

**BOARDS 2026**

# A celebration in numbers

To our students, our parents, our teachers and our staff

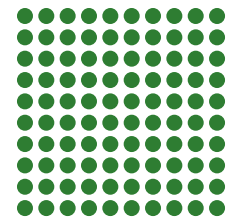
30 April 2026

*Dear Parents and Students,*

Thirty-five years ago, in a quiet pocket of Rishra, a few rooms began to hum with the voices of small children learning their first letters. This week, those same gates — now opening into a state-of-the-art campus affiliated with the Council for the Indian School Certificate Examinations — saw **189 of our children walk out with their Pass Certificates from both ICSE and ISC, 2026**. Every one of them. Not a name missing. Not a percentage below fifty. Twenty-nine of them had crossed the ninety per cent mark. The rest had crossed every line that matters — the line between a child who needed us and a young adult ready for what comes next.



**189 of 189 students qualified.**  
Class X — 122 students. Class XII — 67 students. Each square on the right represents one per cent of our cohort. The whole grid is green: not a single student fell short of the Council's pass mark.

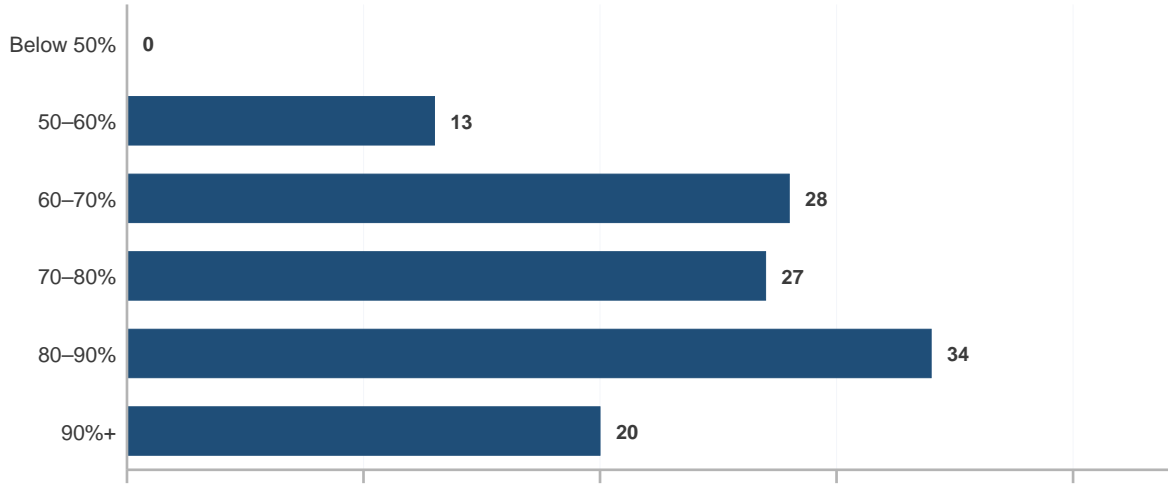


TOTAL STUDENTS	PASS RATE	DISTINCTION	BELOW 50%
<b>189</b> 122 ICSE + 67 ISC	<b>100%</b> Both Boards	<b>29</b> students at 90%+	<b>0</b> Across both Boards

## How our 122 students did

STUDENTS	AVERAGE	TOP SCORE	LOWEST
<b>122</b> All qualified	<b>76.6%</b> School average	<b>98.20%</b> Akshat Agarwal	<b>51.0%</b> Above pass mark

### How students are spread across score bands



**What this means in plain English:** Each bar shows how many of our 122 Class X students scored within that range on their best-five aggregate. Twenty children scored 90% or above. Most of the cohort sits comfortably between 60% and 90%. The 'Below 50%' bar is empty — **not a single student is in that band.**

### Top 3 of Class X

Rank	Name	Aggregate
<b>I</b>	<b>Akshat Agarwal</b>	<b>98.20%</b>
<b>II</b>	<b>Shreya Shah</b>	<b>97.60%</b>
<b>III</b>	<b>Ishan Paul</b>	<b>97.00%</b>

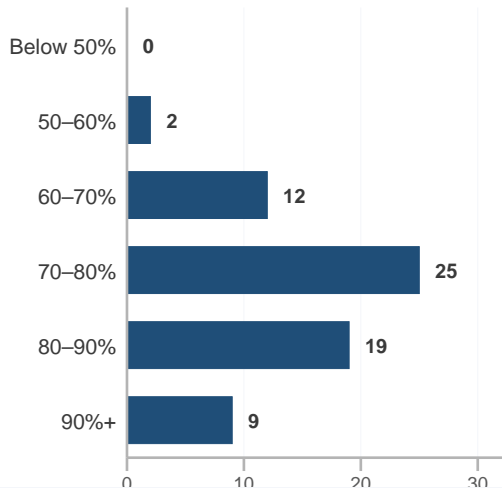
### All 20 students at 90% and above

1. Akshat Agarwal	98.20%	8. Prithvi Raj	95.40%	15. Janhavi Mishra	91.40%
2. Shreya Shah	97.60%	9. Sakshi Tiwari	94.80%	16. Arohi Tiwari	91.20%
3. Ishan Paul	97.00%	10. Abdur Rahman	94.00%	17. Garv Verma	90.80%
4. Vedant Khandelwal	97.00%	11. Naitik Raj Gupta	93.40%	18. Prejansh Kumar	90.80%
5. Jatin Burman	96.20%	12. Jeet Rajak	93.40%	19. Jayesh Soni	90.60%
6. Sanjivan Choubey	96.00%	13. Sparsh Kumar Singh	93.20%	20. Divyansh Tiwari	90.00%
7. Amaan Alam	95.80%	14. Anushka Yogesh Srivastav	92.20%		

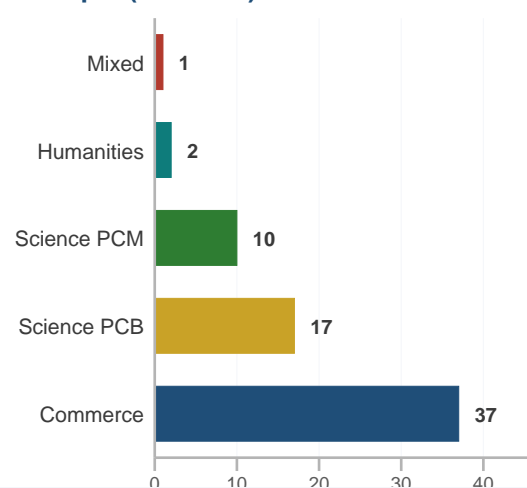
## How our 67 students did

STUDENTS	AVERAGE	TOP SCORE	LOWEST
<b>67</b> All qualified	<b>78.5%</b> School average	<b>98.50%</b> Khushbu Yadav	<b>58.2%</b> Above pass mark

### Score distribution



### Stream split (Class XII)



**Left chart:** Each bar shows how many of our 67 Class XII students scored within that range on their best-four aggregate. Nine students at 90%+. None below 50%. **Right chart:** Class XII is taught across four streams — Commerce is by far the largest, with Science (PCB and PCM) the next two and Humanities a small but high-performing group.

### Top 3 of Class XII

Rank	Name	Aggregate
I	<b>Khushbu Yadav</b>	<b>98.50%</b>
II	<b>Aditya Shaw</b>	<b>95.75%</b>
III	<b>Ariyan Sinha</b>	<b>95.25%</b>

### All 9 students at 90% and above

1. Khushbu Yadav	98.50%	4. Himanshu Kumar Shaw	94.00%	7. Aayush Baheti	92.50%
2. Aditya Shaw	95.75%	5. Nilormi Bose	93.75%	8. Kasish Priya	92.25%
3. Ariyan Sinha	95.25%	6. Sayoni Mondal	92.50%	9. Soumyadeep Samaddar	91.25%

## WHAT MAKES STEPPING STONE STEPPING STONE

### Salient features · In one glance



#### Both ICSE & ISC affiliated

Full pathway from Nursery to Class XII under CISCE — Council for the Indian School Certificate Examinations.



#### 100% smartboard classrooms

Every classroom equipped with smartboards (deployment completed 2024-25) for visual, interactive learning.



#### Fully air-conditioned campus

Comfortable, focused learning environment year-round (campus AC roll-out completed 2025-26).



#### Silver Jubilee Hall

Recently upgraded auditorium for assemblies, cultural events and academic functions.



#### Holistic facilities

Dedicated science labs, computer labs, library, sports facilities and arts/music spaces — for the all-round development of every child.



#### Strong academic record

Consistent Board results year on year. 100% pass in Boards 2026, with 29 children at 90% and above.

### Our journey · five milestones in thirty-five years



**What this map says:** We started as a small Montessori in 1991. ICSE affiliation came in 2004; ISC was added in 2023 — making this 2026 cohort one of our earliest Class XII batches under our own CISCE affiliation. The last two years have been about modernising the campus end to end, so the infrastructure today is genuinely world-class.

WITH GRATITUDE · AND A REQUEST

## Behind every number is a person

### TO OUR STUDENTS

*These are your results. You wrote the papers. You held your nerve. We are very proud of all of you.*

### TO OUR PARENTS

*Thank you for trusting us with your child, and for staying with us through every report card and every difficult conversation along the way.*

### TO OUR TEACHERS

*The corrections carried home, the explanations given a second and third time, the standards quietly held — this result is yours.*

### TO OUR NON-TEACHING STAFF

*Office, lab, library, housekeeping, security and maintenance — the school does not run without you. Thank you, all of you.*

### Help us carry the news

Stepping Stone has, for thirty-five years, quietly produced strong results. We need your help in making sure 2026's hundred per cent is heard widely. **Forward this letter and the Class X / Class XII posters** to family, friends, neighbours, and your school and college networks. Word of mouth from current parents is the most powerful endorsement a school can have.

### Admissions for Class XI · Now Open

Applications for Class XI for the 2026-27 session are now open across **Science, Commerce and Humanities**. Stepping Stone's Class X students are invited to continue; applicants from other schools are equally welcome. Please contact the Headmistress's office for application forms and an appointment to discuss stream choice.

*Your child continues to be our responsibility — during their school years, and long after they leave our gate.*

With our gratitude and warm regards,

*For Stepping Stone School (High), Rishra*

**Ms. Tanushree Roy**

Headmistress

**Mr. Debdeep Bhaduri**

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Managing Trustee

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