





KANAKIA
KIDS

Igniting
Imaginations,
Inspiring
Futures

discover
our

stories

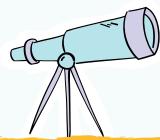


Welcome To Kanakia Kids

Where we bring imagination to life!



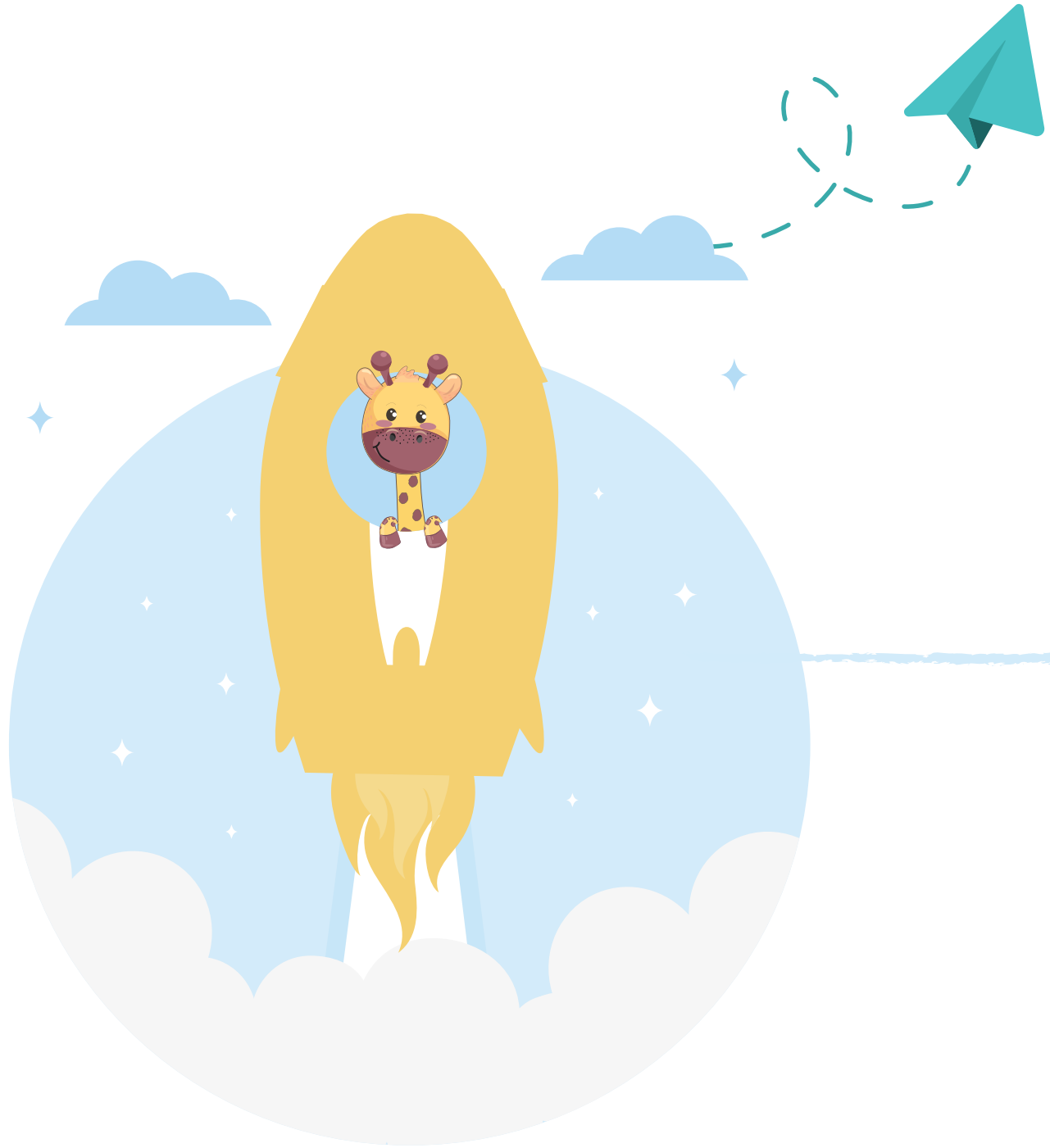
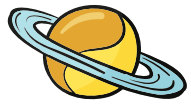
Our goal at Kanakia Kids is to encourage children to be the authors of their own unique learning stories, to present them with learning opportunities that facilitates their minds in drawing real-world connections and recognizing patterns with both logic and creativity.

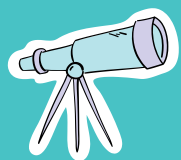


We welcome children aged 2.5 to 5 years old into a caring and welcoming environment where they feel safe, happy, and challenged in the indoor as well as outdoor environment.

Our approach to education is open-ended and fluid, where learning is unrestricted. We strive to develop strong bodies, open minds, and passionate hearts.

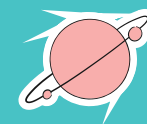






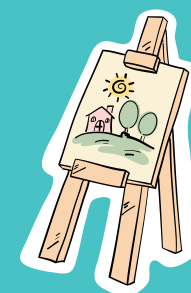
Vision

We believe in enriching young minds with knowledge, skills and humanistic values. Our innovative curriculum strives for academic excellence and the development of our students into lifelong learners and 21st century leaders. We aspire to create an inspiring environment for young enquiring minds that will soon go on to make the world a better place.



Mission

We deliver a collaborative, advanced education that fosters the necessary values, skills, mental and physical well-being required to form self-motivated leaders and responsible future citizens. Inquiring young minds will find an educative environment perfectly suited for their ever-growing curiosities.





Whether it's jumping in puddles, exploring nature, or building castles, our preschool is a place where imagination runs wild and adventure awaits at every turn.

We believe that play is the best way for children to learn and develop social and cognitive skills. We encourage hands-on exploration and discovery through a variety of activities that caters to the different learning needs of children.



Our classrooms are full of color and sparkle, equipped with books from different genres, colorful toys, and games that spark curiosity and promote learning in a fun and interactive way.



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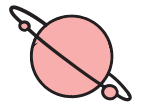
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Our
Program



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Pre-primary, Kanakia Kids



Our program focuses on developing social-emotional skills, language and literacy, math and science concepts, and creative expression.

We use a play-based approach to learning that is child-centered and encourages curiosity and exploration. In addition, we offer specialized programs such as music, art, and foreign language classes that provide enrichment opportunities for our students. We believe in fostering a love of learning in our students and preparing them for a successful transition to elementary school.





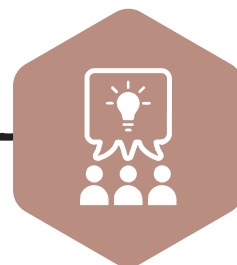
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play-based curriculum



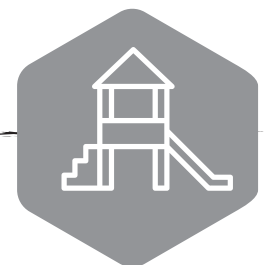
The Reggio Emilia
inspired approach



Life-skills oriented
grooming & development



Thoughtfully curated
learning space



Excellent indoor &
outdoor play area

Early Years

UNIQUELY DESIGNED PLAY-BASED CURRICULUM

– PLAY accompanies all the activities under the school's curriculum that encapsulates the overall learning experiences of our learners.

REGGIO EMILIA APPROACH

– In Reggio it is said that 'a child is born with hundred languages through which they express themselves'. Inspired with this thought, we have incorporated the best from Reggio philosophy which helps children in developing a plethora of skills through freedom and thereby gaining confidence.

LIFE-SKILLS ORIENTED GROOMING & DEVELOPMENT

– Kanakia Kids focuses on the wholesome development of children. Activities like role play and enactments help children in developing communication skills. For example, working with the fastening frames and lacing boards help children in independently wearing shoes and clothes.

THOUGHTFULLY CURATED LEARNING SPACES

– At Kanakia Kids, thoughtfully designed setting, selection of toys, books and materials, and intentional teaching practices by teachers and support staff all contribute to creating an environment that facilitates inquiry, language, literacy, and numeracy development. The learning spaces are designed to be joyful and engaging.

EXCELLENT INDOOR & OUTDOOR PLAY AREA

– Indoor and the outdoor play area has been designed keeping in mind children safety foremost, and providing an inclusive environment to all. We want children to collaborate and feel confident of their achievements, hence the equipment and the premises supports this cause.



IB's



Transdisciplinary



WHO WE ARE



An **Inquiry Into The Nature of The Self;**

Beliefs and values; personal, physical, mental, social and spiritual health; human relationships including families, friends, communities, and cultures; rights and responsibilities; what it means to be human.



WHERE WE ARE IN PLACE AND TIME



An **Inquiry Into Orientation in Place And Time;**

Personal histories; homes and journeys; the discoveries, explorations and migrations of humankind; the relationships between and the interconnectedness of individuals and civilizations, from local and global perspectives.



HOW WE EXPRESS OURSELVES



An **Inquiry Into Ways of Discovery And Expressing Ideas;**

Feelings, Nature, Culture, Beliefs And Values; the ways in which we reflect on, extend and enjoy our creativity; our appreciation of the aesthetic.

Themes



HOW THE WORLD WORKS



An **Inquiry Into The Natural World And Its Laws;**

The Interaction Between The Natural World And Human Societies; the impact of scientific and technological advances on society and on the environment.



HOW WE ORGANIZE OURSELVES



An **Inquiry Into The Interconnectedness of Human-made Systems And Communities;**

The structure and function of organizations; societal decision-making; economic activities and their impact on humankind and the environment.



SHARING THE PLANET

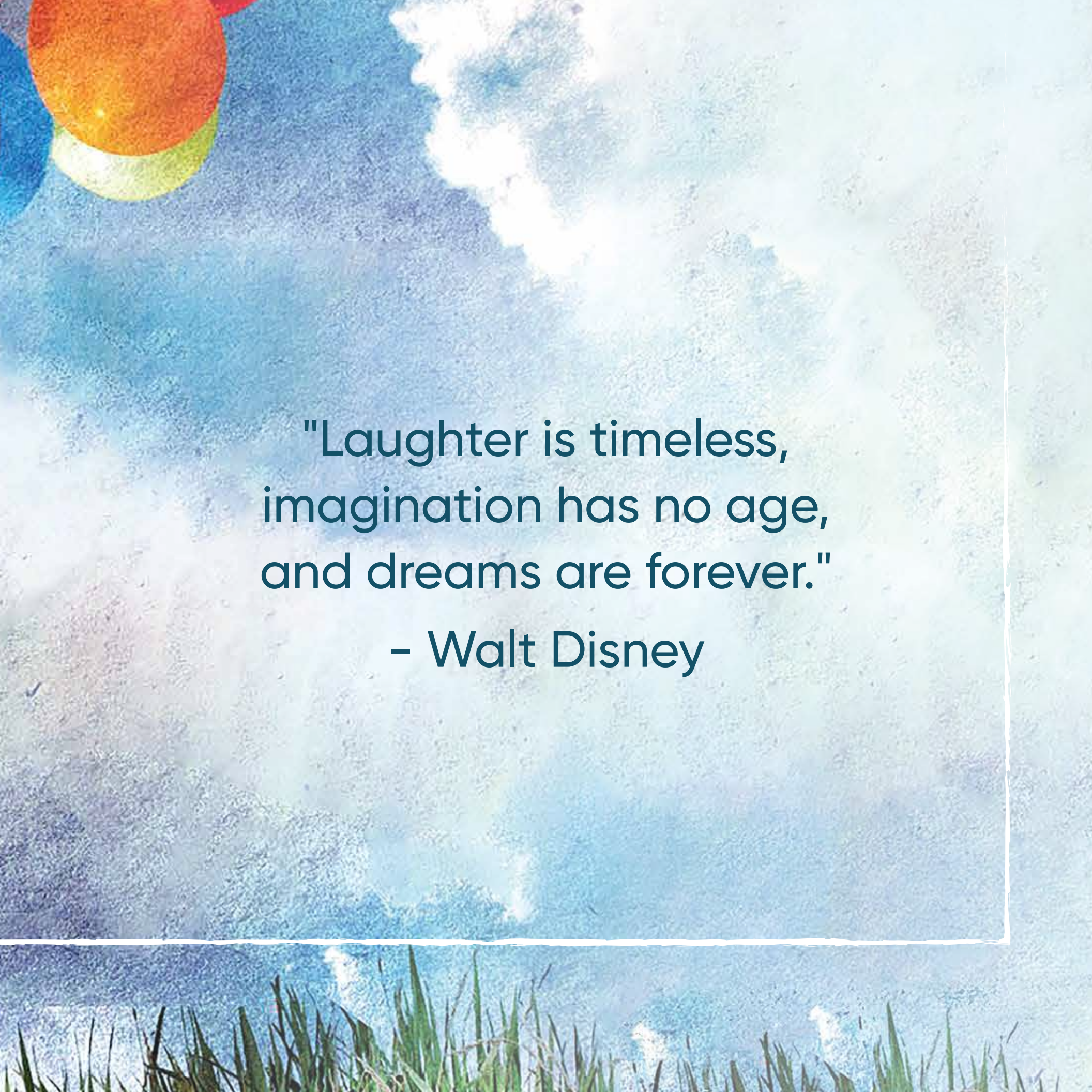


An **Inquiry Into Rights And Responsibilities;**

In the struggle to share finite resources with other people and with other living things; communities and the relationships within and between them; access to equal opportunities; peace and conflict resolution.

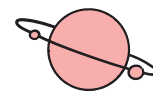


**EXPERIENCE
THE MAGIC
OF LEARNING**



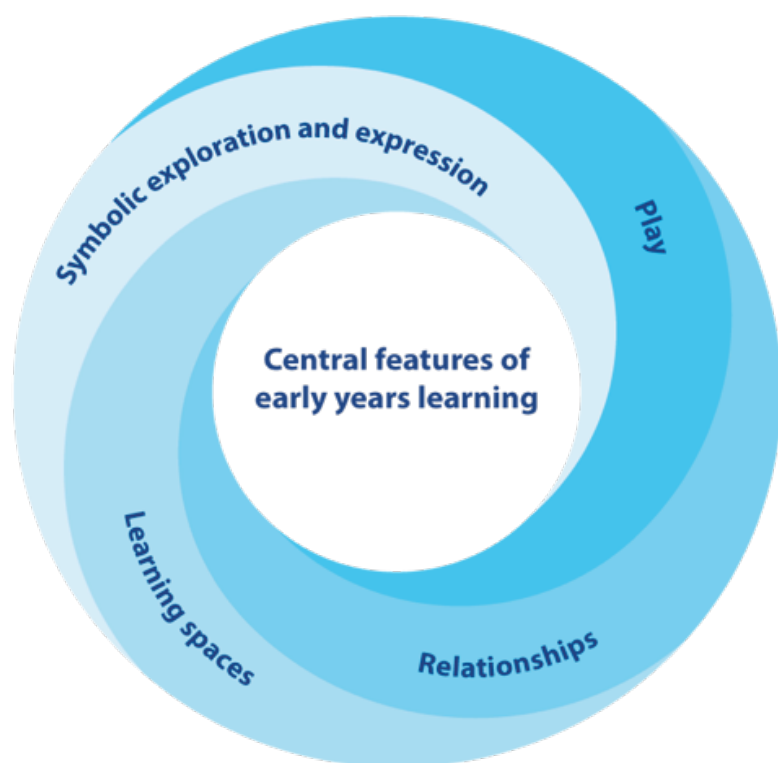
"Laughter is timeless,
imagination has no age,
and dreams are forever."

- Walt Disney




Early Years Programme / Primary Years Programme

The IB way






Our IB Curriculum





Kanakia Kids provides IB Transdisciplinary program which is engaging, exciting, significant and equally challenging for the children.



Early learning focuses on key developmental abilities to support young students in becoming self-regulated learners. Collaboratively planned units of inquiry are developed and continually modified, based on the reflections from the young learners.

The transdisciplinary themes are cognitively and developmentally appropriate for young learners because they provide an authentic context for students to learn increasingly complex ideas about themselves and the world around them.



Where **FUN** and
Learning go
Hand-in-hand





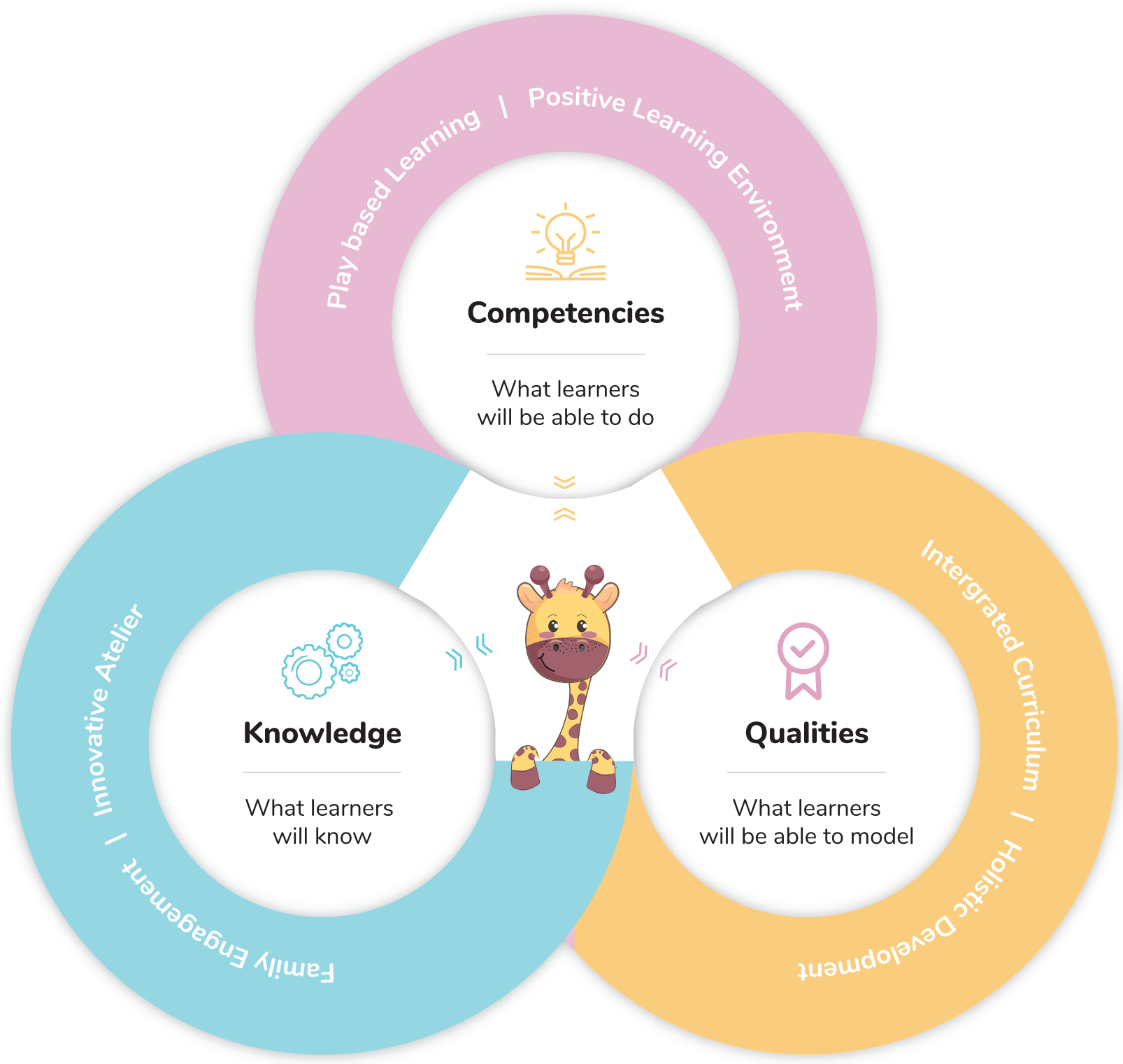
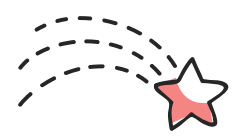
Our classrooms are filled with laughter, creativity, and a sense of adventure that inspires children to learn and grow.

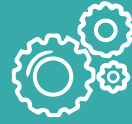
With a focus on hands-on activities and interactive play, we make learning, a fun and meaningful experience for your child.

Our dedicated teachers provide an environment where children can explore their interests, make new friends, and build confidence. Thus developing social and communication skills.

Curriculum Model







KNOWLEDGE

Knowledge is developed through the 'Transdisciplinary theme' experiences. These themes are used to integrate subject knowledge across the main curriculum areas of: Languages, Mathematics, Social Studies, Science and Technology, Arts, Personal, Physical and Social Education (PSPE).



Dance

Improves coordination, agility, flexibility, balance, and spatial awareness in a fun and active way.



Music

Accelerates brain development and leads to better reading, communication, and language skills.



Role Play

Develops language, communication, and collaboration skills and provides experiential learning.



Visual Art

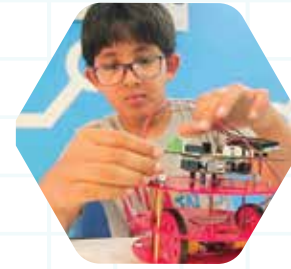
Through art activities learners develop fine motor skills, hand-eye coordination, and problem-solving abilities.





Film Studies

Empowers children to tell their own stories, develops creativity, and digital skills.



STREAM

Integrates Science, Technology, Reading, Engineering, Arts, and Mathematics through creative design.



Exchange Program



Culinary Arts



Horticulture



Atelier in Reggio Emilia philosophy is a creative space for children to work with a variety of materials and express themselves freely. It supports all forms of expression and encourages creative thinking.

At Kanakia Kids children are exposed to various ateliers:



Digital Atelier



Paper Atelier



Photography Atelier



Clay Atelier



Art Atelier





COMPETENCIES

○ **Thinking Skills**

including areas such as critical thinking, creative thinking and ethical thinking

○ **Social Skills**

including areas such as forming and maintaining positive relationships, listening skills, and conflict resolution

○ **Research Skills**

including skills such as comparing, contrasting, validating and prioritizing information

○ **Communication Skills**

including skills such as written and oral communication, effective listening, and formulating arguments

○ **Self-management Skills**

including both organizational skills, such as managing time and tasks, and effective skills, such as managing state of mind and motivation.





QUALITIES



Knowledgeable



Open-minded



Caring



Thinkers



Balanced



Inquirers



Principled



Communicators



Reflective



Risk-takers





A Day at Kanakia Kids



Arrival &
Freeplay

Short
Break



Numeracy

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Languages

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Departure

Literacy



UOI
(Unit Of Inquiry)



Circle Time







The Teaching Approach

Kanakia Kids IB believes relationships shape educational outcomes, and uses IB's ATT (**Attitude Towards Teaching**) & ATL (**Attitude Towards Learning**) to develop these relationships. The ATL supports student learning and the six ATT guide educators towards an IB education.

Faculty at Kanakia Kids embrace diversity and remove barriers in learning, with inquiry principles and practices. They create a collaborative community fostering **Agency** and **Self-efficacy** in all learners through strong relationships.

Kanakia Kids' flexible learning spaces are accessible; reflect learner diversity, and support creativity, inquiry into local and global issues, independence, and transfer of learning. Learners feel shared ownership of these spaces.



The Teaching Approach

Focused on conceptual understanding

- Recognizing and classifying patterns in their learning.
- Making generalizations.
- Internalizing their learning.



Developed in local and global contexts

Students are encouraged to process new information by connection to their own experiences and the world around them.



Focused on effective teamwork and collaboration

Through positive, secure and collaborative relationships, learners experience well-being and discover their identity.



Based on inquiry

Educator-facilitated through observation to questions that arise through play.



Designed to remove barriers to learning

Teaching is inclusive and values diversity. Educators personalize learning based on individual needs and development.



Informed by assessment

Effective assessment supports agency, self-regulation, engagement through feedback, reflection and goal setting.



Making
Memories
and Mastering **Skills**

At Kanakia Kids, we know that making meaningful connections is just as important as mastering new skills. We focus on creating a welcoming and inclusive environment where children can form lifelong friendships and learn valuable social skills that will serve them well throughout their lives.

We believe that every child is unique and that their experiences and relationships during the early years can have a profound impact on their social and emotional development. We encourage children to play, explore, and learn together, building a sense of community, support, and International Mindedness that will help them grow and thrive.



A hot air balloon with a giraffe in the basket, flying against a blue sky with stylized clouds. The balloon's envelope is divided into vertical stripes of teal, orange, and red. The basket is yellow with a teal rim and three yellow straps. A cartoon giraffe with brown spots and ossicones is sitting in the basket. The title 'Soaring One' is written in a white, hand-drawn, chalk-like font in the upper right quadrant.

Soaring One

In IB early years teaching and learning, many elements are inspired by **Reggio-Emilia philosophy** where children are encouraged to investigate a topic or question of interest to them.



To New Heights, Day at a Time

Our curriculum is tailored to meet the individual needs of each child, and our teachers are committed to helping every child reach their full potential.

Our range of activities allows children to express their creativity and discover their passions. From music and dance to science experiments, atelier presentation, film studies and art projects, there's always something exciting for each child to practice and manifest their dreams.



An experience with
open spaces, round circles
and lots and lots of Joy!

Supporting Our Learning Community

- Virtual community events
- Digital curriculum documents
- Podcast & blogs (GiGi's world)
- Engagement through social media
- Access to collaborative learning hub
- LIVE webinars with experts and professionals
- School Desk App
- Monthly calendars
- Online Q&A support
- Parent partnership program
- Printable learning resources
- Secure class and homework portfolio sharing
- Personalised and differentiated learning strategies



Parent
Partnership





At Kanakia Kids, we value the crucial role of parents in a child's education. As the first facilitators, parents shape their child's attitudes towards learning and provide support at home.

We welcome them as partners in education, offering opportunities to participate in school activities and provide suggestions. By involving parents, we aim to create a well-rounded learning experience and foster a sense of community among our parents, teachers and learners.

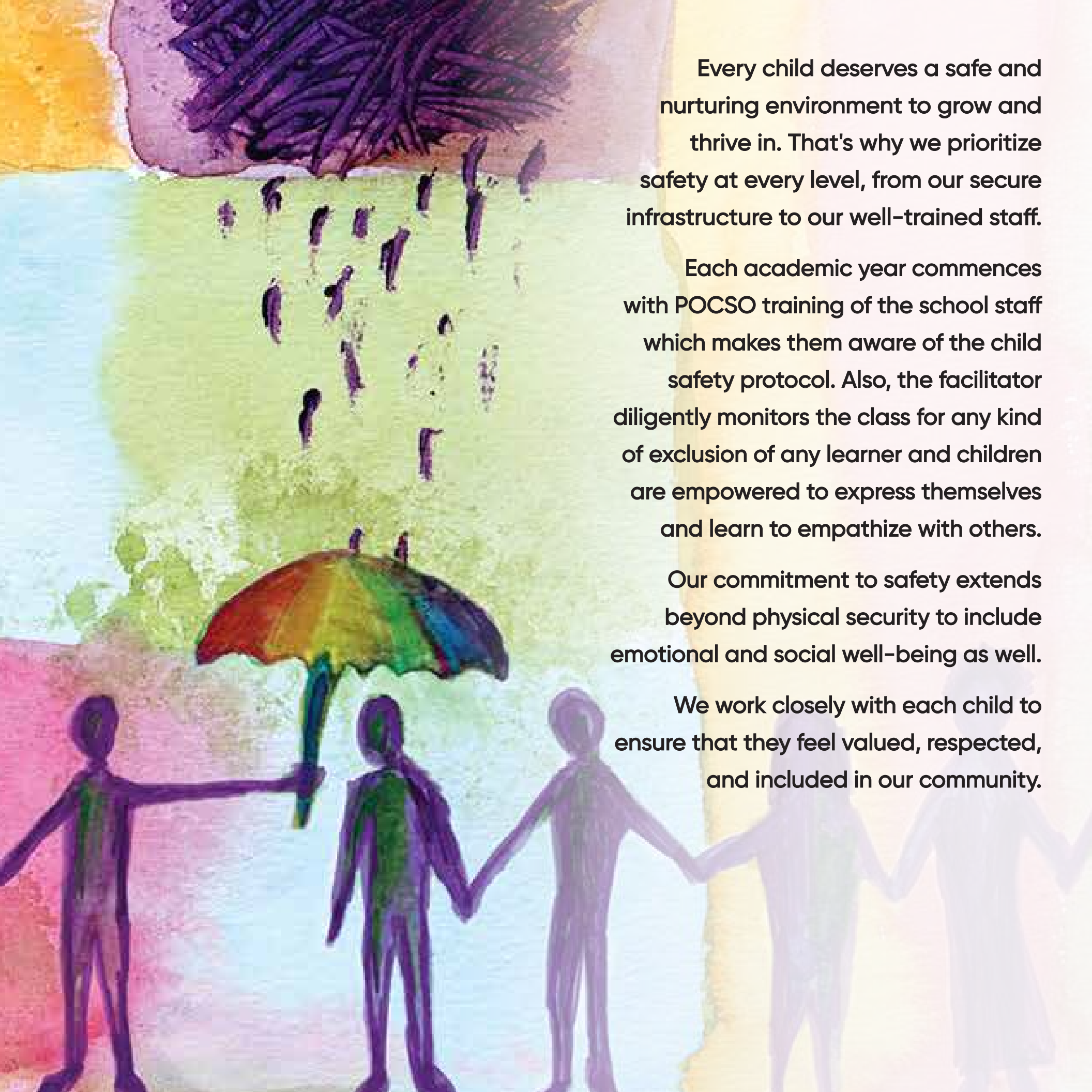


A Safe

Place to Grow

and Thrive





Every child deserves a safe and nurturing environment to grow and thrive in. That's why we prioritize safety at every level, from our secure infrastructure to our well-trained staff.


Each academic year commences with POCSO training of the school staff which makes them aware of the child safety protocol. Also, the facilitator diligently monitors the class for any kind of exclusion of any learner and children are empowered to express themselves and learn to empathize with others.

Our commitment to safety extends beyond physical security to include emotional and social well-being as well.

We work closely with each child to ensure that they feel valued, respected, and included in our community.

A child with short blonde hair, wearing a blue turtleneck hoodie, stands with their back to the camera. They are positioned in front of a large, colorful abstract painting with various shades of red, purple, yellow, and blue. The floor is a light beige color.

Big
FUTURE
START **With**

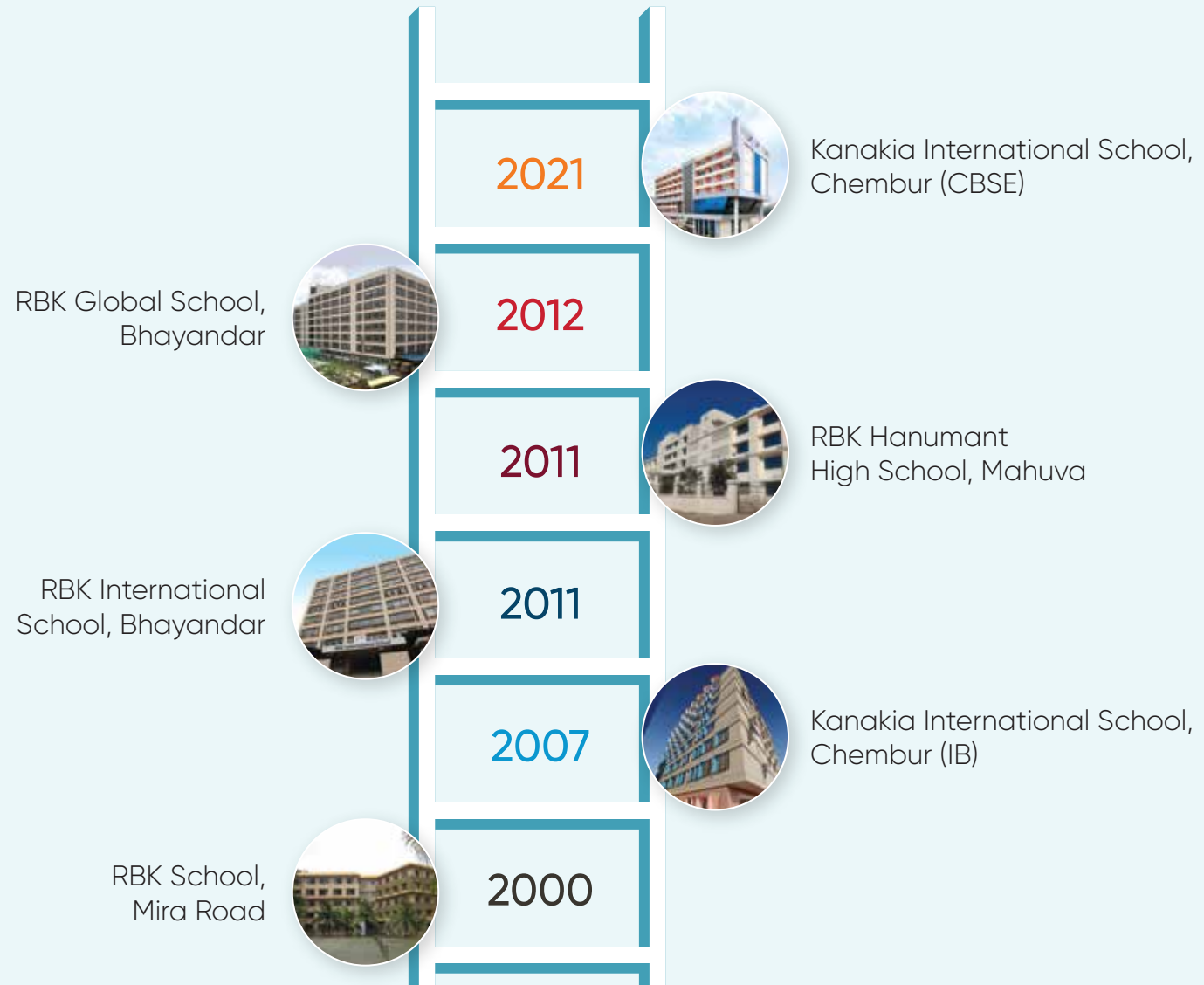


By focusing on small successes and building a strong foundation for learning, we plant the seed of confidence and resilience, essential for any stage in life.

Little Steps

Pioneers in Education

SINCE 2000



Council for the Indian School
Certificate Examination



International
Baccalaureate



Cambridge
International



Central Board of
Secondary Education



2018-19

RBK International
School, Bhayandar

2017-18

RBK Global School,
Bhayandar

2016-17

RBK Hanumant High School,
Mahuva

2011-12

Kanakia International
School, Chembur

2004-05

RBK School, Mira Road

Producing **100%** Result Since



Awards & Recognition





Ranked 1st in Mumbai's
Top IB Pre-School
by Times Pre-School Survey



Excellence in Infrastructure
by Mid-Day
International Education Icons



Ranked 2nd in Mumbai's
Top International
Curriculum Pre-School



Excellence in Technology
in Learning by Mid-day



Excellence in
Faculty Training by Mid-day



Effective Technology
Implementing Award by IEA



Innovation in National
Curriculum by Mid-day



Times Education Icons



Best Early Education
Innovative Curriculum



Design Thinking Leaders
Preschool Grand Jury Award



Best Practices in
Developmentally Appropriate use
of Technology in Education by IDA
(Indian Didactics Association)



Discover the



Learn through **PLAY**, where students take charge,
Set goals, engage in a natural way, feel respected and comfortable at home.

Confidently sharing ideas and asking questions with ease,
Developing **SELF-EFFICACY**, building strong identities with ease.



Kanakia Kids

Differences

Building **AGENCY** through self-efficacy and play,
Exploring, wondering, creating and, learning every day.

Safe and stimulating **LEARNING SPACES** promote risk-taking and fun,
Effective education in the early years has just begun.

DISCIPLINARY and **INTERDISCIPLINARY**,

Nurturing critical thinking and problem-solving, rare and extraordinary.

Our educators **VALUE** students as capable beings,

Fostering respect, and trust.

The **WHOLE CHILD** approach sees potential and growth,

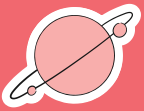
For lifelong learning and social responsibility, both.

ACTION, the essence of binding, doing, thinking, and existence,

Empowering students to perceive, communities' impact and persistence.



A World
Full of
Wonders
Awaits!



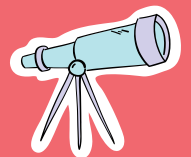
Meet our Mascot!

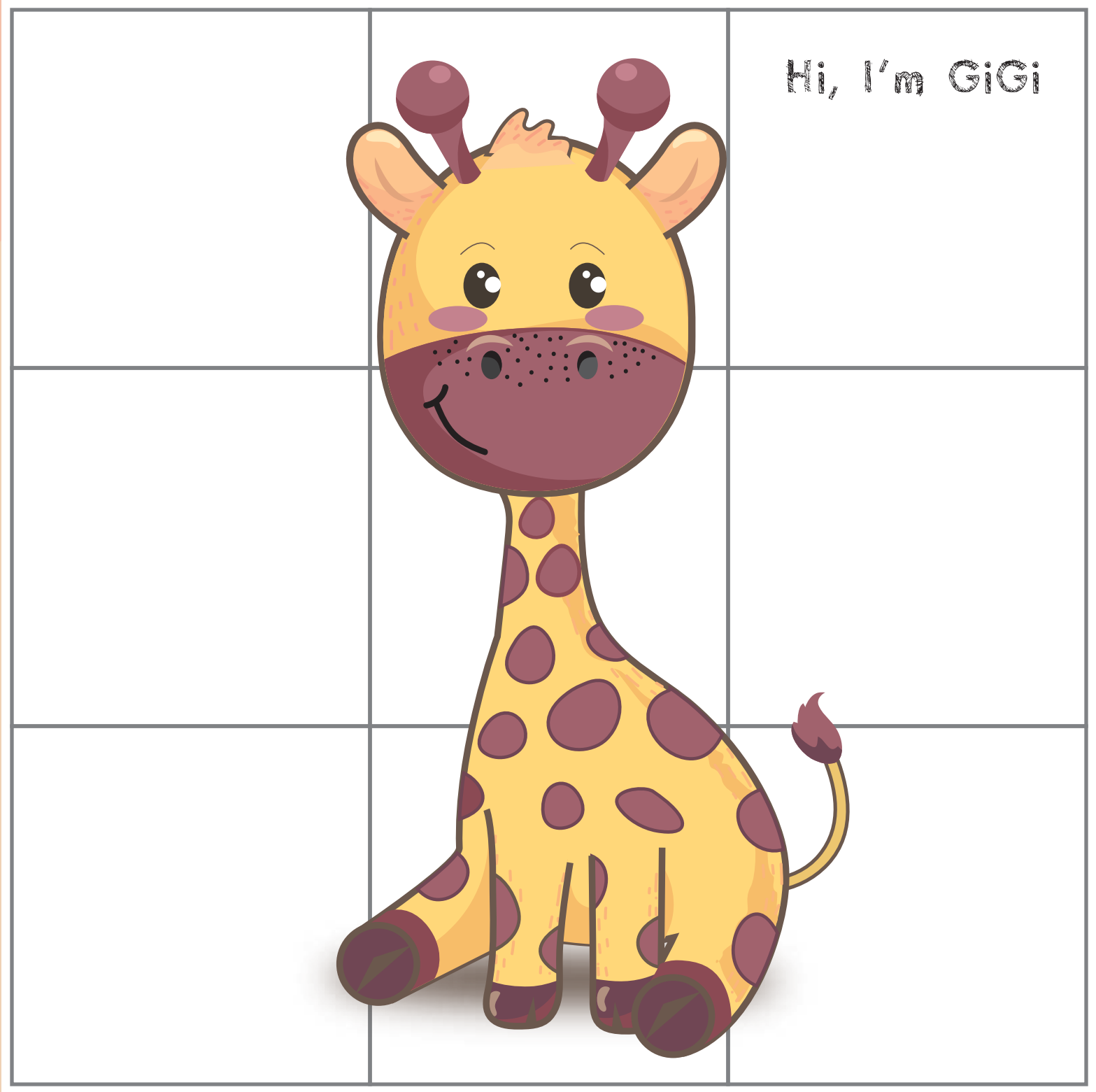
Galileo Galilei
(nicknamed as "GiGi the Giraffe")

Galileo, the "Father of Modern Science" had a multifaceted personality being an Astronomer, Physicist, Professor and Engineer.

"GiGi" our mascot personifies the qualities of this great personality and is a life-long learner, curious, independent thinker and open-minded to new lines of inquiry. Being of scientific temper, has diverse perspectives and works in collaboration, holding high his head and values that make him unique and a better global learner.

Solve the puzzle and bring GiGi to life!





Hi, I'm GiGi



Take the First Step

One of the best ways to get a feel of Kanakia Kids is to visit us.

We welcome families to tour the school and meet with key staff, teachers and pupils.



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Reach Beyond Knowing



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