SHANTINIKETAN INDIAN SCHOOL, DOHA-QATAR

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CIRCULAR TO PARENTS- GRADES VIII to XII (FN)

Introduction of the School Integrated Program (SIP)

Dear Parents and Students,

We are pleased to announce that, from the academic year 2027–28, Shantiniketan Indian School will introduce the **School Integrated Program (SIP)** in partnership with **Excel Educational Centre, Doha**. Under this program, Physics, Chemistry, Mathematics and Biology for Grades VIII to XII will be taught by Excel's subject specialists within the regular school timetable.

What the program offers

Grade in 2027–28	Program	Focus
Grades VIII, IX & X	Foundation & Olympiads	Strong CBSE basics, with preparation for NSO, NSTSE, JSTSE and mental ability
Grades XI and XII	JEE & NEET (PCM / PCB)	CBSE board preparation alongside JEE Main, JEE Advanced and NEET

Key features

- Expert coaching takes place during school hours, so students do not need to travel to coaching centres after school.
- Evenings will remain free for self-study, revision and rest.
- The CBSE syllabus is completed first, followed by advanced, competitive-level problem-solving.
- Regular tests, with progress reports shared with parents.
- Optional online doubt support and evening online classes for students who want extra help.
- English, second and third languages and all other subjects continue to be taught by SIS teachers as at present.

First step: the Excel STAR Test

As the first step of the program, a free diagnostic test, the **Excel STAR Test** (Student Talent and Aptitude Review), will be held on the school campus for students currently in Grades VII to XI in the first week of November 2026. Each parent will receive a detailed diagnostic report for their child, including the recommended SIP batch. Full details are given in a separate circular.

Further details on enrolment for the 2027–28 academic year will be shared with parents in due course. For any queries, parents may contact the school office or Excel Educational Centre (Al Thumama: +974 7070 7445 · Al Wukair: +974 3030 8151).

We look forward to your support in making this program a success for our students.

Warm regards
Vice Principal