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KRIDAANGAN Zone
Free Play in Nature
























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KRIDAANGAN – FREE PLAY IN NATURE

“KRIDAANGAN – Free Play in Nature is an experiential learning zone where children learn under the open sky through play, exploration, indigenous bamboo resources, nature-based activities and peer interaction, translating the vision of NEP 2020 from classroom learning to joyful learning through real-life experiences.”

Key Learning Possibilities in KRIDAANGAN

Sit & Talk → Storytelling → Observe Nature → Count/Sort Natural Objects → Draw & Create → Play Indigenous Games → Explore Bamboo Structures → Collaborate → Reflect & Share

This makes KRIDAANGAN more than a playground: it becomes an **open-air learning laboratory**, where children **play, explore, create, communicate and learn from nature**. This is closely aligned with NEP 2020's emphasis on experiential, hands-on, sports-integrated and joyful learning.

The space moves beyond the conventional concept of a playground by integrating **free play with learning experiences**. Indigenous and eco-friendly **bamboo swings, slides, chairs, tables and other play structures** provide children with opportunities for active exploration while connecting them with natural materials and Indian/local contexts. **mpact on Learning**

KRIDAANGAN has created opportunities for children to:

- develop **gross motor skills, balance and physical coordination**;

- improve communication through peer interaction and storytelling;
- develop curiosity through **nature-based observation and exploration**;
- apply mathematical concepts through counting, sorting, patterns and measurement;
- develop creativity through open-ended play and nature-based art;
- strengthen collaboration, sharing, empathy and social skills;
- develop confidence, independence and decision-making;
- experience **joyful learning in a stress-free environment**.

Innovative Element

The uniqueness of KRIDAANGAN lies in transforming an open natural space into an **"Open-Air Learning Laboratory."** Instead of restricting learning to classroom walls, children are provided opportunities to **play, explore, observe, communicate, create and learn through direct experience**. The integration of indigenous bamboo play resources adds a distinctive Indian and sustainable dimension to the learning environment.