

Where the mind is without fear,
and the head is held high;
Where knowledge is free;
Where the world has not been broken up
into fragments by narrow domestic walls;
— Where words come out from
the depth of truth;
Where tireless striving stretches its arms
towards perfection;
Where the clear stream of reason
has not lost its way into the
drearily desert sand of dead habit;
Where the mind is led forward by thee
into ever-widening thought and action—
Into that heaven of freedom,
my father, let my country awake.

Rabindranath Tagore



FOUNDER PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

"The greatest gift we can give to our children are the roots of responsibility and the wings of independence"

Quality is never an accident, it is always the result of high intention sincere effort, intelligent direction and skilful execution, it represents the wise choice of many alternatives.

This institution has carefully trudged up the road of achievements consistently striving for betterment and has carved a niche for itself in the education fraternity. I wish it well for the future and hope to see this institute and its members reach the pinnacle of their success.

- Ch. Santosh Singh

SENIOR DIRECTOR'S MESSAGE

The essential thing in life is not conquering, but fighting well.

Great pleasure embraces me as I use this forum once again to communicate with that bracket of society which in togetherness with the school fraternities are entrusted the mammoth task of chiseling the lives of the future generations. It is our privilege, and a huge responsibility. I must add, that we as educators and you as parents shoulder that of educating the young minds and souls.

Perhaps the greatest of all pedagogical fallacies is the notion that a person learns only the particular thing he/she is studying at the time. Collateral learning is the formation of enduring attitudes, the ability to differentiate between good and evil, may be and often is as important as the math lesson that is learnt ! For these attitudes are fundamentally what count in the future.

- Smt. Prema Singh





DIRECTOR'S MESSAGE



Smt. Sandhya Singh

This is what the young generation needs to know today. Students are the young brigade of a nation and their quality determines the future of the nation strives to provide quality education to every student to help them grow into disciplined and worthy citizens. The school from its day of inception has enjoyed a strong status and carved a niche for itself in every sphere. It's progress is galvanized by its faith in encouraging innovation at every step. I wish the school good luck in all its endeavours towards untrodden progress.

It's my pleasure and privilege to state that Laughing Buddha School stands committed to a wholesome education that is in tune with the times. The perfect blend of academics & co-curricular activities in school helps produce a breed of young children; capable of chasing their dreams. The institution inculcates in every child, a sound value system and inspires him/her to lead a meaningful life. It nurtures young minds to believe in their unique potential and appreciate their individuality. I am glad to welcome all new entrants in the school and wish them a beautiful journey ahead. I also wish to reassure parents about their decision of selecting us for shaping their child's future.

SECRETARY MESSAGE



Patel Sanjay Sachan



Our mission & vision

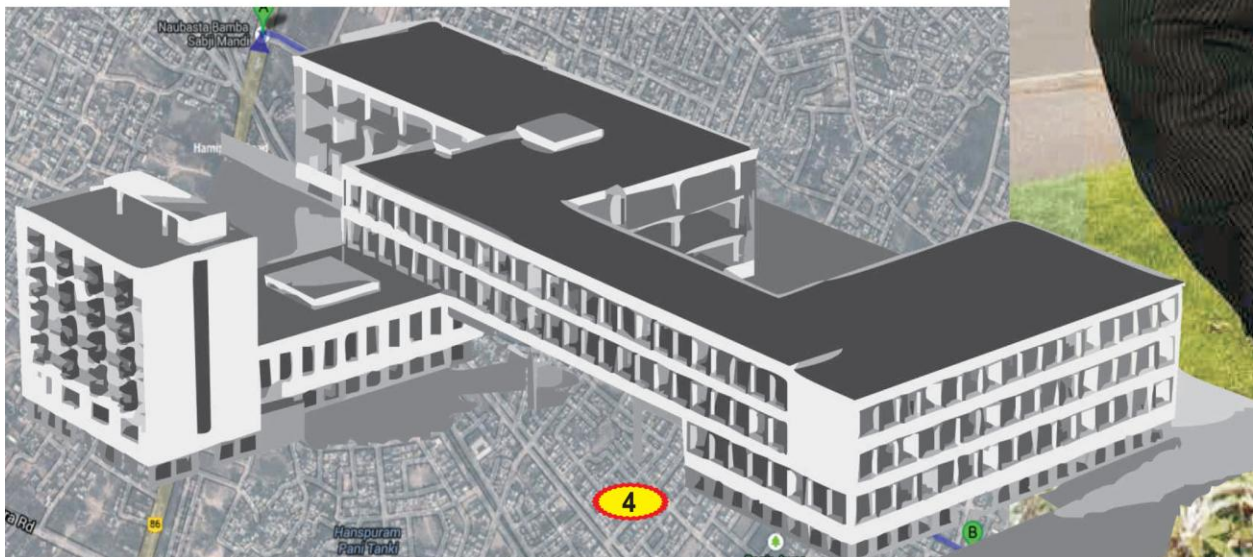
We LBA, Kanpur focus our dedication towards evoking a passion for learning and developing the requisite set of attitudes, skills and knowledge that enable our learners to maximize their potential towards becoming positive, responsible and well informed participants in our democratic and rapidly progressing global community. It is with this ambition that we work towards developing an environment which fosters social accountability, national pride and a curiosity which triggers the mood for self-learning through self-initiation.

On this ethos we rest the pillars of our foundation. Our MISSION statement therefore holds true when we say that.

"We aspire to walk our learners down the road which leads them to develop, a thirst for knowledge such that its discovery leads to the enrichment of life for them as individuals and the community at large."

It is through this mission that we wish to realize our VISION....that of moulding our students into

- Academically competent persons
- Individuals with exemplary behaviour
- Inquirers and investigators
- Logical and rational thinkers
- Responsible national and global citizens
- Exhibitors of social and environmental goodwill
- Individuals with empathy towards one and all





Education is to be enjoyed and imbibed for life and is the best route to improve the world in which we live. LBA, Kanpur provides its students safe, nurturing environment where faculty and staff "go the extra mile" to meet their needs. Apart from inspiring students to achieve best possible academic results they are encouraged to acquire habits of curiosity, mental flexibility, self-discipline and maintain openness of mind, dignity of conduct and mutual respect in the background of social, cultural and linguistic diversity.

No matter how long students stay with us, LBA, Kanpur will have a deep and lasting effect in shaping their lives by developing a confident understanding of their role in international society.



L.B.A. STAFF

Experience which will lead to a successful adulthood.

In today's transcending times, education is a highly challenging time for students. Guided by esteemed members and a group of talented as well as dedicated teachers who are constantly innovating LBA society works towards preparing its students to achieve very high standards in both the formal curriculum and in many extra curricular activities. We hope that their involvement in and enjoyment of both work and play will help them to become enterprising young people ready to make their contribution in the years ahead.





LAUGHING BUDDHA Academy

INTRODUCTION : "Laughing Buddha Academy" registered under the Societies Registration Act XXI of 1860 was established in the year 2003 with a mission to provide quality education to the young generation.

CAMPUS : The School is situated at 4C Awas Vikas, Hanspuram, Naubasta in the south of Kanpur City which is easily accessible. The majestic grandeur of the building is amply supported by aesthetically designed and well maintained gardens all around. The campus has an environment truly conducive to learning.

SCHOOL BUILDING : Our talented, diverse communities of students and teachers have enabled us to build a close-knit supportive team of enthusiastic learners of all ages. Ample scope for development of the students is ensured by the positive physical environment of the school, Lush-green lawns, spacious and well ventilated class-rooms facilitate both the physical as well as the social environment of the school. These comfortable surroundings allow the students to develop optimally.

Security Guards in the school premises and a fleet of buses for safe passage of each child to school and home ensures maximum safety of our students. Furthermore, our students without any discrimination are allowed equal access to the on campus facilities which are as follows.

- Well equipped computer Labs and Physics, Chemistry, Biology Labs.
- Separate rooms for art, music and dance
- State-of-Art facilities for indoor and outdoor games
- Audio-Visual room
- Swimming pool
- Cricket ground with Net practice area
- Athletic ground
- Basketball Court
- Skating Track
- Lawn Tennis Courts
- Cafeteria
- Mini Picture Hall
- Well Equipped Library





CURRICULUM

LBA, Kanpur affiliated to the "Central Board of Secondary Education (CBSE), Delhi a widely recognized and highly regarded school board in the country following the 10+2 pattern of education.

At LBA, we provide an effective framework for education through a relevant, board, balanced, rigorously-taught and monitored curriculum. We place great importance on educating the 'whole child' at their individual level of ability and potential to ensure a happy learner.

Through a holistic approach towards learning we aim to provide our students with :

- Requisite knowledge and skills that every child has a right to learn.
- Learning environment enabling them to learn in a balanced manner, but stretching enough to challenge them and meet their diverse needs.
- High level thinking skills which will help them tackle many of the moral, social and cultural issues which are part of growing up.
- An environment which allows interaction with peers and assists in development as a social system.
- Summative and formative assessments and continuous feedback for improvisation in the learning process.





SOCIO-CULTURAL EDUCATION

The School provides for various "SOCIETIES" and each student is expected to choose one society (out of a long list which is revised each year). Depending upon inclination and aptitude.

a. MUSIC SOCIETY

The underlying purpose is that each child will be encouraged to-

- ☛ Appreciate various forms of music.
- ☛ Derive enjoyment from both planned and spontaneous musical participation.
- ☛ Value each person's contribution to a group musical experience.
- ☛ Recognise melodies of familiar songs.

b. DANCE SOCIETY

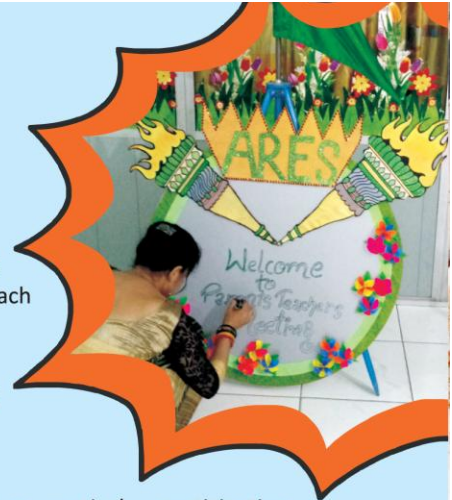
The underlying purpose is that through body movement and dance each child will be encouraged to-

- ☛ Identify ways for each part of the body to be used.
- ☛ Develop special awareness.
 - ☛ Use face rhythmic movements in response to music.
 - ☛ Dramatize or pantomime musical selections.
 - ☛ Perform simple dances.

c. DRAMA SOCIETY

The underlying purpose is that through dramatic activities, e.g. role playing and puppetry, each child will be encouraged to-

- ☛ Use his/her experiences to act out possible problems and situations, regardless of social and physical limitations.
- ☛ Express ideas about the world and people in it.
- ☛ Use variety and fluency in speech.
- ☛ Use creativity and ingenuity.
- ☛ Work in groups and appreciate team work.
- ☛ Express imagination, emotion and increased self confidence.





d. VISUAL ART & CREATIVE CRAFT SOCIETY

The underlying purpose is that each child will be encouraged to-

- ☛ Appreciate various art forms.
- ☛ Appreciate originality and the creative process
- ☛ Explore the use of various media, e.g. clay, plasticine, paint etc.
- ☛ Appreciate beauty in his/her environment.
- ☛ Perceive or design, dimension, colour and texture in art objects.
- ☛ Evaluate and discuss his/her own art and the art of his/her classmates.

e. ENGLISH DEBATE & ELOCUTION SOCIETY

The underlying purpose is that each child will be encouraged to-

- ☛ Develop a progressive mind and good communication skills.
- ☛ Express his/her thoughts with eloquence and poise.
- ☛ Double his/her underlying self confidence.
- ☛ Respect the views and opinions of other fellow mates.

f. QUIZ SOCIETY

The underlying purpose is that each child will be encouraged to-

- ☛ Keep track of the latest developments around the globe.
- ☛ Improve his/her knowledge bank and become intellectually empowered.
- ☛ Widen his/her horizon of thought & analysis.





E-Learning

The technology age has made its way into our class-rooms as well. It's the time where students relate more to computers and laptop than to text books!

A student who is not familiar with the use of computers is almost handicapped in today's age. Our school has more than 100 computers with 24 hours internet connectivity under its roof. Three spacious computer laboratories furnish all requisite modern computer peripherals like printers, scanners, audio-visual equipments and CD-writers which aid the computer education. All branded computers are supported by licensed software programs such as MS-Office, Corel Draw, and Adobe Photoshop along with programming language C, C++ and similar more.

Our computer networking system has also made it easy for us to communicate important messages to parents via the SMS server. This makes it easy for us to reach the large parent community almost within no time in case of need. The ERP software (Quick-School) assists us in school management programmes.



School Rules

- Application forms for School leaving certificate & Caution fee refund are available at the school's reception. 15 working days will be required to process application for school leaving certificate/refund of caution fee deposit.
 - School leaving certificate will be issued only after all the dues are cleared for the quarter during which school leaving certificate is being issued.
 - In case of non-payment of dues, same will be adjusted from the caution fee deposit.
 - Only caution fee deposits are refundable once the admission is taken in the school.
 - Admission granted in the middle of session will have to pay the tuition fee & Transport fee from the beginning of the session.
 - It is mandatory to pay the tuition fee/transport fee after academic session has started even though the student has not reported for the new session/has not applied for the school leaving certificate and refund of caution fee deposit with the school.
- Annual charges are payable annually at the beginning of academic session and it is non refundable i.e. any mid term withdrawal of student requires full payment of annual charges.
 - Any fee paid for a student is not adjustable with other student.



SCHOOL CABINET & HOUSE CULTURE



The Entire school is divided into four houses namely.

ATHENA

APHRODITE

APOLLO

ARES

Each house has its captain and a vice-captain. Each house is under the charge of a Housemaster/Housemistress, who is responsible for grooming the students with the help of other house teachers and house prefects. The houses perform four duties-Discipline, Cleanliness, Morning Assembly and Bulletin Board. The system encourages a sense of team work and public responsibility. This division provides opportunities for more intimate organization and for healthy rivalry in sports and other activities between the houses.

The performance of duties by houses is evaluated and appropriate grading (marks out of 100) is given by an independent Assessment Committee of three teachers. Based on their aggregate scores they are declared Winners, First Runner-up and Second Runner-up every month. The house scoring most in the entire session is presented with the "Annual House Trophy".



Time For School

Summer

(Monday to Friday)

Class PG / LKG / UKG 7.55 am - 11.30 am

Class I - XII 7.55 am - 01.00 pm

(Saturday)

Class PG / LKG / UKG Holiday

Class I - XII 7.55 am - 11.00 am

Winter

(Monday to Friday)

Class PG / LKG / UKG 8.25 am - 12.00 noon

Class I - XII 8.25 am - 01.30 pm

Saturday

Class PG / LKG / UKG Holiday

Class I - XII 8.25 am - 11.30 am

Office Hours : 9.00 am to 12.00 noon

FEE SCHEDULE

(PLAY GROUP-XII) CHARGES

Registration Fee Rs. 300/-

Admission Fee Rs. 2500/-

Security Fee Rs. 1000/-

MONTHLY FEE

• Play Group to Prep. Rs. 850/-

• I to V Rs. 950/-

• VI to VIII Rs. 1050/-

• IX to XII Rs. 1550/-

Conveyance Extra Rs.

DAY BOARDING CHARGES

Registration Fee Rs. 300/-

Admission Fee Rs. 2500/-

Security Fee Rs. 1000/-

MONTHLY FEE

• Play to V Rs. 850/-

• VI to X Rs. 950/-

Conveyance Extra Rs.

PAYMENT OF FEE

1. A fee is to be deposited in advance for three months before 10th of the first month.
2. After the 10th of the first month, a fine of Rs. 10/- per day will be charged.
3. Security Fee not claimed within 3 months, will lapse.

Note : School Fee is subject to revision from time to time depending on price index/increase in DA etc.