

January 2021

Newsletter

In a year such as this, when we are living through a pandemic and trying to navigate all of its complications, we need to have more self-compassion. We may not accomplish certain goals or reach certain milestones as quickly as we would have liked, and maybe not in the way we had planned, but we should celebrate our progress and give ourselves grace in a year as difficult as this one. The New Year has come and gone. Many celebrate this change of calendar dates as a chance to start fresh and have a better year. That more positive turn around the sun starts with each individual and the choices they make. This year, it's more important than ever to set achievable, healthy resolutions, such as improving our mental resilience and physical health.

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MAKAR SANKRANTI



Celebrating Variations

Makar Sankranti is celebrated by different names and customs in different parts of India. It is essentially a harvest festival celebrated with great fanfare. students of Kindergarten celebrated while celebrating variations Makar Sankranti. They were beautifully dressed in their state's attire and showcased the cuisine of their state. Someone from Rajasthan made khichda and delicious pakoras, til laddoos came from Uttar Pradesh and Haryana and Puran Poli from Maharashtra.

We had a beautiful virtual celebration and brought the whole of India on one

platform.





Republic Day is celebrated on January 26 every year to remember the day when the Constitution of India came into effect after India gained independence post a very long freedom struggle. A salute of 21 guns and the unfurling of the Indian National Flag by Dr. Rajendra Prasad heralded the historic birth of the Indian Republic on that day. Ever since the historic day, January 26 is celebrated with festivities and patriotic fervour all around the country and at DPS SEC-84,our honorable Principal Lt. Cdr (Ms)Vijay Chaudhary unfurled the national flag with pride and respect ,maintaining all the norms of social distancing. The day was marked as national holiday but the entire school celebrated the day with patriotic fervour virtually on 25th of January.









The children of Kindergarten celebrated the 72nd Republic day virtually this year, on 25th January, 2021. Mother and Child dressed in a combination of the tricolour and presented dances on patriotic songs. It was heartening to see the love for the country. #OneNationOneLove

















On Monday, 25th January 2021, tiny tots of Pre-Nursery celebrated our 72nd Republic Day with great enthusiasm, pomp and gaiety. A magnificent "Dress-N-Tell Activity" was put up by the students where they show cased their talent by speaking about the national symbols of India. The song "Nanha Munna Rahi hoon" by the students filled the air with cheer and pride. This celebration not only helped them to learn the importance of our national festivals but also helped them to develop confidence by giving them the opportunity to get on the stage and speak in front of an audience.











Food is an important part of any celebration. For the little blooming buds of Pre-Nursery the Republic Day celebration was amped up with patriotism and the young students enjoyed preparing Tri-Colour fruit salad with their own little tiny hands. This multi sensory activity not only helped them to learn the colours of our national flag "Tiranga" but also gave a healthy and patriotic twist to the usual fruit salad which the kids enjoyed a lot.











Grades I & II: Students of grades I and II recited a patriotic poem, danced on patriotic songs and also sang songs. They expressed their love for the nation by dressing up in the colours of the tricolour and upheld the true spirit of nationalism by maintaining social distance and celebrating the occasion virtually.















Grade III

Students drew the national flag and showcased patriotism by filling the colours in the national flag.









Grade V: Students made tricolor paper folding hand fans to enjoy the patriotic fervour.



Grade VII & VIII: Students narrated patriotic poems and sang patriotic songs to celebrate the occasion.



Delhi Public School, Sector-84, Gurugram



26th January, Republic Day, our national festival is the day that is important to every Indian citizen. It marks the day when India became truly independent and embraced democracy. In other words, it celebrates the day on which our Constitution came into effect. The students of Grade IX showcased their patriotism by reciting the poems during the activity 'देशभक्त का रंग, कविताओं के संग'।



























Road Safety

GRADE- V Road safety month is being observed from 18th January to 17th February on the theme 'Sadak Suraksha, Jeevan Raksha.' When one is aware about road safety, it prevents accidents and injuries and keeps a society functioning in the most optimal way. For promoting the same, students of grade 5 learned about the different road signs and traffic signals and also made a poster on "Road Signs" to understand better.











LETTER ACTIVITIES

Learning the letters doesn't have to mean memorizing or endless workbook pages. There are many fun and hands- on ways for children to learn the letters. Children of **Kindergarten** had fun while doing activities related to the letters and learnt the formation by using Lego/ blocks, yarn and hand impression.











The wheel is perhaps man's greatest invention. Starting from the cart, the cycle, the motor car and the railway train, every vehicle moves on wheels. Our little learners of **Kindergarten** learnt about the invention of the wheel in a fun filled way. The history of wheels was explained to the children and then children showed the wheels of their toys. Children shared their ideas on why the wheels are always in the shape of a circle, why wheels can't be in any other shape. Later they took the impressions of wheels in their art file.



CHALTI KA NAAM GAADI

After a trip around the world kids are now learning about transportation. After an understanding of how, when and why wheels were invented, kids took part in this activity along with their parents. The Parent - child duo performed a little jingle based on any one of the means of transport. While parents had fun revisiting childhood, children loved to sing, dance and be merry.



















DIY PASSPORT

A passport is one of the most important forms of identification a person can possess. It is important to have a passport if you plan to travel to a different country so that you will be able to prove who you are and where you are from. Travelling is fun for everyone. We all work so hard throughout the year to spend our holidays with our loved ones. But for travelling we require some important documents, like passport, visa, tickets, etc. The kids of kindergarten during their class learnt about the importance of Passport while travelling. They also enjoyed making their own personal passport with their personal information and they had fun.









ROW, ROW, ROW your boat.....

In EVS, as a part of monthly theme, the children made a boat by using apple; toothpick and triangle shape cut out and learnt about water transport. It was a fun filled activity.



















ART

Little hands created miracles during their drawing class where they made scenery using different geometrical shapes by drawing mountains, hut, trees, river, sun and flowers. They coloured the picture beautifully. It was fun for them to see different shapes turning into beautiful scenery.



HAND SHAPED DRAWINGS

Let's make drawing easy! Children thoroughly enjoyed this activity. Hand Shaped Drawings help children in developing their fine motor skills and increases their eye hand coordination. It also helps in building their attention span. Thus creativity is in their tiny hands, let them develop it well!













PARTNER YOGA

'The Gift of learning to meditate is the greatest gift you can give yourself in this lifetime'
Yoga is an exploration of mind, body and imagination....Each yoga pose is a way for children
to connect with themselves and nature. Using Yoga principles, we can enhance the learning
experience for children. For preschoolers, Yoga reinforces everything they learn in school.
To understand the importance of yoga, students with their parents enjoyed doing Partner
Yoga. The exercise was integrated with our theme of the month, 'Cooperation'.











Grade 1 Math Activity

Shopping Time

Learners used different denominations of money in the form of coins and notes and an item they would sell to their friend during the activity. Through this activity, learners learnt to count and add different denominations of coins and notes for a respective item. This activity surely made them gain a sense of confidence while buying items from a seller.











Grade III

For long sports has been viewed as a way to stay healthy and keep fit. Its benefits have gone further beyond this. It has got both physical and physiological benefits. Among the psychological benefits is better mental health. Academics is related to the ability of the brain to capture, store and process information. The impact of sports on education is limitless. Students are encouraged to participate in sports. Sports and health are intrinsically connected. That handshake after winning develops self-esteem. To inculcate these advantages, students of grade 3 were asked to make a POSTER on the benefits of playing sports.











Grade VII

Students actively participated in a debate Activity. They were well prepared, as they shared their view for and against the motion- Should water be subsidized? This was part of a water conservation project that the students were working on.











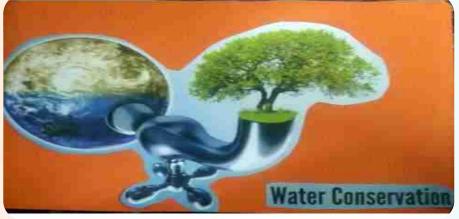
Grade VIII

Students shared tips of how to conserve water as water conservation minister; they also proposed laws for encouraging water conservation.

The activity conducted was an initiative to sensitize students to value the invaluable natural resource.













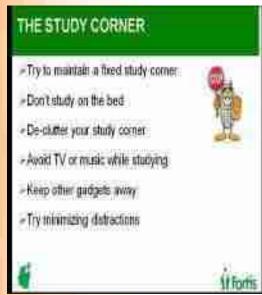
Webinar



The year 2020-21 remained the year of Online classes. The students definitely missed the immediate and regular access to instructors and classmates in traditional face-to-face classes. The communication in 2020 typically took place through e-mail and in virtual discussion forums. While this can aid in learning technology, it negatively impacts a student's ability to interact with teachers, ask questions and get immediate help. It also takes away from some of the social and team-building aspects that occurs informally in the

classrooms.

As a result Students preparing for exams often feel under pressure. The pressure may result in feelings of anxiety or nervousness, and this exam stress can interfere with the individual's mental health. To help the students for Gr IX and X, a webinar was conducted on January 09th 2021 by Ms. Tanvi Seth, an expert in the mental health arena.











Webinar



As the computer screen has taken place of the classroom blackboard, our teachers are also eagerly learning to keep themselves updated.

The professional development webinar was conducted to showcase some **online teaching** tools that can be incorporated during these times of remote learning.

- 1. Toytheater- one can use this website for different Math and English based games and puzzles and activities.
- **2. Mentimeter-** This website can be used for making interactive presentations with features like live polls and quizzes.
- 3. Quizlet- One can use this website to create flashcards for easy revision of the topics.
- **4. Thinglink-** This website can be used for infographic images, videos and 360 degree virtual tours based on different topics.









RESULT - SOF INTERNATIONAL GENERAL KNOWLEDGE OLYMPIAD



SCIENCE OLYMPIAD FOUNDATION SOF INTERNATIONAL GENERAL KNOWLEDGE OLYMPIAD (SUMMARY RESULT - SHEET) - 2020-21



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PLOT NO HS-01, STREET NO P-01, SECTOR 84

GURUGRAM, (HARYANA)

5.No.	Roll No.	Name of the Student	Obtained Marks	School Rank	Zonal Rank	Regional Rank	International Rank	Awards - Won International / Zonal / School Award
1	HR7942-01-001	ARNAY SINGH	40	î	36	181	538	Gold Medal of Excellence + Participation Certificate
2	HR7942-01-002	AVYUKT SRIVASTAVA	28	5	439	2400	11166	Participation Certificate
3	HR7942-01-007	SHOURYA LALCHANDANI	37	3	156	883	3421	Participation Certificate
4	HR7942-01-009	AAHAN PUSHPAKER	38	Ž	119	592	2676	Participation Certificate
5	HR7942-01-010	ADITYA YADAV	36	4	198	1143	4564	Participation Certificate
1	HR7942-02-001	PRANAV GARG	37	5	129	690	2334	Participation Certificate
2	HR7942-02-003	KRISHIV SHARMA	ABSENT	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.
3	HR7942-02-004	SNEHAL RANJAN	34	8	326	1774	6498	Participation Certificate
4	HR7942-02-005	AVANTIKA RAI	25	14	641	3561	14917	Participation Certificate
5	HR7942-02-006	MANVAY DHAWAN	31	11	471	2623	10068	Participation Certificate
6	HR7942-02-007	NAVIKA MEHROTRA	34	9	355	1960	7189	Participation Certificate
7	HR7942-02-010	AARON ACHARYA	35	7	284	1522	5350	Participation Certificate
8	HR7942-02-011	RUDRANKSH ROY	38	*	106	569	1938	Participation Certificate
9	HR7942-02-014	AARAV SINGH CHAUHAN	39	i	44	255	851	Gold Medal of Excellence + Participation Certificate
10	HR7942-02-017	KRISHANG GOEL	32	10	430	2404	9046	Participation Certificate

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11	HR7942-02-018	YASHI	36	6	218	1141	3806	Participation Certificate
12	HR7942-02-019	RONIT TANWAR	29	12	568	3130	12560	Participation Certificate
13	HR7942-02-020	NIRVAN LAVANIA	38	3	96	518	1770	Gold Medal of Excellence + Participation Certificate
14	HR7942-02-023	SAARANSH GUPTA	27	133	611	3345	13678	Participation Certificate
15	HR7942-02-024	SHAURYA CHATURVEDI	24	15	658	3623	15272	Participation Certificate
16	HR7942-02-025	MANTHAN RAY	38	2	72	390	1321	Gold Medal of Excellence + Participation Certificate
1	HR7942-03-001	ARAV DEV SHARMA	25	9	244	453	665	Participation Certificate
2	HR7942-03-002	KARTIKEYA MAHAJAN	32	3	70	110	147	Gold Medal of Excellence + Participation Certificate
3	HR7942-03-006	VARNIKA GOYAL	25	8	241	449	661	Participation Certificate
4	HR7942-03-007	KAUATUBH KUMAR	21.	11	338	704	1049	Participation Certificate
5	HR7942-03-008	SUMUKH SRIVASTAVA	39.	2	4	4	4	Gifts Worth Rs. 1000/- + Zonal Gold Medal + Certificate of Zona Excellence
6	HR7942-03-009	ADVIK SHARMA	28	7	160	281	402	Participation Certificate
,	HR7942-03-010	AYUSH SHARMA	30	5	119	201	279	Gold Medal of Excellence + Participation Certificate
8	HR7942-03-012	TRISHA GUPTA	18	12	399	876	1322	Participation Certificate
9	HR7942-03-016	VANDITA YADAV	29	6	127	215	300	Participation Certificate

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10	HR7942-03-017	ADISHREE AGRAWAL	32	*	n	112	149	Gold Medal of Excellence + Participation Certificate
11	HR7942-03-018	SAMAIRA UCHIL	23	10	295	585	868	Participation Certificate
12	HR7942-03-019	ATREYU SANDILYA	40	1	1	1	1	Gifts Worth Rs. 1000/- + International Gold Medal + Certificate of Outstanding Performance
ì	HR7942-04-001	SPARSH AASHI	27	1	160	313	436	Participation Certificate
2	HR7942-04-004	VIHAAN BISHT	19	2	334	726	1129	Participation Certificate
1	HR7942-05-006	SUDITI PAL	33	1	246	831	1546	Participation Certificate
10	HR7942-06-002	LAVANYA MISHRA	17	3	438	1555	3094	Participation Certificate
2	HR7942-06-005	PAYASH KUMAR	42	1	91	308	580	Participation Certificate
3	HR7942-06-006	ATHARVA PANDEY	29	2	235	881	1832	Participation Certificate
1	HR7942-07-002	ANUSHKA SHARMA	28	2	230	873	1794	Participation Certificate
2	HR7942-07-005	ASTITVA	30	1	210	806	1641	Participation Certificate
1:	HR7942-08-002	ANUBHAV ARYA	28	1	190	.758	1616	Participation Certificate
31:	HR7942-09-003	HARSH YARDHAN VERMA	24	1	214	868	1793	Participation Certificate
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It gives us immense pleasure to share that Vihaan Kakkar (Class IV-A) has cleared his Japanese language proficiency test, conducted by Japan Educational Exchanges and Services and the Japan foundation, with flying colours.











It gives us immense pleasure to inform that-Manvay Dhawan and Viraaj Sharma of Grade II have achieved the winner's certificate in Bricsmath competition. It was the 4th International online competition in mathematics conducted for classes I –XII wherein they proved their proficiency in the subject .We congratulate them and wish for them to keep soring high.











CYBER Bullying

As every child was exposed to the Internet in the year 2020-21 we initiated an awareness programme on the prevailing ethical issue, Cyber Bullying. We conducted interactive and creative activities to address the issue in classes. We conducted painting activity, interviews, creating websites and creating Minecraft world for "No Cyber Bullying."



Posters made by Lavanya Mishra (VI), Trisha Gupta , Sahunith Jhakhar

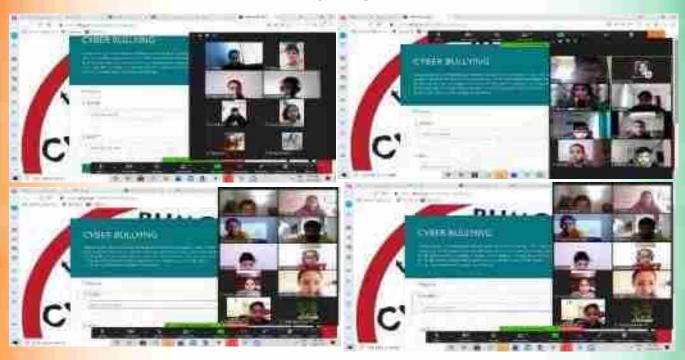








Survey using Forms



Expressing and Sharing through FLIPGRID



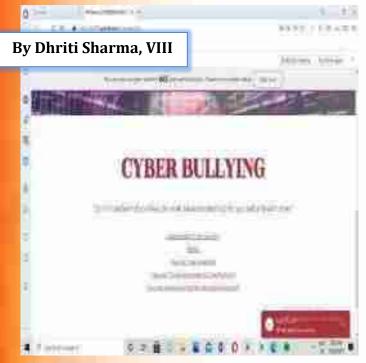




Students of Grade VIII made Websites on Cyber Bullying and successful trial for chat bots using different apps.

Creating Websites using Wix.com















Coding and Innovation











Kusum Turan: Working on Flip Book as tool kit for students and teachers on Cyber Bullying.



Cyber Security Session for teachers conducted by Kusum Turan, ICT Facilitator







IT GURU 2020: Received "Exemplary Contribution Award" from Edunext for effective online engagement











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