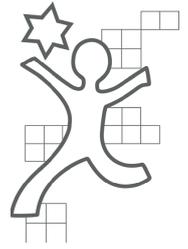




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WHAT IS A GIFTED STUDENT?

We are aware each student is different as part of our personalised attention framework. A quality education that prepares specifically for present and especially future challenges, must recognise these differences and respond appropriately to them. Within the framework of this diversity there is a group of students with specific educational needs that stand out for their high learning potential, which can manifest itself in different ways and in different areas or talents. In some cases, they stand out for how easily they find learning, their ability to generate ideas, their autonomy, precociousness for certain learning, high achievement, their sensitivity...

Detecting these traits early on is essential for their proper development and to foster resources, programmes and methods that respond to their needs and enhance their capacities and abilities.



WHY THE SEK STELLAR PROGRAMME?

The SEK-STELLAR Programme aims to provide a comprehensive response and care for high achieving students. We have been running this programme at SEK International Schools for almost 30 years.

The programme is designed meet the specific needs of these students based on their personal characteristics, their age and their development.

The Stellar Programme aims to ensure high-achieving students develop their potential in the company of other children with the same academic talents without missing out on day-to-day interaction with their peers in the normal school environment. Which is why we support initiatives for schools, such as enrichment, skipping years and enrichment of educational contexts in general.



OBJECTIVES

The general proposals of the course are based on:

- Achieve global personal development and prevent the appearance of problems such as school disintegration at different levels or personal asynchrony.
- Promote cognitive development and personal abilities or talents.
- Develop social and people skills, self-awareness and general emotional intelligence.

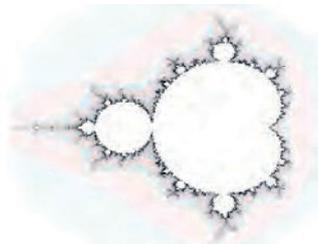
We try to achieve all this through scheduled activities throughout the academic year, which are structured into two large blocks: personal development activities and scientific and technical activities, which in turn are linked within the personal project of each student.

In addition to visits of interest to museums, exhibitions, scientific events, national and international exchange programmes, etc.

The scheme focusses on the needs of families and therefore offers a Family School with extensive information. Furthermore, we offer your children guidance and counselling and tutorial activities. These are staffed by specialised tutors who will provide parents with information and guidance.

Our teachers are experts in teaching and managing high-achievers, having completed the university expert course in HIGH-ACHIEVERS, INTELLIGENCE AND NEUROPSYCHOLOGY,

taught at University Camilo José Cela. In addition, our team is also advised by psychologists specialised in high-achieving students. Every Saturday morning from 10:00 to 14:00





FAMILY ADVICE AND SUPPORT

The Stellar Programme places special emphasis on helping and supporting families of highly gifted children, something that has not always been taken into account, and our programme offers specialised activities to better cater for their needs. We offer individual monitoring of the needs of each student through personalised tutorials, where information is given, doubts are clarified and families are given direction. Also, face-to-face sessions are offered in the form of workshops, face-to-face or online parenting classes and consultations with experts throughout the year.

GATHERING OF YOUNG TALENT

Since 2019, we have organised, together with Camilo José Cela University, an Annual Young Talent Conference, in which students from different cities and programmes showcase their work and research. It has been done with great success.

ENRICHMENT ACTIVITIES

Specific enrichment activities are used to develop skills and to introduce students to areas of science not usually included in academic curricula.

It is very important to awaken the scientific interest of gifted and talented children and young people, in this way their insatiable curiosity will find a channel and they will be able to design their future with greater freedom. This also prevents learning and motivational difficulties while fostering social relationships with peers since most of these tasks are done in a cooperative and group way.

The different areas vary according to the annual programmes and the interests and ages of the students. Families are given timetables, calendars and syllabus at the start of each year.



GENERAL ENRICHMENT AREAS

Areas of personal development

- Self-awareness: strengths and weaknesses
- Relationships
- Communications skills.
- Cooperation skills
- Practical intelligence
- Emotional intelligence
- Personal development plan

Scientific-technical areas

- Singular Projects
- Scientific experimentation
- Economics, Business School
- Technology, nanotechnology, cybernetics
- Art • Literature • Theatre, Cinema, Photography
- Astronomy / Astrophysics / Cosmology
- Biology • Urbanism, Architecture
- Activities in nature Visits of interest: museums, exhibitions, scientific events, exchange programmes, etc.





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Who is it aimed at?

Boys and girls from 4 to 14
years of age

Place

SEK INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL
SANTA ISABEL
Calle San Ildefonso, 18,
28012 Madrid, Spain

Timetable

Saturdays during
term-time from
10:00 to 13:30

Start

18/09/2021

Enrolment open from 16-08-21

For other information or to request enrolment please contact programaestrella@sek.es
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