

# Inspiring Young Hearts



Gnana Jyothi School & PU College

*Let your child blossom here . . .*

Welcome to GJS, one of the oldest and most distinguished institutions. Gnana Jyothi School is an English Medium coeducational school setup under Grameena Vidhaybhivrudhi Samsthe in 1983-84. The School follows State syllabus along with CBSE pattern combined with sophisticated and student friendly teaching methods to meet the rural students needs.

For nearly three decades this school has sent out into the world men and women who have, in their own distinctive ways, helped shape the progress of India and the global community. Old Students have been highly valued by government. International diplomatic organizations, the armed services, Industrial and financial corporations, the medical and engineering fraternities, science and technology research institutions and the legal profession to name just a few.

Today, the school is 30 years young and going strong. It is considered by many discerning people to be one of the finest schools in this locality.

## *GJS at a Glance*

- GJS School is a co-educational, day and residential school with an enrollment of more than 800 students.
- GJS offers education from Kindergarten to Grade 12 (PUC)
- The School extends two rigorous curriculum options – CBSE XSEED Pattern and Karnataka State
- A small class size of 35 students ensures that staff is able to focus adequate time and attention on their students
- All lessons are delivered by facilitators who are specialists in their chosen field. Our teachers are skilled in presenting the challenging subject curriculum in ways that make it easier for students to learn effectively
- Students' progress is continuously monitored in scholastic and non-scholastic areas and a comprehensive report is prepared at the end of every milestone test and exam for parents' reference
- Students aiming at furthering their education and those preparing for competitive exams are provided adequate training and support
- Students undergo an invigorating learning experience through a variety of contemporary learning aids and resources
- Individual learning is supported through a series of enrichment classes and workshops
- Teachers work closely with students in the classroom, and one-on-one in small groups outside the classroom, to support their English language needs in listening, speaking, reading and writing
- World-class infrastructure with spacious and well-ventilated classrooms, state-of-the-art resource center, modern labs and libraries
- School buses with GPS tracking system



*The GJS community.*

# Shaping the future together



**Mr. K. Guidiyappa - President**

Mr. K. Guidiyappa is one of the founders of Grameena Vidhybhivrudhi trust. He not only is the President of the trust from the beginning to till date, he served the KOMUL as director and President for 15 years. He is a well known personality who dedicated his life for social service. He is a mentor and a fatherly figure who is supporting, encouraging the B.M. Murthy family in running the school.



**Mr. Rajeev Kumar B.M. - Secretary**

He is an Engineer and working as an IT professional. He worked in different countries and during this he keenly observed and understood the education system of different countries. He dreamt about taking his father's institution to world class level by implementing ideas gained in different countries. He took up the responsibility of running the school after his father's demise. In addition to his IT Job, he is looking after the school along with his wife Manushree. Both of them are actively involved in running the school successfully.



**Mr. Chethan Ram R.A., Academic advisor**

- International Trainer on Personality Development
- Recipient of 'RAVI PURASKAR' & 'INDIRA PRIYADARSHINI' National Awards
- Trainer on Soft-Skills for 30 years. Director, AMCAD, MYSORE
- Experienced Success Coach, Authored many Books & Audio CD's on Self Development
- First Trainer in INDIA to introduce University Recognized Soft-Skills programs for public & Professionals
- Trained Lakhs of Students, Teachers and Professionals over 30 years.
- Advisor to tens of schools across the state



## Message from School

Dear Parents,

The functions and responsibilities of this school have increased manifold during these years. As the concept of education has developed and become more comprehensive, the school has to assume a greater role.

Our main objective is to give quality education to the children of rural areas with affordable cost. We want to see our school children to be well prepared to meet all the global challenges and prove themselves to be the best citizens of India. We are doing our best for the all-round development and the welfare of our students.

We appeal to all parents to have a regular, healthy interaction with the school so that together we can help the children to develop their full potential.

Here wishing you the best for fruitful academic year.

**Manushree P**  
Academic Head



## WHY GJS?

Among Local schools, GJS is second to none in the following areas:

- ❖ Academics
  - Well qualified, Experienced Teachers
  - International standard XSEED CBSE curriculum
  - TATA Edge digital class rooms
  - Activity Based Teaching
  - Individual attention
  - Special focus on Spoken English
- ❖ Infrastructure & Amenities - World class facilities
- ❖ Personality Development by International Trainers
- ❖ Discipline
- ❖ Moral & Ethical Values
- ❖ Integrated Co-Curricular Activities
- ❖ Sports Academy for professional training
- ❖ Value for money

*Imagination is more important than knowledge.*

*- Albert Einstein*



## Mission

- To nurture academic excellence by teaching the curriculum creatively, holistically and insightfully and to foster in students the confidence they need to successfully meet the challenges the future will hurl at them.
- To inculcate values of social concern, compassion and discipline - essential for building up a strong character.
- To give students the knowledge and skills needed to grow into resourceful and responsible citizens of India and the world.
- To foster trust in God almighty as the ultimate upholder of life-affirming values and the eternal source of inspiration to all who strive for the realization of the highest ideals.
- To create thinkers who can lead, who will be aware of their social responsibility to bring to life a brighter future for themselves and their fellow citizens.

*The direction in which education starts a man will determine his future in life.*

*- Plato*

## *The history of Gnana Jyothi School*



**Late B M Murthy Hireballe**  
1947 – 2001

The School was founded in 1983-84 by founder Late. B.M. Murthy, whose multifaceted experience in various walks of life has materialized in the formation of the school. B.M. Murthy was born in a small village Hireballe, Sidlaghatta Taluk, Chikkaballapura District. He lost his father and mother at a very young age. Despite this, he pursued his education with the help of relatives and friends. He graduated in B.A. from Kolar Govt. College. Then he went to the world famous Mysore University “Manasa Gangothi” to do his Master Degree and completed Master of Arts in 1974. After the Master Degree he came back to his native and started a Seeds Factory in the Name of Yamuna Hybrid Seeds. He was the MD for the same. After running the factory for a couple of years, he along with his friends decided to start Gnana Jyothi School for rural students in 1983-84. He dreamt of making the school one of the best in that locality and he succeeded in it. Unfortunately on Jan 2nd, 2001 we lost him. After this, his family is tirelessly working for the well being of the school and then constructed a new building with world class facilities in 2014.



*“Learn from yesterday, live for today, hope for tomorrow.”*

*- Albert Einstein*

*“Earth provides enough to satisfy every man’s needs, but not every man’s greed.”*

*- Mahatma Gandhi*



*Simple joys of learning.*

# Academics

## **KINDERGARTEN**

The KG Section enjoys a serene setting surrounded by greenery and equipped with an excellent playpen. The KG section is a home away from home for our little VIPs. Here in an environment conducive to the development of their creativity, where they blossom into children with great potential for all-round growth.

To ensure personal attention, each section has two teachers in attendance. The young mind is stimulated through formal and informal learning, indoor and outdoor activities like singing and recitation, reading and writing, games and physical education. The kids have easy access to a mini library containing the latest selection of children’s books to satisfy their curiosity. Their little minds and fingers learn to explore the advanced technology of computers in their well equipped computer room.

## **JUNIOR SCHOOL**

Junior School makes up the classes from I to IV. At this stage formal teaching of academic subjects such as English, Hindi, Maths, Social Studies, General Science and EVS is introduced. Stress is laid on balanced and harmonious development based on a judicious mix of academics, creative

art, physical education, yoga, educational tours, excursions and outings.

## **MIDDLE SCHOOL**

The middle school comprises classes V, VI and VII. This is an extension and further consolidation of the Educational Program that starts at the primary stage. Besides the academic subjects, a third language is taught from Class V to VII. Students are encouraged to participate in creative arts such as dance, music and craft. Smart boards and Interactive boards add to the quality of lessons in Class VI, VII and VIII. The CBSE initiative of CCE has been taken up in right earnest in these classes.

## **SENIOR SCHOOL**

This part of the school consists of classes VIII, IX and X. Students are assessed by the CCE scheme introduced by the Karnataka State Board of Secondary Education. Regular formative and summative assessments ensure continuous and comprehensive evaluation of both scholastic and co-scholastic areas. Special academic focus shall be given so that the students can face the board exams with confidence.

*Mahatma Gandhi*

# *PUC – Taking the dreams to the Next Level*



**Gnana Jyothi PU College** is set up with a focused mission to inculcate a love for learning in students and empower them to face the challenges of life. Gnana Jyothi PU college specialized in encouraging holistic growth of rural students as they are groomed not only in academics but also encouraged to actively participate in co-curricular and pro-academic activities.

- Well-researched pedagogy
- Technologically advanced facilities
- Committed, qualified and motivated young faculties
- Full pledged laboratory and library
- Integrated coaching CET, IIT-JEE

## **COURSES OFFERED**

At the plus two levels (PUC), Science and Commerce Streams are offered along with English as a core subject.

- Science – PCMB and PCMC
- Commerce – EBAC and HEBA
- Integrated IIT-JEE Coaching for Science Streams





# Infrastructure & Amenities

At present, GJS has 800 students - molded by highly qualified faculty. The School has the best infrastructure and International facilities in 6 Acre campus. The school has outstanding labs, libraries, play grounds, hostel, canteen etc. to meet every need of the student. GJS deploys the most advanced school management software called i2 Softec. This is a comprehensive digital platform that enables a range of facilities including administration.

- **Well stocked Library** - The library aims to provide comprehensive service for both study and recreational needs of the students and faculties alike. With its treasure trove of information and wisdom, the library is an indispensable educational resource.
- **Research Center** - This impressive building houses the Physics, Chemistry, Biology and Computer Science Laboratories. This center helps the students to open their inquisitive minds to experimentation and discovery. It is also a place where a student recognizes his interest and gears up to actualize his inner potential.

This Research Centre is designed with care to ensure an atmosphere that is conducive to the pursuit of empirical knowledge, maximize available technology through helpful instruction and maintain high standards of safety.

The Computer Lab is equipped with the latest equipment. State of the art multimedia technology that is on par with the best in the corporate world is another great asset here

- **Resource Room** - The School has specialized teachers who sit one to one with students who require help in academics.
- **Audio Visual Room** - Also at the disposal of the students is a fine audio-visual room with an overhead projector together with modern facilities linked to the internet.
- **Activity Room** - These rooms are used for activities such as Dance, Yoga, Music, Art and Craft which are included in the curriculum.

- **Proposed Auditorium** - The auditorium holds out many possibilities for creative learning and has multiple functions. Depending on the need, it can serve as a platform for showcasing talent, concert hall, dance hall, lecture room as well as a platform for communication.
- **Canteen** - The School has taken care of every minute aspect to make life enjoyable for the students. The canteen provides a highly nutritious, sumptuous lunch, a variety of snacks and in-house bakery products to satiate the appetite of the students.
- **Secured Campus** - The School is secured with CCTV cameras which are monitored round the clock and reviewed by teachers, administrators and management.
- **Rest Rooms** - The School has European standard hygienic toilets which are well maintained by the dedicated staff. This encourages cleanliness and hygienic nature in the students.
- **Digital Smart Classes** - The School has association with TATA Edge who provide the digital content for the curriculum which will be used by teachers to effectively explain the academic content.
- **Transportation** - This facilities is available for students residing in and around school. Drivers and conductors have sole responsibility for their respective routes and they are passionately committed to ensuring the safety of the children entrusted to their care.





## *Boarding*

We aim to make the boarding experience safe, secure, purposeful and fun. The student houses create the right resources for both study and leisure. The time spent by a student at GJS is not just the gathering of memories for a lifetime, but also a genuine cycle of growth physically, mentally and spiritually.

**Phone facilities and internet connectivity** are provided to enable effective communication possibilities for our students. This state – of – art facilities are installed to keep up the line of communication live, stable and constant between our students and their parents.

**A neat and tidy school attire** facilitates learning, besides inculcating a habit of being well dressed and presentable.

**Aarti, Bhajan, Yoga, Meditation** and an overall influence of Indian spirituality provide the much needed food for the soul. Human values, strength of character and virtuous conduct are assimilated by students, just as a sapling would soak up warm sunlight.

Once a week students enjoy various delicacies along with music and TV programmes for an hour. Varieties of fresh juices, soft drinks and snacks are available.

The students **unwind with movie** shows during weekends that are carefully selected by the film committee.

**We celebrate various festivals of our culture.** Every care is taken to provide joyous and festive moods to various celebrations like Diwali, Ugadi, Raksha Bandhan, Independence Day, Ganesh Chaturthi, Onam, Krishna Janmashtami, Ramzan, Teacher's Day, Children's Day, Christmas, New Year and Sankranthi. The climaxes are Universal brotherhood and Unity in Diversity. Religion is not differential; it is a Unifying cord, a reason for celebration.

**Dorm Nights** are celebrated in these students exhibit their talent in Mono Acting, singing, dancing, acting etc. The dorm nights are organized by the students themselves under the guidance of wardens. Thus they learn to take up responsibility of organizing events in a disciplined and orderly manner.

*Education is not the answer to the question. Education is the means to the answer to all questions.*

*- William Allin*

# *GJS Inspiring Innovation and Creativity* Personality Development

Well rounded curricula enable the students to develop effectively. The school is committed to the task of shaping the young men/women entrusted to its care into prospective achievers by inculcating values in them, instilling new ideas, developing leadership qualities and also exposing them to various positive experiences and inputs so as to broaden their perspective of life.

## **House System**

The four Houses RED, GREEN, ORANGE and BLUE help the child to build team spirit by sharing ideas and working collectively even while maintaining a healthy spirit of competition.

All the School activities including academics, sports, and other curricular and co-curricular activities are conducted on Inter-House basis. At the end of each term, and the academic year, the House positions based on the aggregate points are announced at the School Assembly.

In addition to the prizes and awards for the Inter-House Competitions, there are a number of individual awards for exemplary character and conduct as well as for excellence in curricular and co-curricular activities.

## **The Prefect System**

The Prefects shoulder the responsibility of certain aspects of administration of the students. This system creates the opportunity for building up self-discipline and leadership qualities in a student. The enforcement of discipline amongst the students is delegated to the Board of Prefects, led by the School Captain, the Head of Boarders and the Head of Day Scholars. They are called to initiate and coordinate various activities along with a team of Junior and Senior Prefects who form an integral part of the system, thus empowering them to be efficient organizers.



*“The best way to predict your future is to create it.”*

*– Abraham Lincoln*



# Extra Curricular Activities

At GJS, the hidden talents of a child is nurtured and showcased richly to inspire and instill greater self-confidence. Inter-Class and Inter-House Competitions are held on a regular basis in dramatics, music, elocution, (English, Hindi and Kannada), quiz, sports, IT-related activities, essay competitions, spelling and art exhibitions amongst others. GJS students have been the proud recipients of many prizes at several inter-school competitions.

The School conducts a three-day Talent Search every year to discover and encourage hidden talents among students.



## Sports and Games

Physical Education forms an integral part of the school curriculum. It puts the child firmly on the track of physical and mental growth. It also develops in them a respect for fair play, sportsmanship and team spirit. Training in indoor and outdoor sports is in the hands of highly qualified coaches, known for their professionalism.

Cricket, Hockey, Football, Athletics and Karate have all been highly cherished by generations of GJS Students.

The proposed state-of-the-art Sports Complex is designed and built to international standards to groom budding children into great sportsmen. Proposed facilities are swimming pool, Basketball court, tennis, skating which will be planned and introduced in the coming years.





## Admission Procedure

- Student seeking admissions to GJS should collect application form with prospectus and submit the application filled completely along with required enclosures like Birth certificate, 3 stamp size photos, TC etc.
- An entrance test will be conducted for the students on general abilities which includes languages and core subjects.
- Selection of students will be given provisional enrolment through registration.
- Important dates are notified in the school notice board.

## Eligibility

- For Pre Nursery : 2 years 10 months
- For LKG : 3 years 10 months
- For UKG : 4 years 10 months
- Class 1 : 5 years 10 months

## School Fees

The Fee detail and the schedule of payment are available with the school office. The parents are requested to look into every instruction carefully and obey the rules in its totality.

- Fees Package - This includes registration, admission, tuition, maintenance, computer, special facilities etc. It includes all co-curricular activities conducted during the school hour.
- Other Expenses - These are Uniforms, Text Books, Note Books, learning materials and Educational Tours.
- Optional Expenses - Transport & Food

## School Timings

- **Monday to Friday : 9.00 am to 4.20 pm**
- **Saturday : 9.00 am to 1.00 pm**
- **All Sundays and 3rd Saturdays are holidays**

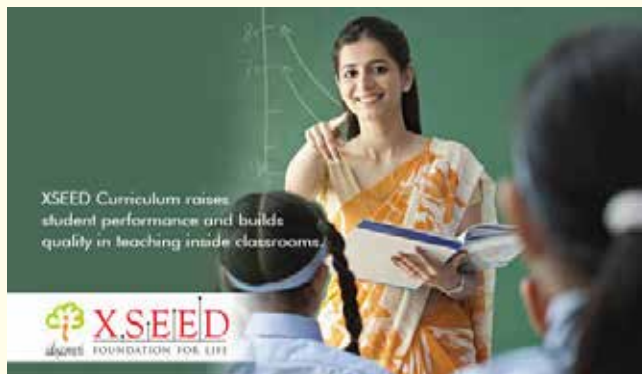
# Partners



Tata ClassEdge is an integrated learning solution for schools, designed to help teachers deliver high quality instruction with an effective blend of classroom activities and interactive multimedia.



XSEED is a comprehensive academic solution for schools that is designed to raise the level of learning in classrooms and build confidence in children. XSEED follows the proven 5-Step experiential learning method for better teaching and easy learning. This replaces the one-step 'Telling' approach of teaching in traditional classrooms.



*Education is the most powerful weapon which you  
can use to change the world.*

*- Nelson Mandela*



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