



Discovery Immersions

Discovery Visit



ABOUT RLC

The Riverside Learning Center (RLC) is a design and education organisation based in Ahmedabad, India, with a global reach in over 9 countries.

The Riverside Learning Center was set-up to share and scale best practices from The Riverside School, Ahmedabad - a pioneering school that has received several global awards and accolades, including the prestigious World's Best School for Innovation award in 2023.

Built on the principles of design thinking, RLC leverages innovative educational methods to increase student agency and empowerment, enabling them to graduate students with an I CAN mindset: children who are aware of the world around them and empowered with skills and knowledge to thrive in the 21st century.

The Riverside I CAN Approach

Empowering **Every Child** with the I CAN Mindset

It is becoming increasingly clear that the needs of the twenty-first century ‘learner’ demands new approaches to ‘learning’. The lack of student voice and agency in their learning has meant that schools around the world still take a largely standardised, one-size-fits-all approach, valuing compliance over creativity, content over character. This narrow approach doesn’t set children up well to thrive in the twenty-first century.

Today, student success requires skills for collaboration, creativity, compassion, and problem solving. There is an urgent need to prepare our young people to both navigate an unknown and complex future and in-still in them the belief that they can shape a more desirable, sustainable future. To meet this need, it is even more imperative that teachers and school leaders tap into their own creativity and build this same belief in their own capacity to develop and drive change within education.

The Riverside I CAN Approach addresses this need. Built on the principles of design, it focuses on increasing student agency and empowerment through a ‘both and’ approach, instead of an ‘either or’ approach: graduating students with content and character, passion and compassion, doing well and doing good.

The Riverside School’s 23 year journey is proof that our unique set of processes, frameworks and pedagogical practices, codified under our six pillars, graduates students with the I CAN mindset: children who are aware of the world around them, enabled with skills and knowledge and empowered to design a more just and equitable future.

Our schools must be places where children grow, thrive and graduate as empowered citizens. Doing so, creates a better world for all of us.

Not by chance. By Design.



About Discovery Visit

RLC offers a unique model for schools who are keen on adopting and adapting the **Riverside I CAN Approach** to build a school culture that empowers children with content & character. Our experiences in creating a school culture have led us to the understanding that a school's ecosystem rests on six foundational pillars: **Parent Partnership; Curriculum, Personal and Professional Development, Community, Leadership & Administration.**

The Discovery Visit' takes the shape of an onsite visit which allows the RLC team to gain detailed insights about the people, place and practices of the school. It will involve observations, interviews and informal interactions with all the stakeholders available – teachers, parents, students, administrative and management teams. Following the audit, RLC will provide a report that gives a summary of the observed strengths, areas of development and recommendations.

The visit is the the first step in forging a deeper, longer partnership - and provides both parties: the school and RLC with the opportunity to understand each other's methods and processes.

AUDIT REPRESENTATIVE ROADMAP **2 Days Visit to your campus**

Time: 2 Days @5 hours per day

No. of Participants: 2 member team from Riverside Learning Centre Pvt Ltd, Ahmedabad



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