

## **LOYOLA SCHOOL**

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Dear Loyoleans,

You will be proud to know that Loyola School continues to be rated among the top educational institutions in the State of Jharkhand and our students continue to get admission into some of the best colleges. Our students continue to win laurels for the school at inter-school competitions as well as sports. This has been possible only because of the efforts put in by all the stakeholders. The school has made all efforts to keep pace with the changing educational scenario. In the past year, we have had numerous innovations like the launch of the Robotics and AI Lab, the Digital library, interactive panels in classrooms, introducing the NCC to name a few. The launch of the "Tarumitra" centre at Jesu Bhawan has been our biggest achievement.

Tarumitra is a nationwide students' organization which promotes ecological sensitivity in India. It has been campaigning for sensitizing various sections of society on ecological issues The U.N. has conferred a Special Consultative Status to Tarumitra from 2005.

During the past two years, we have taken baby steps in creating awareness about the need to conserve the environment and save planet Earth. Our students are taken to the Centre on a regular basis where they bond with Mother Nature and enjoy a stint of experiential learning. This learning thus becomes a part of their project work in Biology.

Our plan is to create infrastructure for around 100 students to stay overnight so that they can spend a weekend in the place, unhindered.

We are also happy to inform you that in the new academic year, we plan to install two elevators, one in the junior and one in the senior section. This will be of great help to children with special needs.

Needless to say, projects such as these require considerable financial investment. The budget for the Tarumitra project is around Rs 12 crores for infrastructure and landscaping, and the estimated budget for the elevators is 55 lakhs.

Earnest attempts are being made to raise funds. So, we seek your kind patronage too. Contributions will be exempt u/s 80 C of the Income Tax Act. Corporates can contribute through their CSR funds too. CSR Receipts will be issued. Cheques may be made in favour of "Loyola Jamshedpur."

Your contribution will not only benefit your own child but also create a legacy for future generations and will take Loyola to greater heights at the national and international levels.

Thanking you in anticipation and Seasons' Greetings! Jai Loyola!

Yours sincerely,

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