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Safe, Affordable, Convenient, Education



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Introduction



Chinese Proverb

Sunrise Virtual School is a virtual school that offers IGCSE curriculum. A real school, away from the physical class. The culture, the philosophy, the community, and the learning experience is excellent, intuitive, and global. We leverage on the access to internet and wide penetration of smart gadgets to give parent alternative mean of giving their children world class approved education to their convenience

We are a leading virtual school with thousands of students already registered with us from over 20 countries. We offer our learners comprehensive and timely syllabus coverage, depth in delivery of concepts though fun, live and interactive virtual classes delivered by best talent qualified and registered teachers. We offer parents guaranteed student output on the pillars of quality, affordability, and convenience.

Our students take 5-8 lessons a day, five days a week three semesters a year, in strict adherence to the IGCSE Cambridge curriculum.



Dare be different

Our Philosophy

Education in 21st generation must deliver more to the learners than just book knowledge. They must learn more. The next generation is already here. They are tech savvy, smart, and ready to take on the world. Traditional schooling won't work for them. They want something new, more inclusive and in tandem with the global trends. A schooling system where new ideas will be born, and transformative concepts will come to life. One that guarantees quality, higher output, global social network, convenience, and affordability. A tech revolution is underway that will disrupt the traditional schooling model in a monumental scale.

Sunrise virtual school is the turn of a tide that gives learners quality education conveniently, at the right cost, for them to go higher, further, and faster! We are preparing them to arise and lead their generation in new methods, new teams and new ways that command influence in all spheres.

Services



We offer extensive online teaching classes, covering the syllabus in detail and in good time. Classes are designed to allow flexible and relaxed learning module for the students and allows sufficient time for children to engage in personal study, extra-curricular and play activities while strictly adhering to syllabus and curriculum guidelines.

We assist our clients in the following ways:

1. Student registration and assessment

- We register students and give them unique HS Number
- ii. We assess the student to gauge which grade/class they best fit
- iii. If need be, we facilitate trial lessons



2. Virtual school

- i. Full time virtual school, 5-8 lessons a day, 8am 3:30pm with breaks in between.
- ii. On time syllabus coverage as per the curriculum.
- iii. Teaching is done by highly qualified and registered teachers
- iv. Fun, live and interactive classes
- v. Exciting and dynamism in class engagements
- vi. Depth and detail in concepts delivery methodology
- vii. Higher student output
- viii. Additional/special re-cap classes can be requested



3. Parent Engagement

- i. We ensure the parent gets monthly report forms to monitor the student performance
- ii. We conduct frequent teacher/parent meetings
- iii. We also hold clinics with parents and students twice in a semester
- iv. We keep the parents informed with our programs and information



Bill Gates

"Technology is just a tool. In terms of getting the kids working together and motivating them, the teacher is most important."

4. Exams

- i. Under ICGSE Cambridge, exams are administered by Cambridge international
- ii. Globally recognized and widely accepted academic certificates are from Cambridge
- iii. Students can join any university of their choice globally





5. Extra material

- i. Our school has incorporated STEM courses (Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics) into our program to give science oriented students an edge.
- We give our learners access to more than 400,000 books by best international publishers materials and best seller authors, both for subject lessons and for leisure reading.

George Couros

"Technology will never replace great teachers, but in the hands of great teachers, it's transformational."



7. Extra-Curricular Activities

- i. We hold regular physical meetups that arranged in consultation with parents.
- ii. Art in the park



Welcome to



We believe that each child is a unique individual who needs a secure, caring, and stimulating atmosphere in which to grow and mature emotionally, intellectually, physically, and socially, and develop their self-esteem and core values.

It is our desire as educators to help students meet their fullest potential in these areas by providing an environment that is safe, supports risk-taking, and invites a sharing of ideas.



- Quality we deliver on quality every single time
- Convenience student log into class from 'wherever they are'
- Affordability we deliver our services at a fair and affordable rates
- Safety student learn from the safest environment home!

There are three elements that we believe are conducive to establishing such an environment,

- 1 The educator acting as a guide and using the syllabus as the reference point
- 2 Allowing the child's natural curiosity to direct his/her learning
- 3 Supportive parents and a functional society where they can exhibit the concepts learnt in class

Nelson Mandela

"Education is the most powerful weapon that we can use to change the world."

John Dewey

"A man with the revelation is never at the mercy of someone with an argument or a good idea"

Fully accredited IGCSE Cambridge Curriculum!

Quality, Safe & Affordable Education



The Cambridge International curricullum

Cambridge system

At Sunrise Virtual School – we follow the Cambridge International curricullum, with the appropriate adjustment to the needs and characteristics of a Cambridge education institution Internationally.

The Cambridge International curricullum Compulsory Education begins at the age of 5 ,whereas it goes from 6 to 16, which gives a total of 11 years of schooling.

At the end of the Secondary Compulsory Education (Year 11), students take the Cambridge external exams named I.G.C.S.E. (International General Certificate of Secondary School).

After obtaining I.G.C.S.E., students may enter the Upper Secondary School .

At the end of this period, they may take the Cambridge A-level exams, which will also allow them to enter directly into universities all over the world.

When a student moves to a cambridge school, he or she enters the same year-group according to the



Anonymous

"A man with the revelation is never at the mercy of someone with an argument or a good idea"

David Warlick

"We need technology in every classroom and in every student and teacher's hand, because it is the pen and paper of our time, and it is the lens through which we experience much of our world



The Early Years (Foundation Stage)





Early Years Foundation Stage

At Sunrise Virtual School we aim to develop your child both academically and socially. Children's love of play and their individual interests will help them achieve and will stimulate their enthusiasm for learning. Children learn through integrated activities in the following main areas:

The prime areas of learning are:

- communication and language
- physical development
- personal, social and emotional development

The specific areas of learning are:

- Iiteracy
- ****** mathematics
- **W** understanding the world
- expressive arts and design



he children are guided by their teachers where the focus of their activities are upon:

- Playing and exploring
- Active learning
- Screating and thinking critically Children are encouraged to
- Be willing to have a go
- Be involved and to concentrate Have their own ideas
- Choose ways to do things Find new ways



At 5 years old, the students enter the Primary school at Sunrise Virtual School. The Primary school is made up of two departments:

Key Stage 1 (KS1) between 6 and 8 Year old (Years 1, 2 and 3) and

Key Stage 2 (KS2) 8 - 11 Years old (Years 3 - 6).

The Key Stages refer to the distinct development stages that a child goes through in their educational journey. In Key Stage 1 the child is building upon the skills gained in the Early Years classes.

- M In Key Stage 2 they develop their skills and prepare for the Secondary stage.
- It is in Primary where they are introduced to the full timetable of Cumbridge Curriculum subjects.

At the end of Year 6, our students sit the Cambridge Primary Checkpoint tests for English, Mathematics and Science. These exams are marked in Cambridge, UK against an international benchmark to gain important feedback before they move onto High School.

By following the Cambridge Pathway, we ensure that our students are meeting the high academic standards expected of an international school.

The subjects offered at primary level are:

- 瞷 English ICT
- Science
- 🞎 Physical Education Music 🛛 👐 A

Mart and Design P.H.S.E

Mistory



8 Religious Education (Christianity& Ismlamic) Geography



Lower Secondary Education (KS3) is a transitory stage between Primary and Secondary. Ranging from 11 to 14 years and covering Years 7 - 9.

This stage aims at acquiring more abilities and knowledge based on a more focused study of sever all subjects:

Mathematics	😻 Geography	Neligious Education
👐 English	👐 ICT	👐 Swahili
Science	😻 French	😻 Business studies
Nistory	😻 Art and Design	sociology and History

The Cambridge Curriculum provides a combination between science and arts, creativity, Physical and

Social Education so that students have the opportunity to expand both their abilities and technical knowledge at this stage.

They are handled by teachers all specialized in different fields and areas.

At the end of Year 9, our students sit the Cambridge Lower Secondary Checkpoint tests for English (First Language), Mathematics and Science.

These exams are marked in Cambridge, UK against an international benchmark to gain important feedback before they move onto IGCSE.

By following the Cambridge Pathway, we ensure that our students are meeting the high academic standards expected of an international school.



The Upper Secondary (I.G.C.S.E)

It's divided in two school years: Y10 and Y11, usually between 14 and 16 years of age.

The main objective of this important stage is being prepared for the external Cambridge exams

I.G.C.S.E. (International General Certificate of Secondary Education) taken at the end of Y11.

Assessments and qualifications of our Secondary Education students are given by the prestigious international entity CIE (Cambridge International Examination), highly recognized worldwide

academically and at professional levels

Pupils are encouraged to study a broad range of subjects, so enabling a wide choice of career.

These examinations are recognised across the world and are of considerable interest to university admissions officers.

A personalised approach allows pupils to choose subjects that best fit their strengths and career hopes. Pupils are able to sit examinations early, or to study additional subjects, where appropriate.

Throughout the IGCSE course, the pupils are supported by expert staff and offered a range of extra curricular activities designed to develop personal skills.

In Year 10, the students enter a 2 year exam study programme which prepares them for their IGCSE examinations in the June /October of their Year 11 academic year.

Students in KS4 study the compulsory Core and Foundation subjects, but are given options for auxiliary subjects before entering Year 10 $\,$

Core subjects are compulsory for examination and are available in Core or Extended depending on the ability of the candidate.

Core papers can only achieve a grade range of C - G Extended papers achieve a grade range of A* - E

Our Subjects Studied and offered at I.G.C.S.E Level

- 🁐 Art & Design
- **W** Biology
- **85** Business Studies
- Chemistry
- **W** Computer Science
- English (First Language)



- Physics
- 👐 Swahili
- 😻 IRE
- 👐 Tourism & Travel



- English Literature
 French (Foreign Language)
 Geography
 History
 Sociology
 - **Mathematics**





Our Departmental Heads

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I believe in incorporating technology in my classes-the future is bright, we paint it tech!

Hussein Korir - Principal



A strong believer in developing a methodology of continuous improvement with an aim of achieving product excellence.

Benjamin Ngulu - Quality Assuarance Manager



Enthusiasm is critical to good teaching, and students have a sixth sense for it, I therefore bring with me a positive outlook to my class. **Tr.Ann Nkatha - Deputy Principal**

The dreams impossible to reach are the ones you never pursue-Every artist was once an amateur!

Felix Vees - Travel & tourism





I aspire to create student-centred learning environment in which the student is not silenced but empowered to take charge!

Miss Nyambura - English & Sociology







Nothing we ever imagined is beyond our powers, only beyond our present self-knowledge!

Johanna Votsch - Art & Design



Every child deserves a champion-an adult who will never give up on them and insists that they become the best that they can possibly be.I strive to be that every day!

Grace Mwangi - Early Childhood



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You can teach a student a lesson for a day,but if you can teach him to learn by creating curiosity, he will continue the learning process as long as he lives.

Kevin Magangi - Music



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I encourage my learners instead of trying to reproduce exactly what they see before them, they should make more arbitrary use of colour to express themselves authentically. Abigael Busolo - French



Teaching is more than imparting knowledge; it is inspiring change and understanding. I bring my heart to class to achieve this! Douglas Miruka - History & Kiswahili



I believe it is in the early years that we capture a child's interest, I therefore positively charge my learners towards becoming the trailblazers that they are!

Miss Maryanne - Early Years





Other teachers



Embrace diversity, empower minds, cultivate curiosity and ignite passion for studying.

Ann Mugo



The capstone of any training is the ability to solve problems humanity faces.

Oliver Odhiambo





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Empowering minds through holistic learning and fostering meaningful connections

Derick Ombaso



I believe that students have diverse learning needs and abilities.

Elvis Odhiambo

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You must exit class better than you joined.

Kevin Mwika







To offer children a mind centered approach of learning.

Christine Owano



Nurture curiosity, ignite minds and unleash limitless potential.

Ann Mare



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To guide the learners towards achieving emotional and social intelligence.

Caroline Mwende

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Create a learning environment that is conducive to active engaged learning.

Evelyne Lubutse

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To make learners enjoy learning. Be able to express their skills and virtues.

Patrck Ogundo







Give your child quality & affordable education from the comfort of your home!

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- Extra curricular activities \bigcirc
- Wide network of students \bigcirc
- **Registered teachers** 0
- Safe & Affordable \bigcirc

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