

Rtapalli Vidyapitha

- A free Oriya residential high school in the Gurukul tradition
- Founded by the Shraddha Foundation Trust – a family trust registered in Orissa
- Born out of a dream, it aims at giving shape to an institution as an instrument in building a new world founded on Rta and Shraddha

Salient Features

- Medium of Instruction: Oriya
- Affiliated to: BSE, Orissa
- Coeducation
- Selection for admission: Entrance test in Class VI and from Rural Math Talent Search (RMTS) Test
- Special consideration to underprivileged children
- Admission and tuition fee: Nil
- High teacher-student ratio: 1:5
- Free food
- Free boarding
- Medical care

Currently Rtapalli has students from 18 different districts

Angul	Dhenkanal	Keonjhar
Balasore	Ganjam	Khurda
Baragarh	Jagatsinghpur	Mayurbhanj
Bhadrak	Jajpur	Nayagarh
Cuttack	Jharsuguda	Sambalpur
Deogarh	Kendrapara	Sundargarh

Hands-on activities in science and mathematics clubs have generated in them a sense of enquiry and scientific temperament. Regular practice on problem- solving has resulted in a visible change in their approach to learning.



Curriculum

As prescribed by the Board of Secondary Education, Orissa

Special Curriculum

- Advanced Science
- Advanced Mathematics
- Creative writing (Oriya and English)
- Sanskrit and Vedic Studies
- Electronics and Computer Science
- Odissi Dance
- Hindustani Classical Music (Vocal and Tabla)
- Yoga

Vedic chanting by our students has been a pleasant addition in their Sanskrit curriculum.

Mathematics Olympiad

Students from Rtapalli attend classes regularly on Sundays at Institute of Mathematics and Applications.



Prof. Swadhin Pattanaik,
Director, Institute of Mathematics and Applications

Regional Mathematics Olympiad (RMO) 2006

38 students were selected from all over Orissa in the Senior RMO Contest. Students from Class IX to +2 appeared at this test from English as well as Oriya medium schools and colleges. Out of these 38 students 4 are from Rtapalli (3 from Class IX) with ranks: 3rd, 9th and 18th, where as BJB College has 4 students out of whom one is an alumnus of Rtapalli.



Attending Regional Mathematics Olympiad Camp -2006.

Results of Annual H.S.C. Examination

2005- 100% first division with class average 85% mark

2006- 100% first division with a class average of 88% mark



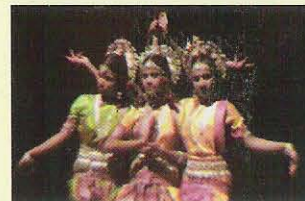
Pravash Kumar Sahoo Receiving Chief Minister's Award for securing 6th position in the Top Ten Merit List with 708 marks in the 2006 HSC Exam.

Hindustani Vocal and Tabla

Our students learn Hindustani vocal music and Tabla at Rtapalli, and receive degrees from Akhila Bharatiya Gandharva Mahavidyalaya Mandal, Mumbai

Odissi

Our students learn Odissi dance, and receive degrees from Chandigarh University



Rtotsava

Our students performing at the Rabindra Mandap

Computer Lab

Computers with high-speed broad band Internet connection are being made an integral part of teaching at Rtapalli for all classes.

