



**Cambridge Assessment
International Education**
Cambridge International School

**GCE
A LEVEL**

**AT KAASTHAMANDAP
A LEVEL ACADEMY**



**BUILD YOUR
FOUNDATION
FOR UNIVERSITY
EDUCATION
AND BEYOND**



The Cambridge International As and A Level programme is a vibrant, dynamic programme. Students can choose from a wide range of subjects and the qualification is widely recognized and valued by universities around the world.

Kaasthamandap A Level Academy aims to send out graduates who will be responsible global citizens and this can only be fulfilled when students are mature enough to make good judgment calls, have carefully developed 'consciences' and a strong understanding of their own interests and abilities. Through the A Level programme, we believe our students will be able to develop analytical and problem solving skills as well as a deeper understanding of the social and political context of our nation. While becoming capable of competing with the best in the world, we hope they will also become passionate about developing their own country.

We hope our efforts to inculcate the good values of tolerance, perseverance, dedication, and honesty will remain with our graduates and stand them in good stead throughout the ups and downs and the many challenges of life. I would like to reiterate our commitment to providing quality education in an academically stimulating and friendly environment. We are indeed proud as well as humbled by the achievements of our students and faculty in the past. We look forward to continuing our journey towards academic excellence always!

DR SHIBA THAPA
PRINCIPAL

Explore the academically stimulating and friendly environment of Kaasthamandap A Level Academy

A warm welcome to Kaasthamandap A Level Academy.



Our A Level programme has been the choice of many students since its establishment in 1998. This is in recognition of our excellent delivery system, consistent academic performance and the attainment of Cambridge Top in the World and Country awards. We have two world toppers in Mathematics and one in General Paper, with a good number of Country toppers on our record.

Pursuing the Cambridge International A Level qualification will be exciting and rewarding. You will receive academic guidance from our experienced and qualified body of faculty members, along with access to a wide range of learning facilities and support services.

Besides providing an intellectually stimulating academic environment, KAA puts great emphasis on the overall development of its students and therefore, you will have ample opportunities to participate in extracurricular activities.

Our Guidance Counsellor will work closely with you during your undergraduate application process, and bring you a step closer to attaining your goals and opening you up to a world of possibilities.

We are extremely proud of our students and their individual success stories. I look forward to working with you to ensure that you leave as successful individuals fully prepared for higher studies and be able to meet future challenges with confidence.

YADAB THAPALIYA
A LEVEL COORDINATOR

OUR ACHIEVERS

2017 CIE Toppers



BISHNU DEV
NEPAL TOPPER IN CHEMISTRY AND
COMPUTER SCIENCE

“KAA has one of the best environments for learning. It has helped to hone my academic ability and showed me the right direction. The staff members are very friendly and supportive. KAA truly helps students in their intellectual growth and social enhancement, thereby preparing them to cope with the challenges that lie ahead.

Kaasthamandap is a unique platform for students to nurture their talents and interests. The friendly atmosphere and supportive staff have played a crucial role in helping me achieve what I have today. The conducive environment this college provides will be significant to any student, and I am sure that my time here will continue to support me in the future.



SIMEEL ANGDEMBE
WORLD TOPPER IN GENERAL PAPER,
NEPAL TOPPER IN PHYSICS & BIOLOGY

Previous Toppers



SUJESH SHRESTHA
NEPAL TOPPER IN ACCOUNTING
(AS, 2008)
NEPAL TOPPER IN ACCOUNTING
(AL, 2009)



RISAV KARNA
NEPAL TOPPER IN COMPUTING
(AL, 2009)



BIJAYA ADHIKARI
WORLD TOPPER IN MATHEMATICS
(AS, 2009)
NEPAL TOPPER IN PHYSICS (AS,
2009)



INGROJ SHRESTHA
WORLD TOPPER IN MATHEMATICS
(AS, 2009)
WORLD TOPPER IN MATHEMATICS
(AL, 2010)

PREPARE YOURSELF



What KAA offers

Kaasthamandap A Level Academy is an extension of Kaasthamandap Vidhyalaya, a well established school with an excellent reputation for academic excellence and extra-curricular activities.

KAA offers the Cambridge International Advanced Level (A Level) Course, equivalent to +2 as per the Government's policy. It is an international benchmark qualification providing excellent preparation for university education. The student-centric approach of our college with highly qualified and experienced faculty, tailor-made services of guidance counselling and extra curricular activities, supplemented by pertinent facilities and resources are aimed at enabling students realise their aspirations.

The A Level syllabuses are designed to encourage students to think and reason critically, and to develop learning skills that enable them to excel in their chosen careers.

Subjects Offered

A Level offers a wide range of subjects within science, management, and liberal arts, giving students the freedom to choose the subjects they are interested in.

Besides English General Paper (AS Level), which is compulsory (except for students who take English Language and Literature), students must choose at least three subjects at Advanced Level. Students are also encouraged to take an additional subject of their choice.

ACCOUNTING

ART & DESIGN

BIOLOGY

BUSINESS STUDIES

CHEMISTRY

COMPUTER SCIENCE

ECONOMICS

ENGLISH LANGUAGE
& LITERATURE (AS)

FURTHER MATHEMATICS

MATHEMATICS

NEPAL STUDIES (AS)

PHYSICS

PSYCHOLOGY

SOCIOLOGY

TRAVEL & TOURISM (AS)



WE SUPPORT YOU

Our Mission & Philosophy

KAA seeks to provide students with a congenial and positive, yet challenging environment that will support their all-round development needs and inner holistic growth. This will lay the foundation that will eventually bring about in our graduates their best capabilities which will make them productive members of our society, country and eventually the world.



Guidance & Career Counselling

Faculty members with extensive experience assist the school Guidance Counsellor in guiding and supporting students throughout the A Level programme and university application process. We focus on recommending the right degrees and institutions, preparing applications with a balance of academics, co-curricular and extra-curricular activities for college/university placements.

“As your Guidance Counsellor, my priority is to ensure that you perform your best academically. Besides your academic goals, I will help you with your career choices, your personal and social development. My wish is to see you grow as productive, confident and well adjusted adults of tomorrow.”

MS HIRA GURUNG
GUIDANCE COUNSELLOR

Facilities

KAA is well equipped with facilities and resources that aid and enhance learning and personal development. Some of the salient features are:

- ▶ Located in a quiet and peaceful area which is conducive for learning
- ▶ Well ventilated classrooms with ample sunlight
- ▶ A well stocked library for research, quiet study and for borrowing books
- ▶ Computer laboratory
- ▶ CIE approved Science laboratories for practical work
- ▶ Multi-purpose hall with audio-video facility
- ▶ Access to futsal/football grounds for football practices and matches
- ▶ Ample playground for games, with a basketball court, table tennis boards, football ground
- ▶ Hygienic and well balanced lunch (optional)
- ▶ Transportation facility (optional)



GET INVOLVED

Extra Curricular Activities at KAA

KAA has a number of clubs through which students organise various programmes and activities like musical and cultural shows, internal and external competitions, publication of newsletters and magazines. The chief objective is to instill leadership qualities, develop team spirit in students and contribute to their all-round development.



KAA MODEL UNITED NATIONS (KAA MUN)

KAA MUN is an annual event where students role-play delegates to the United Nations and simulate UN committees. It is a good learning experience, especially in the field of diplomacy and international affairs. It instills confidence in public speaking and makes the participants more aware of contemporary world issues. We encourage students to participate in various inter-school MUNs, where our students have been successful in achieving various awards, as well as, getting invited to be the dais members.

COMMUNITY SERVICE

Our students are also involved in social-service oriented programmes. Currently, KAA students volunteer their service at Orchid Garden Nepal (www.orchidgardennepal.wordpress.com) where they assist the teachers in various capacities.



KAA INTER A LEVEL BASKETBALL COMPETITION

Every year we host the Kaasthamandap Inter A Level Basketball Competition where different renowned A Level colleges participate. Besides this, KAA students participate in inter-college basketball and also futsal tournaments throughout the year.



THE DUKE OF EDINBURGH'S INTERNATIONAL AWARD

KAA has also introduced the Duke of Edinburgh's International Award from the year 2017 with a vision to provide a supportive, non-competitive youth development platform that deepens self-awareness, builds confidence and broadens skills. The experience enhances their growth as active and responsible citizens. Participating in the award is a personal challenge and not a competition against others. It pushes young people to go beyond their limits and recognises their achievements.



DIVERSITY DAY

Diversity Day at KAA is an annual event to commemorate the diverse culture and traditions in our country and in the world at large. This day is marked with a display of diverse costumes, food, music and dance.



Widen your horizon...

COME JOIN US

Admission

Students completing the Secondary Education Examination (SEE), GCSE, CBSE or equivalent can apply for admission to follow the GCE A Level programme.

Prospective students are welcome to get the admission forms from our office. Students who can fulfill the scholastic aptitude of this challenging programme are admitted upon passing the entrance test and an interview.

SCHOLARSHIP

We offer merit and need based scholarship to deserving students.



Students Share

I have lived in a hostel in Pokhara for 10 long years but never have I come across such an amazing and beautiful environment as at KAA. Everyone is so kind and helpful and I feel blessed to be here. I have never been so happy before. I have made some really good friends and KAA feels like home. I am very happy to be part of the KAA family.

DAVID ZOLLINGER, AS

KAA offers a challenging, yet a rewarding learning environment that encourages students to learn and to grow. KAA has enabled us to develop our potentials to the fullest, bringing us one step closer to our goals. The close-knit family here has made our high school experience even more wonderful!

BISHAKHA PUN, AS

I have been passionate about sports since a young age. I was offered a place at KAA in view of my sporting ability. Together with my teammates, we have won several trophies in football and in basketball matches. KAA has provided me with many opportunities to improve my confidence and skills in sports.

SEUNG HYUN SEO, A2

I had joined this college with a vague idea of my goals but now thanks to the support and encouragement I have received from the staff and friends here. I have figured out what I aspire to become. My two years at KAA has been like a game of tennis: a little love, a few faults, but overall a wonderful challenge.

NANA ITO SHERPA, A2

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Visit Us

Located in Mandikhatar, Kaasthamandap A Level Academy is easily accessible. It is about 500 metres from the Ring Road at Dhumbarahi Chowk.

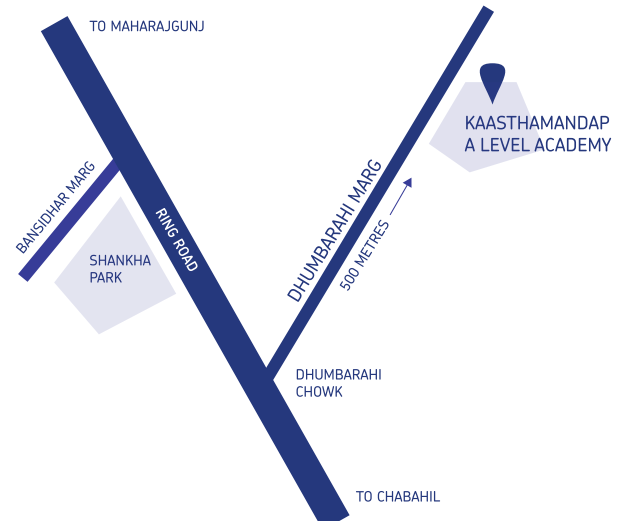
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