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# An online gurukulam where all subjects are taught in Sanskrit

The non-profit Sanskrit-medium school, which has students aged up to 13, aims to teach language appreciation and inculcate critical thinking in children; it is working with the IIT-Bombay to develop a curriculum

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Agastya Gurukulam students participating in a camp held in Odisha. | Photo Credit: Special Arrangement

The concept of online school is not so foreign since the COVID-19 pandemic. But a school that teaches entirely in Sanskrit, where teachers and students have not met? Three persons with similar ideologies came together to start Agastya Gurukulam, an online school which since inception in 2019, has over 400 students learning all subjects in Sanskrit.

Around 250 children in India and 190 from across nine countries are enrolled. For some, the gurukulam is the only school. Others go to regular school too.

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