









ABOUT THE SCHOOL

Dhirubhai Ambani International School (DAIS) is a world-class institution, consistently ranked as India's No. 1 international day school and among the top international schools globally. With exceptional results from a non-selective intake, DAIS stands among the world's highest-performing schools—a distinction earned through two decades of sustained excellence, visionary leadership, and a deep commitment to holistic education.

With the opening of the **Nita Mukesh Ambani Junior School (NMAJS)** in August 2024, DAIS has formally restructured into **two distinct schools under one trust**: Together, the two schools operate across three adjacent campuses in Mumbai's Bandra-Kurla Complex (BKC):

- NMAJS Campus A state-of-the-art facility adjacent to the existing DAIS campus, sharing a common playground, offering PYP (Classes I-V) and MYP (Classes VI-VIII).
- NMAJS Early Years Campus Located at the Jio World Centre, offering Nursery, LKG, and UKG.
- DAIS Secondary Campus Is currently under renovation with the Secondary School operating from the NMAJS campus adjacent to its original site.

Recognised as India's #1 International School (EducationWorld 2013-2025) and ranked 9th globally among IBDP schools (Education Advisers 2025), DAIS is accredited by CIS and NEASC. It stands as the only Indian school in Hurun's Top 10 International Schools (outside the US and UK).

The school fosters excellence through a whole-child approach—nurturing intellectual curiosity, resilience, and empathy alongside academic mastery. Students are encouraged to "Dare to Dream, Learn to Excel," balancing academic rigour with creativity, collaboration, and social responsibility.

DISCOVER LIFE IN MUMBAI

Mumbai, often called the Gateway of India, is a city of contrasts—vibrant, ambitious, and endlessly inspiring. It is a melting pot of cultures and ideas, offering a rich and diverse experience to all who call it home. Living here offers both a fulfilling lifestyle and the opportunity for meaningful cultural immersion.

With a moderate climate, thriving food and arts scene, and easy access to some of India's most beautiful destinations, Mumbai offers a life that balances professional purpose with personal adventure. Living in Mumbai complements the DAIS experience—a community grounded in learning, connection, and belonging in one of the world's most dynamic cities.



Living in Mumbai offers a unique balance of purpose and discovery. As India's cultural and financial capital, the city brims with creativity, energy, and opportunity. From its thriving arts and culinary scene to its sense of community and celebration, Mumbai invites you to be part of its rhythm—vibrant, fast-paced, and deeply human.

For educators at DAIS, Mumbai is not just where you work—it's where you grow. The city's cosmopolitan character and diverse culture mirror the values of the school: inclusivity, curiosity, and resilience. With a moderate year-round climate and rich travel options across India and Asia, life here offers professional fulfilment and personal adventure.

FACULTY RESIDENCE

DAIS provides thoughtfully designed, fully furnished faculty residences within a gated community—complete with a swimming pool, gym, squash and tennis courts, and landscaped gardens. Each apartment includes air conditioning, modern appliances, and access to maintenance and concierge support. The complex is family- and pet-friendly, with grocery stores, cafés, and essential services close by.

Faculty enjoy a high standard of living and strong potential for savings, with Mumbai offering a comfortable lifestyle at a fraction of the cost of many Asian and Middle Eastern destinations.



TEACHING AT DAIS

Teaching at DAIS is an invitation to join a professional community that values collaboration, reflection, and innovation. Educators here are given both agency and support to design authentic, inquiry-driven learning experiences that extend beyond the classroom. Our balanced approach to work and well-being ensures that teachers can thrive—personally and professionally—in an environment that celebrates lifelong learning.

As an **IB World School**, DAIS engages deeply with international best practices while grounding learning in India's dynamic context. Collaboration is central to our culture: teachers co-plan, co-reflect, and continuously learn from one another through structured professional learning communities, school-wide initiatives, and international engagements.

At DAIS, our core values—respect, integrity, inclusivity, resilience, and compassion—guide every interaction. We seek educators who not only inspire students to achieve their best but also nurture their social, emotional, and ethical growth. Together, we shape a learning culture that is reflective, joyful, and transformative—one that prepares every learner to make a meaningful difference in the world.

THE DAIS ADVANTAGE

GLOBAL RECOGNITION

DAIS is ranked among the Top 12 IB World Schools worldwide (2019–2025), with an average IBDP score of 39.7 and a 100% pass rate.

UNIVERSITY OUTCOMES

Graduates from DAIS receive offers from over 100 top global universities including Harvard, Yale, Stanford, Oxford, Cambridge, and MIT. In 2025 alone, students earned USD 3.76 million in scholarships and 204 admits to Top 30 Global Universities.

INNOVATION AND ACHIEVEMENT

DAIS teams are 2024 FTC World Champions, securing 1st and 2nd places globally, while students consistently excel at international research institutes such as MIT RSI and Stanford SUMaC, and at science fairs like ISEF.

LEADERSHIP AND HOLISTIC LEARNING

DAIS students hold international leadership positions at global MUNs, excel in athletics (Top 2 at ISSO Championships 2022-2025), and contribute over 20,000 hours annually to community service and Round Square initiatives—embodying DAIS's commitment to developing compassionate, responsible global citizens.



TESTIMONIALS



"I feel truly privileged to be part of the DAIS community as a College Counsellor. One of the most rewarding aspects of my work at DAIS is the collaboration with students who

continually inspire me with their ambition, curiosity, and resilience. Their passion drives me to push my boundaries and grow as a counsellor. It is incredibly fulfilling to be part of their journey as they grow in confidence, take ownership of their goals, and carve out their own place in the world. I feel incredibly fortunate to continue learning alongside them."

Eniko Kiss, College Counsellor, Hungry



After spending five years at DAIS, I briefly left, but the deep connection I had with the school and its community drew me back. There is something truly special about DAIS that goes beyond academics: The students are not just

learners; they are a source of inspiration with their passion, curiosity, and drive to make a difference. The sense of community among staff is deeply collaborative, fostering an environment where you are constantly growing and learning from one another. DAIS offers a breadth of experiences that go far beyond the classroom, shaping not only the minds but also the hearts of the students. Living and teaching here has allowed me to immerse myself in the beauty and depth of Indian culture, a journey that has profoundly shaped who I am. Returning to DAIS was not just a professional decision; it was a choice to continue a journey of growth and purpose, surrounded by remarkable students and colleagues who make this place feel like home.

Elisabet Becerra, Spanish Teacher, Colombiantt



I have found working at Little Nest to be a rewarding experience. The school fosters a supportive and well-resourced environment where teachers are encouraged to grow both professionally and personally. A warm, friendly parent

community and exceptional professional development opportunities make it an inspiring place to teach and learn. Beyond the classroom, Little Nest provides comfortable accommodation and responsive support for personal and administrative needs. It's a genuinely family-and pet-friendly school, with a culture that values belonging and community alongside professional excellence. Living here also offers exciting travel opportunities and savings potential that surpasses many destinations in the Middle East and Asia.

At Little Nest, you're not just joining a school—you're becoming part of a caring community that celebrates learning, connection, and growth.

Viktoria Calendino, Head of Learning - Early Childhood Programme, Kiwi



Living in India's cultural and economic hub enables one to experience the vibrant, festive and chaotic culture that Mumbaikers cherish and as a member of the DAIS school community you'd be in the midst of it all. Here one can

collaborate with other dynamic professionals and engage with well-rounded students committed to excel in academics, the arts and athletics. Educators who seek to challenge themselves and to grow in their craft as well as to explore the many unique and easily accessible destinations throughout India and Asia will enjoy the opportunities DAIS offers.

Eric Zarouba. Class 5 Teacher. USA

A COMMUNITY THAT FEELS LIKE HOME

DAIS is more than a workplace—it is a community where educators collaborate, innovate, and flourish. Supported by a strong ethos of professional learning and wellbeing, teachers at DAIS find both purpose and belonging.

"AT DAIS, TEACHING IS NOT JUST A PROFESSION - IT'S A SHARED JOURNEY OF GROWTH, CONNECTION, AND IMPACT."







