



RUKMINI DEVI COLLEGE OF FINE ARTS **PROSPECTUS FOR PRATAMA COURSES (2024-2025)**

Rukmini Devi college of Fine Arts is the flagship unit of Kalakshetra Foundation established by the legendary Rukmini Devi Arundale. The Foundation in its endeavour in promoting India's traditional art and culture conducts part time courses called Pratama course for the children.

Courses offered:

- Bharatanatyam
- Carnatic Music – Vocal
- Carnatic Instrumental - Veena / Violin / Mridangam
- Painting
- Clay modelling

“COURSE DURATION IS SIX YEARS”

“Parents should note that the Pratama classes are conducted only by **Offline mode (Direct Classes) at the Kalakshetra foundation campus.**” Class timings will be strictly adhered to and request for change will not be entertained.

i) Age Criteria:

Children between 7 years of age and 17 years of age only will be admitted. The age will be calculated as on 1st July 2024.

ii) Class timings:

One hour per class from 4.30 pm to 5.30 pm on the following days:

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| Bharatanatyam | Monday, Wednesday, 1 st and 3 rd Friday |
| Carnatic Music and & Instruments | Tuesday, Thursday, 2 nd and 4 th Friday |
| Visual Arts | Tuesday, Thursday, 2 nd and 4 th Friday |

The parents are expected to drop their ward at least 10 minutes before the commencement of classes at the Kalakshetra campus.

iii) Application process:

Applications can be made only online in the following path:

<https://www.kalakshetra.in> \implies College \implies Online Application \implies Pratama applications



iv) **Selection Process:**

Based on the interaction with children to find out their orientation towards Dance (Bharatanatyam) Carnatic Music (Vocal/Veena/Violin/Mridhangam)/Visual Arts(Painting /Clay modelling) they will be selected.

v) **Fee Structure:**

| YEAR OF STUDY | FIRST TERM TUITION FEE (To be paid before starting of the classes) | | | Payable before 31 st of October 2024) | GRAND TOTAL |
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| | TUITION FEE | CALENDAR FEE | TOTAL | | |
| FIRST YEAR DANCE, CARNATIC MUSIC AND VISUAL ARTS | 8700* | 200 | 8900 | 8300 | 17200 |

**Includes Rs. 400/- as admission fee*

vi) **Dress Code:**

For Boys – Pyjamas and Kurta (Preferably white in colour)

For Girls – Salwar/Chouridar/Long Skirt and Pyjamas.

vii) **General instructions:**

If any damage is caused by the students to the musical instruments the cost at the market price will be recovered from the parent concerned.

Parents should ensure that students are not allowed to wear expensive jewellery, carry cash, mobile phones. Kalakshetra Foundation will not be responsible for any loss of personal belongings.

Parents who come to drop the students should be in proper dress suiting the traditions of Kalakshetra Foundation.

viii) **Note to the parent:**

The parents are advised to fill out the form carefully to avoid any spelling mistakes while filling out their email address and mobile numbers.