



Uttam
SCHOOL FOR GIRLS



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KNOW OUR SCHOOL

On 9th April, 1995 Shri Uttamchand Adlakha inaugurated the building of Uttam School for Girls.

Today the school has established its identity as a unique, noteworthy and a progressive institute. An effort has been made to create an environment conducive to learning and healthy development of children in a stress-free atmosphere.

The air-conditioned classrooms are spaciouly designed to give the child a sense of freedom and non-confinement. They are acoustically perfect. Huge windows allow in natural light and ventilation.

A balance of nature has been maintained through landscaping of relief areas, thereby enhancing the surroundings as well as providing a congenial and friendly environment for the children and staff.



WHAT WE AIM AT

At Uttam School, the courses are dynamic.

The school aims at instilling Indian traditional values and a sense of pride in our ancient culture and art. At the same time, students are made conscious of the new streams of thought and enlightenment so that they can achieve a natural and practical synthesis between the two.

Today, students of Uttam School have begun to contribute to the growth of society. They have succeeded as bureaucrats, entrepreneurs, doctors, engineers, teachers, fashion designers, chartered accountants and business administrators.

They are also groomed to be leaders and to shoulder responsibilities.

VISION



Uttam School for Girls aims to provide a learning environment which nurtures the intellectual and emotional growth of our students. Our vision is to develop a strong character which includes human values, respect for diversity, and the ability to face life's challenges with dignity.



PHILOSOPHY



At Uttam School, we lay stress on imparting quality education to achieve the physical, mental and spiritual potential which is latent in each child.

It is of prime importance to instill in her the qualities, values and attitudes for her success in life, by becoming a good citizen as well as a good human being.

Along with these values the child needs to be taught to develop a spirit of initiative and independence, yet at the same time retain a respect for laws, institutions and norms which are the foundation of a healthy social order.

The reason the School is exclusively for girls is that the world today needs women leaders who will use their education for strengthening themselves and the world. Education which will:

- Equip her to realize her personal potential.
- Empower her with moral and spiritual wealth to face life's challenges.
- Encourage her to contribute to the betterment of the world.
- Enrich her with skills necessary for a joyful and productive life.

Mr. Rajkumar Adlakha

Chairman

It is my firm belief that for a growing city like Ghaziabad, we particularly need an exclusive girls' school where emphasis on academics, technology, and excellence in science goes hand in hand with the knowledge of graceful behaviour that will guide their way into a global world where most students of today would be eager to make a mark.

At Uttam School, we strive to make our students conscious of being gracious in speech and humane in behaviour.

These form the very essence of good manners. While this kind of learning strengthens the students morally, it also helps them retain their essential femininity and dignity.

Mrs. Kim Adlakha

Managing Trustee



CONSTANT INNOVATION

Curriculum and Methodology

The learning process supports the natural development of a child. The teacher is less of an instructor and more of a guide and a facilitator. The school's academic curriculum, based on the CBSE Board's latest guidelines, encourages the thought process and reasoning, which in turn encourage the children to be logical, analytical, critical, creative, innovative and communicative.



- The school offers various combinations of subjects at senior secondary level viz Biology with Economics, Economics with Geography, Mathematics with Biotech, Biology with Psychology to name a few. This gives a broader platform to the students for further studies.
- The Laboratories (Physics, Chemistry, Biology, Mathematics, Biotechnology, Computer, Home Science and Fashion Studies) are spacious and well equipped so as to foster the spirit of enquiry for the budding scientists and the computer savvy.
- The library is well equipped and upgraded with over 2500 books and 35 monthly magazines to satisfy the students' curiosity and make them ardent readers. Special student editions of all national dailies are distributed everyday to encourage students to read newspapers and widen their horizons.
- Centrally air conditioned (heating and cooling) classrooms are equipped with a computer, projector and a smart board, and can be used as seminar rooms.

The school respects each individual child and believes in the concept of differentiated learning. To put it into practice, we provide remedial classes, enrichment classes and bridge classes which allow a student to learn at her pace. The school also has its own "Special Education Cell", to help students thereby motivating them to do better than before.





EXPRESSIONS

The motto of the school is to provide an 'upbringing' and not just an education.

The entire curriculum has been so designed to develop the aesthetic sense in each and every student, through Art, Music, Drama, Quiz, History day, Science day, English, Hindi and Sanskrit literary weeks, foreign language days etc.

These activities serve as a platform to broaden the learning experience of the child and provide a foundation for life-long learning and participation.

The school hosts and regularly organizes various events and programmes such as Student Leaders Conclave and the lecture demonstrations under the Spic Macay Virasat Series.





COLLABORATIONS

At Uttam School teaching strategies are enhanced through various exchange programmes. As a part of the British Council International School Award, teachers are sent to UK schools to learn and enhance their teaching strategies. An interaction between students of Uttam School and those of the Hwa Chong Institute of Singapore has proved an asset to both. Students learn to appreciate and understand backgrounds, teaching methods, working in scientific environment and languages. Besides this, they get an opportunity to visit foreign cities, historic and religious sites and differing life-styles.

Uttam School for Girls is the PASCH-Schule i.e Partners for the Future School in Ghaziabad guided by Goethe Institute, Max Mueller, Delhi. The students take part in International Youth Courses in Germany with the help of scholarships.



FOCUSING ATTENTION ON COMMON GOALS



Sports are an excellent means for developing tolerance, team spirit, right attitude, self-control and acceptance of victory with humility and defeat without resentment.

Professional coaches impart exclusive training in a wide variety of games, particularly Tennis, Golf, Billiards, Swimming and Cricket. Regular physical exercises are a part of the school curriculum. Uttam School students have participated not only at the National but even at the International level.

The outdoor sports facilities consist of playgrounds for Hockey, Cricket, Tennis, Basketball, Golf, Badminton, Skating and various athletics disciplines. Indoor facilities are provided for Table Tennis, Gymnastics, Billiards, with separate activity areas for Carrom and Chess.

A well-equipped Gymnasium with a trainer is an exclusive facility which every Uttam student is provided with.

Swimming is an important activity at Uttam School. The school has two swimming pools; one for the tiny - tots and the other for the older children.

For the very young, there is a children's play area.





NEW HORIZONS

Microsoft Showcase School

Uttam School for Girls is recognised as a Microsoft Showcase School for acting as a global leader in successful integrations of technology with teaching - learning process and demonstrating a strong vision for educational change.

Wi-Fi Campus and ERP

The entire Uttam School is centrally air-conditioned & WI FI enabled. In addition to a dynamic website, every student has a personal login id wherein the school attendance, circulars, academic curriculum, worksheets, question papers and assignments can be viewed. In addition to personal interactions with the teachers, parents also receive progress reports and keep track of their children's progress through the internet.

GPS Tracking in Buses

Taking a lead in ensuring the safety and security of its students, the school has begun rolling out buses with a complete GPRS tracking system. This will provide a comprehensive tracking and mapping of each and every bus, right from the bus stop to the school and vice versa along with geo sensing route mapping and security.

Keeping Abreast with the Latest

Uttam School has embraced advanced technology so that each and every student is exposed to the very best that technology has to offer, world-wide!

The computer laboratory is used for introducing children to computer aided education right from the junior classes.

Interactive Boards

A major step in keeping the school abreast with the latest in technology is the equipping of all the classes with interactive boards. These boards make lessons more informative and interesting for both students and teachers. An amazing array of information is available at the click of a mouse in the classroom.

CHRYSALIS

Learning beyond school hours

Chrysalis is a forum for the young and the budding to further explore their creativity and enhance their finer aesthetic sensibilities. Professionally trained instructors from within and outside the school, train the students in the evening.

Regular sports' training is offered every day after school hours in the fields of Golf, Billiards, Lawn tennis, Swimming, Skating, Basketball and Taekwondo.





INTEGRATION TO HELP, ENCOURAGE AND PARTICIPATE

Uttam School students welcome the opportunity to help, encourage and participate in common programmes with under privileged children via Seva Samarpan - a school adopted initiative and largely financed by the Uttam Charitable Trust. The school has also setup a tailoring unit for senior students of Seva Samarpan to learn a skill after school, which is running successfully. We are also collaborating with 'Saksham' - a school for physically challenged children. The school is a member of IAYP (International Award for Young People) wherein community service plays an important role. Our students are also active members of 'Project Citizen' - an initiative by the Center for Civic Education, California.

Uttam School for Girls was the proud host of the 10th cycle of Teach India - a corporate social responsibility initiative by The Times of India that aims at imparting spoken English to the underprivileged sections of the society therefore, aiding their employability.

The adult education programme was started in school premises wherein students and teachers joined hands to teach the support staff of the school and teenage girls from a nearby Razapur village. This was done after school hours to impart ICT skills and also enroll the deserving students to the National Institute of Open Schooling to complete 10th grade examinations.



CELEBRATIONS



Students of Uttam School learn to appreciate and respect diversity and celebrate all religious festivals with equal fervour and zest. Sweets are distributed to Uttam students and Seva Samarpan students on Independence day and Republic day. All proceeds of the grand Uttam 'Deep Utsav' go to charities supported by the school. The community meal organized every year on the occasion of Guru Purab allows our students to imbibe the values of community service and equality.





LEARNING ACROSS BORDERS

Excursions are an integral part of students' education. They broaden their horizons and outlook towards life. Uttam School provides this wholesome experience by taking the students on regular visits to museums, art galleries, exhibitions, historical places and live theatres. The regular exchange programme with GOETHE Institute, annually has given the students an opportunity to explore Germany.

Following the visit of astronaut Bill Olflien, the students went to NASA, USA to experience the world of rockets and space shuttles. Camping expeditions and field visits are organized for students to enable them to overcome their fear and to boost their self-confidence.



PRIMARY WING- A STRONG FOUNDATION



Laying a strong foundation is the guiding principle of the Junior School. Children explore and discover following the rhythm of childhood. Beautiful classrooms filled with toys, puzzles, games and storybooks create a stress-free learning environment. Inculcating moral values with emphasis on the family and our traditions is an integral component of the Junior School.

The curriculum is multidisciplinary and is designed on the principles of Multiple Intelligence. It is enquiry based learning and the concepts are taught through hands-on activities. Children are encouraged to ask questions and apply their learning in real life situations.





LASTING IMPRESSIONS

The right grooming and etiquette are of prime importance in upbringing, especially for girls. Codes of right behaviour such as poise, grace and dignity are emphasized at Uttam School through unique and interactive means which ensure that the girls do not take them as lessons but as learning experiences. These are personally supervised by the school's Director and have been documented for posterity.

The cafeteria at Uttam School provides nutritious and wholesome food to children. High standards of hygiene are maintained here. Two experienced chefs assisted by efficient cooks and servers have made the cafeteria popular even among the parents.





IAS Officer Ms. Shweta Chauhan, an Uttam School Alumna secured 8th rank in UPSC 2016



Sanya Gandhi, student of Uttam School For Girls secured top position in the country in differently abled category in the class X CBSE board exam



Ms. Nita Saini, TGT Sanskrit, Uttam School For Girls, Ghaziabad was conferred with the National Award by President Pranab Mukherjee at Vigyan Bhawan



Mansi Loiwal, proud alumna of Uttam School For Girls qualified UPSC exam in her first attempt in 2012



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