



St. John's Residential Higher Secondary School. Kollam, Kerala - INDIA MANAGED BY AUGUSTINIAN FATHERS

ADMISSIONS CRITERIA AND POLICY

St: John's Residential Higher Secondary School seeks to attract students of diverse nationalities whose parents are in agreement with the school's mission and values. Students must be able to engage meaningfully with the programmes offered at the various levels of the school. They must have the interpersonal skills for collaborative learning as well as the self-discipline and motivation necessary for independent study, inquiry and research, which are key features of the programmes offered at Kollam. The school seeks students who will make a positive contribution to the school community. Applications are accepted throughout the year, subject to space availability, and are considered in order of completion.

To be admitted, an applicant's records must provide evidence of their above-average academic ability, and age-appropriate motivation and skills, and demonstrate attributes consistent with the IB Learner Profile. Grade placement at St: John's Residential Higher Secondary School is determined by an applicant's date of birth. With applicants coming from educational systems all over the world, there are no suitable standardised admissions examinations; therefore, a record of success in the previous school setting is required.

Admissions decisions are based on a review of the following: a completed application form and copies of reports from the previous school (two years of reports as appropriate), and reference(s) from the last school. Occasionally, as part of the decision-making process, the Admissions Committee may request additional information, specialist reports, and/or request a personal interview (in person or via Skype) with an applicant. The school places an expectation on families applying for places that information provided is accurate.

St: John's Residential Higher Secondary School is a day school and therefore all applicants must be living with a parent or responsible adult family member. Any exception to this situation must be agreed in advance with the Admissions Committee. If at any stage a student's living arrangements change, this must be discussed in advance with the Admissions Committee who reserve the right to require the family to withdraw the student from the school.

St: John's Residential Higher Secondary School has a sibling priority policy, subject to meeting all other admissions criteria. Students with disabilities who meet the above criteria are welcome to apply. The school has Learning Support and Accessibility policies and procedures and reviews these regularly.

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