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## SUMMER RESIDENTIAL PROGRAM (GRADES 9 TO 12)

Dear Parents,

We are pleased to share an exciting opportunity that returns for its **second consecutive year** through our valued **GEMS–MAHE partnership**.

GEMS Legacy School has once again been extended a privileged invitation to participate in the **Manipal International Summer School (MISS)**, organised by the **Manipal Academy of Higher Education (MAHE)**, Karnataka, India — one of Asia's most respected universities. Building on the feedback of last year's cohort, this residential, university credit-bearing programme is open to students from **Grades 9 to 12**.

### **PROGRAMME HIGHLIGHTS**

<b>Location</b>	<b>MAHE Campus, Manipal, Karnataka, India</b>
<b>Duration</b>	07–18 July 2026
<b>Eligibility</b>	Grades 9–12
<b>Programme Fee</b>	USD 955 (~AED 3,508)

### **The programme fee includes:**

- Course fee
- On-campus accommodation
- All meals
- Cultural immersion activities
- Souvenir

Please note: International travel and visa costs (where applicable) are not included and must be arranged individually by families.

### **WHY THIS PROGRAMME?**

As a GEMS–MAHE partnership initiative, MISS offers our students access to a university-level academic environment that is rarely available at the secondary school stage. Key benefits include:

- **University Credit:** Earn a course certification equivalent to **6 ECTS** (European Credit Transfer and Accumulation System) — a meaningful addition to university applications worldwide.
- **Academic Enrichment:** Experience teaching methodologies and resources typically reserved for undergraduate study, delivered by MAHE faculty.
- **Holistic Profile Building:** Strengthen a well-rounded student portfolio in preparation for competitive global university admissions.
- **Skill Development:** Build critical thinking, problem-solving, and collaborative skills in a structured residential setting.
- **Global Networking:** Engage with professors, international peers, and undergraduate students from across the world.
- **Cultural Immersion:** Experience life on one of India's most vibrant university campuses while exploring potential academic and career interests.


### **AN OPPORTUNITY FOR PARENTS TOO**

MAHE warmly extends the option for parents to enrol in these residential programmes alongside students. If you are interested, please indicate your preference through the webinar registration link below.

## **NEXT STEPS**

 **Expression of interest** – submit [this form](#)

 **Register for the Programme:** <https://registration-summer.manipal.edu/>

 **Select nationality as ‘international’** to avail airport transfers at Mangalore airport

 **Last date for registration: 6<sup>th</sup> June 2026**

 **Explore Courses:** <https://summer.manipal.edu/index.php/courses/>

For any queries regarding the programme, please contact: [alethea.v2\\_gls@gemsedu.com](mailto:alethea.v2_gls@gemsedu.com)

We look forward to another outstanding cohort representing GEMS Legacy School at Manipal this summer. Thank you for your continued partnership in shaping your child's future.

Warm regards,



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**Principal** مديرة المدرسة

**Executive Leader - Climate Change** الرئيس التنفيذي - تغير المناخ

## **LIST OF COURSES OFFERED AT MAHE SUMMER RESIDENTIAL PROGRAM 2026**

*(Students have to select and register for **any one course**. Click on each course to view details)*

1. [Wilderness Medicine](#)
2. [Summer Clinique: Dentistry at Manipal](#)
3. [Evidence Clinic-Tailoring to the needs of policymaker](#)
4. [The Indian toxicological scenario: From theory to practice](#)
5. [Introduction to Yoga: Holistic Perspective](#)
6. [Heritage of South Canara \(Karnataka\) Architecture](#)
7. [Glimpses of Indian Cuisine](#)
8. [Tropical Ecosystems – The Western Ghats Biodiversity hotspot](#)
9. [Landforms, rocks and minerals of Coastal Karnataka](#)
10. [R Programming](#)
11. [Deep Learning for Language Modeling & Generative AI Applications](#)
12. [Navigating the Global Workplace](#)
13. [Indian Cinema](#)
14. [Understanding India's Engagement with the World](#)
15. [Comparative Aesthetics: Western and Eastern Arts](#)
16. [Ayursamskrithi - the Science and Art of Living Through Ayurveda](#)
17. [Experiential learning in Industrial Pharmacy](#)
18. [Applications of Machine Learning in Healthcare, Finance, Industry and E-commerce Sectors](#)
19. [Designing Industry ready scalable APIs and Database systems](#)
20. [Health and Climate Change: Person to planet](#)
21. [Linear System Analysis & Design](#)
22. [Real World Cryptography with TLS 1.3 and Rust](#)
23. [Foundations in Laboratory Animal Handling and Research](#)