

Our Founder

Shri. MansukhbhaiMahadevbhai Kothari

AT THE AGE OF SEVENTEEN

When most of us move out to enter the gates of school, some one moved to make his own earning.

When we make our living by pocket money, someone started earning to make his own living.

When we aim at latest gadgets, someone aimed at the next big earning opportunity.

This young visionary is our very own Shri MansukhbhaiMahadevbhai Kothari who created a marketing history.

His diligence and hard work promoted him at every level of life, from being a casual worker in the Construction Company to a National Award winner for his company Kothari Products Ltd.

He had his shares of ups and down but his passion for success made him walk through the tides unerringly.

This man who created his own success saga was accompanied by books upto primary level only. He had to part with them, to help his father in business. Though he did not allow this untimely dissolution with books to come in his way, the longing for education remained. He made experiences his guru and opportunities the chapters in the book of life.

To gratify his longing for schools, he made sure that students are not kept away from education and laid foundation of KOTHARI Schools in Noida and Pune.

Vision

Vision without action is merely a dream.

Action without vision just passes the time....

Vision with action can change the world.

Educating my two wonderful children in the very best of schools and my own education in a residential school led me to believe that we need many more such good schools in our country, as our huge resource of youth deserve it. My father's thoughts were no different. He beckoned us to start a quality school. Encouraged thus we built KOTHARI INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL, (KIS) our very first, in Noida in 2006.

No sooner were the doors opened, the school received an overwhelming response. Today KIS has about 1800 students with 150+ teaching staff. Since inception, KIS has been continuously receiving favorable ratings for its quality education delivery, infrastructure, and holistic approach in transacting multiple curriculums.

The confidence we gained with KIS has inspired us to bring MANSUKHBHAI KOTHARI NATIONAL SCHOOL, (MKNS) to city of Pune. The choice of Pune was easy as we were already a part of city's endeavor, through H&M Royal, for providing quality housing. MKNS is an opportunity for us to join Pune's education initiatives and reap the benefits of its culture and history.

We looked at MKNS from the context of our nation and possible needs of our youth for their future success; and decided on a model to serve those causes and bring good education to neighbourhood communities.

Join hands with MKNS Pune and secure your child's future. By entrusting your child to us you are ensuring safe, caring and learner friendly environment.

Deepak Kothari

Chairman

I feel privileged to serve as a member - Board of Trustees - Mansukhbhai Kothari National School, Pune and it is indeed a matter of pride to pen down the message for the school Prospectus. My heart fills with immense pleasure, as I perceive the progress being made at MKNS.

I extend my warm wishes to the Principal, Staff and Students of MKNS to continue this journey on the road of excellence. MKNS has earned a good reputation in the field of academics together with cultural and sporting events. The success of MKNS in such a short span of time is due to the hard work and dedication of the Management, Principal, Teaching Faculty, Staff and active cooperation of the parents who believe in constant improvement.

The school offers a variety of learning opportunities. I hope the school prospectus will give a clear idea of values and facilities that will be available to the students of classes from Play Group to class X. The entire purpose of education is not to restrict itself to imparting bookish knowledge only but also to inculcate humanitarian values like wisdom, compassion, courage, humility, integrity and reliability in a student.

I can very proudly say that we, at MKNS, prepare each child to become independent thinkers and develop integrated personalities.

MKNS is at the doorstep of a new challenge and opportunity with a pledge of making itself a centre of excellence where a stress free and caring environment is there for nurturing the young minds. For this, we seek your vital co-operation and support at all times to accomplish the high standards.

We are confident that this school is the best place for your child. We welcome your active interest and involvement in the progress and activities of your child. We look forward to your continuous support.

Mitesh Kothari

Managing Director

From the Desk of
the Education Advisor

In a nation's economic growth, new knowledge shall be the key driver to attain highest quality of life for every citizen. Nations that borrow or buy knowledge will be at a disadvantage in competition with the creators. Our country once known to be innovative in creating new frontiers of knowledge drifted away somewhere down the years. It is in this context that we need to relook and redesign the ways in which we transact learning in our classrooms.. We at MKNS realize the need to empower our students with the abilities to visualize and create. We need to engage our students in learning with the purpose to enhance their higher order abilities to think. It is, therefore, imperative for us to shift from rote-memorization centric learning to learning to think and do.

We plan to make our schools digital and support progressive learning to ensure that every student learns effectively at every stage. The focus of assessment will be to identify the learning levels of each student and personalize teaching through flexible transaction of curriculum. We will strive to provide opportunities for our students to explore and discover the depth of concepts and their application skills.

As a need in the current times and for the benefit of students' success, parent partnership is the key to good schooling. At MKNS we recognise this and invite active parent participation in the education of your child. We believe that this partnership will help the evolution of the school into a progressive educational innovative centre.

While we feel delighted with the progress made, we assure you that we will not rest on our laurels but work towards improving the quality always.

By entrusting your child to the care of the competent MKNS fraternity, you will be making a life time choice!

GsMadhav Rao

ZERO CONFLICTWORLD

We realize, today, more than ever that we are an interdependent world. We expect our students to appreciate the diversity and understand the value of unity. Our students shall understand their rights and responsibilities. Thus empowered with knowledge and skills our students learn to contribute towards Zero Conflict World.

PREFERRED FUTURE

By empowering our students with knowledge and skills through engaged learning, we ensure seamless transition to tertiary education of their choice and make them custodians of their own physical, emotional and spiritual well being.

OXYGENATED SPHERE

Our students endeavor to maintain and improve the quality of life without damaging the planet for future generation.

EXCELLENCE ALL AROUND

In pursuit of a perfect score in all spheres of life .

From the Principal's Desk

A hearty Welcome to Mansukhbhai Kothari National School!!!

Just to give you are a brief of the school, the school was conceptualized in 2011.

It is a well established school for age group from 3+ to 17+. Mansukhbhai Kothari National School has been at the heart of Kondhwa, Pune for more than 8 years and has had a wonderful repute for excellence in education since its foundation years.

Today we are thriving, independent, coeducational school with high academic standards with a wide range of curriculum. The sports, cultural events and outbound opportunities are par excellence.

Our educational facilities are amongst the best in India. Our aim is to establish a strong foundation for children's future schooling. We work in tandem with the parent community to ensure that the child's individual needs are met.

For day to day purposes our preschool chain 'The Kothari Starz' is independent of the senior school, but the close proximity gives access to excellent support and facilities. It is a smooth transition as the children move from preschool and they enter the main schooling.

Our dedicated teaching and non teaching staff are sincere, qualified and needless to say that the students are in safe and able hands. The rapport between pupils and teachers are excellent .The close relationship in turn help in maintaining a very stress free learning environment.

We take pride in announcing that we have produced finest sportsman to creative writers to young scientists. These wonders happen only in Mansukhbhai Kothari National School.

The school believes in adding Global dimension in curriculum and we have planned projects across standards which weave in international Dimension into the curriculum. These projects are a part of application for International School Award, an initiative of British council.

Our school however is impossible to describe in pictures and words. One needs to spare time and be a part of this joyful learning.

So join us soon!!!

Philosophy of The School

India can be a great influence on the world only when its young population is empowered with knowledge, skills and creativity; and be able to build strong relationships with nations across.

Globalization and technological advancement are placing greater demand on education and skill development. Information and communication technology is changing the ways people share, use, develop and process information.

Therefore our prime focus is to

1. Equip our students with skills so that they are better adapted and have the ability to fare well in the global market.
2. Empower them with the abilities to understand the problems and approach them in scientific and creative ways.
3. Endow them with strength to invest in family bonds and community relationships leading to strong nation building.
4. Make them responsible and thinking citizens of the world by focusing on climate change and its concerns.

Our Mission

Shall be to make each child

A SELF DIRECTED SUCCESSFUL LIFE LONG LEARNER

Knowledgeable, skilled, creative and productive user of technologies

CONFIDENT INDIVIDUAL

A personal identity and ability to manage his/her emotional, mental, spiritual and physical well being

A RESPONSIBLE CITIZEN

Has both national and global perspectives

CURRICULUM

The Central Board of Secondary Education conducts two examinations under 10+2 school System in India, namely, the All India Secondary School Examination(AISSE-Year 10); and the All India Senior School Certificate Examination (AISSCE-Year 12). The subject choices and syllabi prescribed for these examinations are varied and aimed at nurturing the unique gifts of students.

Mansukhbhai Kothari National School (MKNS) offers the AISSE (Year 10) and AISSCE (Year 12) examinations.

The All India Secondary School Examination (Year 10) follows a course of general education, in accordance with the New Education Policy.

The All India Senior School Certificate Examination (Class-12), is held after a two-year course of studies beyond the Year 10 examination through the medium of English.

The CBSE has introduced several interesting and forward- looking curriculum areas, which are offered as options in Mansukhbhai Kothari National School.

PRE-PRIMARY SCHOOL

Play Group, K1 & K2

The Kindergarten provides a unique experience of learning through a specially designed curriculum road map. Emphasis is on the development of motor skills, language, early math concepts, social behavior and the environment. Through a carefully directed programme of play, children acquire experience and explore their world, according to their individual abilities.

Our teachers are trained to observe and record the children's development and work closely with their parents, in understanding each child.

In two years of Kindergarten, children joyfully take their first steps in literacy and numerical skills.

Guided by the Kindergarten Plan and learning at their own pace, children begin to acquire the fundamental skills of Reading, Writing and Mathematics.

Play continues to be the medium of learning and the knowledge of the environment comes with the child's language development.

PRIMARY (GRADES 1-5) & MIDDLE (GRADES 6-8) SCHOOL

Our Primary and Middle year programme brings in opportunities for different styles of learning with special focus on blossoming intelligences.

With activities centered around observation and discovery, our students are empowered with life skills, critical thinking and creative skills.

Collaborative learning is a regular feature, as children learn to work together as well as independently.

Through progression from year to year, there is broadening of the curriculum with increase in cognitive challenges.

Learning and the purpose of Assessment at MKNS is to enhance and reflect the quality of the students' understanding. At the end of the Primary Programme, our students confidently make a foray into the Middle School where, self-reliance in learning becomes an important aim.

Attention is given to the requisite level in each subject by defining attainment standards.

Children learn to set goals and have long term objectives.

The subjects at the Middle School level include :

SCHOLASTIC	NON-SCHOLASTIC
Languages	Art & Craft
Science	Physical Education
Mathematics	Music, Dance & Drama
Social Studies	Life Skills
	Computers

THE SECONDARY / SENIOR - SECONDARY SCHOOL (GRADES 9, 10, 11 & 12)

Knowledge and skills gained during the Secondary School years equip the students with a firm academic foundation to pursue a variety of educational options in the future .

Throughout the curriculum, students are presented with opportunities to research, come to their own conclusions, make decisions, and solve problems.

At the end of four years of secondary schooling, the students prepare for All India Senior Secondary Examination (Class 12) of Central Board of Secondary Education (CBSE).

MEETING STUDENT NEEDS

The word education today, encompasses a world way beyond the confines of the classrooms. To create this multifaceted learning experience MKNS provides the students with a plethora of options through activities, clubs and sports.

Co-curricularActivities

Art and Craft

Dance

Drama

Music

Cooking

Social service

Chess

Carrom

Gardening

Clubs & Hobbies

Quiz club

Reading club

Creative writing

Science club

Needle work

Information technology

Environment and nature club

Debating and public speaking

Heritage Club

Maths Club

Model United Nations (MUN)

Sports

Athletics
Aerobics
Jogging
Basketball
Badminton
Cricket
Football
Gymnastics
Yoga
Throw ball
Table tennis
Tennis
Cycling
Skating

FACILITIES

C V Raman Labs 1, 2 and 3. Well equipped Bose Lab, physics and chemistry labs are designed in the most modern way so that all scientific minds can experiment and learn.

Param Lab ICT computer lab is a place for technology lovers, for researchers and explorers of MKNS.

Aryabhata math lab is the most modern and endowed with the latest resources for all students at the school.

Quest exploration room is spacious to provide each student the learning space that will quench the desire to discover, investigate and explore to further their skills and knowledge.

The Silent Zone MKNS library is the students own flexible and dynamic room with a vast collection of books at all levels.

Nrityaangan is for all those dance lovers where they can learn and practice classical and match with the latest contemporary dances.

Sur Tal is a room with all musical instruments for vocalists and instrumentalists to be.... the nation can be proud of.

MPH is a multipurpose hall where MKNS students proudly showcase their varied talents honed at school.

SERVICES

Career guidance and counseling services are offered to all students, especially those who are at the threshold of making career choices. The career guidance program bring about awareness and required exposure in the fields of interest, so that students can take informed decisions. There are specialists, counselors on board along with visiting faculty and guests to do the needful for our students at MKNS. This is backed up by regular educational trips to private and public sector organizations and regular aptitude tests conducted by professionals.

MEDICAL ROOM

MKNS has a medical room facility with a full time nurse and a visiting doctor.

Regular medical check up and maintenance of its records is a feature of MKNS curriculum.

TRANSPORT

We provide transport facility to all our students. Bus routes are prepared based on the number of admissions from a particular area, Lady attendant is there in every bus.

SECURITY

With 100% power back up, CCTV monitoring and EPABX connections, MKNS is well guarded by trained security personnel.

PARENT PARTNERSHIPS..

MKNS believes in making all parents of its students an active partner in the development process of their wards. The only and most effective way is to have all channels of communication open, not just to inform about the child's progress in academics but also to listen to their fears and worries. This is achieved by

Regular Parent Teacher meetings

Informal get together with the teachers and the Principal

Regular workshops and seminars on parenting and guidance

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMME

To hone their skills and keep them abreast with the latest methodology, a regular professional development program is designed for MKNS teaching staff. Teachers are encouraged to research and share, discuss and practice their new ideas. This is done to enhance their learning and also get fresh ideas to match up with the new generations' learning needs.

TECHNOLOGY SUPPORT

All administration and academic areas are wired through technology. This assist the parents and students to access information and respond from any where anytime.

OUR FACULTY

Teachers at MKNS are qualified and are chosen for their zeal and fervor to bring out the best in an individual child. They are trained to challenge the young minds by using innovative teaching strategies while transacting the curriculum.

We believe that every child deserves good education

So we make ADMISSION SIMPLE!

Admission open for

Play group, K1, K2, Grade 1 TO 12

Just walk in with all documents

(For convenience you may ask for appointment)

Meet our 'Parent Relations Officer'

Our PRO will take all your queries

Take a School Tour

Meet the Principal

Complete all admin formalities.

Your child is admitted on first come first serve basis!

DOCUMENTS TO BE SUBMITTED

(FOR ALL CLASSES)

CERTIFICATES AND RECORDS

Date of Birth Certificate

Medical Form

Transfer Certificate / Marksheet attested

Photographs of Parents & Child

DULY FILLED FORMS

Registration Form / Vaccination form

Admission Form / Medical form

Transport (where applicable)

Bus routes would be prepared based on the
number of admissions from a particular area

Day care for preschoolers.

Play Group and Kindergarten (where applicable)