



INDIAN SCHOOL DARSAIT



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NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF OPEN SCHOOLING

(NIOS)

A. I. No.: 980003

Academic Year: 2017-2018

INTRODUCTION

National Institute for Open Schooling (NIOS) formerly known as National Open School (NOS) was started as a project on “Open Schooling” under the Central Board of Secondary Education (CBSE) in 1979. In November 1989, the Ministry of Human Resource Development (MHRD), Government of India, set up the National Open School (NOS) as an autonomous organisation in pursuance of National Policy on Education, and the pilot project of CBSE on “Open School” was amalgamated with NOS. The NOS was re-christened as the National Institute of Open Schooling (NIOS) in July 2002.

NIOS is providing a number of vocational, life enrichment and community oriented courses besides general and academic courses at Secondary and Senior Secondary levels. It also offers elementary level courses through its Open Basic Education Programmes (OBE). The government of India, through a gazette notification vested NIOS with the authority to examine and certify learners registered with it, up to pre-degree level courses.

The NIOS, one of the three national boards take conscious steps to provide quality education and follows National Curriculum Framework brought out by NCERT. The NIOS course and programmes are functional , useful in daily life and also set the pathway for further studies as evident from the successful alumni of NIOS to pursue their higher studies in institutes of national and international repute such as IIT’s and universities in India and abroad.

VISION

The National Institute of Open Schooling, with international recognition and presence, provides access to sustainable and learner-centric quality school education, skill up-gradation and training through open and distance learning and ensures convergence of open schooling organisations, resulting in an inclusive learning society, human resource development, national integration and global understanding.

MISSION

The Mission of NIOS is to provide relevant, continuing and developmental education at school stage up to the pre-degree level through open learning system and through it to make its share of contribution to:

1. Universalism of education;
2. Greater equity and justice in society and
3. The evolution of a learning society.

COURSES OFFERED

- Secondary – leading to Secondary School Certificate (Class X).
- Secondary – leading to Senior Secondary School Certificate. (Class XII)

AFFILIATION & APPROVAL OF MoE

Indian School Darsait has obtained NIOS affiliation on 15th March wide letter No. F-23-1-4/2017/NIOS/SSS/Accr/7469.

The Affiliation No. : **980003**

It was approved by the Ministry of Education, Sultanate of Oman on 30th April 2017

PROPOSED PROGRAMME & COURSE DETAILS

The school will offer the following subjects for the academic year 2017-2018:

Class X

1. English (202)
2. Malayalam (232) / Hindi (201)
3. Home Science (216)
4. Data Entry (229)
5. Business Studies (215)

Note: Other options will be made available based on number of application received.

Class XII

1. English (302)
2. Accountancy (320)/ Painting with Practical (332)
3. Home Science 321)
4. Data Entry (336)
5. Business Studies (319)

Note: Other options will be made available based on number of application received

No. of Classes: 4 days a week: Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday

Time: 1:50 pm to 5:00 pm

TIME TABLE

First Bell	1:50 pm
First Period	2:00 pm to 2:40 pm
Second Period	2:40 pm to 3:20 pm
Break	3:20 pm to 3:40 pm
Third Period	3:40 pm to 4:20 pm
Fourth Period	4:20 pm to 5:00 pm

ADMISSION

Admission is open to all Indians residing in Oman.

Eligibility: A student must have attained a minimum age of 14 to register for class X and 15 for class XII.

Issue of application & registration: Monday, 8th May 2017.

Opening Ceremony of NIOS Study Classes: Wednesday, 17th May 2017.

Students opting for NIOS in class X have the advantages of joining formal school board in class XI after passing NIOS examination.

The certificate issued by NIOS is accepted by all the national and state boards, all universities and for government jobs. However, certain boards and universities are fixed eligibility criteria based on their requirements and hence, candidates seeking admissions may go through the eligibility criteria of different boards/ universities before taking admissions.

ACADEMIC YEAR

Every year the Academic session starts from 1st April and finishes on 31st March.

EXAMINATIONS

Examinations are conducted twice a year, i.e. March and October.

FEE STRUCTURE

Will be intimated shortly.