



DALHOUSIE

PUBLIC SCHOOL

Est. 1970

2025

PROSPECTUS

“An education for life.”



**“BY EDUCATION, I MEAN AN ALL-ROUND
DRAWING OUT OF THE BEST IN CHILD AND
MAN—BODY, MIND, AND SPIRIT.”**

- GANDHI

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DALHOUSIE CAMPUS



NEW CHANDIGARH CAMPUS

A Note from our Chairman

DR. (CAPT.) G. S. DHILLON



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Dear Parents and Guardians,

At Dalhousie Public School, we believe that knowledge thrives when rooted in experience. From our youngest learners molding clay to senior students presenting innovative projects, experiential learning forms the foundation of our educational approach, fostering creativity, critical thinking, and practical skills.

We are thrilled to share exciting news about our expansion. Building on Dalhousie's proud legacy, we are launching a new campus in New Chandigarh. Nestled on 50 pristine acres encircled by the Siswan Forest, this state-of-the-art campus maintains our core principle of connecting education with nature. Equipped with cutting-edge classrooms, comprehensive sports facilities, and a farm-to-table catering philosophy, the New Chandigarh campus offers an environment where students can excel academically and thrive holistically.

At both campuses, Dalhousie Public School remains committed to overall personality development. Our modern Maths, Science, Computer, and Social Science labs provide unmatched resources for exploration. Each session

begins with meticulously planned lessons enriched by hands-on activities to make learning engaging and impactful.

Holistic growth is further fostered through inter-house competitions in debates, quizzes, drama, music, and more. Special events like Founders Day and Sports Day, along with nature walks and international field trips, instill values of responsibility and teamwork.

Sports and physical activity are integral to life at Dalhousie, from early-morning PT and yoga to team games that promote health, discipline, and camaraderie.

As we open this new chapter with the New Chandigarh campus, we reaffirm our mission to inspire curiosity, nurture creativity, and build character. We look forward to welcoming new students to both campuses and continuing to shape leaders for the future.

Warm regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'G. S. Dhillon'. The signature is written in a cursive style and is positioned above a thin, light-colored horizontal line that spans across the width of the signature area.

Dr. (Capt.) G. S. Dhillon
Chairman



OUR METHOD

Dalhousie pupils are educated in the mountains and in modern smart classrooms; in academic fundamentals and artistic expression; in theatre and in athletics. Our excursions range across India, and around the world. Every part of our campus experience, from nutrition to coding classes, is tried, tested, and proven.

Dalhousie schools have a one hundred percent exam pass rate, and a phenomenal percentage of top scorers. Along the way, they learn so much more. A Dalhousie child becomes a complete adult, uniquely equipped for the challenges and opportunities of the future.



DALHOUSIE CAMPUS, 2100M ABOVE SEA LEVEL.



TWO CAMPUSES

This Dalhousie Method is spread across two campuses - the original Dalhousie, and our new facilities in New Chandigarh.

Both follow our core principle of holistic education: we believe in teaching children in nature, where clean air and scenery both calm and inspire. We support that with super-modern learning facilities – smart classrooms, coding courses, and renewable energy

LEFT: New Chandigarh Approach

OUR STUDENTS

Our students travel from 102 cities and ten countries.

We have students from Norway, the United States, Canada, Britain, the Netherlands, Belgium, Ireland, and Mauritius. They form lifelong connections on campus, opening them up to opportunities all over the world.

From Dalhousie to the world, our students go on to...

UNIVERSITIES:

IIT, ISB, AIIMS, NDA,
SYMBIOSIS UNIVERSITY,
LONDON SCHOOL OF
ECONOMICS,
MANCHESTER UNIVERSITY
& CAMBRIDGE UNIVERSITY.

COMPANIES:

JOHNSON & JOHNSON,
ACCENTURE, DELOITTE,
MCKINSEY & CO, GOOGLE,
ROYAL ENFIELD, NASA,
INFOSYS, HUAWAI, PWC,
JINDAL STEEL & NTPC.





“ I love waking up to clouds outside my window—it feels like I live in the sky ”

Shanaya Gupta,
6 yrs | 1st std

OUR EDUCATORS

Your children deserve to be ready to go anywhere – and here is the perfect start. Our teaching staff is diverse and multitalented: our campus educators speak thirteen languages and are drawn from all over India, and all over the world.

Our staff ratio is 1:4. With 85 teachers and 215 support staff, our 1,000 boarders never lack dedication attention and support.



TOP RIGHT: Ramni Sehgal, SST

BOTTOM RIGHT: Jassi Gupta, Science, Lavanya Gupta, 9yrs, 4th std



“Dalhousie is where I found my confidence. It’s a place where exceptional feels natural.”

– Sana, 13

LEFT: Polo Grounds New Chandigarh
RIGHT: Dalhousie Campus

NEW CHANDIGARH CAMPUS, SISWAN
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NEW CHANDIGARH





The Chandigarh Campus retains the core principle of the Dalhousie School: the importance of nature to our educational philosophy.

We have purpose-built a new campus on 50 pristine tropical acres, encircled by the protected Siswan Forest. Pupils benefit from super-modern classrooms, complete sporting facilities, and a new farm-to-table catering philosophy crafted by nutritional experts.

INSIDE THE CLASSROOM

CBSE | CAMBRIDGE | IB CURRICULUM.

The Chandigarh Campus offers a unique multi-track approach to education. Our students don't all share one destination – and so they don't all follow the same educational path. Regardless of which track best suits their needs, our programs are rigorous, robust, and well-proven: Dalhousie Schools has a one hundred percent pass rate, and phenomenal numbers of top exam scorers.

For those destined for higher education in India, our CBSE curriculum prepares them for traditional academic excellence to an extraordinarily high standard. Alternatively, students who are readying themselves to roam further afield, will be able to opt for either the Cambridge or IB curriculum; these emphasise global perspectives, critical thinking, and a well-rounded education, aligning with the entry requirements of leading international universities.





OUTSIDE THE CLASSROOM

FACILITIES SPREAD ACROSS 50 ACRES.

Polo Field, Golf Greens, Shooting Range, Fishing Lake, Yoga Studio & Gardens, Swimming Pool, Basketball Courts, Lawn Tennis, Badminton Courts, Cricket Nets & Lawn, Sporting fields, and facilities for Track & Field.



“Learning to horse ride at Dalhousie taught me more than just staying in the saddle—it showed me how to trust, how to be patient, and how to face challenges with courage. Every ride feels like freedom, and every lesson helps me grow stronger.”



DALHOUSIE CAMPUS, DALHOUSIE
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DALHOUSIE





Our original
Dalhousie
Campus soars
seven thousand
feet above sea
level, in the clean
air of the alpine.

Our pupils reap the full rewards of their inspiring setting. Dalhousie leads trekking and navigation programs through the mountains, encouraging both self-confidence and a deep understanding of the natural world. But even in the rustic, we look to the future: our facilities are exceptional, and our classroom technology is cutting-edge.



“ My foundations were here. And I still come to Dalhousie to learn. And if you think about it, I have always come here to learn. ”

– VARUN SHOOR,
Alumnus of Dalhousie

INSIDE THE CLASSROOM

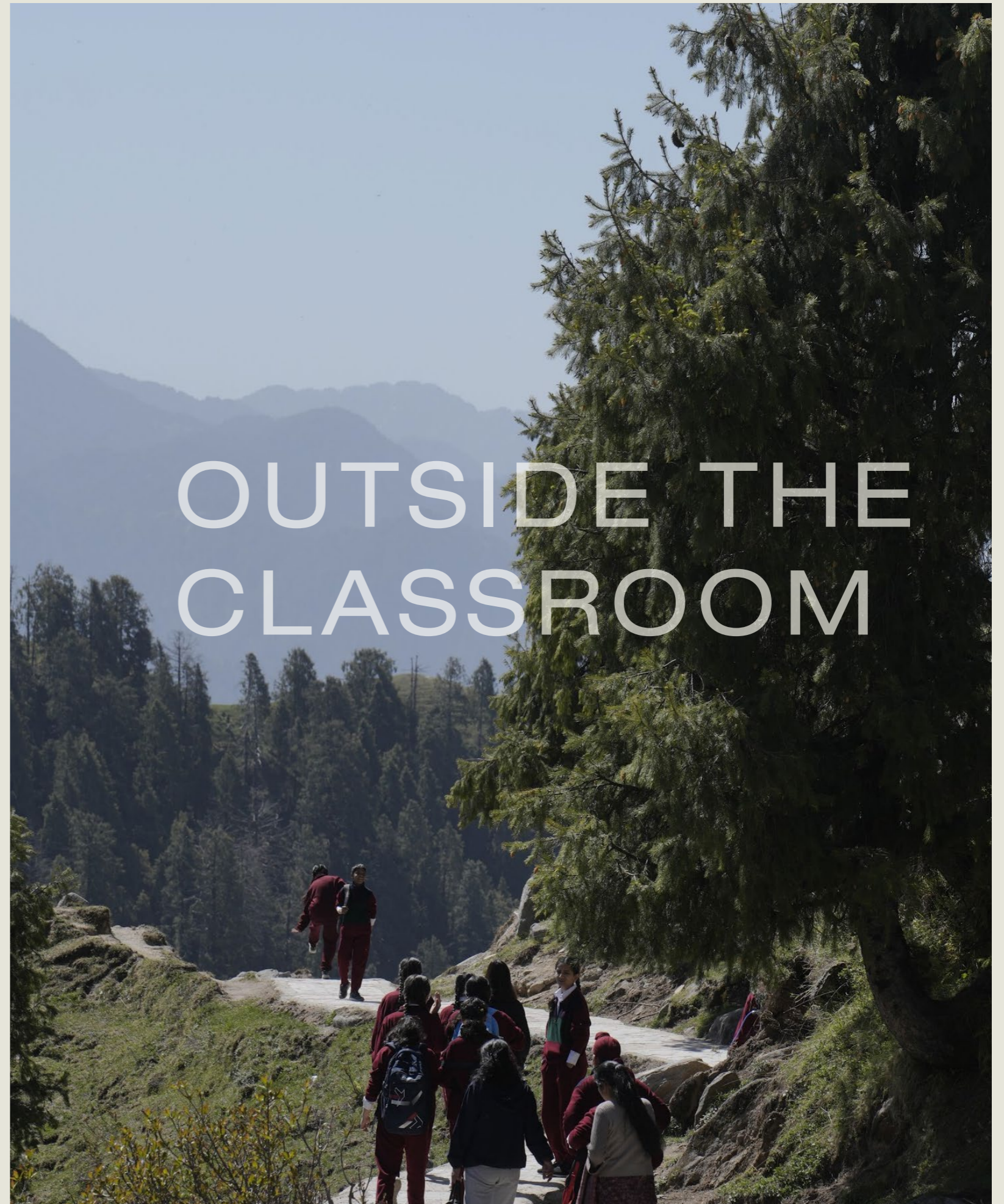
We believe that routine and discipline are fundamental in developing essential soft skills, fostering responsibility, time management, and critical thinking in students. The serene mountain environment enhances this approach, providing a focused and calm setting that encourages deep engagement with the curriculum.

Through a mix of traditional and contemporary teaching methods, we aim to equip students with not only academic knowledge but also the life skills needed to succeed in an ever-changing world. Our goal is to cultivate well-rounded individuals who are prepared to take on the challenges of the future with confidence and clarity.



At our Dalhousie campus, we place a strong emphasis on sports and extracurricular activities as essential components of a well-rounded education.

With the stunning natural surroundings of the mountains providing a perfect backdrop, students have ample opportunities to participate in a wide range of physical activities, from team sports to individual pursuits like trekking and outdoor adventure programs. These activities not only promote physical fitness but also teach teamwork, discipline, and leadership skills. The serene and distraction-free environment of the mountains allows students to focus on personal growth, self-discovery, and a healthy lifestyle, setting the stage for their success both inside and outside the classroom.





Every child at a Dalhousie school receives world-class, time-proven nurture against a backdrop of breathtaking nature. We know the value of tradition, and we have passed that lesson along to generations of students.

As we do so, we build upon our traditions. Our students learn in the great outdoors, and in state-of-the-art smart classrooms; our educators are drawn from all over India, and all over the world; and alongside academic fundamentals, our students develop their artistic and athletic abilities.

LEFT: Chief of Air Staff, Air Chief Marshal VR Chaudhari

Admissions

FINDING THE RIGHT FIT.

Since its founding in 1970, Dalhousie has proudly combined a tradition of academic excellence with a commitment to holistic, all-round education. Inspired by our proud military heritage, we instill values of discipline, resilience, and integrity in our students. Selection for entry at Dalhousie is not solely determined by academic performance; we also value character, interests, talents, and personality. Our aim is to ensure that Dalhousie is the right fit for your child and that they have the passion and determination to reach their fullest potential.

Admission Process for Pre-Nursery - Upper KG | Ages 2 - 5+

For pre-prep entrants, we look for qualities such as curiosity, engagement, and enthusiasm for learning. Our admissions process is in accordance with government guidelines. Due to a limited number of seats applicants may be included in a draw of lots process.

NEW CHANDIGARH ADMISSIONS.

Opening April 2025

Parents can apply for grades: Pre-Nursery
Nursery
Lower KG
Upper KG
Grade 1 - 7

Regardless of the campus or curriculum, we seek students who are ready to make the most of the opportunities provided during their time at Dalhousie. We are not merely looking for high achievers; we want students who will contribute to the vibrant, diverse community at Dalhousie and strive to become the very best versions of themselves.

Grade 6 (11+) Lower Secondary Grade 9 (14+) High School

For students applying to join at the Lower secondary and High School level, our selection process is intentionally designed to be both rigorous and supportive. Candidates first sit for an entrance, and based on their results and teacher recommendations, they are invited to spend a day at one of our campuses. During this day, instead of further tests, students participate in six diverse activities that are designed to be both enjoyable and insightful. These activities help us understand each child's character, drive, and ability to engage meaningfully with their peers and surroundings. We aren't searching for the loudest voices or the most outgoing personalities; we seek students who show genuine determination, curiosity, and joy in learning.

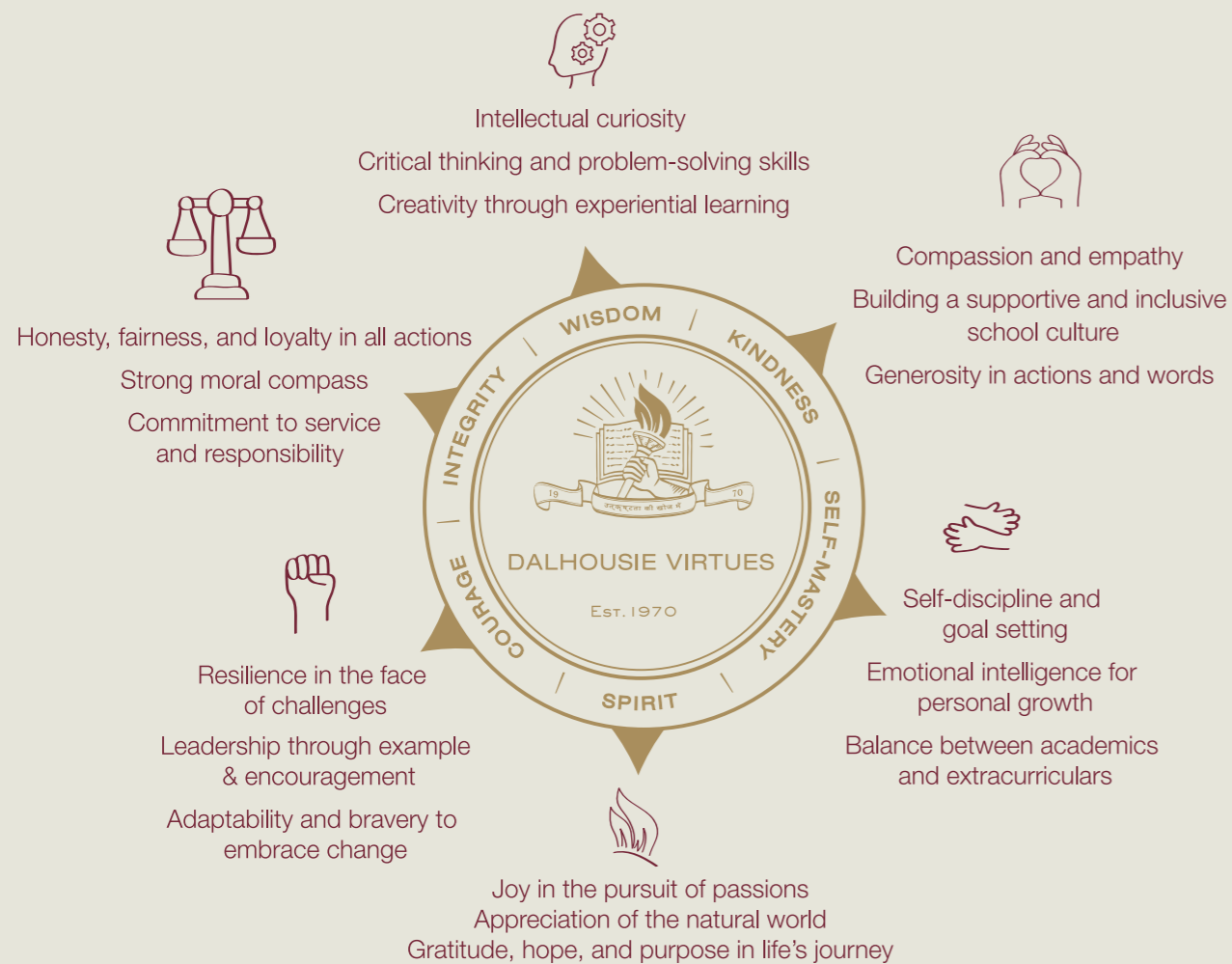
Opportunities for Grade 11 (16+)

For students joining in Grade 11, Dalhousie offers an exciting opportunity to become part of our brand-new New Chandigarh campus or our original Dalhousie campus.

At New Chandigarh, students can choose between the CBSE curriculum, which ensures academic rigour and prepares students for success in Indian universities, or the Cambridge and IB curriculums, which emphasize global perspectives, critical thinking, and holistic development. These international pathways are ideal for students aiming to study at top universities worldwide.

Dalhousie Virtues

EXCEPTIONAL BY NATURE.



How to Apply

STARTING YOUR DALHOUSIE JOURNEY.

Stage 1: Begin your application

Begin your journey by registering your interest via our website, email, or phone. Our admissions executive will schedule a virtual call, where you'll learn about the school's culture, ethos, and rich 54-year history. We'll also introduce you to our two campuses.

Stage 2: Choose Your Campus

- The Dalhousie campus nestled in the Himalayas with a full boarding facility offering the CBSE Curriculum
- The New Chandigarh campus set in serene forests, with full, weekly, and day boarding options offering the CBSE, IB & Cambridge Curriculum.

Stage 3: Visit us. Join us for an Open Day or guided tour of our campuses.

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