

Memorandum of Understanding

Between

Panjab University, Sector-14, Chandigarh

And

Ankur School, Sector 14, Panjab University Campus, Chandigarh

Preamble

Where Panjab University, Chandigarh (established originally at Lahore {now in Pakistan} in 1882) hereafter called Panjab University with Five star-rating by the National Assessment and Accreditation Council (NAAC), with potential for excellence has been imparting education in Sciences, Engineering and Technology, Medical Sciences, Management Education, Education, Commerce, Law, Arts, Languages and other professions, for advancement of Higher Education and Research.

Whereas Ankur School, Sector-14, Panjab University, Chandigarh was established in the year 1976 with the help of Student Aid Society of Panjab University, hereafter called School. It was formally inaugurated on 3rd March, 1976 by Mrs. Sangamma Basappa Jatti, wife of the then Vice-President of India, B.D Jatti. The wife of the Vice-Chancellor, Panjab University is the Chairperson of the Ankur School Managing Committee under whose overall guidance the school functions. The School is situated in Sector- 14 of Chandigarh within the campus of Panjab University. It has two buildings- the Nursery Wing housing classes from Pre-Nursery to K.G and the Primary and High School in the adjacent newly constructed building from Class I to X. The school is equipped with the latest Teaching Aids, Rich Library, Computer Laboratory, and Science Laboratory.

Whereas, the Panjab University has started the Department of Community Education and Disability Studies, hereafter called the Department, in the year 2007 with the objectives of:

- a) Acquiring knowledge and skills about Human Development; Contemporary Indian Education, and Pedagogy of various school subjects; and Assessment for learning.
- b) Acquiring knowledge and skills about Nature and Educational Needs of Children with Disabilities as well as of Specific Learning Disabilities.
- c) Develop conceptual understanding of Educational Provisions for children with various disabilities in Special and Inclusive settings.
- d) Enhance knowledge and skills for professional development.

Whereas in this context, Department of Community Education and Disability Studies, Panjab University and Ankur School, Sector-14, Panjab University, Chandigarh have agreed upon for signing a Memorandum of Understanding(hereafter called MOU) for cooperation between the two institutions for smooth conduct of the courses and for the benefit of students, the Department as well as of the School.


Registrar.
Panjab University
Chandigarh

Objectives:

Co-operation between the two institutions will focus on areas of common interest.

1. The objectives of this MOU can include, but not be limited to, the following:
 - a) The development of Curricula of Special Education (Specific Learning Disabilities).
 - b) The organization of Cooperative Academic Activities.
 - c) Faculty visits and other faculty collaborations.
 - d) The exchange of Teaching, Learning and other materials of common interest.
 - e) The exploration of common research interests projects under this MOU may Include any of the academic disciplines of Panjab University and the School.
2. In order to carry out and fulfill the aims of this MOU, the Department Chairperson and Principal of the School shall coordinate and shall manage the development and conduct of joint activities.
3. There will be no financial liability of both the institutions towards each other.


Duration:

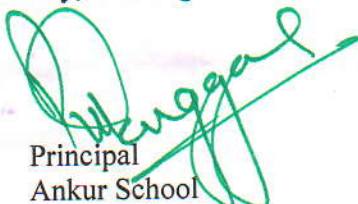
MOU shall stand for five years from the date of its commencement, which may be extendable as per agreement of both the parties.

Review and Closure of MoU:

Notwithstanding anything contained herein, it is agreed by and between Panjab University and the School that the terms and conditions of MoU can be reviewed by mutual consent at any time during its currency. The parties hereto may terminate whole or part of MoU either on account of breach of terms or otherwise after giving a three months notice in writing.

Signed this date of Aug, 17 at Panjab University, Chandigarh.


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Principal
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