

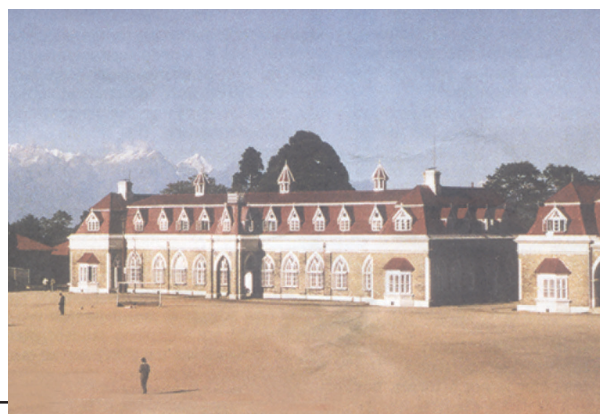
Parameters of Excellence: India's Top 10 Boarding Schools

Rank		Academic reputation	Rating (100)
2008	2009		
2	1	St. Paul's School, Darjeeling	86
3	2	Mayo College, Ajmer	85
4	3	The Doon School, Dehradun	84
6	3	Lawrence School Lovedale, Nilgiris	84
8	4	Lawrence School, Sanawar	83
NR	5	Sarala Birla Academy, Bangalore	82
6	5	Welham Boys School, Dehradun	82
6	5	Sherwood College, Nainital	82
7	5	St. George's College, Mussoorie	82
9	5	St. John's International Residential School, Chennai	82
7	6	Welham Girls School, Dehradun	81
7	6	RiverDale International Residential School, Pune	81
8	7	Rishi Valley School, Chittoor	80
5	7	The Scindia School, Gwalior	80
9	7	Mayo College Girls School, Ajmer	80
NR	7	New Era High School, Panchgani	80
9	7	Daly College, Indore	80
5	8	Rashtriya Indian Military College, Dehradun	79
4	8	St. Joseph's School, North Point, Darjeeling	79
NR	8	Bangalore Military School, Bangalore	79
NR	8	Sela Qui World School, Dehradun	79
NR	9	Chinmaya International Residential School, Coimbatore	78
NR	10	Bishop Cotton School, Shimla	77
NR	10	B.G.S. International Residential School, Bangalore	77
1	10	Maharani Gayatri Devi Public School, Jaipur	77
6	10	Birla Vidya Mandir, Nainital	77

Rank		Co-curricular education	Rating (100)
2008	2009		
1	1	Sarala Birla Academy, Bangalore	89
1	2	Mayo College, Ajmer	88
1	2	St. Paul's School, Darjeeling	88
4	2	Orchid International School, Nasik	88
2	3	The Doon School, Dehradun	87
5	3	The Scindia School, Gwalior	87
6	4	Sherwood College, Nainital	86
NR	5	Mayo College Girls School, Ajmer	85
2	6	Lawrence School, Sanawar	84
5	6	Rashtriya Indian Military College, Dehradun	84
NR	6	Maharani Gayatri Devi Public School, Jaipur	84
6	7	Rishi Valley School, Chittoor	83
8	7	Welham Boys School, Dehradun	83
NR	7	Sainik School, Satara	83
7	8	Welham Girls School, Dehradun	82
1	8	Lawrence School Lovedale, Nilgiris	82
7	8	Bishop Cotton School, Shimla	82
9	8	Daly College, Indore	82
3	8	Jain International Residential School, Bangalore	82
7	9	St. George's College, Mussoorie	81
NR	9	Sela Qui World School, Dehradun	81
NR	9	Shigally Hill International Academy, Uttarakhand	81
7	10	St. Joseph's School, North Point, Darjeeling	80
NR	10	RiverDale International Residential School, Pune	80
8	10	Wynberg Allen School, Mussoorie	80
6	10	Sainik School, Jamnagar	80

Yet the school which has risen high in the public esteem in peninsular India is the Sarala Birla Academy, Bangalore which has vaulted into the Top 10 nationally and second position regionally

St. Paul's School, Darjeeling



Rank		Competence of faculty	Rating (200)
2008	2009		
1	1	The Doon School, Dehradun	181
2	2	Mayo College, Ajmer	180
5	2	Orchid International School, Nasik	180
2	3	Rishi Valley School, Chittoor	179
NR	3	Sherwood College, Nainital	179
6	4	Lawrence School, Sanawar	178
5	4	Lawrence School Lovedale, Nilgiris	178
7	4	Army Public School, Dagshai	178
2	5	Sarala Birla Academy, Bangalore	177
4	6	The Scindia School, Gwalior	176
6	7	St. Paul's School, Darjeeling	175
NR	7	Mayo College Girls School, Ajmer	175
7	7	Daly College, Indore	175
4	7	St. Joseph's School, North Point, Darjeeling	175
8	8	Welham Girls School, Dehradun	174
4	8	St. George's College, Mussoorie	174
NR	8	B.G.S. International Residential School, Bangalore	174
9	9	Rashtriya Indian Military College, Dehradun	172
3	9	Maharani Gayatri Devi Public School, Jaipur	172
NR	9	G.D. Birla Public School, Ranikhet	172
10	10	Bishop Cotton School, Shimla	171
NR	10	St. John's International Residential School, Chennai	171
NR	10	Mussoorie International School, Mussoorie	171

Rishi Valley School classroom



Rank		Individual attention to students	Rating (100)
2008	2009		
2	1	Rishi Valley School, Chittoor	91
1	2	The Doon School, Dehradun	89
NR	3	New Era High School, Panchgani	88
6	4	Lawrence School, Sanawar	87
2	4	Mayo College Girls School, Ajmer	87
3	5	Mayo College, Ajmer	86
4	5	Welham Girls School, Dehradun	86
6	5	Sarala Birla Academy, Bangalore	86
10	6	Welham Boys School, Dehradun	85
3	7	The Scindia School, Gwalior	84
9	7	Daly College, Indore	84
7	7	Orchid International School, Nasik	84
NR	7	Himali Boarding School, Kurseong	84
6	8	St. Paul's School, Darjeeling	83
4	8	Lawrence School Lovedale, Nilgiris	83
7	8	Bishop Cotton School, Shimla	83
5	8	Sherwood College, Nainital	83
8	9	Rashtriya Indian Military College, Dehradun	82
NR	9	Wynberg Allen School, Mussoorie	82
NR	10	The Assam Valley School, Balipara	81
7	10	St. Joseph's School, North Point, Darjeeling	81

Rank		Value for money	Rating (100)
2008	2009		
2	1	Rishi Valley School, Chittoor	85
5	2	Lawrence School Lovedale, Nilgiris	82
NR	3	Himali Boarding School, Kurseong	79
3	4	The Doon School, Dehradun	75
NR	4	Daly College, Indore	75
6	5	Lawrence School, Sanawar	74
4	5	Rashtriya Indian Military College, Dehradun	74
NR	5	Scindia Kanya Vidyalaya, Gwalior	74
5	6	Welham Girls School, Dehradun	73
NR	6	Sarala Birla Academy, Bangalore	73
6	7	Mayo College, Ajmer	72
4	7	The Scindia School, Gwalior	72
NR	7	The Assam Valley School, Balipara	72
NR	8	New Era High School, Panchgani	71
NR	8	B.G.S. Intl. Residential, Bangalore	71
NR	9	St. Paul's School, Darjeeling	70
9	9	Mayo College Girls School, Ajmer	70
NR	10	St. George's College, Mussoorie	69

Rank		Honesty/integrity	Rating (100)
2008	2009		
1	1	Rishi Valley School, Chitoor	88
3	2	The Doon School, Dehradun	84
5	3	Lawrence School, Sanawar	82
2	3	St. Paul's School, Darjeeling	82
2	3	Welham Boys School, Dehradun	82
4	3	St. George's College, Mussoorie	82
NR	3	Himali Boarding School, Kurseong	82
NR	3	RiverDale International Residential School, Pune	82
3	4	Welham Girls School, Dehradun	81
NR	4	Sarala Birla Academy, Bangalore	81
4	4	Daly College, Indore	81
NR	4	The Assam Valley School, Balipara	81
8	4	St. John's International Residential School, Chennai	81
3	4	Birla Vidya Mandir, Nainital	81
3	5	Army Public School, Dagshai	80
6	5	St. Joseph's School, North Point, Darjeeling	80
7	5	Chinmaya International Residential School, Coimbatore	80
NR	5	Scindia Kanya Vidyalaya, Gwalior	80
2	6	The Scindia School, Gwalior	79
5	6	Bishop Cotton School, Shimla	79
5	6	Rashtriya Indian Military College, Dehradun	79
NR	6	Bangalore Military School, Bangalore	79
3	7	Lawrence School Lovedale, Nilgiris	78
NR	7	B.G.S. International Residential School, Bangalore	78
8	7	Shigally Hill International Academy, Dehradun	78
6	8	Mayo College, Ajmer	77
5	8	Maharani Gayatri Devi Public School, Jaipur	77
5	8	Mussoorie International School, Mussoorie	77
8	9	Mayo College Girls School, Ajmer	76
NR	9	New Era High School, Panchgani	76
10	9	The Blue Mountain School, Ooty	76
2	9	G.D. Birla Public School, Ranikhet	76
NR	10	Kasiga School, Dehradun	74
10	10	Sainik School, Jamnagar	74

Welham Girls principal Jyotsna Brar

Rank		Leadership/management quality	Rating (100)
2008	2009		
1	1	The Doon School, Dehradun	89
2	2	Rishi Valley School, Chitoor	87
6	2	The Scindia School, Gwalior	87
5	2	Sherwood College, Nainital	87
3	3	Welham Girls School, Dehradun	86
5	3	Mayo College Girls School, Ajmer	86
NR	3	Army Public School, Dagshai	86
7	4	Mayo College, Ajmer	85
4	4	St. Paul's School, Darjeeling	85
NR	4	New Era High School, Panchgani	85
5	4	Orchid International School, Nasik	85
10	5	Welham Boys School, Dehradun	84
3	6	Lawrence School, Sanawar	83
NR	6	B.G.S. International Residential School, Bangalore	83
4	7	Sarala Birla Academy, Bangalore	82
NR	7	Himali Boarding School, Kurseong	82
8	8	Rashtriya Indian Military College, Dehradun	81
9	9	Bishop Cotton School, Shimla	80
NR	9	The Assam Valley School, Balipara	80
3	10	St. George's College, Mussoorie	79
3	10	St. John's International Residential School, Chennai	79

With an inherited tradition of according sports and co-curricular education as much importance as academics, boarding schools need to be assessed and evaluated with altogether different yardsticks



Rank		Admissions transparency	Rating (100)
2008	2009		
NR	1	Himali Boarding School, Kurseong	86
7	2	The Scindia School, Gwalior	84
10	2	B.G.S. International Residential School, Bangalore	84
3	3	Welham Girls School, Dehradun	83
NR	3	New Era High School, Panchgani	83
NR	3	The Assam Valley School, Balipara	83
1	4	Rishi Valley School, Chitoor	81
3	5	Mayo College, Ajmer	79
NR	5	Sarala Birla Academy, Bangalore	79
6	5	Bishop Cotton School, Shimla	79
3	6	Lawrence School, Sanawar	78
7	6	St. Paul's School, Darjeeling	78
NR	7	Daly College, Indore	77
3	8	Mayo College Girls School, Ajmer	76
NR	8	Jain International Residential School, Bangalore	76
NR	9	Kasiga School, Dehradun	75
4	9	The Doon School, Dehradun	75
NR	9	Welham Boys School, Dehradun	75
2	9	Sainik School, Satara	75
6	10	Lawrence School Lovedale, Nilgiris	74
2	10	Maharani Gayatri Devi Public School, Jaipur	74
NR	10	Birla Vidya Mandir, Nainital	74

Rank		Sports education	Rating (100)
2008	2009		
6	1	Mayo College, Ajmer	91
1	2	St. Paul's School, Darjeeling	86
10	2	Army Public School, Dagshai	86
NR	3	Mayo College Girls School, Ajmer	85
6	4	Sarala Birla Academy, Bangalore	84
3	4	Rashtriya Indian Military College, Dehradun	84
5	4	Sherwood College, Nainital	84
NR	4	Bangalore Military School, Bangalore	84
4	5	Lawrence School Lovedale, Nilgiris	83
7	5	Welham Boys School, Dehradun	83
5	6	The Doon School, Dehradun	82
5	6	Welham Girls School, Dehradun	82
5	6	Bishop Cotton School, Shimla	82
3	6	Sainik School, Jamnagar	82
6	7	Lawrence School, Sanawar	81
7	7	The Scindia School, Gwalior	81
NR	7	Orchid International School, Nasik	81
NR	7	Sainik School, Satara	81
NR	8	St. George's College, Mussoorie	80
9	9	Chinmaya International Residential School, Coimbatore	79
8	9	Wynberg Allen School, Mussoorie	79
NR	9	Scindia Kanya Vidyalaya, Gwalior	79
10	10	Maharani Gayatri Devi Public School, Jaipur	78
NR	10	Sela Qui World School, Dehradun	78

Rank		Infrastructure provision	Rating (100)
2008	2009		
1	1	The Doon School, Dehradun	93
5	2	Lawrence School, Sanawar	89
2	3	Mayo College, Ajmer	88
3	3	Welham Girls School, Dehradun	88
6	3	Daly College, Indore	88
4	4	St. Paul's School, Darjeeling	87
4	4	Bishop Cotton School, Shimla	87
NR	4	New Era High School, Panchgani	87
5	4	Sherwood College, Nainital	87
2	5	The Scindia School, Gwalior	86
10	5	Sarala Birla Academy, Bangalore	86
4	5	Mayo College Girls School, Ajmer	86
7	5	Welham Boys School, Dehradun	86
4	5	Rashtriya Indian Military College, Dehradun	86
3	5	Army Public School, Dagshai	86

NR	5	B.G.S. International Residential School, Bangalore	86
6	6	Rishi Valley School, Chitoor	85
8	6	St. Joseph's School, North Point, Darjeeling	85
5	7	St. George's College, Mussoorie	84
4	8	Lawrence School Lovedale, Nilgiris	83
5	8	St. John's International Residential School, Chennai	83
3	8	Jain International Residential School, Bangalore	83
NR	8	Birla Vidya Mandir, Nainital	83
NR	9	The Assam Valley School, Balipara	82
5	10	Orchid International School, Nasik	81
3	10	Maharani Gayatri Devi Public School, Jaipur	81
NR	10	The Blue Mountain School, Ooty	81