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# SVIS TIMES



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## FOOTBALL

Real Madrid Foundation



Trained by the legacy of the world's greatest football club – Real Madrid!

## CRICKET

Dinesh Lad &amp; Rohit Sharma



Mentored by India's legendary coach behind Rohit Sharma's rise – Dinesh Lad Sir!

## SPEECH & DRAMA

Raell Padamsee's Academy



From the stage of legends – powered by Raell Padamsee's iconic drama academy!

## DANCE

Shiamak Davar's Institute



Learn from the world's most celebrated Bollywood choreographer – Shiamak Davar!

## AEROBAY SPACE LAB – SVIS

Western Mumbai's only school with a space lab inspired by future NASA minds!



## FURTADOS SCHOOL OF MUSIC!

Learn from India's most trusted name in music education.



## SVIS BUILDS A THRIVING ENVIRONMENT THROUGH THE 4 PS OF EDUCATION

At Swami Vivekanand International School (SVIS), education goes beyond classrooms and textbooks. With a vision to nurture compassionate global citizens and confident leaders, the school has identified four strong pillars that define its culture and success – the 4 Ps: Personality, Passion, Percentage, and Proficiency.

## SHAPING CHARACTER, ENRICHING SOULS

### 1. PERSONALITY – Shaping Confident Individuals

SVIS believes that true education lies in character-building. Through interactive teaching, co-curricular activities and leadership roles, and value-based activities, students are encouraged to build confidence, resilience, empathy, and teamwork. This focus on personality development ensures that learners are co-curricular activities and leadership academically sound, emotionally strong and socially responsible.

### 2. PASSION – The Fire behind every success story

Every child has a unique talent waiting to be discovered. At SVIS, passion is celebrated by providing a platform for students to explore their interests in arts, sports, technology, and innovation. From cultural events to scientific exhibitions, the school encourages learners to go beyond routine academics, nurturing

creativity, curiosity, and a lifelong love for learning new skills.

### 3. PERCENTAGE – Driving Academic Excellence

While holistic growth is essential, SVIS also recognizes the importance of academic achievements. Regular assessments, personalized mentoring, and innovative teaching strategies help students achieve excellent results. The focus on percentage is not about rat race competition but about helping each child perform to the best of ability, building discipline and dare to dream and achieve attitude.

### 4. PROFICIENCY – Where Mastery meets Motivation

knowledge – it demands skills. SVIS ensures its students are proficient in communication, problem-solving, critical thinking, and digital literacy. By integrating skill-based

learning with academics, the school prepares its learners to be future-ready, adaptable, and innovative leaders in whichever path they choose.

**Creating a Nurturing Environment at SVIS** The 4 Ps work hand-in-hand to create a balanced ecosystem where students feel supported, motivated, and inspired. By focusing equally on personal growth, passion-driven learning, academic excellence, and skill development, SVIS builds an environment that values every learner's individuality and potential.

This holistic approach ensures that students step out not only with impressive report cards but also with a zest and zeal to excel strong values, confidence, and the skills to excel in the real world.

## TOP 20 CO-ED DAY SCHOOL IN MUMBAI BY, EDUCATION WORLD



Swami Vivekanand International School (SVIS) has once again brought pride to the community by securing a coveted position in the Top 20 Co-Educational Day Schools in Mumbai, as per the latest rankings released by EducationWorld (EW).

This prestigious recognition highlights SVIS's consistent efforts at providing an education that goes beyond academics. With a strong focus on activity-based learning, innovation, non-scholastic enrichment, and values-driven education, the school has earned its place among the city's leading institutions.

The achievement reflects the dedication of our teachers, students, and parents, whose collective contribution continues to strengthen the SVIS legacy of excellence.

## ABOUT THE THE MANAGEMENT



**Shri Sandeep Goenka**, Managing Trustee, is a graduate of Sydenham College, Mumbai. His passion for learning and his vision for an educated India inspired him to venture into the field of education.



**Shri Ambuj Jhunjunwala**, Trustee, is an MBA degree holder from the Sloan School of Management, Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT), USA. He brings with him extensive knowledge of best practices in management, organizational transformation, and education development.

## Empowering Every Child

TO DISCOVER THEIR PATH, THEIR PURPOSE, THEIR FUTURE — AND THEMSELVES.

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## Parenting Tips for School Children That Actually Work



Parenting in today's world is overwhelming. One minute you're teaching your preschooler how to hold a pencil, the next you're calming your 7-year-old through yet another emotional meltdown over math homework. Also, let's not even get started on screen time guilt. The truth is, every age and developmental milestone cherish. But here's the good news: you're not alone. This guide isn't about being perfect. It's about practical, honest parenting tips for school children that can help you raise happy and confident kids. Read on to incorporate these tiny shifts that bring more peace,

Every child is different. What works for one may not support diversity or suit another, particularly in a vibrant, curious environment like in the best ICSE school in Mumbai, where kids are exposed to so many ideas, challenges, and opportunities. Your child is growing in ways you may not always see right away.

In this guide, we have shared some valuable parenting tips for school children. So don't stress about getting it all right. Try the small things – a little more listening, a little more presence, and a little more faith in yourself. Those tiny choices each day build the connection your child will carry for life.



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## SCREEN TIME: THE QUIET DISRUPTOR IN STUDENT LIFE

Screens have become the new classroom, playground, and hang-out zone. From online classes to endless scrolling, students today are spending more time on devices than ever before. But behind the glow of tablets and phones lies a growing concern: screen time is silently affecting how students think, feel, and learn.

### What's Changing?

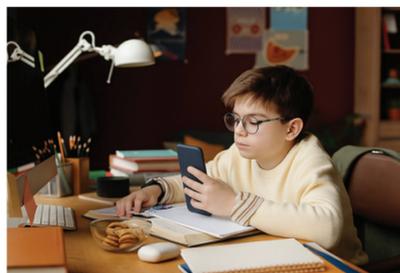
- Focus and memory: Constant digital stimulation shortens attention spans and weakens memory retention. Students often struggle to stay engaged in offline tasks.
- Sleep and mood: Blue light exposure and late-night screen use disrupt

sleep cycles, leading to fatigue, irritability, and anxiety.

- Academic impact: Distractions from social media and gaming interfere with study routines, reducing academic performance.
- Physical health: Eye strain, poor posture, and reduced physical activity are becoming common among screen-heavy routines.

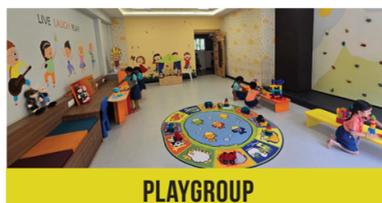
### What Parents and Schools Can Do

- Set clear screen boundaries—especially before bedtime and during meals.



- Encourage offline hobbies like reading, sports, and art.
- Use screen time trackers to monitor and adjust habits.
- Promote digital mindfulness: not all screen time is bad, but balance is key.

## WORLD CLASS INFRASTRUCTURE



## Turn Vacations into Opportunities for Learning and Growth



Vacations are not just a time for rest and play; they are also a golden opportunity for opportunity for self-paced learning. In today's unpredictable world driven by technology and innovation, children can use their holidays to explore new skills beyond textbooks.

From learning Artificial Intelligence (AI) tools, coding, robotics, creative writing, and public speaking to engaging in sports, music, yoga, and art, holidays can nurture both creativity and confidence. Paving the way to instill passion that fosters productive and meaningful engagement, unlocking each child's unique talents and challenges. sharpen their talents but also prepare them to face future challenges.

Spending quality time with family and taking part in community activities further add meaning to the break.

Ultimately, vacations should not be seen only as leisure time but as a chance to learn, discover, and grow. With the right guidance, holidays can become one of the most valuable and memorable learning experiences of a child's life.

**01 The Dog and His Reflection**

A dog found a bone and was crossing a river. He saw his reflection in the water and thought it was another dog with a

bigger bone. Greedy, he barked to snatch it—his own bone fell into the river and was lost.

**Moral: Greed can lead to loss.**



**02**



**The Student and the Exam**

Teacher: Why are you late to the exam?  
 Student: Sorry ma'am, I was dreaming I was taking the exam!  
 Teacher: And that made you late?  
 Student: Yes! I was waiting to finish the dream first to see the answers.  
 Teacher: That's the most creative excuse I've heard.  
 Student: Wait till you see my answers—they're all from the dream too!  
 Teacher: Well then, let's hope your dream was smarter than you!

**03 The Monkey and the Glasses**

A monkey found a pair of glasses in the forest. He wore them upside down, then sideways, then on his tail! Other animals laughed and asked, "Do you even know how to use

them?"  
 The monkey replied, "No, but look smarter already!"  
 Sometimes style wins over sense!



**04 Fun Cartoons for All Ages**



Shardul Thakur's cricket dream began at Swami Vivekanand International School (SVIS) in Mumbai. Coaches spotted his fire early—he once hit six sixes in an over during a school match!

Despite doubts about his height, Shardul trained relentlessly, commuting from Palghar to SVIS daily. The school nurtured his talent with discipline, values, and match exposure.

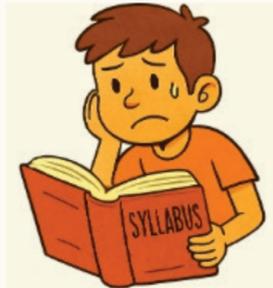
He rose through Mumbai's Ranji team, debuted for India in 2017, and earned the nickname "Lord Shardul" for rescuing matches with clutch performances.

From SVIS grounds to global stadiums, Shardul's journey proves: big dreams need bold starts—and SVIS gave him his first pitch.

**05 Student Memes = Instant Relief**

In the digital age, memes are every student's comic relief. From exam panic to syllabus overload, they capture the chaos perfectly. Like the classic one:

"Me trying to study the whole syllabus one night before the exam."  
 Funny, relatable, and a reminder—we're all in this together!



**06 K-pop Power**



K-pop is more than music—it's a global movement of passion and creativity.

BTS inspires with songs like Dynamite and Butter, spreading self-love and hope.

Groups like BLACKPINK and EXO shine with talent and bold performances.

From catchy beats to deep messages, K-pop connects hearts worldwide!



**Where Little Steps Begin Big Journeys!**

A caring space where curiosity blooms and confidence grows

SVIS is happy to launch a separate

**PLAYGROUP**

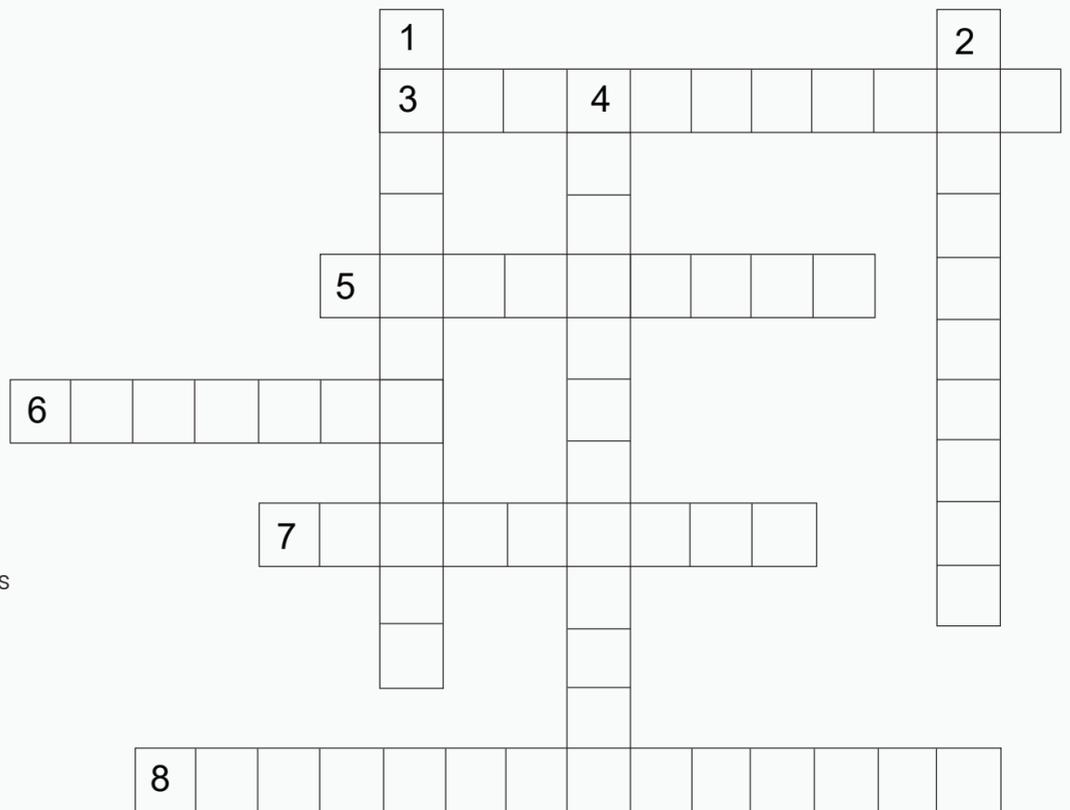
For age group 2+ years onwards ...

- 01** HAPPY LEARNING SPACE FOR YOUR LEARNERS  
Safe, Caring & Experienced Facilitators
- 02** LIMITED BATCH SIZE  
Individual attention to every child
- 03** ADVENTURE IN EVERY LESSON  
Sensory play, music, art and more

- 04** SAFETY & SECURITY  
200+ CCTV Cameras & 60+ GPS Enabled Buses
- 05** ZERO ADMISSION CHARGES  
Early Bird Discount for Limited Time
- 06** WORLD-CLASS INFRASTRUCTURE  
Smart Classrooms, modern labs and everything your child needs to thrive.



 Crossword Lab



 Tricky clues

**ACROSS**

- 03. Energy that powers homes and devices
- 05. Large, continuous landmass
- 06. Molten rock erupting from Earth's surface
- 07. The study of the Earth's lands, features, and inhabitants
- 08. Process by which plants make food using sunlight

**DOWN**

- 01. Study of weather and climate
- 02. The mixture of gases surrounding the Earth
- 04. Advanced stage of human social development

**SHOW YOUR TALENT, GRAB A PRIZE!**

*Dress up, paint, pose - and shine*



**Dress-Up Drama:**  
Dress up as a character from a story or cartoon and act out a short scene. Parents can record a 10-second video or snap a photo.

Share your favourite  
*move or pose*



*of your favourite sports*



**Paint**  
Cartoon Mashup: combine two cartoon characters into one new creation—imagine Doraemon + Chhota Bheem!

*We hope your child enjoyed completing the fun challenges!*

Once your child finishes all the activities, please follow these simple steps:

-  Scan the Google Form QR code
-  Upload clear photos of your child's completed work in the form
-  Submit the form

That's it! We'll review all entries and announce the winners soon!



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