



HOLY MARY'S SCHOOL, BANUR

AFFILIATION NO. 1630423, SCHOOL CODE: 20412

ANNUAL PEDAGOGICAL PLAN, SESSION 2024-2025



General School Information

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School Hours

Summer*: 8:00 AM to 2:00 PM

Winter*: 9:00 AM to 2:30 PM

**Timings might change depending on the weather and as per
Government guidelines.*

Enrolment 2024-2025

Total Students: 1986

Classes: From Pre-Primary up to 10th

Affiliated Board: CBSE

ABOUT HOLY MARY'S SCHOOL

Holy Mary's School was established by HOLY MARY'S SOCIETY REGD. in the year 1999. Holy Mary's School was established on 2nd Feb-1999 and Registered under the Society act-1860. The school is affiliated with C.B.S.E, New Delhi, recognized by the Punjab Government. The chief aim of the school is to provide a sound educational structure premeditated to train its students to live for the goodwill of society, through their activities in all walks of life, be it morally, spiritually, intellectually, socially or professionally. Holy Mary's School, founded more than a decade ago, with a clear vision, 'To Impart High Quality Education to Banur and Its Surrounding Villages', has been successfully serving its objectives, with due emphasis on the famous 3 D's to success as per the Management's guidelines: Dedication, Discipline, and Determination. Holy Mary's School in Banur is committed to providing quality yet affordable education to its students. Our pedagogical plan outlines the educational goals, strategies, and activities for the academic year.

OUR VISION

The vision of the school is "To Retain Excellence in Education While Ensuring Affordability to All".

OUR MISSION

The mission of the school is "Providing Highest Quality Cost Effective Service to Our Students With the Help of our Dedicated Staff and to Progress further by keeping up with Technological Advancements.

GOALS AND OBJECTIVES

1. **Academic Excellence:** Ensure that students achieve mastery in core subjects such as Mathematics, Science, Language, Arts, and Social Studies.
2. **Holistic Development:** Focus on developing students' physical, emotional, social, and intellectual capacities.
3. **Character Building:** Instil values such as integrity, compassion, and responsibility in students, preparing them to be ethical and responsible citizens.
4. **21st Century Skills:** Equip students with critical thinking, problem-solving, communication, and collaboration skills necessary for success in the modern world.
5. **Inclusive Education:** Create an inclusive learning environment that respects and celebrates diversity, catering to the individual needs of every student.
6. **Parental Involvement:** Foster strong partnerships with parents to support students' learning and development.

CURRICULUM OVERVIEW

- Review and update curriculum to align with academic standards and best practices.
- Implement a balanced curriculum that includes academic subjects, arts, physical education, and extracurricular activities.
- Incorporate project-based learning, experiential learning, and real-world applications to make learning engaging and relevant.
- Offer opportunities for interdisciplinary learning to help students make connections across different subjects.

TEACHING STRATEGIES

- Use various teaching strategies to cater to diverse learning styles and abilities.
- Encourage active participation, inquiry-based learning, and student-centered approaches in the classroom.
- Integrate technology like Smart Classes into teaching and learning to enhance engagement and facilitate personalised learning experiences.
- Provide ongoing professional development opportunities for teachers to enhance their pedagogical skills and stay updated on educational trends and research. Organize in-house training programmes plus both online and offline training programmes to improve pedagogical skills and knowledge of all teachers.

ASSESSMENT AND EVALUATION

- Implement a balanced assessment system that includes formative assessments, summative assessments, and performance-based assessments in all the exams/assignments conducted throughout the year.
- Use assessment data to monitor student progress, identify learning gaps, and provide timely interventions whether through one on one's with students/parents or through PTM.
- Provide constructive feedback to students to help them understand their strengths and areas for improvement.
- Involve students in self-assessment and reflection to foster metacognitive skills and ownership of learning.

COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

- Engage with the local community through service-learning projects, community service initiatives, and partnerships with local organizations.
- Organize parent-teacher conferences, workshops, and events to promote parental involvement and collaboration.
- Encourage students to participate in extracurricular activities, competitions, and cultural events to develop their talents and interests.

ACADEMIC CURRICULUM

At Holy Mary's School, Banur, we are dedicated to providing students with a comprehensive and enriching educational experience that prepares them for success in the Indian National curriculum under the CBSE Board. Our curriculum is meticulously designed to foster holistic development and academic excellence among students up to Class 10. Here's an overview of our academic curriculum:

General Objectives of Learning:

- Foster intellectual curiosity, critical thinking, and problem-solving skills.
- Develop communication, collaboration, and leadership skills.
- Nurture a lifelong love for learning and personal growth.

Courses of Study:

- Our curriculum covers a wide range of subjects including Mathematics, Science, Hindi, Punjabi, Arts Education, Social Science, Health and Physical Education where the focus is not only on these subjects but also on Work Education, Vocational Education and Art Integrated Learning.
- We emphasize the importance of practical learning experiences through hands-on activities, experiments, and projects.
- Extracurricular activities such as sports, dance, music, debates, etc., complement the academic curriculum, providing students with a well-rounded education.

Subject-wise Instructional Objectives and Content:

- Each subject is taught with a focus on conceptual understanding, skill development, and application in real-life contexts.
- Our experienced faculty members use innovative teaching methods and resources to make learning engaging and meaningful.
- The curriculum is aligned with the CBSE guidelines, ensuring that students are well-prepared for the board examinations

Pedagogical Practices:

- We employ a variety of pedagogical approaches including classroom lectures, group discussions, cooperative learning, smart classes, and experiential learning.
- Technology is integrated into teaching , one such example is Smart Classes.
- Continuous assessment and feedback mechanisms are in place to monitor student progress and provide targeted support as needed.

Subjects offered for class IX & X:

1. Mathematics Basic (241)
2. Mathematics Standard (041)
3. Hindi Course – B (085)
4. Punjabi (004)
5. English (Language & Literature) (184)
6. Social Science (087)
7. Science (086)

Our Pedagogical Vision:

At Holy Mary's School, Banur, our pedagogical vision revolves around nurturing a dynamic learning community where every student is empowered to reach their fullest potential. Grounded in the principles of innovation, inclusivity, and excellence, our vision encompasses a holistic approach to education that goes beyond mere academic achievement. We believe in fostering a love for learning, critical thinking, and creativity, preparing students not just for academic success but also for lifelong success in an ever-evolving world. Through personalized instruction, collaborative learning experiences, and a supportive environment, we aim to cultivate in our students a strong sense of curiosity, resilience, and social responsibility. Our pedagogical vision is centered on inspiring students to become independent thinkers, compassionate leaders, and positive contributors to society, equipping them with the skills and values needed to thrive in the 21st century and beyond.

Ensuring Safety of our Students:

Ensuring the safety and well-being of our students is paramount at Holy Mary's School, Banur. We have implemented comprehensive measures to create a secure learning environment where students feel protected and supported at all times. From stringent safety protocols and regular emergency drills to trained staff members and surveillance systems, we leave no stone unturned in safeguarding our students. Additionally, we prioritize ongoing communication with parents and guardians to keep them informed about safety procedures and updates. At Holy Mary's School, Banur, we are committed to providing a nurturing and protective environment where every student can learn and thrive with confidence and peace of mind.

Conclusion:

The annual pedagogical plan outlines our commitment to providing a high-quality education that empowers students to reach their full potential. Through collaboration, innovation, and a focus on student well-being, we aim to create a positive and nurturing learning environment at Holy Mary's School, Banur.