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SALWAN JUNIOR SCHOOL

‘A’ Block, Naraina Vihar, New Delhi – 110028

ADMISSIONS OPEN
2027–28

Where your child learns, explores and *grows with confidence.*

A joyful co-educational primary school for children aged 3 to 10, from Balvatika 1 to Class V, rooted in the Salwan ideal of Service Before Self.



SINCE 1993 • MONTESSORI FOUNDATIONAL STAGE • MICROSOFT SHOWCASE SCHOOL

Nurturing Creativity, Curiosity and Compassion

Three decades of joyful, *values-led* learning

Founded in 1993 by Late Smt. Raj Salwan under the Salwan Education Trust, Salwan Junior School is a co-educational primary school in Naraina Vihar where children aged 3 to 10 learn, play and grow, from Balvatika 1 to Class V.



Balvatika children in the school garden



A special assembly remembering Late Shri Shiv Dutt Salwan

1941

Salwan Education Trust founded in Peshawar by Late Pt. Girdhari Lal Salwan, on one belief: **Education for All**.

1993

Salwan Junior School, Naraina founded by Late Smt. Raj Salwan under the aegis of the Trust.

Today

One of eight institutions under the Trust, with 550+ young learners and recognition as a Microsoft Showcase School.

Our Vision

To nurture empowered young citizens with universal values.

Our Mission

To develop self-directed, confident learners equipped with diverse competencies.

OUR MOTTO

Service Before Self

Like our emblem, the Rising Sun, true greatness lies in what we give.

Every child is valued as a unique learner with limitless potential. We are committed to a joyful, inclusive and nurturing environment where curiosity is encouraged, creativity is celebrated and confidence grows through meaningful learning.

By blending strong values with innovative teaching and a close partnership with parents, we help our students become compassionate, resilient and future-ready individuals.

Sonia Wadhwa
Head of School



Joyful, hands-on play on a class outing

SALWAN JUNIOR SCHOOL AT A GLANCE

550+
young learners, Balvatika 1 to Class V

20
Microsoft Innovative Educator Experts

8
early childhood experts

9,000+
books in our library

250+
episodes from our school podcast studio

100+
plant varieties on our green campus

30
clubs and coached activities

4
houses: Gandhi, Nehru, Tagore, Vivekananda

A happy beginning to *lifelong learning*

Our Montessori Wing welcomes children in Balvatika 1, 2 and 3 into a calm, child-centred world where they learn by doing, at their own pace, guided by teachers who know each child well.



Montessori materials build concentration and early maths



Sensory play on an outing to Tingaland



Show and Tell: "This is my favourite toy!"

Learning by doing

Montessori materials, hands-on maths, beading and buttoning build fine motor skills and independence.

Sounds, words and stories

Phonics, rhymes, storytelling, CVC reading and Hindi vyanjan lay strong foundations for reading.

Spaces made for little ones

Child-friendly classrooms, cosy reading corners, a Reading Hub and a Sensory Pathway.

Families see the growth

Classroom Demo Functions let parents watch their child read, count, sing and share.

Healthy habits early

A 21-Day Eat Healthy challenge, germination activities and plenty of outdoor play.

"We treat early childhood as a foundation, not a formality."

Nurturing Creativity, Curiosity and Compassion

Learning that goes *beyond textbooks*

Children learn best when they can build, question and connect ideas to real life. Role play, field visits, hands-on activities and group work run through every class, in step with NEP 2020 and the National Curriculum Framework.



Proud of what they have made with their own hands

IN THE SPOTLIGHT

Walking in another's shoes

Classes IV and V took on an obstacle course that recreated the journeys children in mountains, deserts and villages make to reach school.

The activity ended in a discussion on valuing education, building empathy and gratitude in a way no textbook could.



Sowing seeds and watching them grow



Learning by making

Nature as a classroom

Germination activities, nature collages and time in the school garden turn the campus into a living laboratory.

Assemblies that teach

Classes lead assemblies on days such as Van Mahotsav, Kargil Vijay Diwas and International Tiger Day, presenting to the whole school.

Excursions that teach

National Science Centre, IARI, Museum of Illusions, KidZania, and trips to Agra, Jaipur and Jim Corbett.

Young SDG Warriors

Through the NCERT and UNODC RiseUp4Peace initiative, children lead Sustainable Development Goal projects.

Core subjects English · Hindi · Mathematics · EVS: Science, STEM and Social Studies

Co-scholastic Computer Science · GK · Life Skills · PE · Music and Dance · Art and Craft · Martial Arts

Big questions, *real solutions*

Every year, each class from I to V takes on one real-world question, investigates it for weeks and shares what it has learnt with a real audience at our Festival of Learning.

1 **Ask**
A real-world question that matters to children

2 **Explore**
A month of dedicated PBL time, one block every day

3 **Create**
Models, stalls, plays and presentations

4 **Present**
To parents, SMC members and visiting educators

5 **Reflect**
A PBL journey booklet records each child's work

FESTIVAL OF LEARNING 2026

13 to 17 October 2026 · five classes, five real-world themes

One class presents each day, with two shows daily for families and guests.

Class I
From Farm to Plate
A walk-through gallery tracing food from sowing to the table, with every child a guide or a 'farmer'.

Class II
Health and Nutrition
Children investigate what keeps their bodies strong and healthy.

Class III
Water: Every Drop Counts
Where our water comes from, and how every family can save it.

Class IV
Incredible India
A travel fair where visitors get 'passports' stamped at pavilions for each zone of India.

Class V
Climate Action
Understanding a changing planet, and the actions children can lead.

PBL IN ACTION



Earthquake ready, future ready: Class V models built from waste materials



Class V teams with their finished models

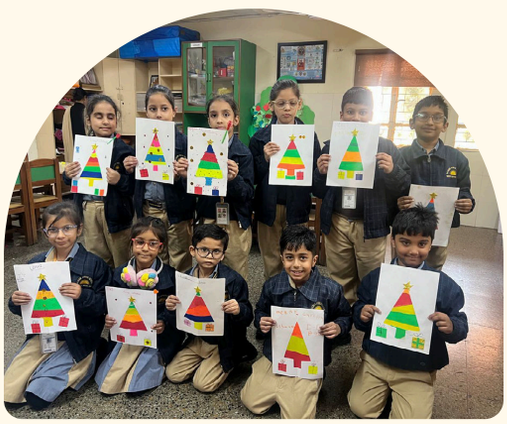


Explaining their designs with confidence

Why it works: one project brings together science, maths, language, art and values, building research, teamwork and confident speaking.

A campus designed *for young learners*

Set amid tranquil surroundings in Naraina Vihar, our campus is planned around how children aged 3 to 10 learn, play and grow.



Bright classrooms where children create and share their work



Story time in our library of 9,000+ books



A bright, child-friendly Balvatika classroom

Air-conditioned classrooms
Every classroom is air-conditioned, with child-friendly layouts in the early years.

Library of 9,000+ books
Read-aloud sessions, a Book Reading Club and e-library resources.

Smart Classrooms and IT Lab
Campus-wide Wi-Fi, an ERP and an LMS support everyday learning.

Resource Room
A Multiple Intelligence Room for differentiated, hands-on learning.

Art, Music and Dance studios
Dedicated spaces with specialised creative-arts coaching.

Podcast studio
Where students have produced 250+ story podcast episodes.

Sports area
Upgraded with new equipment and thematic wall art.

Garden with turf
Outdoor seating and play structures for open-air learning.

Infirmary
A full-time nurse, first aid and regular health check-ups.

A GREEN CAMPUS

Children grow up caring for the planet

Over 100 varieties of plants, including 15 kinds of fruit and 10 herbs, with rainwater harvesting, composting and vertical gardens. The campus itself is a lesson in sustainability.



Technology with *a purpose*

A Microsoft Showcase School for the second consecutive year, we use technology to help children create, think and collaborate: alongside hands-on learning, never instead of it.

Microsoft
Showcase School 2025–26

Adobe
Disha School

20 MIE Experts
Microsoft Innovative Educator Experts

ARISE
Recognition for ICT in education



Smart screens bring learning to life in assembly



Our faculty at the Intel AI Shapers National Awards 2025

Coding and making

Block-based coding in Scratch, physical computing with Micro:bit, and sensors and kits in the Coding and Robotics Club.

AI and digital literacy

Age-appropriate introductions to AI and digital creation with Adobe Express, with teachers using AI to create differentiated material.

Our podcast studio

The school Story Podcast, with 250+ episodes, builds listening, values and confident voices from Balvatika to Class V.

Connected classrooms

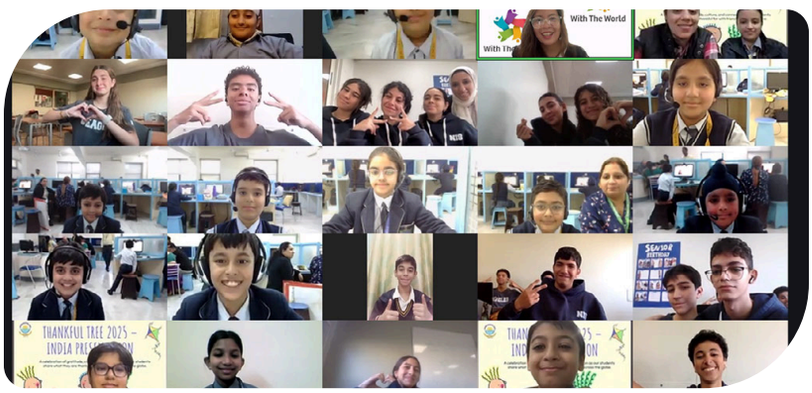
Microsoft Teams and Forms for assignments and quizzes; the Edunext ERP and Parent App for families.

Balance matters

We teach children to use screens wisely. Our Balvatika Annual Day theme, “Disconnect to Connect”, and our conversations with parents on digital balance remind families that real-life connection comes first.

Learning beyond four walls, *connected to the world*

Our children and teachers learn with, and from, a global community. Online collaborations, international platforms and worldwide educator networks open windows to new cultures, ideas and friendships.



Our students collaborate online with peers from schools in India and abroad



Our Head of School delivering a keynote at Bett Asia 2025, Kuala Lumpur

OUR SCHOOL ON THE GLOBAL STAGE

Bett Asia, 2025 and 2026

Invited twice to showcase our practice at Bett Asia, Kuala Lumpur: a keynote on generative AI in the early years, a seat on the Bett Asia Awards jury, and a leadership session on authentic assessment.

Featured internationally

Recognised in the Bett–HP Whitepaper 2025 for empowering teachers through meaningful use of technology.

NCERT SDG 16 forum

Invited to present our best practices at the NCERT SDG 16 Collaborative Project Forum.

Global educator communities

Part of the Microsoft global Showcase School community and the Adobe Lighthouse community, connecting our teachers with educators worldwide.

OUR CHILDREN ON THE GLOBAL STAGE

UBI Open Mic

Seven students performed at the 200th episode of UBI Open Mic, a 12-hour global expressive marathon, and Classes III to V hosted an online session at the UBI Fest 2026.

Classrooms without borders

Online exchanges such as World Storytelling Day with students in Japan and Thankful Tree 2025 connect our children with peers in India and abroad.

Friendly AI STEM Initiative

Our students shared their ideas at the WICCI Friendly AI STEM Initiative, alongside students from Delhi and Abu Dhabi.

A global audience

Our students' short film won Best Film, Jury's Choice at the Val-Ed Global Short Film Competition, among 80+ schools worldwide.

When children learn with the world, they grow up ready to care for it.

Nurturing *every talent*

Every child has something to offer. Specialised coaching in sports and the creative arts, and a wide choice of clubs, help each child discover what they love and the confidence to share it.



Anubhuti 2025, our Annual Day at the Air Force Auditorium

2 + 2 hrs **Every week, Classes I to V** spend two hours in a Co-curricular Club and two hours in a Sports Club of their choice.

CO-CURRICULAR CLUBS

Arts and Creative

- Art and Craft
- Classical Dance
- Western Dance
- Instrumental Music
- Vocal and Synthesizer
- Pottery
- Fireless Cooking
- Dramatics
- Paper Quilling

Academic and Intellectual

- IT and Robotics
- Coding
- Math Wizard
- GK
- Literary
- Book Reading
- Junior Chemist
- French

Personal Development

- Personality Development
- Public Speaking

SPORTS COACHING

- Table Tennis
- Badminton
- Chess
- Judo
- Taekwondo
- Martial Arts
- Gymnastics
- Skating
- Yoga
- Power Yoga
- Aerobics
- Zumba
- Rope Skipping

Pracheen Kala Kendra certification

Optional · Classes I to V

Children who choose to go further in **music, dance or art** can opt for the Pracheen Kala Kendra course at school. Founded in Chandigarh in 1956, the Kendra holds examinations twice a year in Indian classical music, classical dance and fine arts, and its graded certificates are recognised by several state governments and education boards.

- Since 1956
- 3,800+ centres in India and abroad
- Annual and Bi-Annual exams
- Music
- Dance
- Fine Arts

Strong bodies, *confident minds*

Physical activity builds friendships, teamwork and self-esteem. Our sports programme gives every child time to move, and every interested child a chance to excel.

3

fitness periods every week

Every class has general fitness, PT and athletics, building strength, coordination and a lifelong habit of movement.

2 + 2 hrs

of Sports Club and Co-curricular Club every week

From Class I to V, children train in a sport of their choice under specialised coaches, and spend another two hours in a co-curricular club. Young athletes represent the school at district, inter-school and zonal levels.



Gymnastics at the Sports Display



Yoga: calm minds, strong bodies



Table tennis coaching

SPORTS WE COACH

Table Tennis · Badminton · Chess · Judo · Taekwondo · Gymnastics · Skating · Yoga · Power Yoga · Aerobics · Zumba · Rope Skipping · Martial Arts

On the field

In 2025–26 our students competed in the MCD Annual Sports Event, and teams in badminton, table tennis and cricket reached the semi-finals of the MCD Inter-Zonal Tournament.

Every child *matters*

Children learn in different ways and at different speeds. We take time to understand how each child learns, what they need and what lights them up.



Children work hands-on while the teacher guides each one

Support when it is needed

A special educator, a school counsellor, trained mentors and assisting staff work alongside class teachers.

Teaching that adapts

Differentiated instruction, a Resource and Multiple Intelligence Room, and positive reinforcement.

Strong foundations

A focus on every child reading, writing and working with numbers confidently by Class II.

Assessment that encourages

From Balvatika 1 to Class II, progress is captured through observation, projects and portfolios, and holistic report cards describe strengths, milestones and next steps rather than grades. Classes III to V follow the Directorate of Education guidelines.

Inclusion, every day

Social-emotional learning, buddy systems and special assemblies, such as the International Day of Persons with Disabilities, where children learned basic sign language, nurture empathy and respect.

Safe and cared for

- CCTV security
- Smart attendance
- Controlled access and security staff
- Full-time nurse and infirmary
- Annual health check-up by specialists
- AC school buses with trained escorts

Learning *values for life*

Service Before Self is something our children practise every day: in how they treat one another, care for their school and serve their community.



Labour Day: thanking our support staff

Gratitude and respect

Children honour the people who care for them, from support staff to teachers and grandparents.



The Investiture Ceremony

Leadership

Student Council members from Classes IV and V take on real roles, and every child from Class I belongs to a house.



Earth Day: little voices for the planet

Caring citizens

Cleanliness drives, Say No to Plastic, tree plantation and relief collections with NGO Goonj.

OUR CORE VALUES

- Excellence Above All
- Own the Outcome
- Community Conscious
- Invent and Improve
- Learn Relentlessly
- Act with Integrity and Respect

TEN LIFE SKILLS (WHO FRAMEWORK)

Self-awareness · Empathy · Effective communication · Interpersonal relationships · Decision-making · Problem-solving · Critical thinking · Creative thinking · Coping with stress · Coping with emotions

Woven into everyday teaching through activities, stories, role-plays and discussion.

Celebrating learning *and achievement*

We celebrate effort as much as results, from a child's first answer in class to an international rank. Assemblies, Achievers' Day, Olympiads, quizzes, Spell-a-Bee and exhibitions give every child a stage.



Celebrating our certificate winners



Our young artists at the IGNCA exhibition



On stage at Anubhuti 2025

STUDENT HIGHLIGHTS, 2025–26

Best Film, Jury's Choice
Val-Ed Global Short Film Competition 2025, among 80+ schools worldwide

First Position
Inter-School GK Quiz 'Qriosity 2025'

International Rank 1
SOF International Mathematics Olympiad and International Hindi Olympiad (Class IV)

Exhibited at IGNCA
Student paintings at 'Rediscovering Forgotten Art Forms', New Delhi

Delhi Winners
Gitopadesh Global Sloka Competition 2025

Semi-Finalists
MCD Inter-Zonal Tournament: badminton, table tennis, cricket

Recognition for our school and teachers

- Microsoft Showcase School, second consecutive year
- Microsoft Innovative Educator Experts, third consecutive year
- Certificate of Recognition by ARISE for ICT in education
- Intel AI Shapers National Award 2025 (Educators) for a faculty member
- Head of School invited to deliver a keynote at Bett Asia, Kuala Lumpur
- Principal Par Excellence and Teacher Par Excellence Awards by IIHM

A strong partnership *with parents*

Parents are partners in their child's learning. We keep you informed, invite you in, and grow alongside you.



Parents at a special school assembly



Parents and children crafting side by side



Balvatika children perform for parents at a Demo Function

Stay informed

- **The Junior Journal**, our monthly e-newsletter
- **Monthly Planner** with each month's themes and activities
- **Edunext ERP and Parent App** for updates and online fee payment
- **Microsoft Teams** for digital learning and sharing work
- School website and social media

Be involved

- Orientation programmes at the start of each session
- Classroom Demo Functions for Balvatika classes
- Potluck breakfasts, Grandparents' Day and Annual Days
- Parents as "Teacher of the Day" on Teachers' Day
- Positive Parenting workshops and Sports Displays

> *"Every week there was some activity that motivated my daughter to attend school daily.*
>
> **A Salwan Junior School parent**

A journey from *Balvatika 1 to Class V*

Two stages, one connected journey. Each year builds on the last, so children move forward with confidence and leave ready for the next stage of school.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Balvatika 1 Nursery · 3+	**Balvatika 2** LKG · 4+	**Balvatika 3** UKG · 5+	**Class I** 6+	**Class II** 7+	**Class III** 8+	**Class IV** 9+	**Class V** 10+
First-day welcome and Montessori learning	Show and Tell, phonics and early numbers	Early reading, then Graduation Day	Joins a house and a Sports Club	Foundational literacy and numeracy secured	Core subjects, projects, Olympiads	Student Council and Investiture	Graduation, certificates and yearbook

FOUNDATIONAL STAGE · BALVATIKA 1 TO CLASS II

Joyful, activity-based learning through play, stories, music and movement, with progress recorded through observation and portfolios.

PREPARATORY STAGE · CLASSES III TO V

Core subjects and co-scholastic areas through experiential, project-based learning.



Balvatika 3 Graduation Day



Balvatika Annual Day, 'Disconnect to Connect'

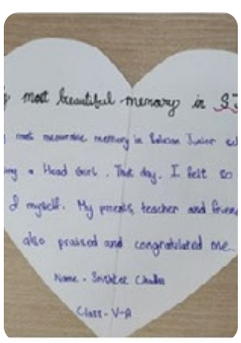


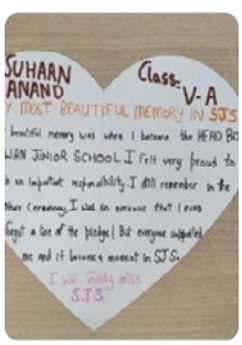
Class V Graduation Ceremony

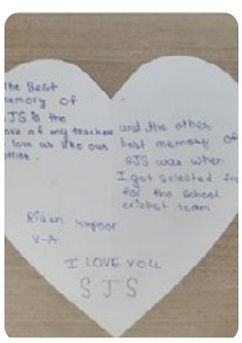
IN THEIR OWN WORDS

"I felt so proud of myself."

Before they graduate, our Class V students write about their most cherished memories of school.







Nurturing Creativity, Curiosity and Compassion

Why choose *Salwan Junior School?*

Eight reasons families choose us, each one drawn from everyday life at our school.



Fun, fresh air and adventure on a class picnic

1 Three decades of trust
Founded in 1993, part of the Salwan Education Trust established in 1941, guided by Service Before Self.

2 A Montessori start
A child-centred Balvatika stage led by early childhood experts.

3 Learning by doing
Projects, role play, field visits and real-world problem-solving, aligned with NEP 2020.

4 Technology used well
A Microsoft Showcase School with 20 Microsoft Innovative Educator Experts.

5 Talent, coached
Specialised coaching in sports, dance, music and art, across 30 clubs and activities.

6 Attention to every child
A special educator, a counsellor, a resource room and holistic assessment.

7 Safe, green and caring
CCTV, controlled access, a full-time nurse, and 100+ plant varieties on campus.

8 A real partnership
Monthly newsletters, planners, a parent app, and many reasons to visit school.

A place where children are encouraged to learn, explore, discover their potential and grow with confidence.

Admissions *and connect with us*

We would love to welcome your family. Visit us, meet our teachers and see our classrooms for yourself.

ADMISSIONS OPEN FOR 2027–28

Age 3+

Balvatika 1 (Nursery)

Admission follows the Directorate of Education schedule and points system. Register online in the notified window; points, lists and dates are published on our website.

Age 5+ NEW

Balvatika 3 (UKG)

As we move to the NEP 2020 structure, we are opening a new Balvatika 3 section for 2027–28.

Limited seats

Balvatika 2 and Classes I to V

A limited number of seats are available, subject to vacancies.

How to apply for Balvatika 2, Balvatika 3 and Classes I to V

- Register online with a fee of ₹25
- Submit the last report card, residence proof, MCD birth certificate and a medical fitness certificate
- Appear for a grade-appropriate written test

Apply online

School transport

Air-conditioned buses with trained escorts run on five routes:

Route 1	Inder Puri (A, B, C Blocks), Pandav Nagar, Loha Mandi, Naraina
Route 2	Hari Nagar, Maya Enclave, Lajwanti Garden, Janak Puri, Tilak Nagar, Subhash Nagar
Route 3	Rajouri Garden, Raja Garden, Bali Nagar, Ramesh Nagar Metro
Route 4	Moti Nagar Metro, Kirti Nagar, Mansarovar Garden, Rajouri
Route 5	Vishal Enclave, Tagore Garden, Subhash Nagar, Mayapuri

Routes and timings

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Our website

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