



THE EMERALD HEIGHTS SCHOLARS' PROGRAM

Dear Parents and Students,

We are delighted to announce the integration of a unique - The Emerald Heights Scholars' Program, for classes VIII to XII. The objective is to provide education through experiences, by simultaneously involving the students in activities to create responsible and skilled scholars for future readiness. Through this, we aim to provide students with quantum leaps that promote academic relevance, meaning and an understanding of real-world issues.

Why this initiative?

We can live our fullest potential if we are happy and happiness at workplace plays a significant part of our lives. Through this initiative, we equip students with skills, hands-on experiences and reflections such that they are able to connect theories and knowledge learned in classroom to the real-world situations and in future prepare them to handle multiple responsibilities effortlessly.

PLATINUM

Primary Requirements

- 92% and above in Annual Examination in Classes VIII, IX, X, XI and XII
- SAT: Minimum score - 1500 or ACT: Minimum score- 34
- AP Scholar or CEMC / AMC / upto 50 ranks
- Super Curricular: Minimum 2
- Leadership - Student Council / Clubs
- Unique personal profile
- Minimum 8 co-curricular activities

GOLD

Primary Requirements

- 85% and above in Annual Examination in Classes VIII, IX, X and XI
- SAT: Minimum score - 1450
- 1 to 3 AP with score 3-5 or CEMC / AMC / SOF ranks
- Super Curricular: 1 to 2
- Leadership - Student Council or equivalent
- Minimum 6 co-curricular activities



CO-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

- Active Participation in Clubs
- Research Programs
- Creative Writing Activities
- Community Services
- Model United Nations (MUN)
- Debates/Speeches
- Publishing Activities
- Exchange Programs
- Symposiums
- Round Square Conferences
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- Super Curricular - Atleast 2 courses related supers curricular with 2 to 3 months of engagement
- Any other, specific to student's talent and uniqueness
- Balvigyan Projects
- Edex, Coursera, Unacademy, Udemy online credit-based Courses
- Internship - Minimum 4 weeks

This program will furnish students with active engagements in community service, research, study abroad, exchange programs, internships, etc. developing their career portfolios and making them industry-ready.



How will school support students in this endeavour?

- Students will be counseled well before enrolling for any program/ activity/ exam, so as to ascertain its maximum outcome.
- The planning of these activities will be looked after keeping the exam schedule in mind.
- The clubs and the programs will run during the stay back time/ holiday/zoom so that the academics do not suffer.
- The school career department will ensure that the chosen activity meets the academic and non-academic interests of students.
- Invite experts from the industry or esteemed higher education institution as guest speakers in the clubs.
- Help students with useful resources and websites to ace and leverage the learning process.



Benefits and Outcomes for the students

- A better understanding of the course material
- A broader view of the world and an appreciation of community
- Insight into their own skills, interests, passion, and values
- Opportunities to collaborate with diverse organizations and people
- Positive professional practices and skillsets
- The gratification of assisting in meeting community needs
- Self-confidence, leadership skills and team work.
- Career portfolio building to be more future-ready



Expectations from Parents

- **Student Optimum Success**
Mission: The Scholars Program is a well thought program keeping the long-term success and real-life happiness of students.
- The program is **Not-for-Profit** and aims at delivering and manifesting the best. Yet, some programs might incur some costs, which shall be borne by the parents.
- In some rare cases, school might not be able to provide transportation facility, hence kindly cooperate by managing the same.
- **Networking & Providing Opportunities:** Being the affluent parent body of the Emerald Heights family, help us attain internships at your ventures for the Classes XI and XII.



MYTHS

Let's also discuss about some common myths

- The extra-curricular activities are meant only for the overseas aspirant.
- PSAT/SAT are only for the US institutions.
- Do you know that 40+ popular Indian Universities also consider SAT for admissions and scholarships???
- Getting great grades in Classes X and XII are enough for success in life.



On successful completion, as per the guidelines and timelines laid by the School, the successful students will earn the Certification of **"Emerald Heights Platinum Scholar"** or **"Emerald Heights Gold Scholar"**

Engage, Explore, and Experiment different platforms and to finally reach the acme.