

Mind Tree School, Kharar, Greater Mohali, was founded in the year 2013 with the mission to nurture the innate potential of students so that they may evolve into ethical, open-minded and competent individuals who are able to excel in whatever they choose. The school has managed to carve a niche for itself as an institution of repute and has made its mark in the academia.

The hallmark of Mind Tree School is its rigorous commitment to academic excellence. We believe in learning that goes beyond the boundaries of a set curriculum. The school has a well-crafted curriculum designed on scientific principles so as to make the most of the formative years of children.

In a span of eight years Mind Tree School has been able to achieve the much-aspired academic rigour in the students. The first batch of Grade X is on the way to pass out in the session 2020-21. The students have been able to imbibe the 21<sup>st</sup> century skills like creativity, communication skills, critical thinking skills and collaborative skills. They yearn to think, question, analyse and interpret and this has set the stage for greater achievement levels in higher education. The kindergarteners are doing well and attaining the foundational skills of literacy and numeracy along with imbibing values, social skills and etiquettes.

With respect to environmental education, initiatives such as rainwater harvesting, cleanliness drives, plantation drives have gone a long way to make the children sensitive towards the environment. Students have exhibited their sporting talents by participating in various sports such as badminton, skating, cricket at the inter house, zonal and district levels and brought laurels to the school.

The school lays a strong focus on fostering the reading habit in students. One initiative in this direction is the Reading Rockets Programme wherein students get to read books as a group activity, post which they give presentations on the same and talk about the book read as per given parameters. The school runs the Language Quest programme to hone the listening, speaking, reading and writing skills of students. We have constituted various clubs such as Speakers' Forum, Community Outreach Club, Science Club, Performing Arts Club, Sports Clubs to ensure cognitive, social, emotional and physical development of students.