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INDIA'S FIRST CAMPUS BASED GURUKUL FOR ASPIRING CHARTERED ACCOUNTANTS



Founder's Message



While we wait for the grass to turn green, we stand on the threshold of a new academic session. I extend my gratitude to all. We are training students in a way to find their strengths and become the very best person they can in life. Here, each student is competent in the best way. Through the course of their teaching-learning here, we ensure to make them better humans that will help them to face challenges in life and compete successfully in the future. Pravin Kantaria who has dedicated his life training students and now has become a part of CA Gurukul Pariwar.

Principal's Message

We are expecting all students will reach the pinnacle of life. The academic session of B.Com 2016-17 from Uttam Prakash Agarwal College of Commerce and Economics is complete and hope the best for great result.

Generally, CA aspirants do not take graduate examination seriously, but I am happy my students have taken every effort in the right spirit whether it is B.COM, CPT or IPCC examinations. Even parents have now realized the significance of B.Com during the journey of chartered accountancy.

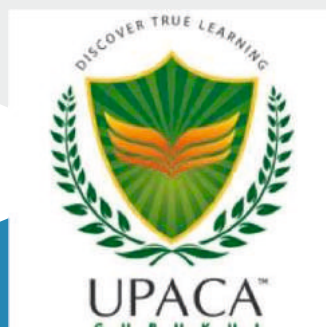
This year admissions are in progress and very encouraging response has been received by Gurukul across the corners of India.

It is a pleasure for me to have a veteran, senior most professional of CA industry, my friend CA Pravin Kantaria who has dedicated his life training students and now has become a part of CA Gurukul Pariwar. His contribution will definitely help my students to get continuous support and encouragement during their career journey.



The Examination

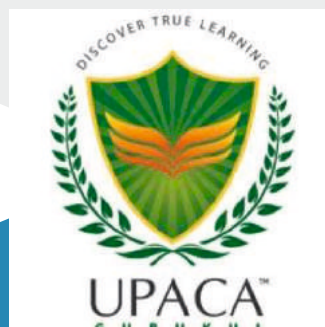
The students are undergoing the prestigious B.Com examination, a progression of skills and knowledge bringing significant changes in their mindset. The proficiency level will shape the knowledge, creating Mentors for tomorrow.



Review Sessions

Relax! Recall! Revise! Whether a student has left the topic till the last minute or is ahead of the game, our revision tips and series helps to ensure exam success. We want our students to be prepared and put the best foot forward.

We welcome the mentor with decades of teaching experience in Chartered Accountancy is sharing his valued knowledge with our students. According to him, one should write quality answers yet should know what not to write. Administering the preparation of each student with their doubts and reinforcing the necessary skills to ensure their learning.

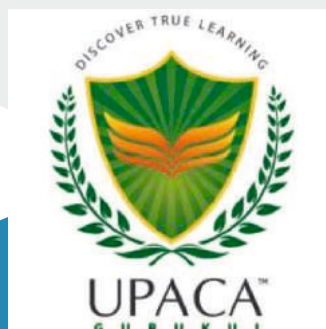




More than three decades ago, a young man qualified himself as a chartered accountant having a dream of serving the society with his innovative ideas, is none other CA Pravin Kantaria. It was the year 1975 when he entered the Nobel profession of teaching for catering to the needs of the students. Today, after three decades, we see that his dedicated garnering of the student's needs has not only benefited the students quantitatively but also qualitatively.

Maharashtra has witnessed top ranking students of H.S.C board. This is achieved because of his sole object of encouraging students by guiding them with his love and affection to bring out their latent talent.

For this, he obviously gets full cooperation and support of all his colleagues as he believes it is team work and team spirit that builds the career of the student. His ways to work with colleagues and students are straight and trustworthy. He always says that all my colleagues are my family members and therefore he has always been a source of enthusiasm for them to perform their duties to the best of their abilities. His cordial nature and polite behavior is reflected in the fact that many of the colleagues and the staff members have been with the institution right since its inception. The deserving and needy students desirous of obtaining in depth knowledge and education are given scholarship to motivate the students; he conceived an idea of honoring all the students who have excelled in various examinations of the College Board, University and C.A etc. by way of awarding gold and silver medals and Scholarship. His social awareness has associated him with many organizations. He is an excellent orator who is sought after at many public meetings and social gathering. His unique ways and methods of imparting education have earned him a right place in the heart of the students. His life oriented teaching helps them to develop inherent qualities like sincerity, obedience towards self and quest for perfection so as to face the challenges of life with courage and confidence.

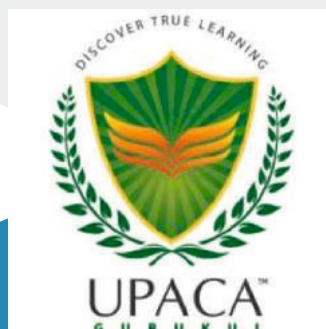


Admission

Gurukul is a cobweb of knowledge, skills, employability of our young talents, their future leadership and ensure harmonious growth. Albert Einstein rightly said, 'Education is not the learning of facts, but the training of the mind to think'. Take a look, of our admissions flooding from different areas of India.

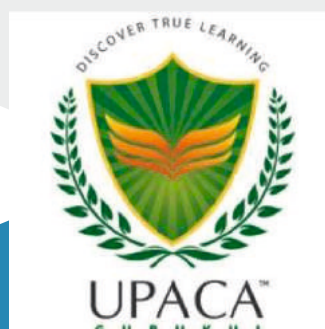


A very conducive and congenial environment, students dressed in robes with a determined, goal oriented mindset preparing to place a benchmark in the Industry.



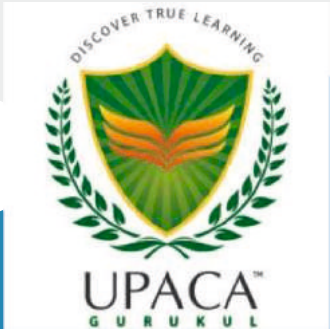
Sports

Any sport activity is valued in order to develop a stable fitness routine. It is a vehicle to physical and emotional learning and is an important expression of our culture. The participation encourages enhancing the potential of our students and is the corner-stone of Gurukul.



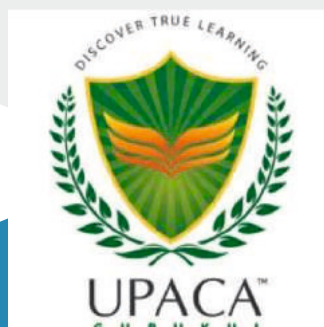
Gurukul has a range of indoor and outdoor facilities to keep fitness agile, under the guidance of the teacher.

From joining the gym, cycling or taking part in outdoor sports, students enjoy the blend to relax and rejuvenate. Leisure offer after all!



Health News

Life at home caters to comfort and attachment. Children find it difficult to stick to a timetable, ensure minimum hours of study a day, adhere to time management and develop a routine. At times, we know students fall sick and parents are intimated to help the child receive the care and attention they need to help them through their illness. Likewise, we have Mrs. Mrinalini Kapoor a mother, sharing her feelings about Gurukul.

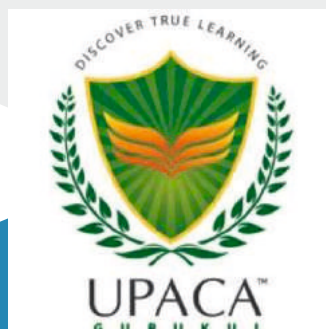


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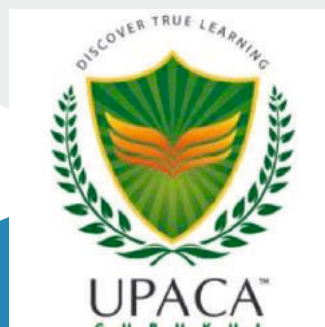
Our Founder CA Sir Uttam Prakash Agarwal encourage inviting guests from different stream of academics and business for our students so that they are able to get an exposure of the current market scenario and enrich a blend of information.

Visitors exchange views and cherish the innovative and creative concept ranging from academics, sports, entertainment or talents in the campus. Recently, we had the Director of 'The Institute of Company Secretaries of India' Mr. A. K Srivastava, flabbergasted to see how the students are trained here.

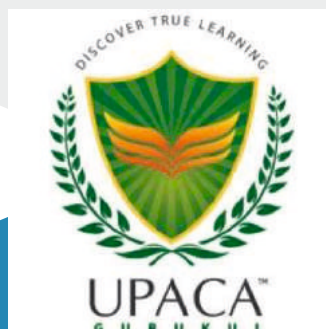


The Environment

Earlier in the morning the blue carpet that stretched into the horizon. The sky was awash with various shades of grey, yet a light managed to break through, soon were now darker and denser. Our students caught the sight and shared with us.

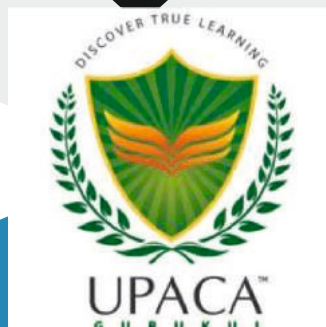


Night



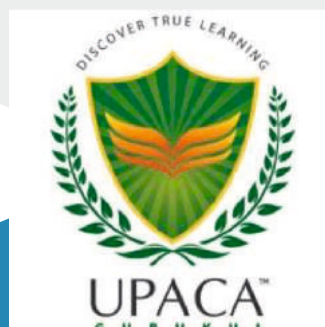
Celebration

The spring festival of colors, singing and dancing! So, sit back; enjoy the students drenched in colors.



The Farm

The concept behind organic farming requires a lot of soil management and skills to raise vegetables, seed crops so that the cooking is experienced as firsthand quality food in the campus.

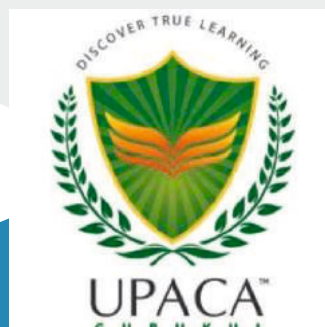


A look at how much care is taken to provide quality food.



Conclusion

For any further communication or suggestions, you can mail us to info@upaca.edu.in



Advisory Board

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| 18 | CA Padmanabh Pundrrikay Vora | Gold Medalist Chartered Accountant & CAIIB All India First |
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Governing Council

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Late.Smt. Radhadevi Agarwal
(Source of Inspiration)

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