

Grade VI Admission - Competency Overview

(Academic Year 2026–2027)

Dear Parent,

Admission to Grade VI is based on a student's readiness for middle school learning, in line with the National Education Policy (NEP) 2020, which emphasises conceptual understanding, application of knowledge, critical thinking, communication skills, and holistic development.

During the admission interaction, students are encouraged to demonstrate their learning through **reading**, **writing**, **discussion**, **problem-solving**, **and reasoning**, in a supportive and age-appropriate manner.

We also look for evidence of general awareness, knowledge of current affairs, positive values, and good manners.

English: Language, Reading & Writing Competencies

We look for the student's ability to:

- Read an age-appropriate unseen prose passage and demonstrate **comprehension and vocabulary understanding**
- Express ideas through **guided composition**, including paragraph writing, short story writing, and **diary entries** based on visual or verbal prompts
- Write an **informal letter** using appropriate format and language
- Use key grammar concepts correctly, including:
- articles and prepositions
- verbs (simple and continuous tenses)
- pronouns
- adjectives, including degrees of comparison
- Apply punctuation rules accurately in writing
- Arrange **jumbled words** to form meaningful sentences
- Introduce oneself confidently and participate in listening and speaking activities

Mathematics: Numeracy, Reasoning & Problem-Solving

We look for the student's ability to:

- Understand and work with **whole numbers** using both the **Indian and International number systems**
- Perform and apply **addition**, **subtraction**, **multiplication**, **and division**, including comparison of numbers
- Demonstrate understanding of **HCF and LCM**, simplification of expressions, and **BODMAS**
- Work with **fractions, mixed fractions, and decimals**, including all four operations
- Understand **perimeter and area** of rectangles and squares

- Calculate volume of cubes and cuboids
- Apply mental mathematics, logical thinking, and reasoning skills

Science: Conceptual Understanding & Awareness

We look for the student's ability to demonstrate basic understanding of:

- Food, health, and diseases
- Matter and its properties
- Animals and their characteristics
- Human body systems, including the skeletal and nervous systems
- Force, work, and simple machines
- Environmental awareness, including pollution

Our Belief

The admission interaction helps us understand each student's **academic readiness**, **thinking skills**, **and learning attitude**, enabling a smooth and confident transition into **Grade VI and the middle stage of schooling**.

-Principal