII

Number of students: 771

(Only include this if your school is currently above 500 students)

Principal Name : Mr. Anupam Upadhyay

Total Number of school buses: 8

**In our 136 campuses across india  
we educate over 1,65,000 students**

## **OUR LOCATIONS**



<b>Maharashtra</b> .....	<b>84</b>
<b>Gujarat</b> .....	<b>19</b>
<b>Karnataka</b> .....	<b>14</b>
<b>Madhya Pradesh</b> .....	<b>09</b>
<b>Bihar</b> .....	<b>03</b>
<b>Punjab</b> .....	<b>03</b>
<b>Andhra Pradesh</b> .....	<b>01</b>
<b>Chhattisgarh</b> .....	<b>01</b>
<b>West Bengal</b> .....	<b>01</b>
<b>Goa</b> .....	<b>01</b>



## | From Principal Desk

Podar International School, Vapi is affiliated with CBSE (New Delhi). The school is a stepping-stone for the students who wish to go for higher education abroad and get a cutting edge in the era of Globalization. Education doesn't mean acquiring knowledge about the 3R's only. It goes beyond that. What children learn today, determine their tomorrow and consequently the future of the nation? Children are like clay, tender and most importantly malleable. And when you plan to take them on real early in their lives, every bit of knowledge imparted by their 'gurus' is comparable to the masterful touches of a skilled potter. Hence, every deft touch expression the child is subjected to, is imbibed as permanent impression on the child's being and strengthens over the years to make the character of the person.

Podar International School holds the firm conviction that knowledge is not only a necessity but it is desirable as well. Learning skills are important, but each individual shall be encouraged to develop a mind with such knowledge that is a prerequisite for civilized life. The school will promote a philosophy of education, which holds that knowledge must be acquired and rigorously tested.

Our School places particular emphasis on excellence. It is an excellence, which comes not from being at the top of the class or an athletic champion. Rather, it is realization and motivation that comes from within. At PIS we strive to inculcate a spirit of rationalization, learning through observation and experimentation among the students. Our school strives to give every child a blend of values and skills required for advancement in an increasingly competitive world. That is, sterling character, a balanced disposition and confidence. Children are taught the values of hard work and board-mindedness and encouraged to cultivate qualities needed to be successful in life for a spiritually satisfying career.



# FAQ

## 1. When will the school academic session start?

April 2024

## 2. What are the school timings?

Grade	Morning Shift Timing	Afternoon Shift Timing	General Shift Timing
Podar Prep	-	-	9:00am to 12:30pm
Std 1 onwards:	-	-	8:00am to 2:00pm

## 3. Which classes do school have?

The school has classes from Nursery to Std XII (CBSE).

## 4. Is the school managed by Podar?

This is a Podar managed and operated school. It is not a Franchisee.

## 5. What is the age criteria for Podar Prep Kids?

Course	Age Criteria
NURSERY	3 yrs complete by 1 June 2024
Junior KG	4 yrs complete by 1 June 2024
Senior KG	5 yrs complete by 1 June 2024

## 6. When does the admission process begin?

Admissions for Podar Jumbo Kids and Podar International School (Std 1 onwards) have started. Admissions are on a first come, first serve basis and seats are limited.

## 7. What is the admission process?

- 1) Parents to come to the admission office in the school and collect a registration kit for Prep Kids or application form for Std 1 onwards.
- 2) A completed form along with the Cheque for 1st term fees is to be returned by the parents to the school office.
- 3) The student will only be considered a confirmed admission once the first term fees are paid by the student.

## 8. What are the documents required at the time of admission? For Podar Jumbo Kids, only a Xerox copy of the child's birth certificate is required.

The following documents are required to be submitted:

1. Completed Online Application form.
2. Photocopy of the student's birth certificate and Aadhar Card (if applicable).
3. School leaving certificate (can be submitted later if currently unavailable).
4. UDISE Number (Unified District Information System for Education) from current school (applicable for admissions from Std 1 onwards).
5. Photocopy of the current class Report Card (applicable for admissions from Std 1 onwards).
6. Photocopy of Address proof and Parent's Pan Card (original to be carried for verification).
7. 3 passport size photographs of the student.

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## 9. What kind of entrance test will be taken at the time of admission?

No written test is conducted at Podar School. Admissions are taken on a first come, first serve basis.

## 10. Will there be an increase in fees next year?

Every year there may be a normal increase in the fees depending on inflation & only after PTA discussion.

## 11. In what name should the fee cheques be made?

Grade	Name on Cheque
Nursery to Senior Kg	Podar Prep
Std 1 onwards:	Podar International School

## 12. How many students will be there per division?

Grade	Number of students (approx)
Nursery	40
Junior Kg and Senior Kg	40
Std 1 onwards:	40

## 13. How will the infrastructure be?

We ensure that our students learn in an interactive and fun way. Classrooms have abundant technology such as projectors and visualizers. There is a state of the art computer lab, abundantly stocked library, Science Lab and multi-purpose activity rooms. An optional canteen service is also provided.

## 14. What will the sports facilities be like?

The school has provisions for indoor and outdoor sports inside the school campus. At Podar, we make sure that the student is active both in and out of the classroom.

## 15. Will there be Podar International School buses?

Yes, there are school buses operating on extensive routes. Safety is the primary concern of the school when students are travelling in the school bus and each Podar bus will have a trained driver, conductor and Lady Attendant. Speed governors and CCTV cameras will also be fitted in the Podar School Buses. School bus service is highly recommended but optional.

## 16. Will CCTV cameras be there in the school?

Yes, CCTV cameras will be installed in all public corridors.

## 17. If I get transferred, is it possible to transfer from one Podar International School to another Podar International School location?

Yes. This is possible. Existing Podar students are given first preference with regards to admissions.

**ACADEMIC SESSION 2024-25  
COMMON HOLIDAYS**

<b>VACATION/SCHOOL REOPEN</b>	<b>FROM</b>	<b>TO</b>
<b>SUMMER VACATION</b>	<b>29-04-2023</b>	<b>05-06-2023</b>
<b>SCHOOL REOPENS</b>	<b>08-06-2023</b>	<b>08-06-2023</b>
<b>DUSSHERA VACATION</b>	<b>21-10-2023</b>	<b>24-10-2023</b>
<b>SCHOOL REOPENS</b>	<b>25-10-2023</b>	<b>25-10-2023</b>
<b>DIWALI VACATION</b>	<b>10-11-2023</b>	<b>19-11-2023</b>
<b>SCHOOL REOPENS</b>	<b>20-11-2023</b>	<b>20-11-2023</b>
<b>CHRISTMAS VACATION</b>	<b>23-12-2023</b>	<b>01-01-2024</b>
<b>SCHOOL REOPENS</b>	<b>02-01-2024</b>	<b>02-01-2024</b>
<b>SESSION BREAK</b>	<b>22-03-2024</b>	<b>03-04-2024</b>

# | Subjects taught in the school

**English** 

**Integrated English** 

**Hindi** 

**3rd Language**  
(Gujarati/Sanskrit) 

**Math & Math Lab** 

**EVS** 

**History** 

**Geography** 

**SUBJECTS**

**Civics** 

**Science** 

**Computer** 

**Art/Craft** 

**Music** 

**PT/Yoga** 

**Library** 

**Life Skills** 

**Sports & Hobbies** 

**SUBJECTS**



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