ST. PETER'S KINDERGARTEN, PATIALA 147 001

(A Private unaided Christian Minority Institution)

Notice for Admission to Nursery (Session 2027-2028)

St. Peter's Academy, Ajit Nagar, Patiala, Punjab is an English Medium private unaided Christian Minority Institution. As such the norms of the minority institution are applicable in the admission process. The school imparts education to the Christian community around and also extends its services to the members of other communities to the extent possible.

Supreme Court Judgement: The Hon'ble Supreme Court of India has held in the case of Society for Unaided Private Schools of Rajasthan v/s U.O.I. & others Writ Petition © No.95 of 2010, that the provisions of the Right of Children to Free and Compulsory Education, Act 2009 (RTE) shall not apply to Unaided Minority Educational Institutions. The National Commission for Minority Educational Institutions, Government of India, New Delhi has declared St. Peter's Academy, managed by the Simla Chandigarh Educational Society to be a Minority Educational Institution within the meaning of Section 2 (g) of the National Commission for Minority Educational Institutions Act, 2004 ('NCMEI Act'). St. Peter's Academy, Patiala, therefore being a certified Christian Minority, Unaided Educational Institution does not Reserve 25% seats for the E.W.S (Economically Weaker Sections) as mandated in the Right of Children to Free and Compulsory Education, Act 2009.

Being a Christian Minority Educational Institution and in imitation of Jesus Christ, who made a preferential option for the poorest of the poor of society, the school has been independently educating children from the E.W.S. since 1971. This is an entirely voluntary exercise and the school being a Christian Minority, Private, Unaided institution does not come under the purview of the RTE.

Eligibility: Children born between **April 01, 2023 and March 31, 2024** are eligible to apply for the **Session 2027-2028** for the Admission to Nursery. Others need not apply. There will be no screening and no interviewing of the children or their parents.

Interested Parents can fill the forms online by logging into our school's website – www.saintpeterspatiala.com, on **December 08 and 09, 2026 between 10.00 a.m. and 5.00 p.m.** and can take the print out and submit it along with complete attested copies of the attachments at the School Office on **January 04 and 05, 2027 between 10.00 a.m. and 12.30 p.m.** along with a payment of **Rs.1500/-** towards registration fee which is non-refundable. No registration forms will be accepted after **12.30 p.m.** on **January 05, 2027.** Only one registration form per child is to be submitted. In the event, if it is found that more than one registration form has been submitted for the same child, all such registration forms shall stand rejected and the candidate will be disqualified automatically and will not be considered for the draw of lots.

Seats will be reserved for the Catholic/Christian Children and the Wards of Staff provided they fulfil the requirements. After accommodating the said reserved seats, draw of lots for open seats will be held on **January 23, 2027 (Saturday) at 2.30 p.m. No donation or recommendation is accepted for admission.**

There will be no second draw under any circumstances. If there will be any vacant seat(s), the Principal shall use her own discretion to fill such vacant seat(s). Her decision shall be final.

Requirements:

1. Please ensure that all documents (where applicable) are genuine legible and duly attested by a gazetted officer or a Class I Magistrate.
2. Birth Certificate of the Child issued in accordance with the provisions of the Registration of Births and Deaths Act, 1969 bearing the names of the child and parents have been mentioned, shall be accepted.
3. A copy of the Aadhar Cards of Both Parents as well as the child.
4. Certificate of Parents & the Child **SC/ST/BC/OBC** etc. (other than General)
5. **Proof of Present Residence**: Any one of the following with present residential address.
   (a) Photocopy of Voter ID Card of Parents.
   (b) Photocopy of Ration Card of the family.
   (c) Photocopy of Valid Passport.
   (d) Photocopy of Aadhar Card with correct Address.
6. **Catholics/Christians** must attach:
   - A photo copy of the Baptism Certificate/dedication certificate of the child
   - A letter from their Parish Priest/Pastor testifying the membership of their Parish and their active involvement in their Church.
7. **Single Parent:** Suitable supporting documents indicating custody of the child by the applicant. e.g., Divorce papers/court order/death certificate, etc. **Kindly note: This is for our information only and has no relevance to grant admission which is solely by draw of lots.**
8. Attach two latest passport size photographs of the child (not more than one month old) with the child's name and date of the taking of the photograph printed below. Attach a Post Card size latest photograph of the parents and the child seeking admission (not more than one month old).
9. Income Statement Certificate of the Family.
10. Foreign Nationals, please attach the following documents:
    - Valid Visa
    - Residential Permit or PIO/OCI Card

Please treat this as IMPORTANT:

- ❖ **SPELLING OF CHILD'S NAME AND PARENTS' NAME MUST BE SAME IN ALL THE DOCUMENTS.**
- ❖ **INCOMPLETE FORM & DOCUMENTS WILL NOT BE ENTERTAINED.**

Please Note:

1. All documents submitted along with the registration form and photographs shall become the property of the school and will not be returned. **There will be no refund of registration fee.**
2. That the School on accepting the Registration Fee and on Registering the name is not in any way bound to provide admission to your ward.
3. Incomplete registration forms/those filled with incorrect information, unattested/not accompanied by the required documents, will not be considered for draw.
4. In case it comes to the knowledge of the Management, at any point of time that the information furnished is incorrect, the admission will stand cancelled without **having any right to claim the refund of the fee paid.**
5. If your child is selected for admission, all documents in original must be produced, for verification. In case, on verification, if any document is found to be fabricated, forged or tampered with, the Management reserves the right to cancel the admission. **Fees once paid at the time of admission will not be refunded at any cost. There is no provision to surrender the seat once the admission process is complete.**
6. Both of the Parents must be present at the time of admission.

Principal
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St. Peter's Kindergarten,
Patiala - 147001 (Pb.)

Manager
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St. Peter's Kindergarten,
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November 25, 2026