

Breaking gender stereotypes

In an aim to sensitise students on issues related to gender equality and rights, **JM International School, Dwarka** organised an event for the students of classes IX and X. Journalists, celebrity astrologers, along with the director and students from an NGO came together to present their views on the topic. Madhavi Shree, a blogger and a journalist, launched t-shirts at the event, which carried slogans related to gender equality. Gauri Chaudhary, the director of the NGO, addressed the audience on the need to introspect and reflect upon the existing practices in the society, and consider both men and women as equals under all circumstances, while respecting each others' rights, choices and decisions. The students from Action India sang a song that questioned the prevalent stereotypes, and performed a street



play to generate awareness by dramatising issues from the world. This was coupled with a fashion show, where all the guests, principal and students walked the ramp celebrating equality wearing the gender awareness t shirts.