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Overnight Astronomy Observation at Astroport, Sariska

05 December 2025

Dear Parents,

*“Astronomy compels the soul to look upward and leads us from this world to another.” — Plato*

Exploring the universe has always sparked curiosity and wonder, and we at **Tagore International School, East of Kailash**, aim to nurture that same spirit in our young astronomers.

The members of the **Krittika (Space Astronomy Club)** of Tagore International School, East of Kailash, will be participating in an **Overnight Observation Session (Module 01)** at **Astroport**, near **Sariska National Park, Alwar (Rajasthan)**, from **14 to 15 December 2025**. This trip is part of the astronomy curriculum conducted in collaboration with **SPACE India**.

Astroport is a premier dark-sky observation facility designed to provide a world-class sky-viewing and research experience. The program will enable our budding astronomers to explore the mysteries of the cosmos through hands-on learning activities such as **sky reading, constellation mapping, planet visibility tracking, telescope handling, and astrophotography**.

Students will be **accompanied by school teachers and professional educators from SPACE India**. Safety and supervision remain our highest priority; the site is fully equipped with quality instruments, organic meals, and safe accommodation.

### Program Schedule

Observation Venue	Astroport SPACE Research Facility Center, Village
Reporting Time to school	Sunday, 14 December 2025, 11:00 am
Departure from School	Sunday, 14 December 2025, 11:30 am
Arrival at Astroport	Sunday, 14 December 2025, 5:00 pm - 5:30 pm
Departure from Astroport	Monday, 15 December 2025, 7:30 am
Arrival back at school	Monday, 15 December 2025, 12:30 pm - 1:30 pm
SPACE contact information	Tour in-charge , Mr. Neeraj-09212669915

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Consent form

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I \_\_\_\_\_ father/mother/guardian of \_\_\_\_\_ of Class & Sec. \_\_\_\_\_ would like my ward to enroll in the **Overnight Observation Session (Module 01)** at **Astroport**, near **Sariska National Park, Alwar (Rajasthan)**, from **14 to 15 December 2025**.

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Name of the parent

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Signature of the parent

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Contact No.

### **Important Information**

- Parents are requested to drop and pick their ward to and from the school as per the above schedule. The transport for the trip will be provided by SPACE.
- Students should carry a **backpack (not a suitcase)** with essentials: water bottle, notepad, torch covered with red cellophane, pen, pencil, eraser, sharpener, and necessary astronomy aids (planisphere, latitude finder, or telescope if available).
- Warm winter clothing is essential — jacket or overcoat, thermals, cap, muffler, gloves, woollen socks, and shoes. A bedsheets or light blanket is also required for overnight use.
- Dinner, breakfast, and morning tea will be provided at Astroport. Parents are requested to send snacks/lunch for the onward journey.
- The observation is **weather-dependent** and may be adjusted in case of heavy fog or clouds.
- The safety and well-being of students will be monitored at all times by accompanying teachers and SPACE educators.
- **Parents are requested to provide snacks/lunch to the students for transit. There will be also be a halt during the journey and students may avail eatables at their own expense.**

Kindly send the **duly signed consent form** to the class teacher by **Wednesday, 10 December 2025**.

Warm regards,

**DEBJANI MITRA**  
**HEADMISTRESS, SENIOR SCHOOL**