



21K School

Where Every Learner
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For April / June 2027 Cohort

PARENT

INFORMATION PACK

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Every child is different.
Their school can be too.

A complete online school from Nursery to Grade 12.
Indian and British pathways, taught live by teachers
who know your child by name.





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A LETTER TO PARENTS

Another way begins with your child

Dear Parent,

You know your child better than any school ever will. You know the questions they keep asking, the things that make them lose track of time, and the moments when they are ready to go further than anyone expects.

Yet most schools ask every child to keep the same rhythm, move at the same pace and succeed in the same way. When that rhythm does not fit, children wait, rush, conform or quietly give up a part of themselves. I founded 21K School in March 2020 because I believed there had to be another way.

At 21K, the starting point is the learner. Your child joins small live classes led by qualified teachers, whom we call facilitators, who notice how they think and help them take the next step. They follow a recognised Indian or British pathway with clear progression to Board qualifications and university while keeping the time and energy for the sport, art, family and passions that make them who they are.

This parent information pack is written to answer the questions you are already asking. How does an online school actually work? Will my child be known? Is it recognised? What happens after Grade 12? You will find honest answers here, including who 21K School is not right for.

Whatever you decide, I hope you choose a school that sees your child as clearly as you do.



Yeshwaanth Raaj Parasmal
Founder and CEO, 21K School

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21K School at a glance

A real school, at real scale. Since March 2020, 21K School has grown into a global K-12 community with recognised Board pathways, measurable results and a teaching record families can check.



25,000+ learners

Cumulative registrations
since 2020



**78 countries,
46 nationalities**

One classroom, many
perspectives



137,200 hours

Live online teaching
delivered in 2025-26



49,680 pages

Learner work marked by
facilitators in 2025-26



6.7 years

Average facilitator
teaching experience



551 hours

Facilitator professional
development in 2025-26



100%

NIOS Grade 10 and 12
Board results, past two
academic years



350+ learners

Cambridge IGCSE, AS
and A Level entries since
May 2022, near-100%
IGCSE pass rate



First in Asia

International Habits of
Mind Learning Community
of Excellence, renewed at
Milestone 3



Recognised and Registered

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Who thrives at 21K School



Families usually find us at a turning point.

Something about the familiar school model has stopped fitting, and they want a school that is just as serious, but built differently.

The moments that bring families to 21K



The child who is ready for more.

They finish early, ask why, and are capable of far more than their current classroom is asking of them.



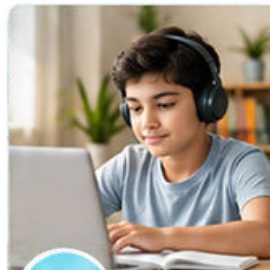
The child with a serious commitment.

A national-level athlete, a performer in training, a young entrepreneur. School should make room for the passion, not force a choice between the two.



The family on the move.

Relocation, travel or a posting abroad should not mean a new school, a new syllabus and a lost year every time.



The child who needs a different environment.

Health needs, a long commute or a setting where they felt unseen. Home can be the place where their confidence returns.



The family who wants a pathway that is not available nearby.

Cambridge, Pearson Edecel or NIOS, taught well, wherever you live.

21K School suits your child if they

- Learn best when they can move at their own pace
- Are curious and enjoy asking why
- Need a timetable that works around sport, the arts or family life
- Would thrive in a small group with close attention
- Are ready to take ownership of their learning, with your support

Where 21K School may not be the right fit

- 21K School may not suit families who need full-day physical supervision, daily campus facilities, or a school that replaces all adult support at home.
- Younger learners need a Learning Coach at home: a parent, grandparent or responsible adult. If that is not possible, our counsellors will talk it through honestly with you.

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How 21K School works

A complete school, built differently.

Live teaching, a structured curriculum, assessment, feedback, learner support and a real community: everything you expect from a serious school. What changes is the starting point. Instead of asking every child to adapt to one place, pace and path, 21K shapes the school around the learner.



Personalised

Facilitators use diagnostic assessments, observation, submitted work and conversation to understand where each learner stands. A child who needs reinforcement gets targeted support. A child who is ready for more gets extended.



Flexible

Families choose a daily class window that fits their life, from morning to evening. Secure recordings, digital resources and the support team keep learning continuous when routines shift.



Accelerated

Acceleration means continuous growth, not rushing through grades. Learners deepen understanding, rebuild weak foundations and explore beyond the syllabus whenever they are ready.

Class sizes and live hours

Every class size below is a maximum, not an average.

Stage	Grades	Live classes a day (Mon to Fri)	Class size cap	Who leads the class
Pre-Primary	Nursery	1 hour	10	One homeroom facilitator all year, with a Learning Coach at home
Pre-Primary	KG1 and KG2	2 hours	15	One homeroom facilitator all year, with a Learning Coach at home
Primary	Grades 1 to 5	About 3 hours	24-26 or 20-22	Homeroom facilitator plus a Class Mentor
Middle	Grades 6 to 8	About 4 hours	24 - 26 or 20-22	Subject specialist facilitators plus a Class Mentor
High School	Grades 9 to 12	By subjects chosen	24-26	Subject-matter experts, counsellors and academic leadership

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Choose the hours that suit your family

All timings are in IST. Families in the Gulf, Southeast Asia, the UK and North America choose the window that falls in their own waking hours.

Stage	Morning	Mid-morning	Afternoon	Evening
Nursery	9:30–10:30	11:30–12:30	13:30–14:30	15:30–16:30
KG1 and KG2	9:30–11:30	11:30–13:30	14:30–16:30	15:30–17:30
Grades 1 to 5	9:30–12:40	11:10–14:20	13:40–16:50	15:20–18:30
Grades 6 to 8	9:30–13:30	11:10–15:10	13:40–17:40	15:20–19:20
Grades 9 to 12	9:30–17:40 window	11:10–19:20 window	Not offered	Not offered

High School classes are paced across the chosen window by subject, with gaps between them, so learners are never online for the whole block. Timings are subject to seat availability. Optional third languages may run outside these hours.

How the academic year runs

Classes start in April / June, September and January, and families choose the cohort that suits them, subject to grade, age and available places. Learning is structured in units and terms. Families receive structured term reports twice a year, with progress visible on the parent portal in between. Final Board examinations for Grades 10 and 12 follow each Board's own calendar.

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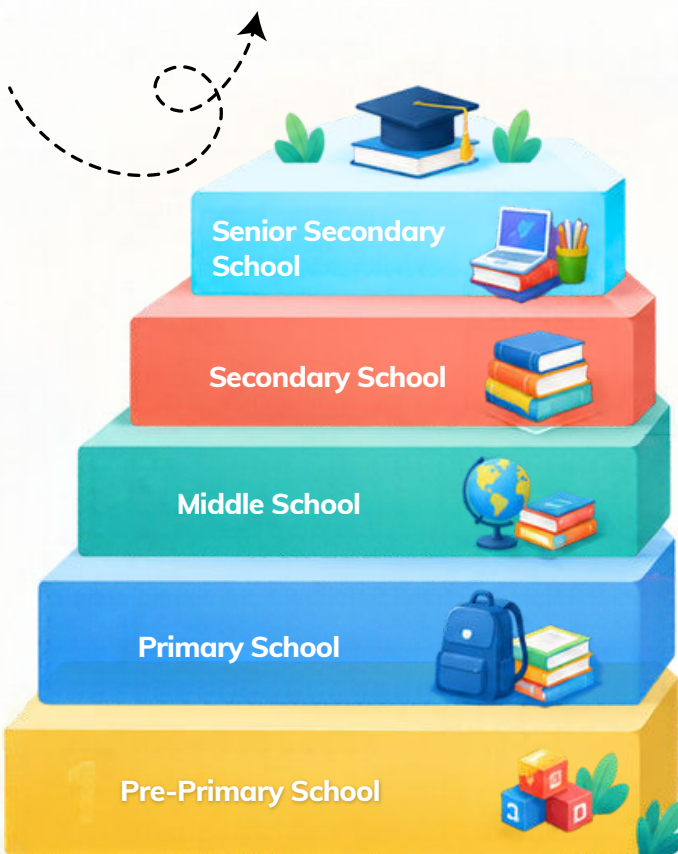
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Two pathways, one clear route to Grade 12

Choose an **Indian or a British pathway**, and your child follows a recognised route from the early years to Board qualifications. Both pathways share the same live classes, facilitators, assessment and community. The difference is the curriculum framework and the qualifications it leads to.



The pathway map



 Indian pathway	 British pathway
NIOS Senior Secondary Course (equivalent to Class 12)	Cambridge International AS and A Level, or Pearson Edexcel International Advanced Level
NIOS Secondary Course (equivalent to Class 10)	Cambridge IGCSE
Grades 6 to 8, aligned with the Indian National Curriculum Framework (NCF), competency-based	Years 7 to 9, Cambridge Lower Secondary
Grades 1 to 5, aligned with Indian National Curriculum Framework (NCF)	Years 2 to 6, Cambridge Primary, Cambridge University Press coursebooks
Nursery, KG1, KG2. Early Years Foundation Stage approach, books aligned with India's National Curriculum Framework (NCF)	KG1 and KG2 (KG2 corresponds to Year 1). British Early Years progression with Cambridge- aligned resources

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Who recognises what



21K School is a registered online Cambridge International School, centre IA702. Learners study fully online and sit final examinations at an approved Cambridge venue.



21K School is an approved Pearson Edexcel Online School, centre 94883, for International Advanced Level in Grades 11 and 12.



The National Institute of Open Schooling is a national Board established by the Government of India. NIOS is a Board pathway, not an accreditation of the school. Learners study with 21K and appear for NIOS examinations as private candidates; NIOS issues their certificates.



Up to Grade 8. The Indian pathway is delivered by 21K as an independent online school aligned with the NCF. 21K School is not affiliated to CBSE.

In every case, 21K teaches, prepares and supports the learner. The relevant Board sets qualification requirements, conducts the final examinations and issues the official certificates, which are recognised for progression in India and internationally, subject to each receiving institution's entry requirements.

How to choose

Consider where your child has studied so far, where they may study next, the subjects they enjoy and the universities or countries the family has in mind. The decision matters more as Grade 9 approaches, because moving between systems later becomes more consequential. You will not decide alone: an academic counsellor compares the pathways with you before you commit.

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Your child's journey, grade by grade

Each stage builds on the last.

Learners move from play-led beginnings to specialist subject depth at a steady pace, with independence growing every year.



Pre-Primary: Nursery, KG1 and KG2 (ages 3 to 6)

A joyful beginning, built on doing rather than watching. Your child learns live in a small class with one homeroom facilitator who stays all year and comes to know exactly how they communicate and grow. Sessions move between stories, songs, movement, show-and-tell and hands-on activities with simple materials from home.

Level	Recommended age	Pathways	Live time	Class cap
Nursery	3 to 4	Indian	1 hour a day	10
KG1 (LKG)	4 to 5	Indian or British	2 hours a day	15
KG2 (UKG)	5 to 6	Indian or British (Year 1)	2 hours a day	15



Age:

Age is taken as of 1 July of the academic year; children who reach the required age by 30 September may be considered after review.



Six connected areas of learning:

Communication and literacy, early mathematics, physical development, personal, social and emotional development, understanding the world, and creative expression. Monthly themes tie them together, and age-appropriate Habits of Mind such as persisting and listening with understanding become part of how the child learns.



What your child carries forward:

A confident, curious learner who can listen, express ideas, try, persist and collaborate, ready for Indian Grade 1 or British Year 2. There are no marks or ranks at this stage. Progress is captured through observations, portfolios, skill indicators and term reports.

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Primary: Grades 1 to 5 (British Years 2 to 6)

Strong foundations, growing confidence. About three hours of live, interactive classes a day, with curiosity kept alive and learning becoming steadily more independent.

Grade	Learning focus	What changes for your child
Grade 1	Building foundations	Settles into school routines; builds literacy, number sense and learning confidence
Grade 2	Fluency and independence	Reads, writes and calculates more fluently; explains thinking; Indian pathway learners begin the personalised learning platform
Grade 3	Expanding knowledge	Richer texts, multi-step problems and projects; first international benchmark tests; Indian pathway moves from EVS to Science and Social Studies
Grade 4	Connecting ideas	Deeper understanding, research and collaboration; applies ideas to real-world contexts
Grade 5	Ready for more independence	Organises learning, reflects on progress and communicates with confidence, ready for Middle School

Indian Primary, Grades 1 and 2

English, Mathematics, Environmental Studies, second language, optional third language, Physical Fitness and Mindfulness, Computational Thinking and Coding

Indian Primary, Grades 3 to 5

English, Mathematics, Science, Social Studies, second language, optional third language, Physical Fitness and Mindfulness, Computational Thinking and Coding

British Primary, Years 2 to 6

Cambridge Primary English, Mathematics, Science, Global Perspectives and Computing, second language, optional third language

Middle School: Grades 6 to 8 (British Years 7 to 9)

Greater depth, a stronger voice. About four hours of live classes a day with specialist facilitators. This is where learners begin forming opinions, managing their time and taking ownership of who they want to become.

Learning area	Indian Middle School, Grades 6 to 8	British Lower Secondary, Years 7 to 9
English	English as first language	Cambridge Lower Secondary English
Mathematics	Mathematics	Cambridge Lower Secondary Mathematics
Science	Science, with foundations in Physics, Chemistry and Biology	Cambridge Lower Secondary Science
Humanities	Social Studies: History, Civics, Geography	Cambridge Lower Secondary Global Perspectives
Computing	Computational Thinking and Coding	Cambridge Lower Secondary Computing
Languages	Second language, optional third language	Second language, optional third language or eligible capstone

The Indian pathway uses a competency-based 5E model: Engage, Explore, Explain, Elaborate, Evaluate. The British pathway follows Cambridge learning objectives through inquiry. Both use interdisciplinary projects that ask learners to bring several subjects to one real question.

Ready for Grade 9: secure foundations across subjects, stronger study routines, experience of planning projects and presentations, comfort with structured and internationally benchmarked assessment, and a clearer sense of which subjects excite them. Middle School prepares for Board-level study without turning Grades 6 to 8 into premature exam coaching.

High School: Grades 9 to 12

Recognised qualifications, subjects chosen with purpose. Learners complete High School through NIOS, Cambridge International or Pearson Edexcel, taught live by subject-matter experts in classes capped at 24.

Pathway	Grades at 21K	Qualification	Assessment
NIOS	9 to 12	Secondary (Class 10 equivalent) and Senior Secondary (Class 12 equivalent)	NIOS Board examinations with applicable practicals
Cambridge International (IA702)	9 to 12	IGCSE, then International AS and A Level	External assessment per subject
Pearson Edexcel (94883)	11 and 12	International Advanced Level	Externally assessed modular units

No rigid streams. Learners are not confined to Science, Commerce or Humanities. A programme might combine mathematics and economics, science and psychology, or business and computing, wherever the Board permits. Every combination is checked against Board rules, prerequisites and university entry requirements, with particular care at the move from Grade 10 to Grade 11. For NIOS certification, learners pass at least five subjects including the language requirement, and may take up to seven.

Board preparation that starts early. Diagnostic insight, regular assessment, timed writing, past papers, pre-Boards and mocks. Facilitators teach command words, mark schemes and time management, so learners can show what they know under exam conditions.

Exams and certification. School assessments are completed online. Final Board examinations are taken in person at designated centres. 21K supports registration and centre coordination in India and abroad; partnered Cambridge and Pearson venues are currently in Bengaluru and Delhi, with Mumbai being added. Science learning uses virtual labs, demonstrations and safe home experiments, with Board practical requirements met as each Board specifies.

Direct admission into Grade 10 or Grade 12 is not normally offered, because of Board registration schedules.



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What learning feels like at 21K School

Live classes built for conversation, not lectures.

The facilitator and classmates connect with each other through the Learner Portal. The learning happens through speaking, solving, making, questioning and doing.



A DAY IN THE LIFE OF GRADE 6 LEARNER

09:30 am



Live Classes

01:00 pm



Independent Practice

03:00 pm



Project Group Call

04:30 pm



Football Practice

06:00 pm



Guitar Practice

07:30 pm



Time with Family

Inside a live class



Facilitators teach in short, purposeful blocks: a question to spark thinking, a worked example, a discussion, a collaborative task in breakout groups, then feedback in the moment. Learners respond in many ways. They speak, write, annotate, solve, present and demonstrate, because visibility on camera is not the same as understanding.

“From bugs to breakthroughs. For Nithiyalakshmi S, a Middle School coding facilitator with a background in software engineering, a bug is never just an error. It is a reason to pause, investigate, try another approach and keep going. Her learners leave with more than code: they practise resilience, confidence and persistence, habits that travel far beyond a coding class.”

The Indian pathway uses the competency-based 5E model; the British pathway uses Cambridge inquiry. Across both, interdisciplinary projects ask learners to bring several subjects to one real question.



Purposeful screen time

Live time is active, and much of the learning happens away from the screen: physical coursebooks, written practice, science experiments at home, reading, fitness, art and real-world observation. Classes include structured breaks. In High School, classes are spread across the day by subject rather than one continuous block.

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Habits of Mind, every day

21K is the first school in Asia recognised as an International Habits of Mind Learning Community of Excellence. The 16 Habits of Mind, such as persisting, thinking flexibly and questioning, are practised in every subject from Nursery onwards. They are not an extra lesson; they are how learning works here.



Technology that keeps learning organised

One platform brings live classes, resources, assignments, assessments, feedback and progress together. Depending on grade and pathway, learners use secure class recordings for revision, a digital library, virtual science labs and adaptive practice. A physical learning kit arrives at home with coursebooks, workbooks, a planner, an ID card and school merchandise. Classes run in secure, invite-only rooms.



Learning beyond the timetable

- Fests and competitions: Mathalon, Science Fest, Lit Fest, Art Fest, debates and public speaking
- Ideas and enterprise: Shark Tank experiences, Model United Nations, TED-Ed Student Talks, passion projects and innovation challenges
- Community and leadership: assemblies, Houses, student council, Community, Action and Service
- Wellbeing: mindfulness, physical fitness and guest-speaker sessions
- Languages: 13 choices across Arabic, ESOL, French, Hindi, Japanese, Kannada, Malayalam, Marathi, Sanskrit, Spanish, Tamil, Telugu and Urdu



Friends, online and in person

Learners see the same classmates every day, work together on projects and build friendships across cities and countries. Their best friend is sometimes a thousand miles away. Families also meet in person through sports days, carnivals, nature walks, field trips and day excursions in major cities, and at the four 21K Learning Garages in Bangalore, Hyderabad, Pune and New Delhi.



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The people who know your child

Technology connects a class. A teacher makes a child feel seen. Our facilitators are qualified subject graduates with teaching credentials and an average of 6.7 years in the classroom, chosen as much for their warmth and clarity as for their degrees.



Why we say facilitator

The word describes how teaching works here: the learner thinks, rather than just listens. Facilitators remain subject experts and classroom leaders. They use that expertise to question, guide, observe and challenge, so every child builds understanding for themselves.

Qualified, selected, trained

Every facilitator is at least a graduate in the subject they teach, has teaching experience and holds a teaching qualification such as a B.Ed. or certified by Cambridge / IBO / Edexcel. Selection also tests communication, adaptability, empathy, digital confidence and the ability to connect with young people online.

Stage	Minimum qualification	Who supports your child
Pre-Primary	Graduate with early childhood or pre-primary training, or a B.Ed.	One homeroom facilitator all year, plus the Learning Coach at home
Primary	Subject graduate with a B.Ed. or primary teaching diploma	Homeroom facilitator and a Class Mentor
Middle	Subject post- graduate with a B.Ed. or recognised teaching diploma	Subject specialists and a Class Mentor
High School	Subject post- graduate with a B.Ed. or recognised teaching diploma	Subject experts, counsellors, academic leadership and the School Principal

No facilitator teaches before completing mandatory induction in online pedagogy, the learning platform, safeguarding, assessment and the school's academic frameworks. Background checks and training in child protection, cyber security and cultural sensitivity are standard. Development continues all year through with the Learning Excellence team: 551 hours of professional development in 2025–26 alone.

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When your child feels stuck

No question waits long. A learner can ask in the moment during live class, where small groups make it easy to speak up. They can reach their facilitator for academic help after class, rewatch a secure recording of the lesson, or turn to their Class Mentor in Grades 1 to 8. In High School, Class Facilitators handle subject doubts and the School Principal is available for senior academic guidance.

Watching progress, acting early

Facilitators track attendance, participation, submitted work and assessment results. They look for patterns: a concept that is not landing, a learner who has gone quiet, or work that shows readiness for more challenge. When something needs attention, support follows quickly through targeted practice, small-group intervention, structured foundation programmes or enrichment for learners who are ready to go further.

Behind every facilitator stands a wider team: academic leaders and coordinators, professional counsellors for stress, setbacks and transitions, the Learner Success Team for academic, technical and administrative help, and a clear escalation route for every concern. 21K also provides limited support for learners with special educational needs through qualified professionals; families discuss individual needs confidentially with a counsellor before admission.

How you stay in the loop

Stage	How you hear from us	How often
Pre-Primary	Informal chats after class, narrative observations, portfolios, parent Coffee Meetups, on-demand meetings	Daily contact, termly reports and an annual report
Primary and Middle	Parent portal progress, Class Mentor conversations, parent-teacher meetings	Ongoing portal updates, termly meetings and reports
High School	Subject performance reports, academic and counsellor check-ins, guidance on subject and university choices	Termly summaries and meetings on demand

Our promise, and what we ask

We commit to prepared live lessons, respectful and encouraging interaction, clear and timely feedback, and open communication on any academic or pastoral concern.

We ask families to provide a quiet learning space, reliable attendance and punctuality, a working device and internet connection, and an open partnership with the academic team.

Where 21K School learners go

The results are real, dated and checkable.

21K learners earn recognised Board qualifications, progress to universities in India and on four continents, and leave with the self-direction that university demands.



Board results

Pathway	Result	Period
NIOS Grade 10 and Grade 12	100% results	Past two academic years, from 2024
Cambridge IGCSE, AS and A Level	350+ learners entered, near-100% IGCSE pass rate	Since May 2022
Cambridge Outstanding Learner Awards	Two awards: Business and Spanish	2023-24 and 2024-25





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University destinations

Institution	Country
 IIT Madras	 India
 Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute	 USA
 Monash University	 Australia
 University of Turin	 Italy
 Vistula University	 Poland
 Hang Seng University	 Hong Kong
 Asia Pacific University	 Malaysia
 University of Sharjah	 UAE
 Middlesex University Dubai	 UAE
 Strathmore University	 Kenya



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Guidance that starts in Grade 9, not Grade 12

University readiness is built over four years. Learners take psychometric and career assessments, receive subject-selection counselling before admission and again before Grade 11, meet professionals through career sessions and fairs, and get help with shortlisting, application planning, essays and recommendation letters through a university-support ecosystem that includes an association with IDP. Counsellors also support the stress and uncertainty that come with these decisions.

We are honest about the limits. No school can guarantee university admission. 21K provides Board preparation and guidance on entrance prerequisites, but does not coach for competitive entrance examinations; the flexible timetable makes external coaching easier to fit in.

Learners making their mark



Advait Kolarkar - Timed of India's #UNSTOPPABLE 21 Under 21 Artist



Dr. Swayam Sodha - Doctorate in Info-Tech & Mastered Python, AI and Quantum Computing by Age 7



Kavish: challenged a visiting nanotechnology expert during a senior science session, with questions that went far beyond the syllabus.

Six things that set 21K School apart

- **A real school, not a tuition platform.** Live daily classes, a structured curriculum, assessment, reports and a community, with Cambridge and Pearson Edexcel centre registration.
- **Small classes you can choose.** Maximum caps from 10 in Nursery to 24 in High School, with a 20-learner option in Grades 1 to 8.
- **Your hours, your life.** Four daily timing windows in most grades, so school fits around sport, art, travel and family.
- **No rigid streams in High School.** Subjects combined around strengths and ambitions, within Board rules.
- **Character built in, not bolted on.** First school in Asia recognised as a Habits of Mind Learning Community of Excellence, with growth reported across seven dimensions of success.
- **One ecosystem.** Online school, skills courses, hands-on STEM Learning Garages and a campus, so a child can learn in more than one way.

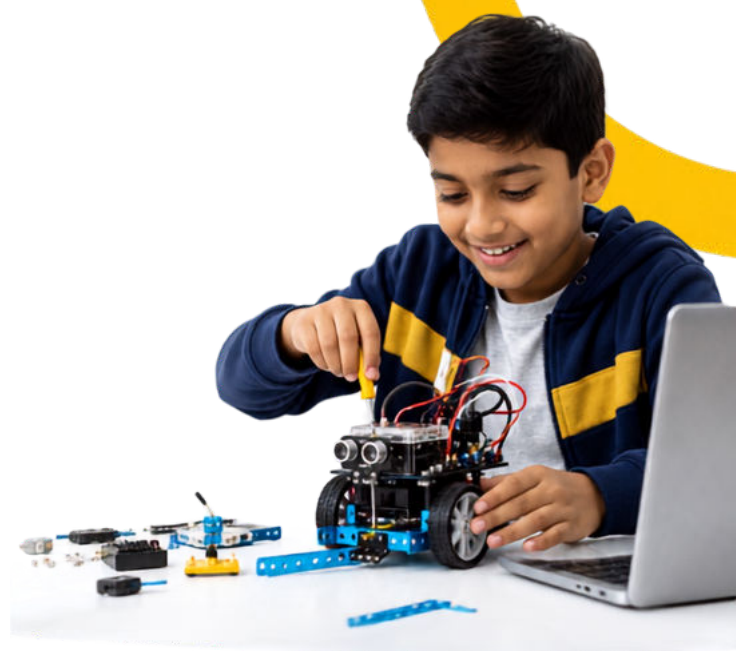


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More ways to learn with 21K School

21K School Online is the heart of a wider learning ecosystem.
A child may need one part of it today and another next year.



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21K FLOWW: skills, online

Practical, future-ready skills with expert facilitators, open to every learner whether or not they study at 21K School. Three programme families: Mastery in English and Mathematics; 13 languages; and capstone short courses in Financial Literacy, Artificial Intelligence, Public Speaking, Entrepreneurship and Digital Media and Arts.



21K Learning
Garage
Imagine • Build • Belong

21K Learning Garage: hands-on STEM, offline

A space to build, test, tinker and think, for ages 5 to 18, in 90-minute sessions. Five pathways: Robotics and Design, Coding and Gaming, Electronics, AI and IoT, and Capstone and Tinkering. Open Tuesday to Sunday, 11 am to 7 pm, in Bangalore, Hyderabad, Pune and New Delhi, with plans to reach 30 Garages by March 2028.



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21K On Campus, Puducherry

A 4.5-acre campus designed for small-group learning, with a maximum of 24 learners per section and a planned pathway towards ICSE and ISC, subject to statutory permissions and CISCE affiliation. Admissions are expected to open in January 2027, with classes planned from June 2027.

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In their own words

Every family arrives with a different reason.

These are a few of them. Each story is told in the parent's own words, lightly trimmed.



A first year of school, full of joy

Dania joined 21K in the early years. Her parents wanted learning to start with enjoyment.

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It was such a great experience and joy for my child to be a part of this school. As a parent we are happy and grateful to all the teachers and staff for helping our child to enjoy learning.

Shazni Rishad,
Parent of Dania (KG2), Kannur



When a physical school was not possible

Keya was born with Spinal Muscular Atrophy (SMA), a rare genetic condition that affects the muscles and limits physical strength.

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Joining 21K British Senior School became a turning point in my life. For the first time, I felt truly included as a learner. My teachers recognized my potential and encouraged me to explore my creativity. One of the most memorable moments in my journey was receiving the Pradhan Mantri Rashtriya Bal Puraskar from the Honourable President of India.

Keya Hatkar
Grade 10 Learner



Thinking, not just scoring

Rudra's parents enrolled both their sons and watched for change beyond the report card.

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There is a drastic change to be seen in speaking skills and logical analysis. In 21K I felt they give importance to knowledge rather than emphasis on good grades.

Parent of Rudra (Grade 6),
Ghaziabad



Time back for childhood

Bryan's old school days were long and stressful, with little room for anything else.

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Bryan now gets enough time for other activities, to spend time with family and also enjoy time with his friends, which he didn't have earlier... Bryan is more confident now and enjoys learning at his own pace.

Parent of Bryan,
Bengaluru



Four years and growing

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She is learning in 21K School from 3rd grade. She experienced a great journey during these 4 years. She learnt a lot with enjoyment and a lot of activities, and her confidence is increasing day by day.

Parent of Tazeem,
Haridwar



A clear admissions journey

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We had a lot of questions when we first considered an online school, but the admissions team made each step clear... Whenever we had a question, there was someone to guide us.

Prerna,
parent of Nirvaan (Grade 4), Bangalore

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Questions parents ask

**Straight answers to the questions
that hold families back.**



Recognition and curriculum



Is an online school a real school?

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Will my child's qualifications be recognised?

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Is 21K affiliated to CBSE?

No. The Indian pathway is aligned with India's National Curriculum Framework up to Grade 8, and leads to NIOS qualifications in Grades 9 to 12.



Timings and attendance



Can we choose class timings?

Yes. Most grades offer four daily windows from 9:30 am to 7:20 pm IST, subject to seat availability. High School runs across two subject-based windows.



What if my child misses a class?

Secure recordings and digital resources help with revision or an occasional missed class. They do not make live school optional: learners are expected to attend, participate and meet assessment deadlines.



How much time will my child spend online?

From one hour a day in Nursery to about four hours in Middle School, all of it interactive and broken up by breaks. Much of the learning continues off-screen.



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Assessment and exams



How is progress assessed?

Through diagnostic, formative and summative assessment, plus ACER International Benchmark Tests from Grade 3. Pre-Primary uses observation and portfolios, with no marks or ranks.



Where are Board exams taken?

In person, at designated examination centres. 21K supports registration and centre coordination in India and abroad.



Is there an entrance test?

There is no pass-or-fail entrance exam. Middle and High School applicants have a readiness conversation or transcript review to confirm the right level and subjects.



Technology



What equipment do we need?

A laptop or desktop with a webcam and microphone, a stable internet connection and a quiet place to learn. Classes run in secure, invite-only rooms. Please review the camera-use policy before enrolling.



Fees



How are fees set?

Fees depend on pathway, grade and class-size plan, and in High School on the number of subjects chosen. Core fees cover live classes, the learning kit, digital resources, assessment, reports, the parent portal and core co-curricular events. Optional third languages, skill programmes, external Board exam entry fees and some in-person events cost extra. Current fees are on the website.



How do we pay?

After eligibility is confirmed, through authorised online payment gateways only. Cash, bank deposits and cheques are not accepted.





21K School

Where Every Learner
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Your path to 21K School

Six steps from first call to first day, usually complete in two to three days.

During the April to June peak it can take up to seven. At every step, someone is there to guide you.



1



Talk to a counsellor

A free 20-minute call about your child's age, grade, curriculum, location and goals. You hear about pathways, timings and fees.

1 day

2



Choose a pathway

Compare the Indian and British pathways with your counsellor, based on prior learning and future plans.

1 day

3



Apply and share documents

Complete the online application and upload proof of age and identity, plus previous report cards or a transfer certificate.

1 day

4



Academic review

For Grades 9 to 12, a review of previous results, subjects and pathway fit before Board registration. Other grades may have a short readiness conversation.

1 to 2 days

5



Confirm your place

Receive your admission offer with full fee details, and pay through an authorised online gateway.

1 day

6



Onboarding

Portal logins, an orientation session, a device and internet check, your timetable, and an introduction to our facilitator and support team. Your learning kit is dispatched home.

1 to 2 days

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Talk to us

We are happy to help at any step, whether you are ready to apply or still deciding.



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Your next step

Book a call.

A few minutes with an academic counsellor to find the right grade, pathway and timing for your child.



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*Every child is different.
Their school can be too.*

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