

Parameters of Excellence: India's Top 10 Boarding Schools

Rank				Academic reputation	Rating (100)	Rank				Co-curricular education	Rating (100)
2008	2009	2010	2011			2008	2009	2010	2011		
8	7	4	1	Rishi Valley School, Chittoor	87	NR	5	1	1	Mayo College Girls School, Ajmer	89
9	7	2	2	Mayo College Girls School, Ajmer	86	2	6	5	1	Lawrence School, Sanawar	89
3	2	3	3	Mayo College, Ajmer	85	7	8	4	2	Welham Girls School, Dehradun	88
7	6	6	3	Welham Girls School, Dehradun	85	NR	NR	4	2	The Assam Valley School, Balipara	88
4	3	1	3	The Doon School, Dehradun	85	5	6	4	2	Rashtriya Indian Military College, Dehradun	88
8	4	4	4	Lawrence School, Sanawar	84	2	3	2	3	The Doon School, Dehradun	87
NR	NR	8	4	The Assam Valley School, Balipara	84	7	8	5	3	Bishop Cotton School, Shimla	87
6	5	5	5	Sherwood College, Nainital	83	NR	6	5	3	Maharani Gayatri Devi Public School, Jaipur	87
NR	NR	5	5	Orchid International School, Nasik	83	1	2	6	4	Mayo College, Ajmer	86
6	5	5	5	Welham Boys School, Dehradun	83	8	7	6	4	Welham Boys School, Dehradun	86
9	5	5	5	St. John's International Residential School, Chennai	83	5	3	6	4	The Scindia School, Gwalior	86
NR	10	10	5	Bishop Cotton School, Shimla	83	7	9	6	4	St. George's College, Mussoorie	86
7	6	6	6	RiverDale International Residential School, Pune	82	6	4	3	5	Sherwood College, Nainital	85
NR	NR	NR	6	DPS, Pinjore	82	9	8	7	5	Daly College, Indore	85
9	7	7	7	Daly College, Indore	81	1	8	7	5	Lawrence School Lovedale, Ooty	85
NR	7	7	7	New Era High School, Panchgani	81	1	2	7	5	St. Paul's School, Darjeeling	85
NR	5	7	7	Sarala Birla Academy, Bangalore	81	3	8	7	5	Jain International Residential School, Bangalore	85
5	8	8	8	Rashtriya Indian Military College, Dehradun	80	4	2	8	6	Orchid International School, Nasik	84
NR	NR	NR	8	Vidya Devi Jindal School, Hisar	80	NR	9	8	6	Shigally Hill International Academy, Dehradun	84
NR	8	8	8	Bangalore Military School	80	NR	9	8	6	SelaQui World School, Dehradun	84
NR	8	8	8	SelaQui World School, Dehradun	80	6	7	3	7	Rishi Valley School, Chittoor	83
5	7	9	9	The Scindia School, Gwalior	79	NR	10	9	7	RiverDale International Residential School, Pune	83
NR	10	9	9	B G S International Residential School, Bangalore	79	8	10	9	7	Wynberg Allen School, Mussoorie	83
NR	9	9	9	Chinmaya International Residential School, Coimbatore	79	NR	NR	10	8	Army Public School, Dagshai	82
1	10	10	10	Maharani Gayatri Devi Public School, Jaipur	78	NR	NR	10	8	St. John's International Residential School, Chennai	82
6	10	10	10	Birla Vidya Mandir, Nainital	78	NR	NR	10	8	Bangalore Military School	82
						NR	7	10	8	Sainik School, Satara	82
						NR	NR	10	8	Taurian World School, Ranchi	82
						NR	NR	NR	9	Vidya Devi Jindal School, Hisar	81
						NR	NR	NR	9	Chinmaya International Residential School, Coimbatore	81
						NR	NR	NR	10	Dr. Graham's Homes, Kalimpong	80
						NR	NR	NR	10	The Blue Mountain School, Ooty	80

Despite its liberal new age education image, Rishi Valley School has been consistently improving its rating on the parameter of academic reputation and is ranked No.1 this year

NB. NR=Not ranked within Top 10

Rank				Competence of faculty	Rating (200)
2008	2009	2010	2011		
2	3	1	1	Rishi Valley School, Chittoor	185
NR	7	1	1	Mayo College Girls School, Ajmer	185
1	1	2	2	The Doon School, Dehradun	183
8	8	5	3	Welham Girls School, Dehradun	180
10	10	6	4	Bishop Cotton School, Shimla	179
6	7	3	5	St. Paul's School, Darjeeling	178
7	7	8	6	Daly College, Indore	177
6	4	5	7	Lawrence School, Sanawar	176
2	2	4	8	Mayo College, Ajmer	173
NR	NR	7	8	The Assam Valley School, Balipara	173
NR	NR	7	8	Vidya Devi Jindal School, Hisar	173
NR	NR	7	8	Goethals Memorial School, Kurseong	173
NR	NR	8	9	Dr. Graham's Homes, Kalimpong	172
5	2	8	10	Orchid International School, Nasik	171
NR	NR	8	10	Welham Boys School, Dehradun	171

Rank				Individual attention to students	Rating (100)
2008	2009	2010	2011		
2	1	1	1	Rishi Valley School, Chittoor	89
1	2	2	2	The Doon School, Dehradun	85
NR	NR	NR	2	Lawrence School, Sanawar	85
4	5	4	3	Welham Girls School, Dehradun	84
9	7	6	3	Daly College, Indore	84
2	4	3	4	Mayo College Girls School, Ajmer	83
NR	3	5	4	New Era High School, Panchgani	83
NR	NR	5	4	St. George's College, Mussoorie	83
3	7	6	5	The Scindia School, Gwalior	82
7	8	7	6	Bishop Cotton School, Shimla	81
4	8	7	6	Lawrence School Lovedale, Ooty	81
NR	9	8	7	Wynberg Allen School, Mussoorie	80
NR	10	9	8	The Assam Valley School, Balipara	79
7	10	9	8	St. Joseph's School, North Point, Darjeeling	79
NR	NR	NR	8	Himali Boarding School, Kurseong	79
NR	NR	9	8	SelaQui World School, Dehradun	79
3	5	10	9	Mayo College, Ajmer	78
8	9	8	9	Rashtriya Indian Military College, Dehradun	78
7	7	10	9	Orchid International School, Nasik	78
NR	NR	NR	10	St. Paul's School, Darjeeling	77

Rank				Infrastructure provision	Rating (100)
2008	2009	2010	2011		
1	1	1	1	The Doon School, Dehradun	96
10	5	3	2	Sarala Birla Academy, Bangalore	94
5	4	4	3	Sherwood College, Nainital	92
NR	4	4	3	New Era High School, Panchgani	92
NR	5	5	4	B G S International Residential School, Bangalore	91
2	3	2	5	Daly College, Indore	90
4	4	6	5	St. Paul's School, Darjeeling	90
8	6	6	5	St. Joseph's School, North Point, Darjeeling	90
NR	NR	2	5	Vidya Devi Jindal School, Hisar	90
2	3	7	6	Mayo College, Ajmer	89
NR	9	7	6	The Assam Valley School, Balipara	89
2	5	7	6	The Scindia School, Gwalior	89
5	8	8	7	St. John's International Residential School, Chennai	88
3	8	8	7	Jain International Residential School, Bangalore	88
NR	8	8	7	Birla Vidya Mandir, Nainital	88
3	10	9	8	Maharani Gayatri Devi Public School, Jaipur	86
NR	10	9	8	The Blue Mountain School, Ooty	86
6	6	6	9	Rishi Valley School, Chittoor	85
3	5	5	9	Army Public School, Dagshai	85
NR	NR	10	9	RiverDale International Residential School, Pune	85
5	7	10	9	St. George's College, Mussoorie	85
NR	NR	10	9	SelaQui World School, Dehradun	85
5	2	1	9	Lawrence School, Sanawar	85
NR	NR	NR	10	DPS, Pinjore	84
NR	NR	NR	10	Mussoorie International School	84
NR	NR	NR	10	Shigally Hill International Academy, Dehradun	84

Mayo Girls: co-curricular education top rank



Rank	Disabled friendliness	Rating (100)
1	Bishop Cotton School, Shimla	66
1	Dr. Graham's Homes, Kalimpong	66
1	Goethals Memorial School, Kurseong	66
2	Sherwood College, Nainital	65
2	B G S International Residential School, Bangalore	65
2	Bangalore Military School	65
3	The Doon School, Dehradun	64
3	New Era High School, Panchgani	64
3	St. Joseph's School, North Point, Darjeeling	64
3	Chinmaya International Residential School, Coimbatore	64
3	St. John's International Residential School, Chennai	64
4	Rishi Valley School, Chittoor	63
4	Army Public School, Dagshai	63
4	Welham Boys School, Dehradun	63
4	RiverDale International Residential School, Pune	63
4	Jain International Residential, Bangalore	63
4	Sarala Birla Academy, Bangalore	63
4	Sainik School, Jamnagar	63
4	Mayo College Girls School, Ajmer	63
5	Orchid International School, Nasik	62
5	The Scindia School, Gwalior	62
5	Pinegrove School, Dharampur	62
5	Mussoorie International School, Mussoorie	62
6	St. Paul's School, Darjeeling	61
7	Rashtriya Indian Military College, Dehradun	60
7	The Blue Mountain School, Ooty	60
7	Shigally Hill International Academy, Dehradun	60
8	Sainik School, Satara	59
9	Lawrence School Lovedale, Ooty	58
9	Vidya Devi Jindal School, Hisar	58
10	The Assam Valley School, Balipara	57
10	Birla Vidya Mandir, Nainital	57

Bishop Cotton, Shimla is top ranked on the newly introduced parameter of disabled friendliness and facilitation of special children

Rank	Teacher welfare & development	Rating (100)
1	Rishi Valley School, Chittoor	90
1	Mayo College Girls School, Ajmer	90
2	The Doon School, Dehradun	87
3	Army Public School, Dagshai	86
4	Welham Girls School, Dehradun	83
4	The Assam Valley School, Balipara	83
5	Daly College, Indore	82
6	Lawrence School, Sanawar	81
6	Sarala Birla Academy, Bangalore	81
7	Bishop Cotton School, Shimla	80
7	Mayo College, Ajmer	80
7	New Era High School, Panchgani	80
8	Lawrence School Lovedale, Ooty	78
8	Jain International Residential, Bangalore	78
9	Rashtriya Indian Military College, Dehradun	77
9	Vidya Devi Jindal School, Hisar	77
9	St. John's International Residential, Chennai	77
9	Pinegrove School, Dharampur	77
10	Sherwood College, Nainital	76
10	Orchid International School, Nasik	76
10	Dr. Graham's Homes, Kalimpong	76
10	Motilal Nehru School of Sports, Rai, Sonipat	76
10	Taurian World School, Ranchi	76

Rank				Parental involvement	Rating (100)
2008	2009	2010	2011		
NR	NR	NR	1	Lawrence School, Sanawar	78
7	7	1	2	Mayo College Girls School, Ajmer	77
NR	NR	2	3	The Doon School, Dehradun	76
4	3	2	3	Bishop Cotton School, Shimla	76
1	1	3	4	Welham Girls School, Dehradun	75
10	10	5	5	Rishi Valley School, Chittoor	73
NR	5	5	5	New Era High School, Panchgani	73
NR	6	6	6	Welham Boys School, Dehradun	72
NR	NR	NR	6	Himali Boarding School, Kurseong	72
NR	NR	6	6	St. George's College, Mussoorie	72
9	9	7	7	Mayo College, Ajmer	71
2	2	7	7	The Scindia School, Gwalior	71
NR	8	8	8	Lawrence School Lovedale, Ooty	70
NR	9	8	8	B G S International, Bangalore	70
8	6	9	9	Orchid International School, Nasik	69
NR	NR	9	10	Jain International Residential School, Bangalore	68

Rank	Discipline & life skills education	Rating (100)
1	Rishi Valley School, Chittoor	82
1	Mayo College Girls School, Ajmer	82
2	Chinmaya International Residential, Coimbatore	81
3	Bishop Cotton School, Shimla	80
3	Rashtriya Indian Military College, Dehradun	80
4	Welham Girls School, Dehradun	79
5	The Blue Mountain School, Ooty	77
6	Orchid International School, Nasik	76
6	Lawrence School Lovedale, Ooty	76
6	Maharani Gayatri Devi Public School, Jaipur	76
6	Sainik School, Satara	76
7	The Assam Valley School, Balipara	75
7	Himali Boarding School, Kurseong	75
7	Bangalore Military School	75
7	RiverDale International Residential, Pune	75
8	Army Public School, Dagshai	73
8	Tashi Namgyal Academy, Gangtok	73
9	The Doon School, Dehradun	72
9	Daly College, Indore	72
9	Sainik School, Jamnagar	72
9	Coorg Public School, Kodagu	72
10	Vidya Devi Jindal School, Hisar	71

Rank				Leadership/management quality	Rating (100)
2008	2009	2010	2011		
5	3	1	1	Mayo College Girls School, Ajmer	91
9	9	9	1	Bishop Cotton School, Shimla	91
2	2	2	1	Rishi Valley School, Chittoor	91
3	3	2	2	Welham Girls School, Dehradun	90
5	2	4	3	Sherwood College, Nainital	89
10	5	5	4	Welham Boys School, Dehradun	88
NR	NR	5	4	St. Joseph's School, North Point, Darjeeling	88
NR	NR	3	5	Daly College, Indore	87
NR	4	6	5	New Era High School, Panchgani	87
NR	9	7	6	The Assam Valley School, Balipara	86
NR	3	7	6	Army Public School, Dagshai	86
4	4	8	7	St. Paul's School, Darjeeling	85
NR	6	8	7	B G S International Residential School, Bangalore	85
NR	NR	NR	8	Lawrence School, Sanawar	84
1	1	9	9	The Doon School, Dehradun	83
5	4	10	10	Orchid International School, Nasik	82
NR	NR	10	10	Lawrence School Lovedale, Ooty	82



Doon School campus scene

Given the high public profiles of its alumni, The Doon School, Dehradun is routinely ranked No.1 under the parameter of quality of alumni

Rank				Quality of alumni/students	Rating (100)
2008	2009	2010	2011		
2	1	1	1	The Doon School, Dehradun	94
5	3	2	2	Welham Girls School, Dehradun	92
7	3	3	3	Rishi Valley School, Chittoor	91
1	2	4	4	Mayo College, Ajmer	90
3	2	5	5	Bishop Cotton School, Shimla	89
5	4	6	6	Lawrence School, Sanawar	88
NR	NR	6	6	Sherwood College, Nainital	88
7	5	6	6	St. Paul's School, Darjeeling	88
10	9	7	7	Rashtriya Indian Military College, Dehradun	87
6	4	7	7	The Scindia School, Gwalior	87
6	10	8	8	Lawrence School Lovedale, Ooty	86
NR	6	8	8	Welham Boys School, Dehradun	86
NR	10	8	8	St. Joseph's School, North Point, Darjeeling	86
NR	NR	9	8	Mayo College Girls School, Ajmer	86
NR	NR	9	9	Daly College, Indore	83
NR	5	9	9	Army Public School, Dagshai	83
NR	7	10	10	RiverDale International Residential School, Pune	81
NR	NR	10	10	St. George's College, Mussoorie	81

Rank				Sports education	Rating (100)
2008	2009	2010	2011		
3	4	1	1	Rashtriya Indian Military College, Dehradun	92
NR	NR	NR	1	Motilal Nehru School of Sports, Rai, Sonipat	92
NR	3	4	2	Mayo College Girls School, Ajmer	90
6	7	8	2	Lawrence School, Sanawar	90
NR	7	2	2	Orchid International School, Nasik	90
10	2	3	3	Army Public School, Dagshai	89
NR	NR	1	4	Daly College, Indore	88
6	1	4	4	Mayo College, Ajmer	88
5	4	5	5	Sherwood College, Nainital	87
NR	4	5	5	Bangalore Military School	87
4	5	6	6	Lawrence School Lovedale, Ooty	86
7	5	6	6	Welham Boys School, Dehradun	86
5	6	2	7	The Doon School, Dehradun	85
5	6	7	7	Bishop Cotton School, Shimla	85
NR	NR	7	7	St. Joseph's School, North Point, Darjeeling	85
3	6	7	7	Sainik School, Jamnagar	85
7	7	8	8	The Scindia School, Gwalior	84
NR	NR	NR	8	Vidya Devi Jindal School, Hisar	84
NR	NR	NR	8	DPS, Pinjore	84
NR	7	8	8	Sainik School, Satara	84
5	6	9	9	Welham Girls School, Dehradun	83
NR	NR	9	9	St. Augustine's, Kalimpong	83
1	2	10	10	St. Paul's School, Darjeeling	82
9	9	10	10	Chinmaya International Residential School, Coimbatore	82
NR	8	10	10	St. George's College, Mussoorie	82
8	9	10	10	Wynberg Allen School, Mussoorie	82
NR	9	10	10	Scindia Kanya Vidyalaya, Gwalior	82



Rank				Value for money	Rating (100)
2008	2009	2010	2011		
NR	3	6	1	Himali Boarding School, Kurseong	80
2	1	1	2	Rishi Valley School, Chittoor	79
4	5	2	3	Rashtriya Indian Military College, Dehradun	78
NR	NR	NR	3	Motilal Nehru School of Sports, Rai, Sonipat	78
9	9	3	4	Mayo College Girls School, Ajmer	77
NR	NR	NR	5	Orchid International School, Nasik	76
5	2	4	5	Lawrence School Lovedale, Ooty	76
NR	NR	4	5	St. Joseph's School, North Point, Darjeeling	76
6	7	5	6	Mayo College, Ajmer	75
NR	7	5	6	The Assam Valley School, Balipara	75
NR	NR	6	7	Dr. Graham's Homes, Kalimpong	74
3	4	7	8	The Doon School, Dehradun	73
6	5	7	8	Lawrence School, Sanawar	73
NR	9	8	9	St. Paul's School, Darjeeling	72
NR	NR	NR	9	DPS, Pinjore	72
5	6	9	10	Welham Girls School, Dehradun	70
NR	4	10	10	Daly College, Indore	70
NR	NR	9	10	Army Public School, Dagshai	70
NR	NR	9	10	Bangalore Military School	70

Rank	Community service	Rating (100)
1	The Doon School, Dehradun	93
2	Rishi Valley School, Chittoor	92
3	Mayo College Girls School, Ajmer	84
4	The Scindia School, Gwalior	83
4	B G S International Residential, Bangalore	83
5	The Assam Valley School, Balipara	82
5	Lawrence School, Sanawar	82
6	New Era High School, Panchgani	81
7	St. Joseph's School, North Point, Darjeeling	80
7	Daly College, Indore	80
8	Himali Boarding School, Darjeeling	79
8	Goethals Memorial School, Kurseong	79
9	Tashi Namgyal Academy, Gangtok	78
9	Chinmaya International Residential School, Coimbatore	78
9	Bishop Cotton School, Shimla	78
10	Rashtriya Indian Military College, Dehradun	77
10	Bangalore Military School, Bangalore	77
10	Army Public School, Dagshai	77