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“ JUST INFORMATION IS NOT EDUCATION,
IT IS CULTURING OUR BEHAVIOUR AND ATTITUDE.
IT IS OUR ABILITY TO PERCEIVE THINGS BETTER.
THE PURPOSE OF EDUCATION IS TO
INCREASE AWARENESS.
ONLY AN EDUCATION, THAT CAN NOURISH
INBUILT VIRTUES, CAN IMPART TRUE INTELLIGENCE. ”

sri sri on education

Only an education that nourishes inherent virtues can impart true intelligence. Today, it is the concern of all parents that their children should grow up to be happy, well-educated human beings with core values. Somewhere along the line, however, the link to true happiness appears to be getting severed; we are losing the goal of happiness,

A well-educated person is thus one, who is friendly, compassionate, and able to be a 'nobody with everybody'. The creative methods of teaching as envisioned by our Founder will help children to fully develop their personalities.

Everybody who has a stake in education must ponder the need for a holistic, healthy educational system that will enhance the values and virtues with which each of us is naturally endowed. Put simply, education must address all aspects of human life. Since a healthy body best supports a sound mind and spirit, creative sports and such ancient practices as meditation, yoga, and pranayam should be part of a child's learning process. The key is to harness the ancient values and be innovative with the modern. This is what we, at Sri Sri Academy, commit towards achieving for our students.



art of living

Founded in 1981 by Gurudev Sri Sri Ravishankar, The Art of Living Foundation is an educational and humanitarian movement engaged in stress-management and social service initiatives. A multi-faceted organisation, it propagates love, peace and compassion, and comprises one of the largest volunteer bases in the world. The organisation's international headquarter is located in Bangalore, India. It operates in 155 countries and has touched the lives of over 370 million people. The Art of Living Foundation runs several stress-elimination programmes to help individuals rid themselves of stress and experience inner peace, which include breathing techniques, meditation and yoga.

The Art of Living movement has spread peace across communities through diverse humanitarian projects, including conflict resolution, disaster relief, sustainable rural development, women empowerment, prisoner rehabilitation, education for all initiatives, and environmental sustainability. During the pandemic, the organisation provided thousands of personal protection equipment kits to medical professionals and meals for migrant workers.



the academy

OVERVIEW






Nestled in the foothills of the Himalayas, amidst lush green tea gardens, Sri Sri Academy provides a serene and stress-free environment for children to engage in learning and developmental activities. Regarded as one of the top boarding schools in West Bengal, Sri Sri Academy is an English-medium, co-educational school, geared to nurture and educate students from Pre-Primary to Senior Secondary. We provide both day boarding and residential facilities. Our state-of-the-art infrastructure, activities and exposure enables every child's physical, cognitive, emotional, social and spiritual development. Physical Education, Sports, Yoga and Meditation & Visual and Performing Arts are an integral part of the curriculum.

WHY SSA

The mentors at Sri Sri Academy are committed to imparting education with love, compassion and mutual respect. The school was established with the vision to address all aspects of a child's life. We have truly built a holistic educational system that emphasizes the importance of a healthy mind in a healthy body; one that will build on traditional values while preparing our students for life in a globalised world.

'Vidya Dadati Poornatvam' – meaning 'education brings completeness'.

Our founder, Gurudev Sri Sri Ravishankar, has outlined the 'Five Aspects of Education' in our ethos, which are in harmony with nature's five elements. They include:

-  CONCEPT as solid as the EARTH
-  ATTITUDE like WATER'S fluidity
-  INFORMATION that signifies willingness to receive from all sources like AIR
-  IMAGINATION which is enthused by FIRE
-  FREEDOM in the mind like the all-pervasive SPACE

DIGITAL CLASSROOMS & WI-FI ENABLED CAMPUS

Our classrooms embody a positive learning environment. They are bright, well-ventilated and colourful with modern, age-appropriate and child-friendly furniture that can be easily rearranged for group activities. All classrooms are technology enabled with LED televisions. These are compatible with our teachers' iPads that help deliver lessons, which are both interesting and informative. The strength of each class is limited to 30 students so that each child receives personal attention from their mentors. Network connectivity being indispensable, we've ensured that our campus is equipped with wi-fi connectivity across all areas. Beside ensuring quick access to information, it also helps strengthen safety and security.



LIBRARY

At Sri Sri Academy, we try and inculcate a love for reading in each child. Our library has a mix of English classics, biographies, science journals, spiritual guides, encyclopedias and volumes on business studies. It has already become a favourite place for many of our students. The library also lends itself to story-telling, group discussions and brainstorming sessions. A qualified librarian assists children with the selection of age-appropriate books. The librarian also organises book fairs and literary festivals.



LABORATORIES

PHYSICS LAB

Our Physics Laboratory is a spacious, well-lit room with wide desks that can comfortably accommodate large instruments. It boasts sophisticated equipment that offer a hands-on experience to young learners.

CHEMISTRY LAB

Our Chemistry Laboratory is equipped with common apparatus such as test tubes and beakers, a wide array of

laboratory reagents and safety features such as fire extinguishers, a first aid kit and shut-off valves. The workstations are outfitted with Bunsen burners and water sinks on either side. We ensure children are aware of the dangers present and strict supervision is maintained when experiments are underway.

BIOLOGY LAB

The Biology Laboratory provides students with learning aids ranging from specimens and models to equipment like digital and analytical balances, an oven, an incubator and thermometers. We also make sure to maintain a high student to equipment ratio.



LANGUAGE LAB

We have a dedicated lab to strengthen the four tenets of the language - reading, writing, listening and speaking.

The Language Laboratory at Sri Sri Academy, Siliguri, is the first of its kind among North Bengal's schools. We have partnered with an initiative called the 'Wordsworth English Language Lab'; it hones students' ability to communicate in English with clarity and confidence. The methodology is a blend of instructor-led training in which concepts are introduced and reinforced with a computer-based training, practice and evaluation process.

MATH LAB

A Math Laboratory is a classroom or designated space to teach mathematics in an interactive way. It sparks an interest in numbers, and it motivates those students who have a phobia for the subject. We have also partnered with an initiative called 'Jodo Gyan' to teach mathematical concepts using a variety of age-specific tools and kits. Students, on their part, are encouraged to use these aids to showcase both their learnings and their unique creativity.

At Sri Sri Academy, our aim is to merge the three facets of mathematical understanding - spanning teacher sessions, student practice and hands-on activities. Needless to say, this system has formed the bedrock of modern science and technology advancement.

In simple terms, we hone students' mathematical acumen, and for the gifted few, the maths laboratory is where we practice tirelessly for National Math Olympiads and similar competitive events.

ROBOTICS LAB

Robotics is one distinct technology sphere that has already seen mass adoption in the manufacturing space. Given how India is positioning itself as a global manufacturing base, an introduction to this technology will be an in-demand skill in the near future.

We introduced Robotics at Sri Sri Academy to strengthen students' understanding of this fast-emerging field. Assembling kits allow them to

understand the basics, while enhancing their logical and analytical skills in the process. We have observed that once students realise the scope of what robotics can accomplish, they are left awestruck!

COMPUTER LAB

Our Computer Laboratory is a centre for students to further explore the wonders of this technological marvel. The advanced specifications of our hardware and software are well suited to learning skills such as coding or web designing.

From an economic standpoint, it is India's digital economy that has consistently outpaced all other sectors over the past decade. In case of start-ups that have exceeded billion-dollar valuations, the common feature is they are all technology based. At Sri Sri Academy, we perceive computer lessons as imparting a valuable life skill - one that will set our students apart regardless of the careers they pursue eventually.





SECURITY

At Sri Sri Academy, we understand how vulnerable both boys and girls are. CCTV cameras have been installed across the campus, especially at all entry and exit points, classrooms, hostels and play areas. The footage is closely monitored, round the clock, by the Chief Administrative Officer and our dedicated security team comprising both male and female security guards. Entry of parents and visitors into the school's premises are meticulously recorded. Fire sprinklers, alarms and smoke detectors have been placed at regular intervals and fire and natural disaster drills and trainings are conducted regularly.

INFIRMARY

The infirmary has adequate capacity to isolate or promptly attend to children who may suffer a health issue, sustain an injury or experience an allergy breakout. Common medicines are stocked in the infirmary, and our full-time nurse is available around the clock. Should an emergency arise, we have the backup to ensure quick transfers to leading hospitals we have tie-ups with.

TRANSPORT

Sri Sri Academy, Siliguri, provides a comfortable and efficient transport service for its day boarding students. The buses are fully air-conditioned and GPS enabled so that both parents and school authorities can track the precise locations of the buses in real-time. They are equipped with first-aid boxes, CCTV cameras, speed governors and other government mandated features. Every bus has a lady attendant who remains on board – right from when the first child is picked up in the morning until the last child is dropped off in the evening. Routine maintenance checks are carried out, and transport safety drills are undertaken for both staff and students.

the 'sri sri' edge

MISSION

- To create a joyful, safe and tranquil environment where every member of the school is encouraged to develop professionally towards achieving self-actualisation.
- To focus on every child's social, spiritual, emotional, physical and cognitive development.
- To offer students a learning experience rooted in Indian traditions while exposing them to world culture.
- To empower students to be academically competent, curious and have a spirit of adventure through various activities.
- To encourage collaboration and environment consciousness.
- To imbibe the core values of the school – open mindedness, trust, compassion and integrity.
- To build a strong link with parents and community.

VISION

- To encourage members of the school community to grow and develop in an atmosphere of openness, cooperation, friendship and collaboration.
- To enable children to broaden their vision and deepen their roots.
- To stimulate innovative thinking, critical reasoning and entrepreneurship.
- To develop children into confident compassionate and responsible leaders who pursue their goals to become competent global citizens.



MANAGEMENT & OUR MENTORS



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Industrialist | Visionary |
Humanitarian | Mountaineer |
Chairman – Rausheena Group



Mr. Raunak Agarwal
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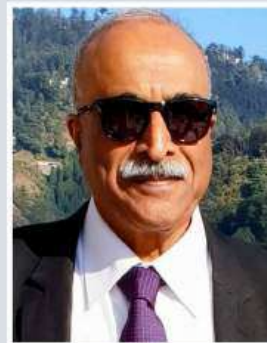
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Vice Principal



Ms. Geeta Bardewa
Vice Principal

message from the principal

The organizational ethos at SSA can be encapsulated in a succinct phrase: 'World-class education with a human touch.' This serves as the guiding principle that permeates every facet of our institution. We firmly believe that true excellence stems from a holistic well-being—where happiness, freedom from fear, and the liberty to express ourselves coalesce seamlessly. Accordingly, our institutional culture is meticulously crafted and consistently applied to champion this philosophy.

Central to our approach is the understanding that a child nurtured by love today will radiate love tomorrow. Hence, we are deeply committed to curating a comprehensive educational environment for our students. Our unwavering commitment to 100 percent inclusive education is exemplified by maintaining classroom capacities of 35 or fewer students and a student-teacher ratio of 1:10. In this environment, each child is not only attended to but heard, fostering an atmosphere where every voice and idea is valued—an ethos aligned with Howard Gardner's multiple intelligences framework.

We adopt a trans-disciplinary approach to education, dismantling the confines of textbooks to cultivate a broader worldview. Academic excellence, grounded in a profound conceptual understanding intertwined with real-world scenarios, forms the cornerstone of our pedagogical philosophy. At SSA, we instill in our students the qualities of great communicators, innovative thinkers, risk-takers, and principled individuals, underpinned by core Indian values—embracing tradition while appreciating modernity, and cultivating tolerance and peace-loving global citizenship.

SSA is a perpetual learner, dedicated to staying abreast of global educational best practices. This commitment is mirrored in substantial investments in infrastructure that seamlessly integrate technological advancements with human resources. Continuous professional development, guided by the principles of Benjamin Bloom's taxonomy, ensures that our faculty is equipped to tailor teaching methods to the diverse competencies of our students. Recognizing the ever-evolving landscape of education, our teachers explore content beyond textbooks, constructing lessons with conceptual clarity that aligns seamlessly with the unique pedagogy at SSA.

Understanding that the millennials are educating gen alpha who will shape the future, we prioritize robust and forward-looking career counseling starting as early as grade six. The crossroads program brings esteemed individuals from diverse professions to inspire and guide students on their future pathways. Children at SSA undergo comprehensive training in public speaking, leadership, and essential life skills, contributing to their development as eloquent orators, future leaders, and self-reliant individuals.

Our house system and school championships serve as crucibles for fostering oneness and team spirit. Through these initiatives, students learn the value of shared responsibility, recognize their individual competencies, and coordinate their efforts towards common goals. As an educator at SSA, my endeavor is to provide a well-rounded educational experience, nurturing various intelligences—intellectual, social, emotional, physical, creative, and the ability to overcome adversity. Our aspiration is to empower children as progressive global citizens who contribute value, harmony, and beauty to the world, leaving an indelible impact on future generations.

Jaihind,
Narendra Thota



curriculum

Noted American polymath, Benjamin Franklin, put it precisely when he said, “Tell me and I forget. Teach me and I remember. Involve me and I learn.” Sri Sri Academy’s pedagogy is rooted in a balance of academic growth and holistic education to ensure each student’s all-round development. Our academic curriculum comprises of a unique set of modules curated by experts that give our students a distinct edge by the time they complete their Grade 12 board examination. By incorporating the 5 C’s – Creativity, Critical Thinking, Confidence, Communication and Collaboration, we emphasize on experiential learning rather than rote learning, thereby making learning interactive and interesting.

PRE-PRIMARY SECTION

The pre-primary classrooms have lively décor to make them attractive for young learners. The days of bland classrooms with only a blackboard and desks are passé. Our pre-primary teachers are specially trained to make sure modern teaching techniques are followed. From the outset, we outline that children must be taught “how to think” as opposed to “what to think”. This gives free reign to their thoughts much like how the American-Lebanese philosopher Kahlil Gibran had espoused, “You may give them your love but not your thoughts, for they have their own thoughts...”

PRIMARY

The primary school years build upon the foundation that was laid in the pre-primary section. Children are now exposed to an array of activities and experiences as the focus is on learning by doing. We try and create an exciting and challenging environment for our children, and in the process, spark their curiosity and develop their self-confidence. Teachers use metacognitive strategies like discussion, reflection and routine writing activity sequencing to develop critical thinking skills. Students are encouraged to be innovative, analytical, adaptable and to develop interpersonal skills. Strong emphasis is laid on creating a strong conceptual base in Science, Mathematics and Languages.

SECONDARY

At this stage, children will have developed a certain degree of proficiency already – be it in terms of academics, sports or co-curricular activities. Each student’s unique personality begins taking definite form. At Sri Sri Academy, we are well aware of how teenaged children may be prone to perhaps

showing streaks of rebellion or feeling confused. We thus ensure an environment that gives adolescents opportunities to grow, learn, analyze and evaluate new information, engage in problem solving and researching and introspecting about life and career skills. We help them develop cultural, global and environmental awareness apart from leadership skills.

SENIOR SECONDARY

Students who join us at the senior secondary level have already cleared the first board exam of their student life. They are now able to participate in classroom discussions, art projects, cooperative and collaborative activities. We encourage them to explore real-world concepts and issues, challenge assumption, think critically and acquire skills that will need to be applied in educational and future professional journeys. Sri Sri Academy offers all three streams – Science, Commerce and Arts depending upon their interests and academic inclination. Students receive added mentorship to enable them to deliver stellar board exam results. We also offer preparatory classes for competitive exams.



day boarding

Sri Sri Academy, Siliguri, offers a day boarding facility. It is a blend of both day and residential school facilities – where students spend their after-school hours to complete not only their assignments, but to also upskill themselves at co-curricular activities. These activities are irreplaceable building blocks towards students' personal, emotional and mental development.

After-school activities range from indoor and outdoor sports, participation in visual and performing arts, enrolling in personality development programmes or signing up for various clubs and house activities like elocutions and debates. For students who require extra academic attention, these after-school hours can also be used towards remedial classes.



hostel

Sri Sri Academy, Siliguri, offers complete residential facilities to its students, with separate boys' and girls' hostels. The dormitories are spacious, well lit, adequately furnished and are fully air-conditioned to ensure each child's basic comfort even when away from home. We lay strong emphasis on creating a welcoming, safe and refreshing atmosphere. On the same right, we do not believe in offering an ultra-luxurious environment – one that cocoons them in an unrealistic setting. Students are mandated to perform their own chores such as tidying their own beds each morning, and cleaning their cupboards at regular intervals. Boarders are also taken for outings to nearby scenic locations once in a while along with an overnight outing or a camping excursion, once a year. To keep them busy we organise movie evenings and encourage them to participate in activities such as flameless cooking or baking, apart from daily sports. One key benefit a child derives from being a boarder is the realisation that decision making is collective – whether it is to form a team to play a board game or to complete a group assignment. Another key learning is the virtue of sharing.

mess

The students are served a balanced and nutritious vegetarian diet planned by a certified nutritionist. The school menu is changed on a monthly basis, with inputs from staff and students who are part of the school food committee. Day boarders are provided with a wholesome breakfast, lunch and light snacks while boarders are provided a snack in the evening followed by dinner. Junk food and aerated soft drinks are not allowed on the campus.



a seat of happy learning a campus of inspired living

At Sri Sri Academy Siliguri, we are dedicated to shaping well-rounded individuals who excel both academically and spiritually. Our approach combines the timeless values of the Art of Living with contemporary educational practices, creating a unique learning environment where students flourish in every aspect of their development.

Our educational philosophy is deeply rooted in the teachings of Sri Sri Ravi Shankar Ji and the Art of Living principles. We believe in fostering qualities that make great communicators, innovative thinkers, and principled individuals. Our values embrace tradition while valuing modernity, and we prioritize cultivating tolerance, peace, and global citizenship. By instilling these core values, we prepare our students to navigate and contribute positively to the world.

Sri Sri Academy Siliguri is committed to remaining at the forefront of global educational practices. We continuously invest in state-of-the-art infrastructure that integrates technological advancements with human resources. Our dedication to professional development is guided by Benjamin Bloom's taxonomy, ensuring that our faculty is adept at tailoring teaching methods to meet the diverse needs of our students. This approach allows us to move beyond textbook learning, focusing instead on conceptual clarity and a deeper understanding of content.

True to the vision of Sri Sri Ravi Shankar Ji, our school environment is designed to be both happy and holistic. We integrate yoga and Guru Puja into our daily routine, creating a serene and spiritually enriching atmosphere. Our mission aligns with the broader goal of creating a stress-free and violence-free society, which is reflected in our educational practices.

At Sri Sri Academy Siliguri, the principles of the Art of Living and the Happiness Program are woven into our curriculum. We emphasize meditation, self-awareness, and service to humanity, ensuring that students develop a robust moral and ethical foundation. This blend of modern education and spiritual grounding helps students not only excel academically but also become emotionally balanced and spiritually aware.

Our holistic approach ensures that students are not just prepared for academic success but also for a fulfilling life. By nurturing inner peace, resilience, and a positive mindset, we empower our students to be agents of positive change. They leave Sri Sri Academy Siliguri ready to contribute meaningfully to society while upholding the values of peace, love, and harmony.

In essence, Sri Sri Academy Siliguri is dedicated to creating an environment where students can thrive academically, spiritually, and emotionally. We blend tradition with modernity, ensuring that each student is equipped to lead a successful and fulfilling life, embodying the values championed by Sri Sri Ravi Shankar Ji.



leadership

PREFECTORIAL BODY


"Leadership is the ability to guide others without force, into a direction or decision that leaves them still feeling empowered and accomplished." Lisa Cash Hanson.


Electing the school captains, vice captains, house captains, sports captains and discipline in-charges, is an annual tradition at Sri Sri Academy. The process begins with the principal and teachers nominating the leaders, followed by active campaigning by each nominated candidate. The students of classes five to 10 exercise their democratic power to elect their house captains and vice captains. Teachers ensure this process is completed while maintaining strict confidentiality.


HOUSE SYSTEM


The House System at Sri Sri Academy, Siliguri, helps to teach children the value of teamwork and encourage a sense of camaraderie, identity and belonging. It provides opportunities for participation, competition and honing of leadership skills that boost self-esteem and confidence. Houses are allotted to students from Grade One onwards. Participation is encouraged through various inter-house competitions in creative and performing arts, literary activities, sports and special assemblies. All through the year, competitions are held and points awarded for each. At the end of the year, points are counted and the winning house for the year is announced, followed by a prize distribution ceremony.

The houses are:

 **Bhakti (Yellow House)** – signifying devotion and commitment

 **Yukti (Blue House)** – signifying peace and harmony

 **Shakti (Red House)** – signifying energy and vitality

 **Shanti (Green House)** – signifying skill and talent

Senior students are encouraged to participate in the broader curriculum by taking on leadership roles within their houses. They may run house and committee meetings, initiate or assist teachers in planning house and school activities, or take on more formal roles as house or vice captains.



growth mindset

CLUBS & SOCIETIES

Sri Sri Academy, Siliguri, has different clubs. These include the literary, entrepreneurship, quiz, nature and culinary clubs. The clubs were formed to provide students with an opportunity to complement their academic learnings.

LITERARY CLUB

Sri Sri Academy's literary club offers a stepping stone for students to imbibe the qualities of a good orator. Whether it is voice modulation, pronunciation, diction or audience engagement, it is through the literary club that participants will be able to overcome their public speaking fears or hesitations. The school's literary club organises debate, elocution and extempore contests for our best speakers to compete. Additionally, well acclaimed guest speakers are invited from time to time to interact with the children and share their learnings with them.

ENTREPRENEURSHIP CLUB

The school entrepreneurship club enables students to sample an in-person experience of the trials and tribulations that an entrepreneur must face. Developing a meticulous business plan, or examining the criteria that one must consider when selecting a location, are all part of this club's learnings. More importantly, the club's participants also spend considerable time in understanding why many business ventures become unsuccessful.

CULINARY CLUB

The purpose of Sri Sri Academy's culinary club is to provide an environment for students to socialise and have fun while learning culinary skills. It begins with an understanding of raw material selection and preparation and then covers cooking, plating and presentation. For most students, it is difficult to grasp all the behind-the-scenes work that go into laying out a full meal. Students also learn about various meal components like appetisers, side dishes and main courses. They are shown how to prepare easy and healthy recipes.



NATURE CLUB

The nature club at Sri Sri Academy, called Naisargik, highlights that conservation of these valuable assets is the pressing need of the hour. Naisargik's focus is nature conservation with the help of a 'green force' or students who are nature enthusiasts. The club members are also tasked with documenting all flora and fauna species that are found on the school campus.

QUIZ CLUB

Quizzing is as much an art form as it is a test of the intellect. The primary objective of Sri Sri Academy's quiz club is to identify students with quizzing talent and create opportunities for them to sharpen their quizzing skills. Certain quiz formats are also a team exercise where students realise the importance of collaborating. The true essence of team spirit, however, is most prominently seen when inter-school quiz contests take place.





happiness

YOGA

Yoga is a combination of physical, mental and spiritual practices. It is, in fact, one of the 'Six Astika Schools of Hindu Philosophy'. And it is India that gave the world this crucial learning.

The health benefits of yoga are manifold. Modern day physicians, across the world, prescribe yoga as a means of keeping in check various ailments such as hypertension, poor posture and obesity, among others. With daily practice, yoga is a proven route to maintaining a sense of calm and feeling energised all day long.

At Sri Sri Academy, we make sure our students also experience the wonders of pranayama, meditation and shloka chanting. These age-old techniques reduce stress and improve attention spans.

VALUE EDUCATION LAB

Sri Sri Academy has North Bengal's first Value Education Laboratory. The school has a tie-up with Saksham Value Lab – a dedicated value-based education company that focuses on the development of the right attitudes, values and emotions among young learners. Through life skills-based education, emphasis is placed on enhancing self-awareness, self-esteem, critical thinking, problem solving, decision making and interpersonal skills.

The value lab is designed in a manner that makes it attractive to students. The modules are designed in adherence to the Experience, Reflection, Realisation, Transformation model; this inculcates in children a wide array of values and life-skills to help them stay a step ahead of the rest.



WALL CLIMBING

Sri Sri Academy is North Bengal's first school to introduce wall climbing as a school activity. This feature helps to teach children the importance of responsibility and risk management skills while being in a safe and supervised environment. It is also a great exercise for children of all age groups. Wall climbing involves all four limbs to manoeuvre a difficult obstacle, making it as much a strenuous physical workout as also a mental one.



sports

INDOOR SPORTS AND OUTDOOR SPORTS

Sri Sri Academy lays equal emphasis on academics and indoor and outdoor physical activities. Sports are a great way to learn new skills. They foster the growth of important physical, mental, emotional and intellectual skills. Outdoor activities also help imbibe social skills, while indoor play promotes cognitive growth. At Sri Sri Academy, Siliguri, we provide students with a diverse mix of both indoor and outdoor activities like chess, table tennis, yoga, karate, dance, wall climbing, cricket, football, lawn tennis, basketball and volleyball, among others.



creative & performing arts

ART & CRAFT

When we say the Art and Craft classroom at Sri Sri Academy, Siliguri, is bright, it isn't simply a figure of speech. With glass walls on two sides, this space is truly befitting of creative minds to give form to their imagination – be it a mainstream oil painting, a pencil sketch or an abstract piece in pastels. Students are given the freedom to explore with colours, textures and media and are encouraged to try new art forms and widen their minds' eye. Needless to say, the shelves in the Art and Craft classroom proudly display an interesting mix of our students' creations.

PERFORMING ARTS

Both visual and performing arts are integral to development as much as learning trigonometry and algebra. Children learn both vocal music and also how to play a variety of instruments. The music room at Sri Sri Academy is equipped with a variety of classical and western musical instruments and students are at liberty to try their hand at classical, folk and western genres. They are guided in their musical journey by a well-qualified music teacher certified by the Trinity College of Music, London. We also have a separate dance studio outfitted with ceiling-to-floor mirrors and a quality audio system. The dance instructor trains children in various forms of classical and contemporary dance styles. Our students are so gifted in these areas that when they perform at school concerts and events, the audiences are left spell bound.

Sri Sri University:

A Beacon of Holistic Higher Education

Sri Sri University, established in 2009, is a premier institution of higher learning dedicated to fostering holistic education and personal development. Located in the serene environment of Cuttack, Odisha, India, the university embodies the vision of Sri Sri Ravi Shankar Ji, founder of the Art of Living Foundation, to create a nurturing educational ecosystem that integrates academic excellence with spiritual and ethical growth.

HOLISTIC DEVELOPMENT

True to the vision of Sri Sri Ravi Shankar Ji, Sri Sri University emphasizes the importance of holistic development. Our curriculum incorporates:

Spiritual Growth: Regular practices of meditation, yoga, and mindfulness help students achieve inner peace and emotional balance.

Ethical Values: Courses and activities designed to instill a sense of responsibility, integrity, and service to humanity.

Leadership Skills: Training in leadership, teamwork, and communication prepares students to be effective contributors in their respective fields.



ACADEMIC PROGRAMS

The university offers a diverse range of undergraduate, postgraduate, and doctoral programs across various disciplines including:

Business Administration: Programs designed to develop future leaders with a global perspective.

Engineering and Technology: Courses that blend technical skills with innovative thinking.

Law: Education aimed at producing competent legal professionals with a strong ethical foundation.

Humanities and Social Sciences: Programs that focus on understanding human behavior and societal issues.

Health Sciences: Courses that integrate modern medical knowledge with holistic wellness practices.



CAMPUS LIFE

The university's campus is designed to support both academic and personal growth. It features state-of-the-art facilities including modern classrooms, research centers, and recreational areas. Students benefit from a supportive community that encourages a balanced lifestyle, with opportunities for extracurricular activities, cultural events, and community service.

GLOBAL PERSPECTIVE

Sri Sri University is committed to providing a global perspective on education. The university fosters international collaborations and exchange programs, ensuring that students gain exposure to global best practices and diverse cultural experiences.

COMMITMENT TO RESEARCH

Research is a cornerstone of Sri Sri University's academic environment. We encourage students and faculty to engage in research that addresses real-world problems and contributes to societal development. Our research initiatives often focus on areas such as sustainable development, social justice, and holistic health.

COMMUNITY & SERVICE

In line with the Art of Living principles, the university promotes a culture of service and community engagement. Students participate in various social initiatives and community service projects, reflecting the university's commitment to making a positive impact on society.



enrichment & assessment

ASSESSMENT SYSTEM

Assessments conducted at regular intervals help identify students' learning progress. They also help boost a child's progress and development while highlighting their potentially weak areas. We follow the assessment system in compliance with the Central Board of Secondary Education's (CBSE) assessment pattern.

Each academic session is divided into two or more terms. During each term, there are regular assessments followed by a term evaluation. Assignments and projects are a regular feature to assess students' knowledge and their understanding of key concepts. We try and ensure they grasp the underlying theories rather than learning by rote.

DMIT & career counselling

DMIT

A Dermatoglyphics Multiple Intelligence Test analyses a child's fingerprints to offer an insight into each child's potential and highlights their unique traits. This information helps in guiding students towards activities they have the strongest aptitudes for.

CAREER COUNSELLING

Students from classes eight and above, at Sri Sri Academy, Siliguri, are encouraged to speak with the school's career counsellor from time to time. The reason why several sessions are encouraged is because students' career choices can change as they grow older. In addition, the counsellor is also well-versed with higher education institutions both within India and overseas. We make an earnest attempt to identify your child's strengths – both from observation and proven techniques like 'DMIT'. And with a well-informed career counsellor at hand, you can be assured that we take your child's future career prospects with as much sincerity as you do.



field trips

Students from all classes are taken on scheduled field trips. These outings help to place classroom learnings into perspective when students see real world applications first hand. It also helps to sensitise children to pressing issues – from why it is crucial to consume less and segregate waste, to how climate change can be arrested, and why we need to conserve water.

We take our students on field trips at regular intervals to help them augment their classroom learnings. These could be in the form of a jungle safari, a tea garden visit or a tour of the nearby Science City. Much as these outings are experiential, they also help strengthen peer-to-peer and teacher-student bonds. Field trips are an ideal opportunity for beyond-classroom learnings and for all participants to cultivate shared experiences.

Following such visits, students are required to prepare a short essay on their key takeaways. Depending upon what class they are in, the grades acquired in this activity may count towards their final assessment.

admission process

Sri Sri Academy makes a conscious attempt to invite deserving students from varied backgrounds to be a part of our family. Admissions are open from Grades Playgroup to IX and then in Grade XI.

Admission Procedure:

- Students seeking admission can apply online at: <https://srisriacademy.in/admission-procedure/> OR visit the school campus.
- The application form must be submitted either online or in the school registration office.
- Upon verification of the form, the school admissions office will call the child to appear for an assessment.
- The child along with parents will be called for a personal interview with the admissions committee.
- Upon qualifying, the child will be granted admission.
- Admission is granted once the necessary documents are submitted and admission fees along with other mandatory annual fees are paid in full.
- For further details please visit our website: www.srisriacademy.in

awards & accolades

Some notable awards won by the school in the last four years are:

- MOTHER TERESA INTERNATIONAL AWARD FOR BEST SCHOOL OF THE YEAR (NORTH ZONE), 2019
- INDIA SCHOOL MERIT AWARD, 2020-21
- FIRST PRIZE IN PROVENANCE '21 FOR THE SCIENCE PROJECT ON SUSTAINABLE FARMING
- RANKED 6TH IN THE TOYCATHON NATIONAL CHALLENGE BY GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.
- RANKED 3RD IN THE SCIENCE EXHIBITION ORGANISED BY BENGAL SAFARI PARK, ON INTERNATIONAL DAY OF BIODIVERSITY, 2022
- ALL INDIA INTER SCHOOL ARITHMETIC GENIUS CONTEST 2022, ORGANISED BY ABP ANANDA FOR BEST SCHOOL IN ENCOURAGING AND MOTIVATING THE STUDENTS IN ARITHMETIC SKILLS
- INDIA SCHOOL MERIT AWARDS 2021 (REWARDING EXCELLENCE IN MERIT) FOR INDIA'S TOP 20 DAY-CUM BOARDING SCHOOL.
- ZENIK OLYMPIAD, 2021 FOR INTERNATIONAL OLYMPIAD IN EXCELLENCE VALUES AND SUCCESS SKILLS.
- LIONS CLUB OF SILIGURI PRERNA, 2020- BEST SCHOOL TOWARDS THE STUDENTS FOR WONDERFUL JOB & RESPONSIBILITIES AT THE TIME OF COVID-19 PANDEMIC.
- SCHOOL ADMISSION FAIR, 2018 BY B&B EVENT MANAGEMENT BEST SCHOOL IN NORTH BENGAL.

