## KLES' INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL, BELAGAVI

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## **ANNUAL REPORT- 2025**

KLES' International School was established on 15th June 2004 and operates under the recognition of the State Government (dated 24th May 2002) and affiliation from the Central Board of Secondary Education (CBSE Affiliation Number: 830229, School Code: 45210). The school has successfully graduated ten batches of Class X students and seven batches of Class XII students. Currently, the institution serves a diverse student body across all grades from pre-primary through senior secondary levels, supported by a dedicated team of teaching and non-teaching staff committed to providing quality education.

The school excels in a wide range of academic, co-curricular, and extracurricular activities. It fosters global collaboration through international exchange programs with The Rubekamp School, Bremen, and Friends School, Pennsylvania, and is a proud member of the PASCH network, a global initiative supported by the German Government. In line with its holistic approach, the school partners with reputed organizations like Shiamak Davar's troupe for dance, TENVIC (Anil Kumble's venture) for sports training, and Furtados School of Music for music education. These collaborations have contributed to the school's distinctive reputation in academics, sports, and culture. The school proudly holds **Finnish educational accreditation**, recognized globally for its emphasis on student well-being, individualized learning, and holistic development. This accreditation ensures our curriculum meets the highest international benchmarks, preparing students for universities and careers worldwide. The collaboration creates pathways for students to thrive in an interconnected global economy with confidence and competence.

The school infrastructure includes well-equipped classrooms, modern laboratories, sports facilities, and specialized activity rooms that facilitate comprehensive learning experiences for students pursuing both academic and co-curricular excellence.

**Examination Results:** The school secured 1st position in Belagavi district for Class X results and 2nd position for Class XII rankings on 13th May 2025. Class X topper was Miss Varshini S. Nagmoti (98.4%) and Class XII topper was Miss Ayisha Pannali (94.2%).100% result over the years has earned the school, the reputation to attain the topmost slot in educational field.

**Student Achievements:** Class XII Toppers: Miss Ayisha Javed Pannali (94.2%), Master Vinayak Mahantesh Soppin (93%), Master Aaryadeva R (92.8%)Class X Toppers: Miss Varshini S. Nagmoti (98.4%), Miss Likhitha U.S. (98.2%), Miss Kriti N. (97.6%)

**Olympiads:** 120 students excelled in Silver Zone Olympiads. Miss Avigna Pattanshetti achieved First Rank at school, national, and international levels in General Knowledge.

**Sports Achievements:** Master Anish Ajay Pai secured runner-up title in Mumbai's Gateway of India Open Ocean Swimming Race 2025, School emerged champions of Hanuman Cup Cricket U-14 with Master Kaustubh Patil as Player of the Tournament, Under-8 boys' team finished runners-up in Casagrand Bengaluru FC Soccer Shield 2025

**Cultural & Literary: Writing Wizards:** Miss Kartika Barde secured 8th Rank at Karnataka State Level and 21st at National Level **Spell Bee:** Miss Nidhi Chate secured 14th Rank in National Mega Final of WIZ International Spell Bee **Publication:** Miss Apeksha S. Melge published her first book "Life Experiences" at age 9.

NCC Activities: The National Cadet Corps plays a vital role in developing leadership and discipline among students. Master Atharv G. Savanur participated in the All India Trekking Camp organized by the Ministry of Defence in Belagavi, bringing together over 510 cadets from across India. Cadet Rajwardhan Thorat and Cadet Aryan Hattarki were selected to represent the school at the Ek Bharat Shreshtha Bharat National Level Camp in Hassan, Karnataka. Master Shridhan Mukkannawar successfully completed TSC Camps 1, 2, and 3, as well as IGC-1, earning selection for IGC-2 in Mysuru. Six cadets participated in the Combined Annual Training Camp held at Jadhav Nagar, Belagavi from 20th to 29th August 2025. The unit was honored with an official inspection by Lt. Col L.S. Desai, Administrative Officer of 27 Kar Bn NCC, Hubballi on 22nd August 2025.

Staff Achievements: Principal Mrs Dipti Ingley was honoured with the prestigious Dr. Sarvepalli Radhakrishnan National Principals Award 2025 at the Edu Tech Expo, Hyderabad, supported by the Central Government and Ministry of Ayush. Several HODs and Core Committee members were felicitated at the Shiksha Ratna Award Ceremony organized by Axis Max Life Insurance on 9th September 2025, recognizing their valuable contributions to education. Mrs Manisha Kadolkar was honourably felicitated by the International Institute of Hotel Management at EFA on 15th October 2025 for her exceptional contribution to the field of education. The teaching faculty participated in multiple capacity building programs and publisher-led workshops conducted by Orient Blackswan, Madhuban, Macmillan, Cambridge, and KIPS throughout the academic year. Regular Tata Class workshops ensured teachers remained updated about recent platform features and modern teaching methodologies.

**School Achievements and Recognition:** The school has been ranked 1st in Belagavi city under the category 'Day-Co-Ed Schools' and 23rd in Karnataka state in the prestigious Cfore School Rankings 2025, based on a comprehensive survey of 55,468 respondents conducted between March and July 2025. It has secured Provisional Finland CCE Accreditation from the Council for Creative Education, Finland, demonstrating commitment to international standards of creativity,

collaboration, and student-centered learning. The school received a Token of Appreciation from the Bureau of Indian Standards, Hubli Branch Office, under the Ministry of Consumer Affairs, Government of India, for dedicated participation in Standards Club Activities on 14th October 2025. The school successfully won the General Championship trophy at Alphia 2025 cultural fest and secured first place in the Battle of Bands competition at Symphony-XII on 26th January 2025.

**State and National Participation:** Students participated in INTACH Heritage Quiz, CBSE South Zone II competitions, SGIMUN Belgaum conference, and won 10 awards including General Championship trophy. Master Advait Dalvi and Miss Reha Porwal qualified for CBSE National Swimming Championship in Bhubaneswar.

**International Opportunities:** Master Omkar Karehonna and Miss Shriya Nandennavar received scholarships from Goethe Institute and travelled to Germany for 21 days, joining 74 students from 13 countries. Miss Shriya successfully acquired B1 Certification from Goethe-Institut, Germany.

Visits of Important Dignitaries: The school welcomed several distinguished guests throughout the academic year. Col. Ajit Singh, Commander of Commando Wing, Belagavi, and Mrs. Rajashree Jainapur, KAS (Senior Scale), Additional Deputy Commissioner, graced the Scholars' Badge Ceremony on 9th July 2025. The Investiture Ceremony on 10th July 2025 was honored by Dr. Preeti Dodwad, Coordinator of KLE Schools, Col. Vinodkumar Patil, Deputy Commandant MLIRC Belagavi, and Capt. Sukhmani Nanda (Retd.). Shri Mohammad Roshan, IAS, Deputy Commissioner of Belagavi, Hon. Dr. Prabhakar Kore, Chairman KLE Society, and other eminent personalities attended Symphony-XII cultural meet on 26th January 2025. Dr. Laxmi Kabra Motimath from KLE V.K Institute of Dental Sciences conducted a Sugar Intake Awareness Programme, while Dr. Prashant Katakol, renowned neurosurgeon and founder of Kavilyam Yoga Aashram, addressed students on International Yoga Day. Lt. Col L.S. Desai, Administrative Officer of 27 Kar Bn NCC Hubballi, conducted an official inspection on 22nd August 2025.

Major Notable Events Organized: The school organized Symphony-XII, a grand cultural extravaganza on 26th January 2025, bringing together 23 KLE schools in celebration of artistic excellence where KLESIS won first place in Battle of Bands. Daayitvam, held on 8th February 2025, integrated 16 NGOs, schools, and institutions in activities dedicated to children with special requirements and the elderly. The Summer Coaching Camp from 14th to 31st March 2025 offered diverse activities including basketball, cricket, swimming, dance, football, chess, yoga, skating, and athletics, culminating in an adventurous trek to Yellur Fort. The Scholars' Badge Ceremony on 9th July 2025 celebrated academic accomplishments of students from Classes III to X, followed by the Investiture Ceremony on 10th July 2025 formally inducting the student council for 2025-26. A comprehensive CCE Finland Global Accreditation Webinar was conducted on 25th July 2025, featuring eminent speakers including Dr. Madhura Phadke, Principal of A. Naik School Powai, and other distinguished educators from across Asia.

Newly Introduced Courses and Programs: The school launched two flagship batches for competitive exam preparation: the Pinnacle Batch for advanced preparation of KCET/NEET/CBSE boards and the Super 20 Batch offering focused mentorship for national ranks in JEE (Main+Advanced) and NEET, with an orientation session conducted by Principal Mrs. Dipti Ingley and Mr. Rahul Mandal on 13th October 2025. Exclusive Masterclasses were initiated for Class 10 students across CBSE, ICSE, and State Board streams, featuring expert-led concept revision sessions, intensive board exam preparation, smart strategies, and doubt-solving support. The Mindspark educational program was introduced to help students through interactive and personalized exercises designed to strengthen mathematical foundations and problem-solving abilities. A Child Against Child Abuse (CACA) program was implemented as an awareness and empowerment initiative encouraging open communication with parents, teachers, and counsellors to help children understand and identify abuse. These programs complement existing initiatives including the Desh Apnayen Club activities, INTACH Club heritage awareness programs, and various capacity building workshops for holistic student development.

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