

Bishop Cotton School

Shimla

The best in segment for the oldest boys' boarding school in Asia.

Project completion: November, 2022

Base: Plain cement concrete (turf), asphalt (acrylic)

Surface: TigerTurf Premier for Cricket, TigerTurf Volley Pro for basketball & multi-sport, Laykold Acrylic for tennis & basketball



Bishop Cotton School, Shimla, is the oldest boys' boarding school in Asia and was founded on the 28th of July 1859, by Bishop George Edward Lynch Cotton. Sports plays a key part in the daily life of every boy at BCS and apart from academic and physical training, they also receive coaching in cricket, football, hockey, basketball, tennis, athletics, boxing, swimming, table-tennis, rifle shooting, squash, badminton, mountaineering and a host of other disciplines.

Considering the location and the weather, installation was quite a challenge what with both rainfall and snow. Little wonder that TigerTurf was the correct choice owing to its all-weather, highly durable nature.

TigerTurf Premier was installed for cricket, along with the nets, as it has a true and consistent bounce, is extremely hard-wearing and plays all-year round. It has a realistic turn and bounce, the surface is non-slip, which means fewer injuries and more consistent balling patterns and also instils confidence in both the batsman and the bowler.

TigerTurf Volley Pro is rated ITF Fast, mimicking a Wimbledon grass court and is a non-directional surface. It is extremely hard wearing and very low on maintenance and provides an excellent grip and traction for the players. This surface is also glare free and the coloured lines were all tufted into the product, thereby eliminating trip hazard and maintaining consistency of play.

The Laykold surface for acrylic has high energy restitution, made from rapidly renewable resources and helps you play with confidence.

We simply call it the love of the sport.



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