

## Rules and Regulations for Hostel Admission:

1. Admission in the hostel is strictly at the discretion of the management and is restricted to the students and the staff of the Institute.
2. Admission is subject to the approval of the admission committee.
3. Hostellers are not supposed to leave without prior permission of the authorized person.
4. Hostellers are not supposed to stay out beyond scheduled hours.
5. Admission may be revoked, if the hosteller is found guilty of repeated violation or a single serious offence.
6. Visitors are not allowed beyond schedule hours except in emergency cases, with prior approval of the in charge.
7. Only outstation visitors may be allowed to stay overnight, that too with prior written permission of the in charge.
8. All residents as well as visitors are required to record their movement in the proper register.
9. A hosteller while going out is required to give his contact number and likely duration of absence.

## Donation

You can also be a part of NAVCHETNA in various ways :

- ⇒ Be a member by giving monthly donation as per your wish.
- ⇒ You can support us by giving one time donation or special donation for a specific cause (school building, vehicle, books, equipments, hardware and software, etc)
- ⇒ Provide food on special dates or occasions.
- ⇒ Financial support for medical expenses.
- ⇒ Apart from monetary help our organisation needs a lot of other support which is very helpful for the children. This includes VOLUNTARY SERVICES like:

- ♦ Teaching, Recording, Reading & Scanning Books.
- ♦ Help spread awareness about NAVCHETNA.
- ♦ Most importantly you can give your valuable time, help them become confident citizens.

Please visit or call us at : +91 97811 20333 or

You can make direct payment to our Bank:

NAVCHETNA A Charitable Institute for the Blind

State Bank of Patiala

A/c No. 65042586762

IFSC Code: STBP0000012

Demand Draft/Cheque also accepted.

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# NAVCHETNA®

A CHARITABLE INSTITUTE FOR THE BLIND

REGISTERED UNDER THE SOCIETIES REGISTRATION ACT XXI OF 1860

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- ⇒ First of its kind in the Royal City of Patiala.
- ⇒ Education on PSEB Pattern.
- ⇒ Building confidence in Physically Challenged.
- ⇒ Free Education, Boarding and Lodging.
- ⇒ Computer/Music/Yoga/Chess.
- ⇒ Digital Library.
- ⇒ Under CCTV Surveillance.

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*Thy Grace, Blind's Vision*



'NAVCHETNA' an institution for the visually challenged children is working in the royal city of Patiala for the last few years. In 2008 a few like minded citizens gathered to do something that would bring about a change in the lives of children who were suffering with disabilities. Keeping their requirement in mind an organisation was established. Their mission was to spread new awareness so the organisation was named NAVCHETNA. In this context it was further felt that the educational facilities for the visually challenged children were not enough. Moreover, the awareness about this in our society is also very low. Sometimes even the parents are not aware of the ways of teaching such children and because of which some of them do not get education at all or in some cases their education gets delayed. Due to this they face difficulties in becoming self dependent and earning becomes a major problem. Thus the society decided to start a school for the blind children. Along with the school, a hostel was also established for the students from outside Patiala. It was decided that education, books and uniform will be free for all. Free pick-up and drop will be provided to the day boarders and boarding and lodging facility will be provided to the hostellers. The main aim of NAVCHETNA is to build self confidence in its students which can help them become visionary citizens. The organisation also provides them knowledge in computers with softwares designed specially for the Visually Challenged which keeps them in touch with the latest techniques. Some recreational facilities like music, dance, indoor and outdoor games are also part of their day to day curriculum. NAVCHETNA Institute also runs a Braille Library which is a special language for the blind where they can read books by touching the embossed dots. The Institute has recently started a Digital Audio Library where books on the syllabus, general knowledge and literature are provided in three languages-Hindi, Punjabi and English. NAVCHETNA also takes up other promotional welfare activities for the general improvement of such children in the society. Such a big mission which can change the lives of so many people leading them to success cannot be achieved without the support of the society. To make this dream come true, we kept getting help from some favourable people and now beside casual donors we have more than 400 regular donors and more are welcome to join the NAVCHETNA family.



**Academic Achievements**

**PSEB Results**

**2008-2009**  
 (+2)  
 Sh Ajay Thakur-75.33%  
 Sh Gurdas Singh-74%  
 Sh Maninder Singh-77.11%  
 (Matriculation)  
 Sh Kuldeep Sharma-70.94%  
 Sh Ajay Sharma-72.35%  
 Sh Sulinder Singh-77.29%

**2009-2010**  
 (+2)  
 Sh Rajnish Goel-81%  
 (Matriculation)  
 Sh Amarjit Singh-73%  
**2010-2011**  
 (+2)  
 Sm Radhika Bansal-64%  
 Sh Inderjeet Singh-56%  
**2012-2013**  
 (Matriculation)  
 Sh Imaam Husain-60%  
 Sh Ajay Kumar-58%  
 Sh Laba Ram-54%

**2013-2014**  
 (+2)  
 Sh Saprinder Singh-60%  
 (Matriculation)  
 Sh Sarabjot Singh-64%  
 (40 students have already passed or are studying with us. Some are now pursuing higher education - 6 are doing BA, 2 are doing B Ed and 2 are doing MA. 4 students are now working under different departments of Punjab Government.)

**The main Aims & Objectives of the trust :**

- ⇒ To open schools for the benefit of visually challenged.
- ⇒ To provide free education and support rehabilitations for such children.
- ⇒ To provide boarding, lodging facilities absolutely free to such children.
- ⇒ To enable them to lead a self confident life.
- ⇒ To establish and run training cum vocational centres for such children.
- ⇒ To establish and maintain hostels for such children.
- ⇒ To establish, affiliate or associate with compatible institutions.
- ⇒ To establish and run libraries for such children.
- ⇒ To take up other promotional welfare activities for the general Improvement in living condition for such children.