

## SCHOOL ALMANAC Session 2023– 2024

### APRIL 2023

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|----|-------|--|
| 04 | Tue   | Boarders to be in Residence by 05:00 p.m.  |
| 05 | Wed   | New Academic Session Commences<br>PTM (LKG to II)                                  |
| 07 | Fri   | <b>Good Friday (Holiday)</b>   |
| 08 | Sat   | Nature Walk (LKG to I)   |
| 13 | Thurs | Excursion (II to III)  |
| 14 | Fri   | <b>Baisakhi/ Dr. Ambedkar Jayanti (Holiday)</b>                                    |
| 15 | Sat   | Lemon Water Day & Cotton Bud Activity (LKG to I)<br>Book Mark, Paper Bag (II - VI) |
| 22 | Sat   | <b>Eid – Ul – Fitr (Holiday)</b>   |
| 29 | Sat   | Inter House Indoor Games Final (II – VI)<br>50 mt. Race (LKG to I)                 |

### MAY 2023

|   |     |  |
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| 02  | Tue | Investiture Ceremony / Morning Assembly                            |
| 03  | Wed | <b>Veer Kesari Chand Shaheedi Diwas (Holiday)</b>                  |
| 05  | Fri | <b>Buddha Purnima (Holiday)</b>                                    |
| 06  | Sat | Inter House Cricket (Sr. & Jr. Boys)<br>Hindi Recitation (LKG – I) |
| 13  | Sat | Hindi Recitation (II –VI)  |
| 20  | Sat | Bean Bag Race (LKG to I)   |
| 23 to 27 (Tue to Sat) 1 <sup>st</sup> Periodic Test |     |  |
| 31  | Wed | Parent Teacher Meet  |

(SUMMER VACATIONS)  
01<sup>th</sup> June, 2023 to 01<sup>th</sup> July, 2023

### JULY 2023

|    |     |   |
|----|-----|---|
| 02 | Sun | Boarders to be in Residence by 05:00 p.m.   |
| 03 | Mon | School Reopens after Summer Vacations<br>Submission of Summer Assignment  |
| 08 | Sat | Inter House English Extempore (X-XII)<br>Inter House English JAM (VII-IX)<br>English Recitation (LKG – VI)  |
| 15 | Sat | Painting Competitions (Sr. & Jr.)<br>Harela Parv Activities Based on Environments<br>(LKG to III)<br>Inter House Kabaddi Class (X-XII Boys & Girls)   |
| 16 | Sun | <b>Harela Parv (Holiday)</b>  |
| 22 | Sat | Inter House Basketball (Jr. & Sr. Boys)<br>Bindi Pasting Activity (LKG- I)<br>Hoopla Race (LKG – I)<br>Collage / flower/ Pot making Activity (II-VI)<br>Inter House Basketball (Sr.& Jr. Girls) /<br>Badminton (Jr. & Sr. Boys) |
| 29 | Sat | <b>Muharram (Holiday)</b>   |

### AUGUST 2023

|    |       |   |
|----|-------|---|
| 05 | Sat   | Inter house Football Boys(Sub Jr., Jr & Sr.Boys)<br>Inter House Badminton (Jr. & Sr. Girls)<br>Inter House Hindi Poem Recitation (Sr. VII to XII)<br>Hindi orthography, English Calligraphy<br>(LKG to VII)   |
| 10 | Thurs | <b>School will remain closed for Kanwar Yatra</b>   |
| 15 | Tue   | <b>Independence Day Celebration</b>   |
| 19 | Sat   | Greeting Card Making Activity (II-VI)<br>Hindi Calligraphy (LKG – VI)<br>English Orthography (LKG-VI)<br>Rakhi Celebration (LKG to II)<br>Inter School Football<br>Inter House English Debate (Sr. IX to XII) |
| 30 | Wed   | <b>Parent Teacher Meet (LKG to II)</b>  |
| 31 | Thurs | <b>Raksha Bandhan (Holiday)</b>   |

### SEPTEMBER 2023

|   |       |   |
|---|-------|---|
| 02  | Sat   | <b>Sri Krishan Janmashtami Celebration (LKG to II)</b>  |
| 05  | Tue   | <b>Teacher's Day</b>  |
| 07  | Thurs | <b>Sri Krishan Janmashtami (Holiday)</b>  |
| 09  | Sat   | Vegetable Printing Activity (LKG to I)<br>Best out of waste Activity (Diya, Matki, Bottle<br>Decoration) (II to VI) |
| 14 to 22 (Thurs to Fri) Half Yearly Examination (LKG–XII) |       |   |
| 17  | Sun   | <b>Vishwakarma Puja (Holiday)</b>   |
| 23  | Sat   | Inter House English / Hindi Essay Writing (Jr. & Sr.)   |
| 28  | Thurs | <b>Id-Ul-Milad (Holiday)</b>  |
| 30  | Sat   | <b>Declaration of Half Yearly Result</b><br><b>Parent Teacher Meet</b>  |

### OCTOBER 2023

|  |     |   |
|--|-----|---|
| 02   | Mon | <b>Gandhi Jayanti (Holiday)</b>                         |
| 07   | Sat | Inter House Volleyball (Sr.)                            |
| 11   | Wed | <b>Barsi Function at Nirmal Bagh, Kankhal (Holiday)</b> |
| 14   | Sat | Inter House Kho-Kho Boys & Girls (Jr.)                  |
| 19 to 21 (Thurs to Sat) Annual Athletic Meet |     |   |
| 22   | Sun | <b>Barsi Function at Nirmal Ashram, (Holiday)</b>       |
| 23   | Mon | <b>Navami (Holiday)</b>                                 |
| 24   | Tue | <b>Dussehra (Holiday)</b>                               |
| 28   | Sat | <b>Maharshi Valmiki Jayanti (Holiday)</b>               |

### NOVEMBER 2023

|  |       |  |
|--|-------|--|
| 03 to 04 (Fri to Sat) Inter School Athletic Meet |       |  |
| 11 to 15 (Sat to Wed) Deepawali (Holidays)       |       |  |
| 19   | Sun   | <b>Chhath Puja (Holiday)</b>                         |
| 23   | Thurs | <b>Egas (Holiday)</b>                                |
| 24   | Fri   | <b>Shaheedi of Guru Tegh Bahadur Sahib (Holiday)</b> |
| 27   | Mon   | <b>Guru Nanak Jayanti / Gurpurab (Holiday)</b>       |

### DECEMBER 2023

|   |     |                                      |
|---|-----|--------------------------------------|
| 01 to 02 (Fri to Sat) Annual Function (Tentative)         |     |                                      |
| 19 to 28 (Tue to Thurs) Preboard board (X, XII)           |     |                                      |
| 22 to 28 (Fri to Thurs) II Periodic Test (LKG to IX & XI) |     |                                      |
| 25  | Mon | <b>Christmas Day (Holiday)</b>       |
| 26  | Tue | <b>Veer Sahibzade Shaheedi Diwas</b> |

(WINTER VACATIONS)  
01<sup>st</sup> Jan., 2023 to 9<sup>th</sup> Jan., 2024

### JANUARY 2024

|    |     |  |
|----|-----|--|
| 07 | Sun | Registration for New Admission             |
| 09 | Tue | Boarders to be in Residence by 05:00 p.m.  |
| 10 | Wed | School Commences after winter vacation     |
| 14 | Sun | Lohri                                      |
| 15 | Mon | <b>Makar Sankranti (Holiday)</b>           |
| 17 | Wed | <b>Guru Govind Singh Jayanti (Holiday)</b> |
| 20 | Sat | <b>Parent Teacher Meet</b>                 |
| 26 | Fri | <b>Republic Day Celebration</b>            |
| 27 | Sat | Educational Tour (IV to VI)                |

### FEBRUARY 2024

|    |     |  |
|----|-----|--|
| 14 | Wed | <b>Vasant Panchami (Holiday)</b>           |
| 18 | Sun | Entrance Test for New Admission            |
| 24 | Sat | <b>Guru Ravidas Jayanti (Holiday)</b>      |
| 26 | Mon | Annual Exam for (LKG to IX & XI) Tentative |

### MARCH 2024

|    |     |                                 |
|----|-----|---------------------------------|
| 08 | Fri | <b>Maha Shivratri (Holiday)</b> |
| 25 | Mon | <b>Holi Festival (Holiday)</b>  |
| 29 | Fri | <b>Good Friday (Holiday)</b>    |
| 30 | Sat | <b>Parent Teacher Meet</b>      |

### APRIL 2024

|    |     |   |
|----|-----|---|
| 07 | Sun | Boarders to be in Residence by 05:00 p.m. |
| 08 | Mon | New Session Begins.                       |

\* Parent Teacher Meet Timings: -

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| (Summer) | 08:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. |
| (Winter) | 09:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon |

**Parents time to meet the Principal on working days :12:00 Noon – 1:00 PM**

## Dress Code

### Summer –

**LKG to I –** (Prescribed Pattern Uniform)

**Boys - (Class II – VI)** Brown half Trousers, Brown Check Shirt, School Belt

**Boys – (Class VII -XII)** Half sleeves brown check shirt tucked in, Brown Trousers (drain pipe trousers not allowed) and School Belt. Black Shoes with laces Velcro with brown school Socks.

**Girls - II to VI –** Brown Divided Skirt (hem line One inch below knee length), Brown Check shirt tucked in with school belt. Black Shoes (Ballerina) with Brown School Socks.

**Girls - VII to XII -** White Salwar (Patiala salwar not allowed), Brown Check Kurta, reaching knees with small slit on the side and white dupatta. Black shoes (Ballerina) with brown school woollen socks.

### Winter –

**LKG to I –** (Prescribed Pattern Uniform)

**Boys – (Class II – XII)** Brown woollen Trousers (drain pipe trousers not allowed), Brown Check Shirt, Mustard Coloured Pull over, Mustard Blazer, Tie, Mustard Coloured Cap.

**Girls - II to VI –** Brown woollen Trousers, Brown Check Shirt, Mustard Coloured Pull Over, Mustard Blazer, Tie, Mustard Coloured Cap.

**Girls - VII to XII –** White Salwar, Brown Check Kurta reaching One Inch below Knees with small slit on the side and White Dupatta, Mustard Coloured Pull Over, Mustard Blazer.

### **1. House Dress – (To be worn on Saturdays)**

#### Summer –

**LKG to I –** White Uniform (to be worn on Saturday)

**Boys – II to XII** White trousers and house T-Shirt, House Socks and White PT Shoes.

**Girls – II to XII** Divided White Skirt, House T-shirt, House Socks and White PT Shoes.

#### Winter -

Student will wear Tracksuits with house T- Shirt, House Socks, & white PT shoes.

### **2. Hair**

**Boys -** Should have proper haircut so that it is short in length. Fancy hair style is not allowed. Boys flouting the above instructions will be marked absent and will be given a proper haircut in the school.

**Girls -** With long hair will have plaits tied with brown elastic bands and those with short hair will have a small ponytail. No ornaments like chains and rings are allowed. Nails should be trimmed regularly and should be without nail polish.

**3. If a child comes to the school shabbily or improperly dressed, he/she will be fined Rs.20/- every day.**

**4. No student is permitted to bring mobile phones and electronic gadgets. If any student is caught with such items, then he/she will be suspended for 15 days and phone will be seized. Repetition will lead to expulsion.**

**5. 75% attendance is a must for students to sit for both home and board examinations. Student with 100% attendance will be honored.**

**6. There will be Two Periodic Tests, half yearly, Annual Examination for the academic promotion of the child.**

**Principal**

## **Nirmal Ashram Deepmala Public School Shyampur, Rishikesh**

NDS was founded by **H. H. Mahant Baba Ram Singh Ji Maharaj**, the present Spiritual Head of Nirmal Ashram, Rishikesh on January 01, 1997.

NDS is an English medium, co-educational, day-cum-residential School. It is situated in Shyampur at a distance of 7 km from Rishikesh, on Haridwar road. The beautiful sprawling campus offers clean environs, absolutely free of pollution, essential for the physical, intellectual and spiritual growth of young children.

The School can claim to have one of the finest buildings in the region. It is not only conveniently functional but has an architectural design that inspires an aesthetic aura about the place.

Besides open, airy and well-lit class rooms; the School has a well-stocked library, audio visual theatre and state-of-the-art laboratories (Physics, Chemistry, Biology, Computer Science, and Social Science) and Smart Classes. Spacious playground provides an opportunity to the students to play all major games according to various seasons. Training in athletics and yoga are imparted under the expert guidance of experienced coaches.

NDS has a Boarding House with all modern facilities, i.e. well-laid dormitories, common room, dining hall and hi-tech kitchen serving pure vegetarian food. NDS is proud to have its own in-house bakery which is producing all confectionary items for students.

NDS aims at training its children in such a way that they become successful men and women who lead a good, upright and meaningful life. Conscious efforts are made to help them develop a positive attitude in life. Various Inter-House and Inter-School Competitions in sports and literary activities encourage them to gain self-confidence which is very important for an individual, in today's world of highly developed information technology. The students are also made to realize that along with success in their chosen field of activity they do not lose sight of truth and a pragmatic sense of idealism, because it is the 'Truthful Living' and belief in decency, decorum and dignity which perpetuates success in life.

The school is upgraded to a full-fledged Senior Secondary School with Science, Commerce and Humanities streams at +2 level. The effectiveness of the system is authenticated by the fact that its Secondary and Senior Secondary classes have always brought top results in district Dehradun. Last year's results were excellent. **The highest percentage in class XII was 98.4% and in class X 97.2%. 19 students of class XII Scored 90% & above. 29 students in class X Scored 90% & above**

Above all, we are very fortunate to have the blessings of Mahant Ram Singh Ji Maharaj and Sant Jodh Singh Ji Maharaj who have dedicated their entire lives for the service of mankind. Thus, the vision of the management is to impart quality education coupled with latest technological advancements and imbibing human values, ethos and *sanskaras* with a spiritual blend so that in future the students may make a humble contribution in serving humanity at large.

‘सा विद्या या विमुक्तये’  
(Education that Liberates)



# **NDS** **School Almanac** **2023-2024**



***Celebrating 25 Years  
in Education (1997-2022)***

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