

## **Application of Admission**

The Application form duly filled along with recent Passport size photograph affixed must be submitted to the Office at Karthi Vidhyalaya International (ICSE) School on the given dates along with the following documents:

1. One certified true copy of the child's Birth Certificate, on which the name of the child should be mentioned; Birth Certificate must be in English. If it is in Hindi or in a regional language, an English translation of the same on Rs. 100/- stamp paper, duly notarized must be submitted. Original Birth Certificate must be produced for verification at the time of Admission.
2. True copies of the school certificate each of the School Reports of the last three years. (For Std. I onwards)
3. Transfer Certificate from the last school attended. The Transfer Certificate should be duly countersigned by the Education Officer of that area (For Std. I onwards).
4. For children (of Indian nationality) coming from abroad, the Transfer Certificate must be duly attested by the Indian Embassy/ High Commission. The date of birth of the child should be clearly mentioned in the Transfer Certificate.
5. Medical fitness Certificate.
6. Proof of Residence (e.g. Telephone Bill/ Electricity Bill, Ration Card)
7. One true copy of Aadhar Card.
8. Copy of PAN card of Parent.

## **Admission Decision**

The decision of the Karthi Vidhyalaya International (ICSE) School Admission Committee will be final and no correspondence or discussion on the matter will be entertained.

## **Acceptance of admission**

Admission will be confirmed on receipt of the following within the specified time.

1. Fees
2. Notarized copy of Birth Certificate (Seeking admission for Nursery to Std. I) Transfer Certificate from the last school attended. The Transfer Certificate should be duly countersigned by the Education Officer of that area (Seeking admission for Std. II onward).
3. An undertaking letter by parent if, for any reason, the Transfer Certificate

cannot be produced at the time of admission; it must be produced on or before the re-opening of the school.

4. The Admission Acceptance Form to be signed by both the parent, seeks to confirm among other things, their financial responsibilities to the School, an agreement that they and the child will conform to the Regulations of the School in force from time to time, and that the School will not be liable for any damages or charges on account of injuries sustained by the child during his/her stay at the School.
5. One stamp sized photograph of Child, Father & Mother to be submitted along with other documents.
6. Academic year begins in the first week of June 2018.

### **Admission Procedure**

Issue of Application Booklet is available throughout the academic year, but Student admission depends on availability of seats. We follow First Come First Served basis.

Kindly follow the instructions given in the application booklet and refer to the info sheets for any clarifications and then submit it by person to the school office between 10 am - 4 pm (Monday to Friday).

You will be called by the school office personnel towards processing of application on a particular date and parents have to accompany the child / ward. No Screening is made.

Check all the details and spellings before submitting the registration form.

Before admission, please make sure to follow the policy of the school under any circumstances.

### **Assistance in filling the Application Booklet**

For Assistance, you may please call the school office at 2 44 22 22 for any clarification on filling the application booklet.

Before remitting Registration Fee, please do not forget to enclose your original certificates (Birth Certificate / Transfer Certificate) as those become the documentary evidence of the school in order to issue a transfer certificate as and when you demand. The original certificates will not be returned as per the school rules. We kindly regret for any inconvenience caused due to the implementation of this rule.

## **Informal Meeting and Pupil Analysis**

Parent(s) and student(s) are invited to come to the school for an informal meeting with our International School Coordinator. During this meeting former education and / or expectations for the future will be thoroughly discussed. After the analysis of performance of student by KVIS, a student is only accepted if the school will be of benefit to him / her and vice versa. It is essential that a student is motivated to come to Karthi Vidhyalaya.

NOTE : Under any circumstances, if there is any delay in remittance of fee, the school authorities are entitled to collect penal charges as specified in the students application pack for admission. Without clearing any dues, transfer certificate/return of any certificates shall not be made.

### **Admission Process**

The admission process comprises of the following stages:

- Entrance Exam will be conducted on 15th March 2018 at 9.00a.m.
- Selected candidates will be informed through SMS.
- Interaction with the Principal by Last week of May 2018 for the selected students.
- Acceptance of admission by the parents (selected candidates); submission of the Original documents and payment of the fees during Second week of April 2018.

### **IMPORTANT GUIDELINES:**

- The School believes in absolute transparency with regard to its admissions.
- Prospective parents are requested to check up the School Website from time to time to ensure that they do not miss the dates.
- Any wrong information on the application form will amount to disqualification.
- Admissions are based on random sampling.
- Admission to Grades I to VI is based on merit, against vacancies, if any.
- Recommendation/request letters regarding admission will amount to rejection of the application.
- Kindly do not meet the school authorities regarding such matters.
- The Admission Committee reserves its rights on issues regarding admission.

**Application for Admission**  
**APPLICATION FORM for CLASS KG to VI (ICSE) 2018-19**

- Please read the following notes carefully before filling the form.
- Fill the form completely, no blank fields should be left in the form.
- Attach a copy of the latest mark sheet / progress report.
- Attach a DD of Rs.500/- in favour of Karthi Vidhyalaya International (ICSE) School.
- Submit documents for the information filled in this application form, if asked.

Admn. No. :

ID No. :

Admission for Class: .....

1. Name of the Child : .....
2. Date of Birth : .....
- Age as on 31st May 2017 :            years        months
3. Place of Birth : .....
4. Aadhar Card No. : .....
5. Religion : .....
6. Nationality : .....
7. Gender : .....
8. Mother Tongue : .....
9. Blood Group : .....
10. Caste : .....
11. Languages child can Speak : .....
12. Last School Attended : .....
13. Educational Board : .....
14. Personal information : .....

**Details of Childs Father**

Full Name of the Father : .....

Date of Birth : ..... Age: .....

Educational Qualification : .....

Occupation : ..... Designation : .....

Approx. Annual Income : .....

Complete address of Work : .....

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Off. Tel. No : ..... Mobile: 1) .....

2) ..... WhatsApp No. : .....

Email Id.: .....

Facebook/Twitter/telegram : .....

**Details of Childs Mother**

Full Name of the Mother : .....

Date of Birth : ..... Age: .....

Educational Qualification : .....

Occupation : ..... Designation : .....

Approx. Annual Income : .....

Complete address of Work : .....

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Off. Tel. No : ..... Mobile: 1) .....

2) ..... WhatsApp No. : .....

Email Id.: .....

Facebook/Twitter/telegram : .....

14. PermanentAddress : .....

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15. Locality : .....

16. Please tell us good act of your Child : .....

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17. Are there any special medical conditions of your Child that the school should know:

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18. Information about other children :

Name of the Student	Son/Daughter	Name of the School/College Class in which Studying

**Terms & Conditions**

1. If the Student discontinues in the middle of the course he/she has to pay the full course fee.
2. If the student damages or loses any instrument/equipment. he/she has to pay the cost of the instrument/equipment
3. If the Student is found indulging in any misbehaviour/indiscipline the management has right to initiate disciplinary action against the student.

**Declaration by the Parents:**

We hereby declare that the particulars furnished herein are correct to the best of my knowledge.

We shall be responsible for the payment of the fees due to the institution. in his/her regular attendance and good conduct. We shall also co-operate with the authorities of the institution in the matters of discipline and in any other manner in which we may be called upon to help.

We have gone through the prospectus and do here by promise to abide by all rules and regulations in force and those to be made from time to time. We know that the fees paid by me are not refundable, transferable or adjustable.

Signature of the Parent / Giardian

## REGISTRATION FORM – 2017-18

Parents are requested to note:

1. This is not an admission Form
2. Submission of this form does not guarantee admission to School.
3. This form is not transferable and registration fee is Rs.500/-  
(Jr. K.G., Sr.K.G, from I to VI Grade)

Recent color photograph of the Child
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Recent color photograph of the Father
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Recent color photograph of the Mother
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### STUDENT DETAILS

1. Name of the Applicant : .....
2. Date of Birth : .....
3. Age as on 01.06.2017 : .....
4. Place of Birth : .....
5. Gender : .....
6. Mother Tongue : .....
7. Nationality : .....
8. Class Applied for : .....
9. Last School Attended : .....
10. Residential Address : .....  
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11. Aadhar No : .....
12. Familiarity with Languages : .....
13. Details of Previous Schools : .....  
Name of the School : .....  
City : .....  
State : .....

Board : (State/ CBSE/ ICSE/ IGCSE)  
Medium of Instruction : .....  
Present Class : .....  
Result Status : .....  
Reason for Leaving School : .....  
Academic Achievements : .....  
Non-academic Achievements : .....

**FAMILY DETAILS**

**A. Father's Details:**

1. Father's Name : .....  
2. Qualification : .....  
3. Occupation : .....  
4. Designation : .....  
5. Name of the Organization : .....  
6. Annual Income : .....  
7. Office Address : .....  
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8. Mobile No : .....  
9. Landline No : .....  
10. Email Id : .....

**B. Mother's Details:**

1. Mother's Name : .....  
2. Qualification : .....  
3. Occupation : .....  
4. Designation : .....  
5. Name of the Organization : .....  
6. Annual Income : .....  
7. Office Address : .....  
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- 8. Mobile No : .....
- 9. Landline No : .....
- 10. Email Id : .....

**C. Guardian's Details (if Applicable)**

- 1. Guardian's Name : .....
- 2. Qualification : .....
- 3. Occupation : .....
- 4. Designation : .....
- 5. Name of the Organization : .....
- 6. Annual Income : .....
- 7. Office Address : .....

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- 8. Mobile No : .....
- 9. Landline No : .....
- 10. Email Id : .....

Details of Sibling studying in Karthi Vidhyalaya International(ICSE) School / The Karthi Vidhyalaya Matriculation Hr. Sec. School

Name of the Brother or Sister	Admission No	Class

Contact Details for all Admission related Information:

Contact No : ..... Mobile No : .....

Email Id : .....

Emergency contact :

Name : ..... Place: .....

Relationship with student : .....

Tel. No. : ..... Mobile : .....

Email : .....

Has your child appeared for admission test earlier? Yes No

If 'Yes', when? (Month and Year). \_\_\_\_\_ Which Class? \_\_\_\_\_

Does your child have any learning difficulties? Has your child received any specialized instruction like speech therapy, remedial reading support etc.? If 'yes' provide details:

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Please provide a brief description of the child by mentioning his/her aptitudes, interests, hobbies, talents and temperament.

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Health:

Does your child have any vision problem? Yes No

If 'yes', describe:

Does your child have any hearing problem? Yes No

If 'yes', describe:

Please provide any information concerning the child's health, which the school should know about.

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## Difference between ICSE and CBSE

Right from the time when a child starts his/her academics, the dilemma of choosing the board of education becomes a prime concern for parents. The choice of board makes a significant difference in the early development of the child and his/her exposure to the kind of education system that we have. In the Indian education system, two of the most recognised boards of education that one gets to opt for are CBSE and ICSE. The education system is split into primary, secondary and senior secondary levels. These levels play a significant role in building up one's career goals and achievements. The question that arises is — what is better for the child? How does one choose the right system? One has to note that the two boards are very diverse and hence cannot be clubbed together.

CBSE is responsible for preparing the syllabus for the secondary and senior secondary levels. It is one of the most preferred boards in India. It follows the national curriculum along with additional subject matter. The board conducts two examinations — the All India Secondary School Examination, AISSE (Class X) and the All India Senior School Certificate Examination, AISSCE (Class XII). CBSE is recognized by the NCERT (National Council of Educational Research and Training) with the aim to operate a chain of central schools (Kendriya Vidyalaya) that could cater to the government employees who are in transferable jobs. A number of private schools have started to offer CBSE since a lot of private sector employees are also moving from place to place. The CBSE syllabus is very structured, highly predictable and controlled. All national entrance examinations are conducted as per this syllabus.

ICSE on the other hand is conducted by yet another board, CISCE or the Council for the Indian School Certificate Examination. It is similar to AISSE conducted by CBSE. An offshoot of the Cambridge IGCSE that existed during the British regime was taken over by the Anglo Indian Board and is now governed by the 'Council for the Indian School Certificate Examinations'. ICSE has taken in a lot of structures from the NCERT. At Grade 10, it is as of now is the toughest board examination. ISC (Class XII) is equally difficult to crack owing to its extremely detailed syllabus.

Let us try to see the major differences between the two:

Medium of Instruction:

CBSE approves both English and Hindi language as the medium of instructions, ICSE does not recommend Hindi.

Regular and Private Candidates:

CBSE is affiliated to a large number of schools all over India. The board allows both regular candidates, who study in CBSE schools, as well as private candidates from non-affiliated schools to appear in the exams. Contrary to this, ICSE does not allow a candidate who has not been studying in an ICSE affiliated school to appear for the exams.

Board Recognition:

CBSE is recognized by Indian government and ICSE is not. Although the certificates provided by both of them are globally valid, yet CBSE has a better footing in the subcontinent than ICSE. CISCE is now recognized by many foreign education systems as equivalent to senior examination or high school.

## Curriculum/Course Content:

The syllabus prepared by CBSE is more suitable for qualifying in various entrance examinations, including the medical and engineering professional exams. The syllabus of ICSE is more detailed and requires the student to remember a lot. CBSE is comparatively easier than ICSE. Both CBSE and ICSE (CISCE) have slightly different focus in terms of course content. CBSE is extremely focused on science and maths with a lot of attention paid to the application of knowledge. CISCE (ICSE) on the other hand is more balanced with equal focus on language, arts and science.

## Assessments:

One more point of distinction between the two boards is the evaluation and assessment of students. In ICSE, internal assessments are vital and practical tests are aggregated with the overall scores. ICSE lays more emphasis on lab work. Also, a career in English Literature or Language is best suited for ICSE students.

## Teaching Methodology:

With the changing times both the boards are aiming for active learning. CBSE and ICSE (CISCE) prescribe a certain teaching approach and both have undergone significant change over the past 10 years. The focus has majorly increased on learning through experience and experimentation rather than through one-way teaching.

In India most of the parents are unsatisfied with the standards of education provided by CBSE. They feel that the learning and grooming process needs to be more thorough in CBSE when compared to what ICSE offers. ICSE includes the detailed study of subjects and an edge over English literature and language and is more flexible in nature. Both the boards are recognized by colleges/universities in India. However, the CBSE curriculum doesn't provide students academic luxuries. ICSE board has a lot of combinations to offer to students- such as computer science, environmental science and even interior design in a lot of schools.

In a city like Delhi, the tutors who can help students with the CBSE syllabus are more accessible whereas in the case of ICSE, it is a lot tougher due to a low number of schools following this board. On the other hand, in cities such as Mumbai, Kolkata and Bangalore, ICSE tutors are in abundance. For instance, the Mumbai ICSE board is more prevalent in schools than their local Maharashtra SSC board. In terms of prevalence, CBSE board is easier to find when you move to a new place. However, in various states of India ICSE is given the first preference whereas CBSE is recognised in most of the schools. To conclude, both have their pros and cons and form an extremely vital part of the Indian Education System.

Each board of education has its own set of pros and cons, and parents will have to make a calculated move taking their children's strengths into consideration, as their future can be shaped only based on their interests.

## Central Board of Secondary Education (CBSE)

The Central Board of Secondary Education in India is the main board of education in India for school level education. This board of education conducts the All India Senior School Certificate Examination every year for students who complete their twelfth grade, and this examination serves as the basis for them to pursue their higher education, once out of school.

The Central Board of Secondary Education is also responsible for conducting the AIEEE examination, which serves as an entrance exam for admission to the various undergraduate engineering courses.

Pros:

Opting for a CBSE school has its own share of pros, and the biggest advantage is that all major competitive examinations in India are based on the CBSE syllabus. These examinations include the Joint Entrance Examination (IIT-JEE), the All India Engineering Entrance Examination (AIEEE) and the All India Pre Medical Test (AIPMT).

The CBSE syllabus is easier when compared to that of other boards, mainly due to fewer subjects and a more compact structure. Secondary subjects like Environmental Education are not compulsory under the CBSE syllabus. The subjects of Physics, Chemistry and Biology fall under the general umbrella of Science, and History, Geography and Civics fall under the spectrum of Social Sciences.

A certificate from the Central Board of Education is recognized throughout the country, in all colleges and academic centres. The syllabus is more application based under CBSE, as the board follows a concentric curriculum.

Cons:

Not much focus is laid on inculcating practical knowledge in students. The CBSE syllabus also does not lay as much emphasis on core English knowledge as its counterpart does, choosing to lay more importance on the disciplines of mathematics and science.

The subjects in a CBSE syllabus are approached in a theoretical manner, and true emphasis is not laid on real-life concepts behind the science. Although the syllabus is application oriented, it does not provide room for effective understanding.

Indian Certificate of Secondary Education (ICSE)

The Indian Certificate of Secondary Education was first established by the Local Examinations Syndicate of the University of Cambridge. The syllabus followed by ICSE schools differs vastly from that followed in CBSE schools mainly in terms of content and volume. The board conducts an ICSE examination towards the end of tenth grade and an Indian School Certificate (ISC) examination towards the end of twelfth grade.

Pros:

The syllabus followed by the ICSE board is more comprehensive and complete, encompassing all fields with equal importance.

Students who are interested in careers in the lines of management and humanities will find the curriculum followed under ICSE to be more interesting and challenging, not to mention fruitful.

Certification under the Indian Certificate of Secondary Education board will be recognized around the world, particularly by foreign schools and universities when compared to the central board's local margin.

Due to the emphasis laid on English in ICSE, students from this board may hold a slight edge over other students in exams like TOEFL.

## Cons:

Students may find the syllabus to be too extensive for their liking, as an average student practising under an ICSE board will face thirteen subjects/examinations during the sixth grade, when compared to the six subjects faced by the student's counterpart in a CBSE affiliated school.

Although an ICSE syllabus can facilitate deeper understanding and better life skills and analytical skills, pursuing further education may prove to be a problem due to a lack of leniency in evaluating papers after an ISC examination.

Both these boards share an equal amount of pros and cons, and choosing the right board will entirely depend on the kind of future you envision for your children. The quality of education provided under both boards is excellent, so all you'll need to do is assess your children's strengths and gauge the right board for them.

However, you'll need to keep in mind that more than the board of education involved; the quality of education that your children are receiving should be your primary concern. This is why it is more important to choose a very good school, regardless of the board of education it falls under.