

**SACRED HEART CONVENT INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL
SARABHA NAGAR, LUDHIANA**

Circular No.: 20/2026-27

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Dear Parents/Guardians,

As we step into September, we also move closer to an important milestone - the **Progression Examinations**. At this stage, your support, encouragement and partnership play a vital role in helping our children approach their examinations with confidence and composure.

Think of your child as a **young tree**. A tree does not grow tall and strong overnight. It begins with a tiny seed, develops roots, withstands changing weather, and grows steadily with **time, nourishment, care and patience**. In much the same way, a child's academic journey is shaped by the small efforts made every single day.

"Success is the sum of small efforts, repeated day in and day out."
— Robert Collier

The Progression Examinations are therefore not simply a measure of what our children remember. They are an opportunity to demonstrate **growth, discipline, perseverance and determination**. Just as strong roots help a tree withstand storms, consistent preparation gives our children the confidence to face challenges.

How Can We Help Our Children Grow?

1. Plant the Seed of Planning

Encourage your child to create a realistic study timetable. **Breaking the syllabus into smaller portions** makes preparation more manageable and less overwhelming.

2. Strengthen the Roots Through Regular Revision

Daily revision is more effective than last-minute cramming. Encourage children to **revisit concepts regularly** and practise what they have learnt.

3. Give Them Space to Grow

Provide a quiet, organised study environment and minimise distractions during study hours. Remember, a focused hour is more valuable than several distracted hours.

4. Help Them Weather the Storms

Difficult chapters, mistakes and low scores are not failures; they are opportunities to learn. Encourage your child to identify areas of difficulty and work on them patiently.

5. Nourish the Mind and Body

Adequate sleep, nutritious meals, hydration, physical activity and short breaks are essential for effective learning. A healthy mind learns better.

Dear Students,

Remember, **you are still growing**. You may not know everything today, and that is perfectly alright. Every page you revise, every question you attempt and every mistake you correct adds another ring to your tree of learning.

To learn with greater precision, try these techniques, suited across age groups:

Younger students: Build a "**memory palace**" by anchoring facts to rooms at home; turn stubborn lists into rhymes or songs.

Middle grades: Teach a concept aloud to a sibling - every fumble reveals a gap worth closing.

Senior students: Follow **S.W.A.T.H.** - Survey, write from memory, apply through practice, Time-box effort, Halt to reflect.

So, take one step at a time.

Plan it.

Prepare for it.

Practice it.

And most importantly, Believe in yourself.

Because every great achievement begins with one small effort, repeated every day.

PROGRESSION TEST -I DATESHEET LOWER SECONDARY VI-VIII

DATE & DAY	CLASS VI	CLASS VII	CLASS VIII
15.09.2026 Tuesday	SCIENCE	MATHS	MATHS
17.09.2026 Thursday	ENGLISH	SCIENCE	HINDI
19.09.2026 Saturday	HINDI	ENGLISH	ENGLISH
21.09.2026 Monday	MATHS	FRENCH/PUNJABI	SCIENCE
23.09.2026 Wednesday	SST	SST	FRENCH
25.09.2026 Friday	FRENCH/ PUNJABI	HINDI	SST

Let this be your guiding motto: **Believe, prepare, persevere - and make your mission possible!**

The Management, Principal, and Staff of Sacred Heart Convent International School extend their best wishes to each one of you. May your hard work, confidence, and determination lead you to success.

DATES TO REMEMBER

29.08.2026	: Moral Science Exam Grade IX & X
	: Moral Science Parent Evaluation Grade LKG- X
03.09.2026	: Completion of Syllabus of all classes

03.09.2026	
to	: School Revisions (I- VIII)
09.09.2026	
04.09.2026	: Janmashtami (Holiday)
05.09.2026	: Teachers Day (Holiday)
07.09.2026	: Preparatory Holiday (IX- XI)
07.09.2026	
to	: Prelims-I Grade XII
28.09.2026	
08.09.2026	
to	: Forecast-I Examination Grade-X
25.09.2026	
08.09.2026	
to	: Prelims-I Grade XI /IGCSE Grade IX Progression Test-I
26.09.2026	
09.09.2026	
to	: September Progression Test-I Grade LKG & UKG
21.09.2026	
10.09.2026	
to	: September Progression Test-I Grade I-VIII
25.09.2026	
10.09.2026	: Computing (VI-VIII), MSC (I-V)
11.09.2026	: MSC (VI-VIII), Computing (I-V)
12.09.2026	: Parent Teacher Meeting for Grade Nursery
12.09.2026	
to	: Preparatory Holidays Grade I- VIII
14.09.2026	
22.09.2026 onwards	: Evaluation Holidays for Grade LKG & UKG
23.09.2026	: Parent Teacher Meeting for Grade LKG & UKG
24.09.2026 onwards	: Evaluation Holidays Grade I & II
25.09.2026	: Parent Teacher Meeting for Grade I & II
26.09.2026 onwards	: Evaluation Holidays Grade III- X
28.09.2026	: Distribution of Answer Scripts Grade III-XII
29.09.2026	: Parent Teacher Meeting for Grade III - V
30.09.2026	: Parent Teacher Meeting for Grade VI- VIII
01.10.2026	: Parent Teacher Meeting for Grade IX- XII
02.10.2026	: Gandhi Jayanti (Holiday)
05.10.2026	: School Reopens (Nursery- XII)
11.10.2026	: Maharaja Agarsain Jayanti (Holiday)
20.10.2026	: Dussehra (Holiday)

God Bless You all

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