



Durgabai Deshmukh Mahila Sabha (AMS)
P. OBUL REDDY PUBLIC SCHOOL

32 Years of Excellence



TRINITY
COLLEGE LONDON



2022 - 2023

PROSPECTUS



Knowledge comes... wisdom lingers

Down Memory Lane

Dr. Durgabai Deshmukh 1909 -1981



Durgabai Deshmukh Mahila Sabha (formerly Andhra Mahila Sabha) a unique institution dedicated to the upliftment of women, was started by Late Dr. Durgabai Deshmukh in 1937. The institution was registered as a Society under Indian Societies Act (XXI) of 1860 in 1948 and as a Trust in the same year. It has its central office in Hyderabad. Around 26 unit-organisations are working under the umbrella of Durgabai Deshmukh Mahila Sabha, 9 of them in Chennai and the rest in the states of Telangana and Andhra Pradesh. The Institutions run by

Durgabai Deshmukh Mahila Sabha cater to women care, child care, senior citizens care, care for the disabled, health care and education. As a proponent of

education, Durgabai Deshmukh Mahila Sabha runs high schools, colleges and professional educational institutions.

"Individuals come and go. Human beings are not immortal but institutions are permanent. It is this conviction on my part that helped me always in my search for talent in building up a second line of young workers. I have also held that honest and sincere workers are the backbone of any country or any institution. I further believe that one honest, sincere and efficient worker could create millions or billions of rupees, no millions or billions of rupees could create an honest, sincere and devoted worker".

- Durgabai Deshmukh

Durgabai Deshmukh believed in the Gandhian dictum that it is not good for voluntary organizations to have any big reserve encapsulated to be changed funds as that they would be an open invitation to many outsiders who did very little or no work for the institution to qualify to become members as they would only come with the sole purpose of capturing the office or position of control. She also stressed that the existence of the reserve fund would also influence people to be lazy and indifferent to public opinion. She observed that no one can afford to say that he or she would not care for public opinion and that in keeping with the social responsibilities of citizenship, every one has to give a good and honest account of himself or herself.'

- An extract from the preface written by Sri Prabhudas Balubhai Patwari, the then Governor of Tamilnadu, in 'The Stone that Speaketh' written by Durgabai Deshmukh.

DDMS (AMS) P. OBUL REDDY PUBLIC SCHOOL

VISION

DDMS P. Obul Reddy Public School aims at providing stimulative and innovative learning environment across the curriculum, with values deep rooted in our culture, to ensure all students are empowered to meet the challenges of work and life in a rapidly changing global scenario.

MISSION

To impart 21st century education to the students by encompassing latest tools and techniques of the Teaching - Learning process, keeping the child in mind, through infrastructure befitting their learning needs and an environment which is conducive to the holistic personality development of students.



A Humble Beginning

Durgabai Deshmukh Mahila Sabha (formerly Andhra Mahila Sabha) - P Obul Reddy Public School, began its journey as Andhra Mahila Sabha Vidyalaya in the year 1989 at Jubilee Hills in a two room tenement quarter. The school had a humble beginning of around 30 students and 3 teachers from LKG to III. Today the school stands tall at the present site of 5.25 acres of the prime and scenic location at Jubilee Hills overseeing the panoramic view of the twin cities with around 3000 students and 160 teaching & non-teaching staff from LKG to XII. DDMS (AMS) P.Obul Reddy Public School is an English medium, Co-Educational, Senior Secondary School affiliated to the Central Board of Secondary Education, New Delhi.

Shri P. Obul Reddy, well known philanthropist and industrialist was the major donor after whom the school was named subsequently.

DDMS (AMS) - P. Obul Reddy Public School is a trend setting institution with emphasis on the all-round development of the pupil at a crucial and formative stage. The school programme is meticulously planned to satisfy the needs of the students, individually and collectively under the supervision and guidance of qualified, experienced and committed teachers. The programme is so designed that the pupil gets interactive experiences. Indoor and outdoor activities are incorporated in the daily schedule to make it enriching and meaningful to the child.

Instructional Plan

The medium of instruction is English. The education programme of the school is structured to impart skills and knowledge in a lively, interesting and interactive manner through thematic teaching and other contemporary pedagogy to make learning an enjoyable experience. Students are encouraged to work through meaningful projects and activities aimed at building essential analytical skills. These are designed to nurture the natural curiosity and inquisitiveness of the child. The school's educational programme has been carefully crafted to stimulate a child's mind and thereby influence learning abilities.

Learning - The core function

The basic unit of teaching & learning in a school system comprises of students, a holistic curriculum, a team of dedicated & qualified teachers & a state-of-the-art infrastructure. We believe in setting a benchmark for positive learning environment, Catching them young!

Our curriculum grooms students towards better chances of success and all round personality with a focus on bringing about enhancement of Emotional Quotient along with Intelligence Quotient. The school further nourishes the dimension of the adversity quotient in students to enable them to deal with adversities in life.

GESE, Trinity College, London is an initiative in English to promote international dimension in learning from classes I to XII. The Pedagogy of Trinity has been made an integral part of the English teaching in the school in order to enhance the listening & speaking skills of students. To inculcate competitiveness among students ASSET, NSO Olympiad and other exams are also conducted at the school.

IDS (International Dimension in Schools): The school is also endowed with International Dimension in Schools Award by British Council Since 2015. This gives students an exposure to global culture and learning. The school has been the proud recipient of the International Dimension Schools Award since 2015. This credential is the result of the exposure given to the students to explore global culture and learn from it. School won the IDS award for the year 2022-25, which will be the third consecutive award for the school.



Our Enviably Assets

The lavish campus houses spacious, well ventilated and well equipped class rooms and laboratories

Sports Complex

A sound mind resides in a sound body. With CBSE promoting skill development in sports, the Physical Education classes have become an important part of curriculum. The school has a vast sports complex that provides well-laid courts for Tennis, Volley Ball, Basket Ball, Throw Ball, Cricket etc., taking up many programmes from physical fitness to proficiency in games. The school also boasts of an indoor sports complex, which functions as an auditorium.

Laboratories

The School has two sets of Laboratories for (Physics, Chemistry & Biology) each for Secondary & Sr. Secondary classes. The labs are well equipped with the latest equipment. Specimens, chemicals / reagents and appliances are provided for conducting experiments. A Home Science Laboratory is available for Senior Secondary students opting for Home Science. Math Lab and Social Science Labs add to the learning dimension in the school in lab.

Atal Tinkering Laboratory :

ATL, is a novel approach of the Government of India to create an environment of scientific temper, Innovation and creativity among students in India. The Atal innovation mission at NITI Ayog supports the establishment of such labs. Atal Tinkering lab has become an exclusive privilege to the school. The lab provides a plethora of scientific tools and technology to the students, to work in the field of robotics, mechanics, electronics, coding, designing and 3D printing.

Computer Laboratories

The school has three well equipped computer labs with around 120+wifi enabled Computers for the students to experience the means of networking thus ensuring computer literacy to students from class I to class XII.

Multipurpose Auditorium

The School has an air-conditioned auditorium, well resourced with LCD Projectors & Smart Boards which are used for extended activities such as conducting workshops, career guidance sessions, seminars, internal activities, screening of educational films and other common programmes in the school.





Digital Learning

The school has audio visual aids, LCD projectors and Multi Media with latest educational software to facilitate education effectively. A new dimension has been added to pedagogy with the introduction of smart boards that facilitate digital learning to all classes. Video conferencing and other digital modes of learning are added features in the digital technology.

Library

The school has well stacked libraries for Pre-primary, Primary, Secondary and Senior Secondary sections with books on various subjects, journals, magazines, periodicals, newspapers, E-books and encyclopedias. The children are encouraged to utilize this facility to the fullest extent for updating their knowledge.

Visual & Performing Arts

The School believes that Visual and Performing Arts is all about helping children realize their creativity and making them proficient in various fields of Music, Dance and Arts. The professionally skilled faculty train the students in all forms of art thus enabling them to experience a whole new world of possibilities and aspirations. Art integration is very effectively incorporated into the curriculum to make learning easy and interesting.

The Green Vision

Keeping in view the environmental conservation and sustainability, the school endeavours to preserve the surroundings with utmost care and responsibility by re-cycling, reusing, and inculcating green revolution in the pupils. Solar panels of 50 KWP have been installed in the building.



Ensuring Safety at School

The school has taken measures to ensure safety of every student. These measures consist of:-

- Vigilant CCTV system installed in key areas of school.
- Omnipolis Hyderabad Security System
- Encouraging safe practices at school

NTA Centre

The school is a centre for online Testing and conducting JEE & NEET exams by National Testing Agency of Govt. of India.



The Golden Book Award Presented to DDMS- PORPS by Ministry of Culture, Govt. of Telangana for the Year - 2021



Pre-Primary EDUCATION to EDUCARE

FORMATIVE YEAR

The formative years are very important in shaping the individual's personality. Towards this end, the latent talents in the children need to be uncovered and honed. Our teachers handling

Pre-school are adept at shaping the personality of the child at this phase. To ensure optimal development, our students at the Pre-school are given training by adopting 'Thematic Approach', through Xseed programme.

Xseed programme is followed in classes I and II during the Academic year 2022-23.

Xseed helps students to apply their knowledge in the day-to-day events. It helps students to inculcate high order thinking skills and writing skills. On the whole, students are able to grasp core concepts better, communicate fluently in English and perform better in reasoning and application based assignments.

Co-teachers assist the teachers in rendering their services, thus paying attention to each child. To groom their innate talents, these children are motivated to participate in all Inter and Intra school competitions. These services ensure that each and every child gets personal attention. The students are introduced to new surroundings through field trips, thus rendering opportunities to experiential learning. Pre-school phase is the foundation for a well-bred education system. The school lays down a comprehensive approach towards ensuring the cognitive, linguistic, social, emotional and physical developmental areas of children. Adequate care is taken in making the learning process recreational by providing ample facilities.

Primary

Get Set Go... (I to V)

DDMS P.Obul Reddy Public School has classes from LKG to XII which is affiliated to the CBSE curriculum. The school adopts the most progressive and pupil/student centric system. The curriculum is contextual and flexible. It is designed to develop the rational and analytical abilities of young children.

Technology-based learning is used in all the subjects and languages as part of academics.

To make the school life more interesting the school strives to include different co-curricular activities in the curriculum. These activities develop creativity, innovation and self confidence in children.

Educational trips and picnics organized by the school fill the young minds with excitement and enhance their social skills.

Curriculum : Class I to V

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| 1. English | 8. Art Education |
| 2. II Language (TELUGU / HINDI) | 9. Dance |
| 3. Mathematics | 10. Club Activities |
| 4. Environmental Science | 11. Life Skills |
| 5. Computer Education | 12. HPE & SEWA |
| 6. Compulsory Telugu | 13. Yoga |
| 7. Music | 14. General Knowledge |





PROGRESSIVE YEARS Middle School

The years that span from classes VI to VIII constitute the progression of self learning, analytical skills, Innovation & ideation. The instructional programme includes academics and co-curricular activities.



Curriculum : Class VI to VIII

1. English
2. II Language (TELUGU / HINDI)
3. III Language (TELUGU / HINDI / SANSKRIT / FRENCH)
4. Mathematics
5. Social Science
6. Science
7. Computer Education
8. Art Education, Dance, Music
9. Health and Physical Education (HPE)
10. Yoga
11. SEWA
12. Club Activities

Classes IX-XII: Secondary and Senior Secondary years

The curriculum is mapped to the CBSE New Delhi. It focuses on developing not only academics but also crucial life skills. Together, they mould students into wholesome personalities Reinforcement is provided through technology aided learning, experiential learning, Quiz programmes conducted by Newspaper in Education and other such events at school.

Curriculum : Class IX to X

1. English - Communicative
2. II Language (TELUGU / HINDI)
3. Mathematics
4. Social Science
5. Science
6. Computer Education
7. Art Education, Dance, Music
8. Yoga
9. Health and Physical Education (HPE)
10. SEWA
13. Club Activities
14. IT-Information Technology

Students who do not study Telugu as II & III language will study it as compulsory Telugu, under the directives of Telangana State

CURRICULUM: CLASSES XI & XII SCIENCE STREAM

Compulsory : English Core
 Elective : Physics, Chemistry,
 (Any three, choice only Mathematics / Biology
 for Mathematics/Biology)

Optionals*
 (Any one Subject) : Physical Education,
 Home Science,
 Computer Science,
 Entrepreneurship,
 Economics, Biology,
 Mathematics, Legal Studies,
 Psychology



COMMERCE STREAM

Compulsory : English Core
 Elective : Accountancy,
 Business Studies,
 Economics
 Optionals*
 (Any one Subject) : Physical Education,
 Entrepreneurship,
 Legal Studies,
 Home Science,
 Mathematics,
 Applied Mathematics
 Psychology.

SENIOR SECONDARY (XI & XII)

The Senior Secondary School aims at training the children to become global citizens while enabling them to retain their Indian culture. The students are trained to become goal oriented and in order to achieve this, parallel coaching is made available to them within the school premises. The track records of Alumni speak volumes about the support given to students by the school. The students of these classes are encouraged to actively participate in social causes. Three electives and one optional subject are to be selected besides English core in all streams.

HUMANITIES STREAM

Compulsory : English Core
 Elective : Political Science,
 Sociology, Economics
 Optional*
 (Any one Subject): Physical Education,
 Home Science,
 Entrepreneurship,
 Legal Studies,
 Mathematics,
 Applied Mathematics
 Psychology.



Counseling Session

* Additional VI Subject

The following additional VI subject will be offered to interested students

- Typography & Computer Application
- Marketing
- Library and Information
- Fashion Studies
- Early Childhood Care & Education
- Design

* **Note:** Optional Subject or Additional VI Subject will be offered only if minimum of 10 students opt for it.

Career fairs are organised in school periodically with the participation of universities both from India and abroad.



Terms & Vacations : April-March

The academic year is divided into 2 terms

I TERM from April to September

II TERM from October to March

Evaluation during the 2 terms will be done as per the norms laid down by CBSE.

Autumn Break : September / October

Winter Break : January

Summer Vacation : May / June

Working Days & Timings

Pre-Primary :

Monday to Friday

Timing : 8.30 a.m. to 12.45 p.m.
(All Saturdays are holidays)

Class I to V :

Monday to Friday

Timing : 8.30 a.m. to 2.50 p.m.
(All Saturdays are holidays)

Class VI to XII :

Monday to Saturday

Timing : 8.30 a.m. to 2.50 p.m.

All second Saturdays are holiday for school

School Office :

Monday to Saturday Timings : 9.00 a.m. to 12.00 noon
(only for Transactions)

Registrations & Admissions

Online link for Registration and Administration for the Academic Session 2022 will be available only on the School website www.amsporps.org

Withdrawals

1. Applications for withdrawal of the child from the school at any point of time during the Academic year must be submitted by giving one month's notice.
2. If the withdrawal is during the month of March, the application should be submitted on or before 1st March, if received after 1st March, first term Tuition Fee of the following Academic year will have to be paid in lieu of the notice period.

SCHOOL FEE

1. Tuition Fee, Term Fee and School Transport Fee (when availing) are payable 3 times in a year i.e. from 1st to 10th of April, August & December.
2. Lab Fee is payable at the beginning of the year along with Ist Term Fee.
3. Fee is payable online. The last date for payment of fee is 10th of the fee paying month. Thereafter fee will be accepted only with fine.
4. Caution Deposit is refundable on withdrawal of the child from the school. It can be refunded only after settlement of all dues.
5. Refund of Caution Deposit should be claimed within 3 months after the date of withdrawal of the child from the school and the original receipt has to be produced at the time of claiming refund. If it is not claimed within the prescribed time limit, it is liable to be forfeited.
6. If a student is absent for more than one month without giving leave application, his or her name is liable to be struck off from the rolls and the caution money will be forfeited.
7. Applications for withdrawal of the child from the school at any point of time during the Academic year must be submitted, giving one month's notice.

If the withdrawal is during the month of March the application should be submitted on or before 1st March. If received after 1st March fee for the first term of the following Academic year will have to be paid in lieu of the notice period.

8. **Cancellation of New Admission:** In case where the parent seeks cancellation of admission of his/her ward, 100% of the following fee amounts only are refundable, provided the cancellation is sought before 31st March 2022.
 - i. Lab Fee
 - ii. Term Fee & Tuition Fee
 - iii. Caution Deposit
 - v. Transport Fee (If paid)

BOOKS & STATIONERY

Single window purchase facility will be made available in the campus for buying books and stationery for a stipulated period which will be notified during admission.

MERIT RECOGNITION :

Subject wise merit awards are given to top scorers of CBSE Board Examination for X and XII standards.

STUDENT'S DIARY :

Every student is given a diary by the school. The school diary must be brought to school daily. It is intended to be used by students to record home assignments. Parents/Guardians are requested to keep in touch with their ward's day to day progress and activities through this and sign the diary every day. This will establish a valuable liaison between the teachers and the parents with regard to the quality of work being done by students both at school and home.

STUDENT COUNSELLORS AND SPECIAL EDUCATORS

The emotional & social development of the students is taken care by the counsellor. The school has qualified and trained counsellors cum psychologists. Special Educators are well trained to teach children with special needs.

CAREER COUNSELLING:

The School offers career guidance to students, with emphasis on admission to higher education portals. Trained & Certified career guidance counselors work to provide recommendation letter & other documents to aspiring students.

TRANSPORT FACILITY

The school provides Transport facility for classes I to XII only. Parents may avail it only if it is convenient to them. The transport is made available for the routes fixed by the school. The buses halt at the specified stops only to pick up and drop the children. Any change made subsequently in the existing routes will be intimated to the parents.

The school employs a contractor to run the transport system and running of transport depends on his capabilities and any failure on his part may result in withdrawal of the transport. In such situation, the parents have to make their own transport arrangements.

Every year, the transport facility is so planned that the buses cover all the arterial routes. Extensions/Diversions cannot be made in the routes, No representations individually or collectively will be entertained in this regard. Parents are requested to ensure that the children board the buses only at the allotted bus stops.

While planning and finalising the stages, the running time is taken as an important criterion to adhere to the reporting time at the school. GPS App has been enabled in all buses for parents to track the movement of buses.

1. In case of change of residence, it is the responsibility of the parent to choose the convenient bus stop that falls on the route and inform the school to permit them to board the bus accordingly
2. A clear calendar month's notice is necessary in case of discontinuance of the transport service before the end of the existing term. No concession / rebate is allowed in the bus charges during the part of term, not availing the transport.
3. Full payment is to be made irrespective of the service availed one way or both ways.
4. Transport fee will be payable in three equal instalments along with Tuition & Term Fees. In case of fuel price increase, additional charges may have to be borne by the students. The additional charges if any, will be collected along with the last instalment of transport fee.



Bus Bay

Mentoring & Supporting

As for the teaching faculty, we have well qualified experienced and devoted staff. Their professional commitment, supervision, involvement & guidance have been pivotal in the success of the school for over three decades. Orientation & regular training programmes are organised for the staff from time to time to update their knowledge and teaching skills. The Administrative staff provides a strong support for the smooth functioning of the school.

Norms of Evaluation And Attendance :

The school has a system of continuous and comprehensive evaluation for classes I to XII covering social and emotional development in addition to academic evaluation in accordance with the CBSE. All round performance of the child is monitored throughout the year and is notified regularly to the parents by way of a performance sheet (Report Card). The Report card issued, must be collected only by the parents. The dates for the PTA meetings will be intimated to parents.

A minimum of 85% attendance is required for a student to be eligible for promotion. Students are counselled to improve attendance. Leave application should be sent in advance in case of absence from school, except on grounds of illness. The name of the student will be removed from the rolls for continuous absence without information and he/she may be readmitted at the discretion of the Principal. A student returning to school after a prolonged illness shall produce a doctor's certificate permitting him/her to do so.

House System :

With the objective of encouraging a healthy competitive spirit, we have an efficiently managed House System.

The students of the school are grouped into 4 houses namely - Ruby, Sapphire, Topaz & Emerald with red, blue, yellow & green colours allotted to them, respectively. Every student is allotted a House from class I onwards. He/she takes part in various activities representing a particular House. Rolling trophies are awarded for excellence in academics, games, sports and all round performance.

Leadership development enables students to work together to solve common problems. We give inspiration, skills and connections to become better leaders in school and in society, metamorphosing and strengthening himself/herself, his/her values, roots of knowledge, evolving into a compassionate and responsible citizen.

The Student Council:

Best all-rounders from secondary and senior secondary classes are elected by children as captains, vice-captains from their respective houses. Apart from these, sports captains for each house are nominated and appointed. Cultural secretaries are appointed to co-ordinate all the cultural activities. These captains and vice-captains constitute the 'Student Council' with the Head Boy and Head Girl as their chiefs. The student governing body helps in maintaining discipline and conducting co-curricular and extra-curricular activities.

NCC:

The National Cadet Core, which is headquartered in New Delhi, invites students from Schools and Colleges in order to develop them for the security of India in the future. The cadets frequently participate in various fitness & sports activities on State Level & National Level. Several other values such as spirit for the nation, honesty, hard work and selfless service are also inculcated in the cadets. The NCC aims to develop students into responsible cadets, physically strong & mentally alert and balanced.

We are already equipped with the army wing of the NCC. Further, we have inducted the Air Wing of NCC from academic 2020-21.

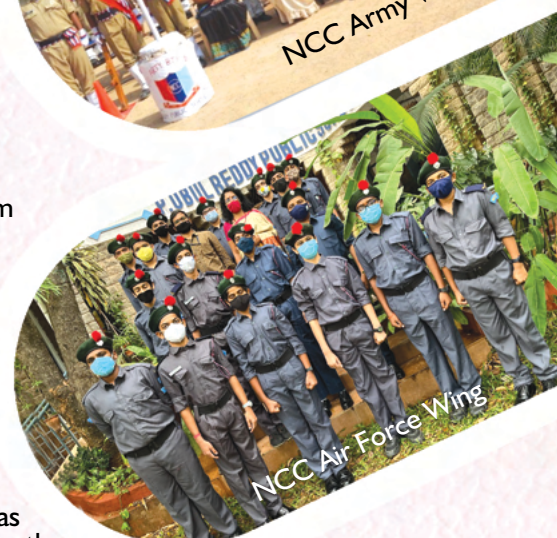
Scouts & Guides:

The Bharat Scouts and Guides is the National Scouting and Guiding Association of India and is recognized by the Government of India. Students of class VI - VIII are enrolled as scouts and guides as part of club activities. The scout unit has been designated "Bhagath Singh" troop and the guides unit have been named "Durgabai Deshmukh" and "Annie Besant" company respectively. This is an optional activity as any other club activity existing in the school.

Learning Policy - Catch them Young Clubs:

The school clubs : The school offers club activities during school hours to students of class I to XII. Every child must choose one club activity each year from amongst the list offered.

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| ❖ Robotics | ❖ Heritage | ❖ Quiz | ❖ Cyber Zone | ❖ Health & Wellness |
| ❖ Pottery | ❖ Needle Craft | ❖ Gymnastics | ❖ Karate | ❖ Nature & Eco club |
| ❖ Scouts & Guides | ❖ NCC | ❖ LEO Club (Lions Club) | ❖ Archery | ❖ Aerobics |
| ❖ Dance | ❖ Public Speaking | ❖ Dezin | ❖ Band | ❖ Etiquette and Communication Skills |



OTHER FACILITIES:

Canteen: School canteens provides a variety of snacks and eatables prepared under hygienic conditions.

Medical Care: The school's infirmaries extend treatment of emergencies by providing first aid. Students are taken to a hospital on parent's request only.

Coaching Classes: Coaching for Basket-Ball, Cricket, Base Ball, Throw-Ball and Kho-Kho are available after school hours on payment.

Schools are a lot more than books and rote learning. The institution has designed well crafted club activities to provide learning spaces for the progress of the students. By being part of clubs students develop different talents and learn new things. They are also provided with a chance to get involved in leadership and sports activities. The sole purpose of these activities is to acquire skills to go step into the society and widen their horizon so that they can prove their mettle.



Field Trips and Educational Tours :

The school organizes field trips to local areas for the entire school so that the students get hands-on experience which is the core essence of experimentation and innovation. Educational tours to different parts of the country are planned for the upper primary, middle and high school students during the term vacation.

Health & Wellness :

Sports and games develop the child's thinking skills and enable him/her to improve both physical and mental endurance. Students are given opportunities to participate in intra and inter school competitions under the able guidance of experts.

Value Education :

Social service has always been a major objective of the school helping to reinforce the values of respect, equality, inclusion, cooperation, participation and responsibility. The students of the school have lent a helping hand, down the years to the have-nots in different forms. Our former Students initiated a Non-Profit Organization, Cross Fire which is meant to address social issues.

Community Service :

The school has initiated a project of supplying breakfast, along with optional school supplies by students to Alpha School.

In 2019, the school adopted Gonguluru Village with a view to helping under privileged students with infrastructure and other supplies. Students are encouraged to participate in charity, missions, thus inculcating compassion in them.



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