

CALCUTTA PUBLIC SCHOOL

144E, Kalikapur Purbaloke, Kolkata-700099 • Ph. (033) 24268180, 9231822111, Email : calpubsch@yahoo.co.in

1 Bidhan Park, Kolkata-700090 • Ph. (033) 25468393, 9230022011, Email : cpsbp2008@outlook.com

Barasat, 37/4, Jessore Road South, Kolkata 700127 • Ph. 9073777333, 9073777666, Email : cpsbarasat@gmail.com

Web : calcuttapublicschools.com, Facebook Link : <https://www.facebook.com/cpscalcutta>



CALCUTTA PUBLIC SCHOOL

KALIKAPUR (ICSE/ISC) • BIDHANPARK (ICSE/ISC) • BARASAT



The School

Calcutta Public School is a state-of-the-art co-educational, English medium school equipped with the best of amenities and infrastructure giving the students abundant opportunities to optimize their talents. We offer all three streams, namely, Science, Commerce and Humanities at the plus-two level along with a bouquet of subjects to suit each individual. Our endeavour is to create a "Centre of Knowledge and Excellence" that shall strive to provide holistic education ensuring high principles of academic excellence complemented by a kaleidoscope of co-curricular activities. When students feel safe, engaged, and respected, they can focus on their academic goals better. At Calcutta Public School effective

character educators ensure that these needs are met. The school believes that character education works as the foundation upon which students can reach academic brilliance. Thus as an institution, we focus not just on nurturing one's brain, but one's mind. We aim to put forth broad-minded, self-aware and socially conscientious global citizens. Academic subjects and extra-curricular activities complement each other and develop a well-balanced and versatile student so we believe in giving equal weightage to both areas. Students who are involved in extra-curricular pursuits tend to improve their academic grades as well. Our children obtain a platform to portray their abilities in numerous co-scholastic realms by

participating in a plethora of events and activities conducted by the school throughout the year. They receive ample opportunities to express themselves intellectually, athletically and artistically through events at various competitive levels such as inter-school, state, national and even international. The comprehensive evolvement of each student is our priority. After two highly successful branches in Kalikapur and Bidhan Park, on our 25th year, we extend our wings to North 24 Parganas as well with our newest branch at Barasat. Conveniently located on Jessore Road, this school aims to live up to its motto of "Educatum Pro Bono Publico" and provide integral 360° education to the young denizens of Barasat.

Objectives

Calcutta Public School aims at delivering total educational possibilities by encouraging clear thinking, recognizing individual talents in all kinds of students at different stages of development. We provide such facilities that are conducive to the development of a child. We cultivate in your ward adaptive traits for odds and trials. We instil a curious mind and a desire to grow into an accomplished personality through good habits, moral values, perseverance, discipline and good character.

Facilities

The school offers -

- Child friendly education programme
- Age appropriate tasks
- Stress free joyful methods of interaction with activity and project based teaching
- Integrated curriculum with special emphasis on fluency in spoken English by convent educated faculty
- Latest educational aids with variety of worksheets designed by trained teachers
- Computer aided learning in classrooms
- Fully equipped science laboratories where children are allowed to perform scientific experiments under

the supervision of qualified teachers.

- Audio-visual room
- Fully equipped auditorium
- CCTV surveillance throughout the campus to ensure security
- State of the art swimming pool
- Basketball court
- Football field
- Karate & yoga
- Volleyball & throwball
- Medical checkup
- Excursions
- Social skill and team building activities.
- Creative development and honing of leadership skill.



Faculty

The school is blessed with an illustrious advisory board and faculty comprising of ex-students from renowned institutions of India and abroad. English, the medium of instruction, is taught with utmost care by convent educated, trained professionals with special emphasis on fluency, accent, pronunciation, diction, vocabulary and honing of communication skills. The experienced, energetic and enthusiastic teachers continue to uphold and upgrade the existent excellent academic standards of the school.

At Calcutta Public School we make a difference. We don't teach children, we raise them. Our educators work relentlessly to formulate ways and means of making learning effective and enjoyable to one and all. When parents sow their most valuable seed in our garden, we water and nourish the plantlets in such a way that each of them are in full bloom when they leave us. The students of Calcutta Public School are educated in such a way that they in turn learn to make a difference to their family, friends, society and country as a whole.

Transport

The school provides to and fro bus facility to its students. The school buses are regularly plying on a certain radius following strict safety and security measures. Teachers and service staff accompany the students on the bus at all times. Information with respect to charges, timing, pickup points etc. can be gathered from our transport section.



Library

The school maintains a 2000 sq. ft. well stocked library containing books for all age groups and a lot of reference material, fiction and non fiction, magazines, journals, career guides etc which can be used freely by all the students to quench their thirst for knowledge and day to day updates. We aim to produce well-informed young citizens and to that extent we supply our students with newspapers each morning.

Laboratories

The school has well equipped Physics, Chemistry and Biology laboratories with all the provisions necessary for and required by the students for practical classes at the ICSE and ISC levels. The school provides a well equipped computer laboratory where students can get exposure to a whole new world of knowledge and information through the internet. Smart classes have been introduced to enhance the teaching learning process through the use of projector and customised lessons.

Identity Card

Each and every child is required to wear an Identity card duly counter signed by the Principal with the latest photograph of the pupil. An Escort Card is given to parents which must be produced at the school gate during dispersal for safety. Students are not released without Escort Cards and no request otherwise is granted. The safety of our students is our topmost priority, thus loss of either Identity Card or Escort Card must be brought to the notice of the school authorities immediately.





Evaluation, Assessment & Attendance

- No formal examination for kindergarten students.
 - Continuous Comprehensive Assessment based on a specially designed Development Profile.
 - Focus on evaluation on the overall development.
 - Regular unit tests are conducted for classes I - XII to assess their progress.
 - Promotion granted on basis of child's performance in the whole year.
 - Progress Report of the child sent to the parents after every term.
- Candidates whose attendance is below 75% of the working days are ordinarily not eligible to sit for the examinations.

Clubs

Calcutta Public School provides a plethora of extra curricular activities in the club period on Fridays. Allowing the students to get involved in various activities at school is a wise choice and it can be very important in helping them to develop many working skills and getting them involved in diverse talents. The clubs can offer students a safe and supervised haven and a chance to learn new skills such as:

- Learning time management and prioritizing
- Getting involved in diverse interests

- Learning about long term commitments
- Making a contribution and being a team player
- Raises self esteem
- Versatility and constructive attitude
- Social skills
- Keeps body and mind healthy relieving stress

Presently the school has the vocal club, the dance club, the creative club, the quiz club, the karate club, the eco club, the games club, literary club, scouts and guides, yoga club, science club, interact club and the darts club.

Registration & Admission

- Names of the children seeking admission are registered on filling in the application form.
- Application form and school prospectus may be obtained from the school office. Registration carries no guarantee of admission.
- Selected candidates must submit the filled admission form and other necessary papers including admission fees before he / she is enrolled.

- For students coming from other schools, transfer certificates are necessary. In case of migration from other states the transfer certificate has to be duly countersigned by the education authority of the state concerned.
- No change in the date of birth will be permitted later.

Counselling

Our institute also boasts of an efficient and effective Counselling Cell which takes care of the overall development, needs and problems of all the students. Our counsellors interact with the students on a one to one basis to help them out of any crisis. Counselling at school is designed to facilitate student achievement, improve students behaviour and attendance, and help students develop socially. Students who are experiencing personal or academic challenges are provided with support. Counsellors also help students to choose careers and plan for college, and intervene when students face behavioral, physical or mental health challenges.



Activities

The school believes in the saying "All work and no play makes Jack a dull boy". So we do not indulge in only bookish knowledge. Books may be the first priority but definitely not the only one. We want our students to become complete human beings who are ready to face all challenges life has to offer.

Classes are held for Physical education, yoga, karate and dart. Weekly Tournaments on House basis are held for football, cricket, basket ball, badminton, volleyball, table tennis, khokho, kabaddi and carrom. School holds its annual sports and athletic meet in each year.

SCHOOL CONCERT

Annual social concert and Fete are held in the alternate sessions. Thus Students get an opportunity to show their talents in the cultural field - drama, instrumental, vocal, music etc. Above all we celebrate and arrange competition on various occasions under the direction of the council.

OLYMPIAD & SPELL BEE

English, Mathematics and Science Olympiads are conducted periodically for both the primary and secondary sections along with Spell Bee competition to enhance the vocabulary of the students.

EDUCATIONAL TOURS, EXCURSIONS & PICNICS

These are arranged during vacations. Short excursions / weekend outings are also arranged from time to time. During winters students are sent for picnics on different spots every year. These programmes help the pupils to learn beyond the four walls of the classroom and enhance their team building skills.



General Rules

- Nails should be clean and cut short.
- Boys should have short hair and girls should have their hair neatly tied with black clip/ribbon/band.
- No jewellery should be worn to school.
- Magazines, wrist watches, money, transistors, mobile phones, toys or costly pens are strictly prohibited in the school premises. If these are found by the school authority they are liable to be seized permanently.
- Uniforms should be clean and properly ironed and shoes should be properly polished.

Parents : The Key Partners

Although student diary is a regular bridge of communication between the teachers and the parents 'Parent Teacher Meet' is convened at intervals for face to face dialogue and exchange of views for the cherished improvement of the ward concerned. An orientation programme is organised especially for Nursery Parents at the beginning of the session. Parents day is organized after every term where parents view their child's work and discuss his/her progress. Workshops are organized for parents from time

to time where they are encouraged to participate and gain awareness about topics such as parenting, developmental requirement of the child, nutritional requirement of the children of different ages, adolescence etc. The school encourages parents to spend quality time with their wards and participate in school programmes. This has brought about a radical change in creating a harmonious relationship between the guide at school and the caretaker at home.

Awards & Accolades

Sl.	Award	Year
1	CISCE National Kabaddi Tournament "Under 19 - Runners-up"	2022
2	CISCE National Kabaddi Tournament "Under 14 - Second Runners-up"	2022
3	CISCE National Archery "Runners-up"	2022
4	CISCE State Level Yoga "Winner"	2022
5	CISCE State Level Kabaddi Tournament "Under 19 - Winner"	2022
6	CISCE State Level Kabaddi Tournament "Under 14 - Winner"	2022
7	CISCE State Level Kabaddi Tournament "Under 17 - Runners-Up"	2022
8	CISCE State Level Archery "Winner"	2022
9	ASISC Literary Fest "Senior Declamation - Winner"	2022
10	Telegraph Education Foundation Excellence Award for Courage	2022
11	Telegraph Education Foundation Excellence Award for "The School that Cares"	2022
12	Telegraph Education Foundation Award for Excellence in Maintenance and Eco Friendly Initiative	2022
13	Telegraph Education Foundation Excellence Award for "Social service"	2022
14	Telegraph Education Foundation Honour Certificate for All-Round Excellence	2022
15	Telegraph Education Foundation "Thank-You Baba-Ma" Award	2022
16	Telegraph Education Foundation Honour Certificate for Excellence in Extra Curricular Activities	2022
17	Telegraph Education Foundation Excellence Award for "Shining Star"	2022
18	Edugraph SkillFest "Winner under Digital Art Category"	2022
19	Lions Gurukul Award for "Best Philanthropic Activity"	2022
20	Indian Association for the Cultivation of Science, Jadavpur - "Winner Inter School Science Quiz"	2022
21	Concord Inter-School Fest "2nd Runners Up in Poster Painting"	2022
22	Concord Inter-School Fest "2nd Runners Up in Comic Strip"	2022
23	KODENZA, IT Quiz and Coding Competition "Runners-up in Webdesigning"	2022
24	KODENZA, IT Quiz and Coding Competition "Runners-up in IT Quiz"	2022
25	Competition organised by St.Mary's Youth Meet - "Winner Eastern Music"	2022
26	Competition organised by St.Mary's Youth Meet - "2nd Runners-up - Street Play"	2022
27	Telegraph Education Foundation Excellence Award for "Courage"	2021
28	Telegraph Education Foundation Excellence Award for "The School that Cares"	2021
29	Telegraph Education Foundation Award for Excellence in "Maintenance and Eco Friendly Initiative"	2021
30	Telegraph Education Foundation Excellence Award for "Social Service"	2021
31	Telegraph Education Foundation Excellence Award for "Shining Star"	2021
32	Telegraph Education Foundation "Thank-You Baba-Ma" Award	2021
33	Telegraph Education Foundation Certificate of Appreciation for "Social Service"	2020
34	Telegraph Education Foundation "Thank-You Baba-Ma" Award	2020
35	Telegraph Education Foundation Excellence Award for Courage	2020
36	Telegraph Education Foundation Excellence Award for "The School that Cares"	2020
37	Telegraph Education Foundation Award for Excellence in Maintenance and Eco Friendly Initiative	2020
38	Telegraph Education Foundation Honour Certificate for All Round Excellence	2020
39	Telegraph Education Foundation Caring Minds Awards for "A School That Cares"	2020
40	Ram Awatar Gupt Pratibha Puraskar (Drawing) - 2nd Runners-Up	2020
41	Get-Lit! Literary Awards (JAM) - Winner	2020
42	Get-Lit! Literary Awards (Comic Strip Writing) - Winner	2020
43	Get-Lit! Literary Awards (Lexi-Whiz Vocabulary) - 1st Runners-Up	2020
44	Get-Lit! Literary Awards (Blog Writing) - 1st Runners-Up	2020
45	Get-Lit! Literary Awards (Book Cover Designing) - 2nd Runners-Up	2020
46	CISCE State Level Kabaddi Tournament U-19 - Winner	2019
47	CISCE State Level Kabaddi Tournament U-17 - Runners-Up	2019
48	CISCE National Level Kabaddi Tournament under 19 - Runners-Up	2019

Sl.	Award	Year
49	CISCE State Level Athletic Meet - Winner in 100mtr U-14	2019
50	CISCE State Level Athletic Meet - Winner in 200mtr U-14	2019
51	CISCE State Level Athletic Meet - Second in 100mtr U-19 400mtr Relay	2019
52	CISCE National Archery Tournament - Runners-Up	2019
53	Telegraph Education Foundation Excellence in Academics - Merit Certificate	2019
54	Telegraph Education Foundation Excellence in Social Service-Merit Certificate	2019
55	Telegraph Education Foundation Excellence in Extra Curricular Activities- Honour Certificate	2019
56	Telegraph Education Foundation Excellence in Sports- Honour Certificate	2019
57	Sankalp Awards for Sportsperson of the Year	2019
58	Lions Gurukul Award for "The Best Eco Friendly School"	2019
59	Times of India Inter-School Quiz Competition - Winner	2019
60	CISCE National Level Kabaddi Tournament U19 - Winner	2018
61	CISCE State Level Kabaddi Tournament U17 - Runners-up	2018
62	CISCE State Level Quiz-Winner	2018
63	CISCE State Level Kabaddi Tournament U19 - Winner	2018
64	CISCE State Level Kabaddi Tournament U17 - Runners-Up	2018
65	District Training Camp on Pravesh and Pratham Sopan - Best Scout	2018
66	District Training Camp on Pravesh and Pratham Sopan - Best Guide	2018
67	4th International Open Karate Championship - Gold	2018
68	TTIS Challenge "Street Play" - Runners-Up	2018
69	Telegraph Education Foundation Excellence in Academics (ICSE/ISC) - Merit Certificate	2018
70	Telegraph Education Foundation Excellence In Maintenance & Eco Friendly Initiatives - Honour Certificate	2018
71	Telegraph Education Foundation Excellence in Social Service - Honour Certificate	2018
72	Telegraph Education Foundation Excellence in Academics - Merit Certificate	2018
73	Telegraph Education Foundation All Round Excellence - Merit Certificate	2018
74	Telegraph Education Foundation Excellence in Sports - Honour Certificate	2018
75	Telegraph Education Foundation Excellence in Outstanding Talent - Honour Certificate	2018
76	Telegraph Education Foundation Excellence Award for Courage	2018
77	Lions Gurukul Award for "Best Upcoming School"	2018
78	Scheinder Electric Award for "Best Green School"	2018
79	Scheinder Electric - Green Champion	2018
80	Scheinder Electric Winner "Energy Star School"	2018
81	ABP ATK Quiz contest-2018 - Runners-Up	2018
82	Bharat Ko Jano Quiz; held at Dhanbad, Second Runners-Up position among entire Eastern Zone	2018
83	Yuva Music Competition 2018-Senior Champion in Guitar	2018
84	Yuva Music Competition 2018 - Junior Category Runners in Vocal	2018
85	Inter District School Kabaddi Tournament - Winner	2017
86	17th West Bengal Inter School Darts Girls Championship 2017 - Runners-Up	2017
87	National Yoga Championship-Winner in Four Categories	2017
88	Telegraph Education Foundation for Excellence in Maintenance & Eco Friendly Initiatives - Honour Certificate	2017
89	Telegraph Education Foundation Excellence in Academics (ICSE/ISC) - Merit Certificate	2017
90	Telegraph Education Foundation Excellence In Co-Curricular Activities - Merit Certificate	2017
91	Telegraph Education Foundation Excellence in Social Service - Merit Certificate	2017
92	Telegraph Education Foundation Excellence Award for Courage	2017
93	Telegraph Awards Certificate for Outstanding Achievement in Sports	2017
94	Lions Gurukul Award for "School to Look Out For" - Winner	2017
95	Ram Awtar Gupt Pratibha Samman - State Topper in Hindi	2017



ISC & ICSE Toppers

CALCUTTA PUBLIC SCHOOL

Kalikapur, Bidhan Park & Barasat

CONGRATULATES

all students for their excellent academic performance in the ISC & ICSE Examinations, 2022

ISC 2022 TOPPERS LIST



Sampreti Naskar
(All India 8th)



Priyadarshini Ghosh
(All India 9th)



Prithika Chakraborty
(All India 10th)

**40 students
obtained
more than
90% in
ISC, 2022**

ICSE 2022 TOPPERS LIST



Soham Bose
(All India 5th)



Aditya Tiwari
(All India 6th)



Archisman Paul
(All India 9th)

**47 students
obtained
more than
90% in
ICSE, 2022**

Our Well Wishers



Atri Bhattacharya, Home Secretary



Laxmi Ratan Shukla,
Minister of State Sports and Youth Services



Mimi Chakraborty, Actress



Bickram Ghosh, Tabla Maestro



Jamshid Nassiri,
Renowned Iranian Footballer



Shri Sourav Kothari
Arjuna Award for
Billiards & Snooker



Lagnajita Chakraborty,
Playback Singer



Nicolas Facino,
Director of Alliance
Francaise Bengal



Moubani Sorcar,
Actress & Dancer



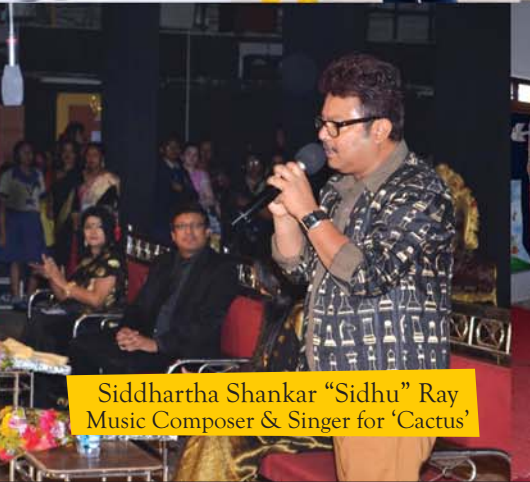
Dola Banerjee,
Olympian & Arjuna
Awardee for Archery



Deep Dasgupta, Cricketer



RJ Praveen



Siddhartha Shankar "Sidhu" Ray
Music Composer & Singer for 'Cactus'



Aneek Dhar, Singer

Campus Life



Activities





CALCUTTA PUBLIC SCHOOL, KALIKAPUR

WHERE STUDENTS LEARN TO ACHIEVE THEIR DREAMS

In the words of Albert Einstein, "Education is not learning of facts, but training of the mind to think". Founded in 1994, Calcutta Public School, Kalikapur has nurtured every opportunity to further the cause of education by empowering students with new cutting-edge knowledge through various educative and informative activities. Each day when one walks the school aisle, one can hear the chatter of eager minds, the excitement from the victorious athletes, the thump of dance feet and the sound of melodious voices harmonizing. If life is like a book, school life definitely covers a lot of pages of it and at Calcutta Public School Kalikapur, they aim to make

this the most memorable and interesting one. The school is equipped with the best of amenities and infrastructure giving the students abundant opportunities to unleash their talents. The school focuses on discovering, developing and drawing out the hidden talents and the magic lying dormant inside all of its students. From academics to co-curricular activities, perseverance and a never-say-die spirit is instilled in the heart of every child not only making them good students but productive and responsible members of society. The core aim of the school is to foster all round development of a child. All round development essentially means intellectual,

physical, moral, sensible and social development. To fulfill these objectives, there is a prime need of striking a balance between syllabus, curriculum, books and also co-scholastic activities. These activities give the students an opportunity to develop particular skills and exhibit their non-academic abilities. They complement the curricular activities and groom the students in the "Art of living and working together." In fact students of classes IX and XII are already a part of Indian Cricket Team Under-15 and Under-18. Calcutta Public School, Kalikapur helps in imbuing in its students value based education synergized with modern teaching-learning methods to produce a well informed and emotionally sound generation. Thus making the educational experience of the students meaningful and rele-

Public School, Kalikapur effective character educators ensure that these needs are met. The school is blessed with an illustrious Advisory Board and Faculty comprising of ex-students from renowned institutions of India and abroad. The experienced, energetic and enthusiastic teachers continue to uphold and upgrade the existent excellent academic standards of the school. All these efforts have resulted in accomplishment of school average marks of 80.7 in ICSE and 81.5 in ISC Examinations 2017 with 26 students scoring high marks and few students featuring in the All India Merit List. The institute boasts of awards and accolades at National Talent Search for Arts and Science Olympiad, State Level and All India Competitions in Quiz, Yoga, Athletics. Calcutta Public School, Kalikapur has received the prestigious "The School That



want to the socio-economic needs of the times and to equip the youth to face the challenges of the future for leading the society from the front, while ensuring that at the same time they are enjoying their experience of learning. The best example of such accomplishments are the students who have ranked in various competitive examinations like WBJEE, NIFT, AIPMT, SAT and are fulfilling their dreams. Students work in an environment where they are stretched and challenged and have their expectations raised to achieve demanding targets. When students feel safe, engaged, and respected, they can focus on their academic goals. At Calcutta

Cares Award" from the Telegraph Foundation of Education, is also receiver of "The School To Look Out For" from Gurukul Foundation. The school is committed to improve the student's and teacher's health and enhance student motivation. With the belief that children should be provided opportunities to unleash their potential and follow their heart, the mission of the school is to not just let children excel in their studies but also to hone any particular skill that they may have. The school atmosphere evokes a team spirit amongst the students and teachers with a conviction that "Education is not preparation of Life but life itself".

TOP 20 (RANK 1 TO 20) Kolkata Schools

School Name	Ranking
St. Xavier's Collegiate School	1
La Martiniere Boys	2
The BSS School	3
South Point School	4
La Martiniere Girls	5
Don Bosco School	6
DPS Ruby Park	7
B.D.M International School	8
Loreto House School	9
Scottish Church Collegiate School	10
Asian International School	11
DPS Megacity	12
Calcutta Public School, Kalikapur	13
Indus Valley World School	14
St. James School	15
Ram Mohan Mission School	16
Sri Sri Academy	17
Lakshmiapat Singhania Academy	18
Techno India Group Public School	19
National English School	20

Best Emerging Schools

School Name	Year of Establishment	Ranking
Calcutta Public School (Bidhan Park)	2013	1
Agarpara Swami Vivekananda Academy	2014	2

Times School Survey

TOP 30 SCHOOLS IN ONLINE EDUCATION, WEST BENGAL		Kolkata North	
1	Don Bosco, Park Circus	1	Calcutta Public School, Bidhan Park
2	St. Xavier's Collegiate School, Park Street	2	National English School
3	DPS Megacity	3	St. Stephen's Dum Dum
4	La Martiniere for Boys	4	Auxilium Convent School
5	The BSS School	5	Indira Gandhi National Memorial High School
6	La Martiniere for Girls	6	St. Mary's Orphanage & Day School
7	Lakshmiapat Singhania Academy	7	Loreto Day School, Sealdah
8	Indus Valley World School	8	WWA Cossipore English School
9	St. Augustine's Day School, Barrackpore	9	Pratt Memorial School
10	Asian International School, Howrah	10	DPS North
11	DPS Howrah	Kolkata East	
12	Vivekananda Mission School, Joka	1	DPS Megacity
13	Pramila Memorial Institute	2	Indus Valley World School
14	DPS Barasat	3	Calcutta Public School, Kalikapur
15	BDM International	4	Pramila Memorial Institute
16	Calcutta Public School, Bidhan Park	5	DPS Newtown
17	DPS Ruby Park	6	IEM Public School
18	Calcutta Public School, Kalikapur	7	St. Francis Xavier School, Kolkata
19	St. Augustine's Day School, Shyamnagar	8	Salt Lake Shiksha Niketan
20	Calcutta Public School, Barasat	9	Calcutta Public School, Bagulati
21	Morning Bells Academy (High School), Kolkata	10	Calcutta International School
22	Dishi World Public School, Kolkata	North 24 Parganas	
23	Purushottam Bhagchanda Academic School	1	St. Augustine's Day School, Barrackpore
24	National English School	2	DPS Barasat
25	Ram Mohan Mission High School	3	Morning Bells Academy (High School)
26	Loreto House, Kolkata	4	St. Augustine's Day School, Shyamnagar
27	St. James' School	5	Calcutta Public School, Barasat
28	The Assembly of God Church School, Park Street	6	Army Public School, Barrackpore
29	DPS Newtown	7	Julien Day School
30	Asok Halls Girls Higher Secondary School, Sarat Bose Road	8	The Aryans School
	Apeejay School	9	Adamas World school
		10	Adamas International School

School group that leads by example through innovative online education



A teacher of Calcutta Public School, Bidhan Park, teaches geography with the help of augmented reality; (below) a teacher from the school's Kalikapur branch explains life underwater and another teacher from the Barasat branch explains greater than and less than using the same method

Tough situations do not last, tough people do – as if to test the truth in this saying, COVID-19 came knocking at the doors. It changed the way we looked at life. The pandemic and its ripple effect challenged educators across the globe, forcing them to come up with "out of the box" alternatives to regular school teaching and evaluation. The Calcutta Public School Kalikapur, Bidhan Park and Barasat, were among the first schools in Kolkata to switch to the remote learning mode. The management organised workshop and online training programmes to empower the faculty digitally and technologically at record speed. Almost overnight, as soon as students were prohibited from going

to school, the classrooms went to the students' homes. The "new normal" is witnessing a soaring flight in innovation, ideation and creativity. Teachers use augmented reality, three-dimensional virtual reality, presentations, customised



management to keep teachers abreast of the latest techniques of online teaching. Calcutta Public School Kalikapur, Bidhan Park and Barasat have maintained their high standards of evaluation and testing by checking the academic progress of students through regular online assignments and assessments. Scientifically-tested methodologies are applied to device age-appropriate tasks for students of all classes. Attention to details and need-based care and mentoring are the core strengths of the faculty. These schools do not limit themselves to just academics; the co-curricular arena is focused on with equal enthusiasm. The important days in the schools' cultural and activity



calendar are celebrated online with great fervour. At these schools, they nurture 360 degree development. The cultural clubs and house system provide platforms for students to give their aspiration a flight. A plethora of events are organised for peer bonding and collaborative work among students. Students are made to participate in non-academic pep talk sessions for recreational purpose. Professional career counselling sessions are conducted for the students of the secondary and higher secondary sections. Stress counselling, online competitions, foreign language, physical education and value education are given equal importance.

Each wave of the pandemic saw a new wave in teaching revolution that efficiently countered its effect. Regular training programmes are organised by the school man-

An institution that fosters a safe, culturally responsive environment



Calcutta Public School, Kalikapur, believes in the power of a touch, a smile, a kind word, or the smallest act of caring, all of which have the potential to turn a life around. Over the last 27 years, the school has not only tried to hear the unarticulated needs of every little preschooler but has also created beautiful memories along the path while they unfold into young adults. CPS thrives on Individual Care approach where students are allowed to grow according to their own pace to ensure that they are not discouraged or pushed out of the formal school system unable to bear the pressure of performance, guarding against zero school dropout. The CPS family comprising the principal, the mentors and young learners stand by each other no matter how difficult and challenging the journey may appear to be. The school realises that innovation in education not only encourages teachers and students to explore, research and use all the tools to uncover something new but it also involves a different way of looking at problems and solving them. When the ripple effect of the pandemic challenged educators across the globe, forcing them to come up with "out of the box" alternatives to regular school teaching and learning, the school was the first among its peers in Kolkata to switch to the remote learning mode. Almost overnight, as soon as students were prohibited from going to school, the classrooms were virtually brought to the young learners' homes. The faculty at this institution extensively uses augmented reality, 3D virtual reality presentations, customised video screening, digital games, application software, online quizzes and a host of other aids to ensure that students develop and problem-solve skills. The institute has safe, culturally responsive classroom communities. The young learners are trained to be sensitive, disciplined, responsible and caring. It is also a no plastic zone, solar power is used significantly and planting of trees is undertaken from time to time. From a tender age students are taught to contribute in their little way towards mother earth. The school takes pride in the students' achievement in both ISC and ICSE board examinations which amounts to 100% pass percentage. CPS, Kalikapur is an abode where the learners not only fulfill their academic dreams but also grow up to be a human being in its true essence.

Calcutta Public School, Bidhan Park

A BUILDING WITH FOUR WALLS AND TOMORROW INSIDE



Calcutta Public School, Bidhan Park believes that the power of education binds a nation. In today's world where intolerance and divisive philosophies threaten to disrupt the purpose and foundation of education, educators need to reflect, develop and devise methods to combat these social evils. It has been the vision and mission of Calcutta Public School Bidhan Park to embrace and incorporate modern trends in global education in its school education system. The faculty works relentlessly to shape the school's dream of moulding global citizens who can think clearly and communicate effectively. Calcutta Public School Bidhan Park has carved out a niche for itself in a very short period of time and has emerged as the most promising school in the area. Education is dynamic and has been defined in many ways by eminent visionaries. Calcutta Public School believes that, "Education is the ability to listen to almost anything without losing one's temper or self-confidence". Robert Frost, the Calcutta Public School Bidhan Park has been working relentlessly to create self-confident, compassionate individuals with great moral and social values. The faculty consists of carefully crafted dynamic leaders who don't teach subject but teaches life skills. The school only employs educators who make TEACHING CHILDREN their priority. Calcutta Public School, Bidhan Park focuses on touching lives in a way

that paves the way for change. The school's creativity and recreational activities are as important part of the present education system as is studies. Being involved in co-scholastic activities like swimming, karate, gymnastics allows the student to learn about the skills and talents they already have and teaches them new ones such as time management, organization, and prioritizing skills. It also allows the students to realize what they are good and enjoy doing. The school provides a wide variety of stimulating learning experiences, allowing students to acquire the concepts, skills and attitudes necessary to develop their full individual potential thus helping students to assess their own abilities and become independent learners, who are able to solve problems, work in groups and set priorities. A student is far more responsive to a teacher who cares, and is therefore more likely to learn and engage. Students feel better about themselves when they feel that their teacher has taken genuine interest in them, they are motivated, and stronger self-assurance can make it easier for the student to challenge themselves academically. Especially with younger students, away from their parents and overwhelmed by the connection of the classroom, a caring teacher is comforting and helps make the transition easier.

Calcutta Public School Bidhan Park firmly advocates the need for a stress free learning environment in today's world. The pedagogy and methodology adopted by the curriculum and syllabus development board of the school emphasizes on assessment throughout the year. The school has a NO RANKING system and awards are given at the end of each academic year based on a pupil's performance and excellence in various fields in the whole year. The novel concepts and ideologies of Calcutta Public School Bidhan Park have set it apart from any other school in the city. It has gained a nickname like "the school that cares", "the cool school" or "the school with a heart" from its admirers!

Travel back in time

Students of Calcutta Public School, Barasat, use plays, dance and music to revisit landmark events of the freedom struggle for its Independence Day celebrations. Young Metro reports...



Every performance was beautiful and educational. I learned a lot about the nation's history and its struggles. **Aradhya Ghosh**, Class VII

My experience was enriching and informative. It was an eye-opening event. I understood that our motto should be to work for the betterment of the society. **Sneha Chatterjee**, Class V

I am proud and happy to be a part of the celebration. We appreciated the nation's history and sacrifices. **Pragya Halder**, Class VI

Our school celebrated Independence Day by presenting the nation's history. It was a memorable event. All of the students and teachers participated to present the country's journey to freedom. **Pratyaksha Paul**, Calcutta Public School, Barasat

The students and teachers of Calcutta Public School, Barasat, celebrated Independence Day by presenting the nation's history. It was a memorable event. All of the students and teachers participated to present the country's journey to freedom. **Pratyaksha Paul**, Calcutta Public School, Barasat

I liked Calcutta Public School, Barasat. I enjoyed the play and the music. I learned a lot about the nation's history and its struggles. **Aradhya Ghosh**, Class VII

I loved Calcutta Public School, Barasat. I enjoyed the play and the music. I learned a lot about the nation's history and its struggles. **Aradhya Ghosh**, Class VII

It's the time to disco

Teachers of Calcutta Public School, Barasat, recreate iconic scenes and songs of Bollywood at their Children's Day celebrations. The children could not be happier as they cheered and sang along. Young Metro reports...



Children's Day is a special day for us as we get to see our teachers perform on stage. The best part of this year's celebration was when our principal played Disco. I was very happy. **Aradhya Ghosh**, Class II

All our teachers performed on stage. It was a very fun event. We enjoyed the music and the dance. **Aradhya Ghosh**, Class II

After two years of staying at home and seeing the teachers performing on stage, it was a very special day for us. We enjoyed the music and the dance. **Aradhya Ghosh**, Class II

It was the best day of my life. On this day our teachers made us feel special with their performances. **Aradhya Ghosh**, Class II

Our school arranged for food packets for all of the teachers. **Aradhya Ghosh**, Class II

The teachers performed for the children on the theme of Bollywood. It was a very fun event. We enjoyed the music and the dance. **Aradhya Ghosh**, Class II

The primary students spent quality time with their class teachers, dancing to Bollywood songs and playing games. **Aradhya Ghosh**, Class II

The teachers set the stage in front of their students. They performed songs and dances. **Aradhya Ghosh**, Class II

The students could not stop cheering as the teachers started the same scene of the movie. **Aradhya Ghosh**, Class II

Children felt the school with a light and food packets. **Aradhya Ghosh**, Class II

We teachers had a special day with the children. We enjoyed the music and the dance. **Aradhya Ghosh**, Class II

Everything was so fun. We enjoyed the music and the dance. **Aradhya Ghosh**, Class II

Having fun with the children. We enjoyed the music and the dance. **Aradhya Ghosh**, Class II

Our school arranged for food packets for all of the teachers. **Aradhya Ghosh**, Class II

Text and photos by Y.M. Free members: Aradhya Ghosh, Class II, and Anika Mukherjee, Class II, Calcutta Public School, Barasat

Text and photos by Y.M. Free members: Aradhya Ghosh, Class II, and Anika Mukherjee, Class II, Calcutta Public School, Barasat

Oldest triumph of good over evil

Calcutta Public School, Kalikapur, celebrates the arrival of Goddess Durga through a cultural programme complete with dance, drama and music. Young Metro reports...

This year's Agony celebration was a special one for us. We had a lot of fun. **Aradhya Ghosh**, Class X

The school is a great place to learn and grow. We have many talented students. **Aradhya Ghosh**, Class X

Everyone gets to perform on stage. It's a great experience. **Aradhya Ghosh**, Class X

Through our Agony celebration, we have learned a lot about ourselves. **Aradhya Ghosh**, Class X

It was such a delight to be a part of this event. We enjoyed the music and the dance. **Aradhya Ghosh**, Class X

We all had a different sense of achievement and joy. We enjoyed the music and the dance. **Aradhya Ghosh**, Class X

Everyone was equally excited and participated in the event. We enjoyed the music and the dance. **Aradhya Ghosh**, Class X

Puja is an important part of our culture. We enjoyed the music and the dance. **Aradhya Ghosh**, Class X

Our school is a great place to learn and grow. We have many talented students. **Aradhya Ghosh**, Class X

Everyone gets to perform on stage. It's a great experience. **Aradhya Ghosh**, Class X

Through our Agony celebration, we have learned a lot about ourselves. **Aradhya Ghosh**, Class X

It was such a delight to be a part of this event. We enjoyed the music and the dance. **Aradhya Ghosh**, Class X

We all had a different sense of achievement and joy. We enjoyed the music and the dance. **Aradhya Ghosh**, Class X

Everyone was equally excited and participated in the event. We enjoyed the music and the dance. **Aradhya Ghosh**, Class X

Puja is an important part of our culture. We enjoyed the music and the dance. **Aradhya Ghosh**, Class X

Text and photos by Y.M. Free members: Anika Mukherjee, Class VII, and Anika Mukherjee, Class VII, Calcutta Public School, Kalikapur

Love, wishes and joy

To celebrate the role of teachers on their special day, the students of Calcutta Public School, Kalikapur, organise a cultural performance, games and more. Young Metro reports...

Organising the Teachers' Day programme was a wonderful experience. We had a lot of fun. **Aradhya Ghosh**, Class VI

Teachers' Day is a special day for us. We get to see our teachers perform on stage. **Aradhya Ghosh**, Class VI

The school is a great place to learn and grow. We have many talented students. **Aradhya Ghosh**, Class VI

Everyone gets to perform on stage. It's a great experience. **Aradhya Ghosh**, Class VI

Through our Teachers' Day celebration, we have learned a lot about ourselves. **Aradhya Ghosh**, Class VI

It was such a delight to be a part of this event. We enjoyed the music and the dance. **Aradhya Ghosh**, Class VI

We all had a different sense of achievement and joy. We enjoyed the music and the dance. **Aradhya Ghosh**, Class VI

Everyone was equally excited and participated in the event. We enjoyed the music and the dance. **Aradhya Ghosh**, Class VI

Puja is an important part of our culture. We enjoyed the music and the dance. **Aradhya Ghosh**, Class VI

Our school is a great place to learn and grow. We have many talented students. **Aradhya Ghosh**, Class VI

Everyone gets to perform on stage. It's a great experience. **Aradhya Ghosh**, Class VI

Through our Teachers' Day celebration, we have learned a lot about ourselves. **Aradhya Ghosh**, Class VI

It was such a delight to be a part of this event. We enjoyed the music and the dance. **Aradhya Ghosh**, Class VI

We all had a different sense of achievement and joy. We enjoyed the music and the dance. **Aradhya Ghosh**, Class VI

Everyone was equally excited and participated in the event. We enjoyed the music and the dance. **Aradhya Ghosh**, Class VI

Puja is an important part of our culture. We enjoyed the music and the dance. **Aradhya Ghosh**, Class VI

Text and photos by Y.M. Free members: Anika Mukherjee, Class VII, and Anika Mukherjee, Class VII, Calcutta Public School, Kalikapur

Leaders of today, visionaries of tomorrow

Students of Calcutta Public School, Bidhan Park, host their investiture ceremony after a hiatus of two years to introduce office bearers for the current academic year and to hand over to them their posts and responsibilities. Young Metro reports...

The investiture ceremony was a special day for us. We had a lot of fun. **Aradhya Ghosh**, Class III

Our school is a great place to learn and grow. We have many talented students. **Aradhya Ghosh**, Class III

Everyone gets to perform on stage. It's a great experience. **Aradhya Ghosh**, Class III

Through our investiture ceremony, we have learned a lot about ourselves. **Aradhya Ghosh**, Class III

It was such a delight to be a part of this event. We enjoyed the music and the dance. **Aradhya Ghosh**, Class III

We all had a different sense of achievement and joy. We enjoyed the music and the dance. **Aradhya Ghosh**, Class III

Everyone was equally excited and participated in the event. We enjoyed the music and the dance. **Aradhya Ghosh**, Class III

Puja is an important part of our culture. We enjoyed the music and the dance. **Aradhya Ghosh**, Class III

Our school is a great place to learn and grow. We have many talented students. **Aradhya Ghosh**, Class III

Everyone gets to perform on stage. It's a great experience. **Aradhya Ghosh**, Class III

Through our investiture ceremony, we have learned a lot about ourselves. **Aradhya Ghosh**, Class III

It was such a delight to be a part of this event. We enjoyed the music and the dance. **Aradhya Ghosh**, Class III

We all had a different sense of achievement and joy. We enjoyed the music and the dance. **Aradhya Ghosh**, Class III

Everyone was equally excited and participated in the event. We enjoyed the music and the dance. **Aradhya Ghosh**, Class III

Puja is an important part of our culture. We enjoyed the music and the dance. **Aradhya Ghosh**, Class III

Text and photos by Y.M. Free members: Anika Mukherjee, Class III, and Anika Mukherjee, Class III, Calcutta Public School, Bidhan Park

Workshops, campaigns and learning with a lot of fun

The 14th Foundation Day at Calcutta Public School, Bidhan Park, has the students getting busy with a traffic campaign, several interesting workshops and gathering knowledge outside the classroom. Even their parents are involved. Young Metro reports...

Our school is a great place to learn and grow. We have many talented students. **Aradhya Ghosh**, Class III

Everyone gets to perform on stage. It's a great experience. **Aradhya Ghosh**, Class III

Through our workshops and campaigns, we have learned a lot about ourselves. **Aradhya Ghosh**, Class III

It was such a delight to be a part of this event. We enjoyed the music and the dance. **Aradhya Ghosh**, Class III

We all had a different sense of achievement and joy. We enjoyed the music and the dance. **Aradhya Ghosh**, Class III

Everyone was equally excited and participated in the event. We enjoyed the music and the dance. **Aradhya Ghosh**, Class III

Puja is an important part of our culture. We enjoyed the music and the dance. **Aradhya Ghosh**, Class III

Our school is a great place to learn and grow. We have many talented students. **Aradhya Ghosh**, Class III

Everyone gets to perform on stage. It's a great experience. **Aradhya Ghosh**, Class III

Through our workshops and campaigns, we have learned a lot about ourselves. **Aradhya Ghosh**, Class III

It was such a delight to be a part of this event. We enjoyed the music and the dance. **Aradhya Ghosh**, Class III

We all had a different sense of achievement and joy. We enjoyed the music and the dance. **Aradhya Ghosh**, Class III

Everyone was equally excited and participated in the event. We enjoyed the music and the dance. **Aradhya Ghosh**, Class III

Puja is an important part of our culture. We enjoyed the music and the dance. **Aradhya Ghosh**, Class III

Text and photos by Y.M. Free members: Anika Mukherjee, Class III, and Anika Mukherjee, Class III, Calcutta Public School, Bidhan Park