

## THE NEW SCHOOL OF LEARNING

There is nothing as exhilarating as the 'Joy of Learning'. To a child, the world is a magical place to be explored and he/she has the insatiable urge to comprehend the world around. Learning can happen anytime and anywhere and the child needs to be empowered to inculcate learning as a '24 by 7' habit. A major part of a child's learning happens in school. However the process of learning in a school is not confined to the classroom alone and can happen at multiple touch-points like labs, playground, library etc. At the same time, the knowledge gained in school needs to be coupled to life outside the school. Technology can be used as a tool to enhance the learning capabilities of kids by making the learning process more engaging, interactive, thought provoking and hands-on. It can also help them co-relate classroom learning with day-to-day life.

With almost a decade of experience in providing complete range of IT enabled learning solutions for schools, NIIT has impacted lives of more than 10 million kids covering over 16000 private and government schools across India. Designed as per the recommendations of National Curriculum Framework-2005 NIIT NGuru is a holistic education solution for schools that utilizes appropriate technology as backbone and encompasses all the possible components required to service the present and future learning needs of a school.

NIIT NGuru suite consists of **Interactive Classrooms**- an end to end Teaching Learning solution for classrooms that uses elements of interactivity, automation and web links library; **Math lab**- State-of-the-art Mathematics Laboratory for schools which comes with Geometer's Sketchpad Software, Multiple Teaching and Learning Aids like Technology Applications, Videos, Manipulative, Measuring Instruments and Theme Based Ambience; **IT Wizard Next**- equips the students with core computer knowledge and IT skills; **Quick School**- an Education Resource Planning solution for school management, and **Mobile Science Lab**- the first of its kind portable computerized Science Laboratory which enables students to correlate scientific concepts taught in the class to real life.

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### ■ What is GEMS International School's USP?

GEMS International School, Palam Vihar is a beautiful, well-appointed facility, specially designed as a school of the highest quality. Creating a vast state-of-the-art academic infrastructure, putting together best of teaching talent, equipping with every required learning aid GIS, Palam Vihar ensures that students get the best in academics. Sporting, cultural and co-curricular facilities are put in place in order so that the students enjoy their campus life. Through the fine integration of GEMS Core values of World Citizenship, Universal Values, Leadership Qualities and Forward Thinking, into the uniquely exciting curriculum, GIS uniquely sets itself apart in the education world by providing a variety of opportunities for pupils to form meaningful and responsible relationships with peers and other significant adults and transforming each child into a worthwhile and special person, worthy of the best.

### ■ What are the facilities provided in this school?

The school is well equipped with International Standards of infrastructure and well accomplished faculty. The classrooms are well equipped with all modern learning amenities including interactive boards and the indoor and outdoor play spaces cater to the needs of the toddlers to the teens for all games like Football, Cricket, basketball, tennis, TT, Skating, etc. There are additional learning areas like the Exploration Room, ICT resource centre, Dance and Music room. A wellness centre is in place to ensure the medical safety of the students. There is a well quipped laboratory and very well stocked library along with a bookstore.

### ■ What is the staff like at GEMS?

GEMS employs an in-house team of over 9,000 multi-skilled education professionals and staff from around the world who are supported by an advisory board of eminent educationalists. Dedicated, qualified and experienced teachers are selected for their expertise and their ability to create motivational atmosphere for students. All our teachers participate in ongoing training programmes to ensure that the strategies, methods and resources they use reflect the standards of best practice from around the world.

### ■ What is the management team like?

Due to our international reach GEMS is able to recruit high caliber professionals from around the world. GEMS most valuable resource is our team of dynamic education professionals that steer the high standards of teaching and learning in all GEMS schools. Regular assessment and training programmes provide employees with opportunities for professional growth and a platform to develop new skills. Additionally, GEMS provides its staff a wide range of professional development opportunities across the network. These coupled with a regular programme of assessment and evaluation ensure that all members of the GEMS team in GEMS schools and at the corporate level perform to high professional standards.