

Student's Life (Boarding)

VSS offers a holistic environment where students are encouraged to focus on academic, co-curricular activities as well as practical life skills to ensure complete physical, emotional, and social growth and development. It is said that learning begins at home when the child is introduced to the basic fundamentals of life and values. The school takes this learning a notch higher and expands the child's horizon with respect to knowledge. However, a boarding school offers a unique environment that seamlessly blends both home and school to accelerate learning and raise self-assured, confident, resilient, and yet compassionate young adults.

VSS offers an untamed exposure to independence and a brush with reality and practicality, as well as

friendships and bonds that continue well beyond the school years.

We have a mentorship programme in place that allows the mentor to interact with their mentees assisting in mental, physical and emotional development including keeping an eye on their academics. After classes, boarder students are exposed to a multitude of activities that ensures a rounded education be it in academic or sports, arts, music etc. Children can pursue their passion without hindering their academics as it is school-mandated. These students make friends for life. They look back at their years in school as a time when lasting friendships were established. Along with this is the network of friends and acquaintances they build who know and care for them. Being surrounded by people who encourage and support them is something that only a boarding environment facilitates. The bond established during this period transcends all other relationships.



Boarding Life: Statement of Boarding Principles & Practice Boarding

- The goal of Boarding life at Venkateshwar Signature School is to provide an atmosphere and ethos in which "*understanding, peace, tolerance, equality of sexes, and friendship among all people, ethnic, national, and religious groups, and persons of indigenous origin*" prevail at all times and in all contexts.
- All boarding students live in one of two Houses that are close to one another and can be reached on foot.
- Based on the developmental stage of the students dwelling at each site, all boarding rules and regulations are established.
- The school releases comprehensive rules for behavior management. However, a restorative justice system is used for minor transgressions and conflicts.
- Whole Campus has wireless Internet access, with time restrictions based on school level and age.
- All working days, there are daily 1 ½ (one-and-a-half) hour evening Compulsory Study Time.
- Each house has a system in place for daily room cleanliness, and hygiene inspections.



Shaurya Sadan : Boys in Grades IV - XII

Kirti Sadan : Girls in Grades IV – XII

• **Meals / Food Service**

The school has two dining hall facilities, one at the school building and one at the boarding (Main Dining Hall). Meals are provided in both are according to student's needs and activities. There is a separate kitchen for the Vegetarian and Non-Vegetarian preparations.