



**"And suddenly you know: It's time to start something new and trust the magic of beginnings."**

**Meister Eckhart**

We are all set to start the new session with renewed vigour and enthusiasm. The last session was full of challenges but we adapted fast and efficiently to the new normal. Soon everything fell in place and the online classes were effective. Every care was taken to see that the students did not miss their classes. Evaluation and assessment of student's performance was also done online. Numerous online co-curricular activities and workshops were also organized throughout the session to keep the students engaged and motivated. Our students made us proud by winning many online competitions on different platforms.

By the grace of the Almighty, things are looking up now. The coming session has been meticulously planned with a plethora of academic and co-curricular activities for students. The pandemic has changed our outlook towards life and made us realize its value. The threat is yet not over completely and we need to be careful. It is important to take things

in our stride and adapt to the situation. We believe life must go on but at the same time caution is necessary. We need to follow all the safety protocols to be safe. We have made every arrangement in the school and staff has been trained to follow safety measures right from the time when the students enter the school gates to the classrooms, corridors as well as toilets. Students should carry masks, hand sanitizers and napkins as essential items in their bags every day. This will be the way of life, till the threat is completely off our backs. The school is doing its best but parents need to join hands with the school and make children follow the guidelines. Carelessness or negligent attitude is observed by the children and they are quick to emulate it. It is our duty not only as a school or home but as a community to set an example and spread awareness among people about the 'do and don'ts', what better way than doing it right ourselves first. We are waiting for the go-ahead from the government to resume classes.

It was a novel and unique experience to conduct and attend online classes for each one of us but there were a few challenges. Children have been exposed to the screens for long hours. This was necessary for them to maintain the continuity of the classes. Gradually, we will lead them and bring their focus and interests back towards outdoor activities, sports and games. A balance must be maintained between online and offline time now. Another significant concern is lack of writing practice in the previous months as the students have been more on the keyboard. We need to emphasize more on writing practice and improve their writing skills as it is important for our children especially the students of Standard X and XII appearing for the upcoming board exams.

At home also children should be encouraged to spend their time purposefully. A conducive environment should be created by keeping children away from troubles in the family, negative media coverage, violent and abusive TV programmes and online content. Children must be engaged in activities like gardening, cooking, learning music, instruments, dance, etc. These good practices will help them to stay positive. We as parents and teachers need to channelize the energy of the young minds in the right direction. Parents are encouraged to monitor their children so that they do not follow the practice of doing what their friends do, inviting each other to be a part of a 'herd' rather than become thinking individuals and be responsible citizens.

It was rightly said by Gautam Buddha that no matter how hard our past is, we can always begin again. Our constant endeavour is to instil right values in our students and turn them into strong individuals. We need to help our students sail smoothly through these turbulent times by maintaining peace and tranquility.

We pray to the Almighty to bless our students and all of us as we place ourselves in His hands. We believe He will guide us through all our endeavours in the coming session.

## AWARDS AND ACHIEVEMENTS



Ms. Nisha Batra HOD (Computer Science) received the prestigious Exemplary Contribution Award from IT GURU 2020.



18 teachers are Microsoft Certified Educator (MCE) after clearing the 21st Century Learning Design Course. This certification validates that educators have the global educator technology and literacy competencies.

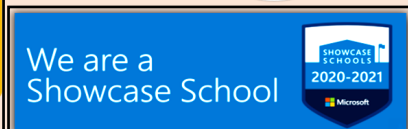


Swastik Jindal of Std VII and Paritosh Bisht of std VIII secured the 2nd position on the theme: Inter linkages between Non-Communicable Diseases (NCD) and COVID-19, by HRIDAY on 29th of September, 2020.



She was also invited to a Digital E2 event to connect with other Education Leaders and Educators as a part of an MIE Expert and Microsoft Showcase School.

Ms. Nisha Batra, Ms. Preeti Mehta and Ms. Anju Prakash are now Microsoft Certified Office Specialists.



We have been accredited for the second time as Microsoft Showcase School by Microsoft. Almost 70 teachers are Microsoft Innovative Educator Experts.

Mrs. Reena Khurana, Head Mistress Middle School, was featured on CENTA (Centre for Teacher Accreditation), Teacher's Proficiency Olympiad (TPO), wall of fame. She scored All India Rank 17 in Sr. Secondary Physics and appeared for an online exam conducted for TPO winners. She cleared the first level.



All the teachers of the computer department became Adobe Creative Educator by clearing the level 1 project.



Parth Pandey of Std. IX was accredited as Top Scorer in SAT (Scholastic Test) organized by Sri Venkateshwar School, Dwarka, Sector 18.



## C.B.S.E. RESULTS – Session 2019-20

The CBSE Class XII results reflected another successful academic session. 86% students secured above 75% in Aggregate and 100% secured the 1st division. The toppers are

### Science Stream



Sparsh Kadian  
95.8%



Komal Sahoo  
95.2%



Vidhisha Mishra  
95%

### Commerce Stream



Janvi Gupta  
95%



Prashant Kumar Gupta  
93.85%

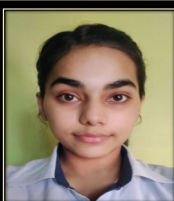


Garvit Gupta  
93%

### Humanities Stream



Khushi Vats  
96.2%



Jagriti  
95.2%



Moksha Sharma  
95.2%



Shruti Sharma  
94.2%

### Class X CBSE Results



Anwesha Prakash  
96%



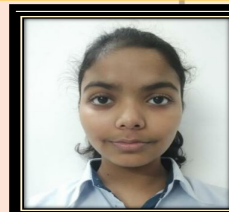
Akanchha Kumari  
95.8%



Sourabh Yadav  
95.4%

### Top Scores (100%)

The CBSE Class X results are also remarkable. 203 out of 206 students secured the first division.



Anwesha Prakash  
Mathematics



Maanas Joshi  
Mathematics



K.Prabhakar Sriram  
Mathematics



Akanchha Kumari  
Hindi



K.Prabhakar Sriram  
Science



Raghav Sharma  
Social Science

## VIDEO CONFERENCES

## INTER SCHOOL PROGRAMMES MUN (MODEL UNITED NATIONS)

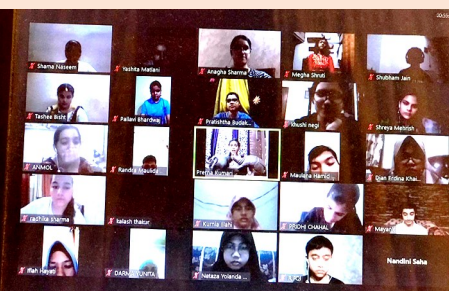
12 th Sept, 2020.

St. Mary's School, Dwarka hosted a virtual Inter School Model United Nations-2020 in collaboration with Healthy India Alliance for the 3rd Global Week for ACT on Non- Communicable diseases. 9 schools participated in the event. The Best delegates were Shagun Yadav and Gauri Gorsi from DPS Dwarka while the Best commendation was received by our school. The global event saw the presence of participants from India, Mongolia and London. The conference stimulated the UN Committee – WHO Agenda for discussion was 'Act on NCDs – a collective responsibility during and beyond COVID – 19'.



27 th August 2020 -The Iconic School, Suraj Nagar, Bhopal on the topic 'Climate Change'.

27th October 2020 - Video conference was conducted by Microsoft Global Learning Connection 2020



31 st August 2020-Pragnya Bodhini High School, Goregaon, East Mumbai on the topic 'Peace and Reconciliation',

21 st August 2020-The SMAN 3 Painan, Indonesia.topic 'Art of Expression'.



Each school represented a country and had researched about the existing health conditions related to Non Communicable diseases during and post Covid times.



## STUDENT ORIENTATION PROGRAMMES

Our students participated in the Fit India Movement conducted by Fit India Freedom Run from 15th August – 2nd October 2020 to encourage fitness and help fight obesity, laziness, stress, anxiety, diseases etc.

### Morning Run



Distance: 5.02 km  
Avg Pace: 5:34 / km  
Moving Time: 27:58  
Elevation Gain: 57 m  
Max Elevation: 215 m

As per the directions of NCC directorate, 41 NCC Cadets took pledge to "Be Vocal about Local" under the mission of "Atma Nirbhar Bharat".



25th September 2020- 66 students from std. VI to IX have enrolled for the Code-A-Thon Olympiad by Hindustan Times. HT conducted a webinar to brief the students about the online interactive learning programme. A special mention of the large participation from our school was accompanied by an article by our Principal in the Student edition of the Hindustan Times

### FIT INDIA MOVEMENT



Cadet Sehar Rauf  
3DGBN



Five students of Std. IX attended a webinar on, organised by HRIDAY and Public Health Foundation of India where students were trained to promote preventive measures for risk mitigation and to adopt a healthy lifestyle amid the global health crisis.



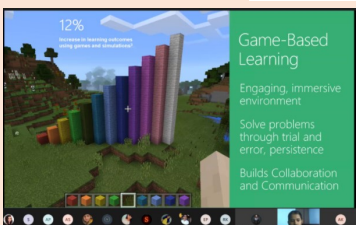
8th February 2021-The students of Std. VI along with their class teachers, participated in a special programme on Gender and Equity-'Twinning of Schools'- proposed by Directorate of Education. The students participated in a competition where they had to express their feelings about their school in a creative manner through activities like poem, story telling, painting etc. The first prize was won by Aditi Banerjee and the second prize by Harshit Vats.



1st Prize-Aditi Banerjee



2nd Prize-Harshit Vats



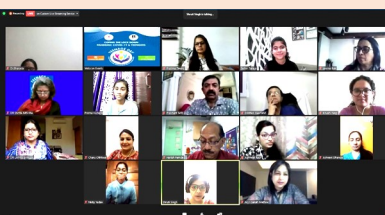
Students of std. VI to VIII attended a game-based learning -Minecraft Education Edition Training, its features and relationship of Chemistry and Computer Sc. with Minecraft.

## FACULTY DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMMES

Mrs. Sheelu Mathew, Principal, St. Mary's School, Dwarka was one of the panelists in the webinar Reevaluating Environment, Health and Safety Practices at Schools in the New Normal organised by Enviecollogic. The other panelists were Dr. Lata Vaidhyathan and Dr. Micheal Willaims.



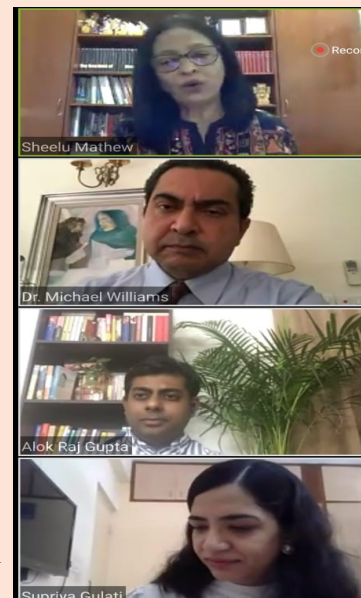
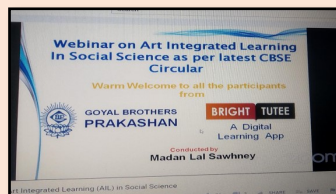
Mrs. Seema Bali, Vice Principal, was invited as a speaker in the World Environment Day 2020 Webinar, Principal's Conclave on Sustainability Education in COVID Era and as mentor at Global Training 2020 at Climate Reality Corps.



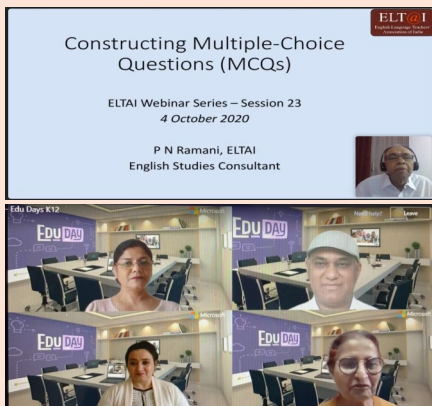
A webinar was conducted on Teenage Day by Ms. Anjali Sarah, Vice Principal (Academics) on the topic 'Coping the Lockdown Pandemic, Covid-19 and Teenagers'. The webinar was organized by Indian Association of Pediatrics, Delhi.



Ms. Sangeeta Maria participated in a webinar organised by EnvEcoLogic.

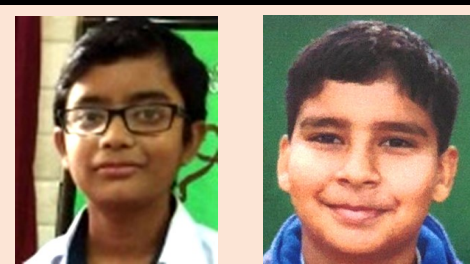


Mrs. Nisha Batra, HOD Computer Science, was invited as a speaker for the Education Transformation Framework (ETF) workshop held by Microsoft on 25th of September, 2020 on the topic: 'Immersive Reader for Inclusive and Personalized Learning.'



Computer dept attended a webinar Edu days by Microsoft.

## ASTRONOMY



June 12-July 10- It was a proud moment for St. Mary's School, Dwarka when our students from Std. VIII. Shatvik Smit and Nalin Singh participated in All India Asteroid Search Campaign, 2020. Our young achievers, did a commendable job and made three preliminary discoveries in the Main Belt Asteroid..



ONLINE ACTIVITIES-CO SCHOLASTIC AREAS

Chess

Craft

Art

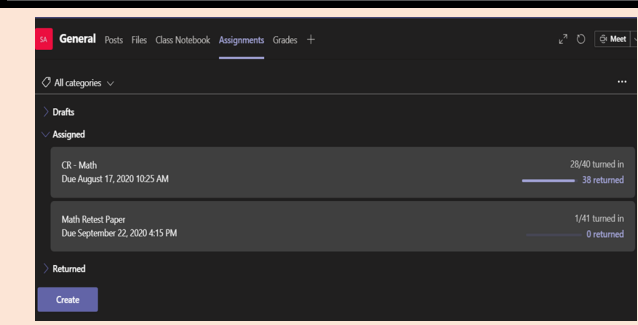
Yoga

Dance

Group Discussion

Music

ONLINE EXAMINATIONS



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Class Revision-1  
Std. X D...  
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SCHOLASTIC AREAS

English

Hindi

Science

Maths

ART INTEGRATION ACTIVITIES

JUNIORS

SENIORS
























## INTER SCHOOL COMPETITIONS

Brain International School– Our students had won different awards under many categories.



2nd Prize  
Button Artistry  
Diyara Ahluwalia-Prep



2nd prize  
Quill your dreams  
Saesha Das-III B



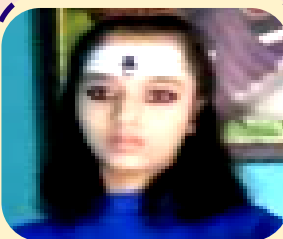
Viewers Choice Award  
Joel T Joy -VD



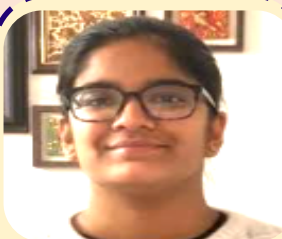
2nd prize  
Maths Mania  
Ritik Gola-XI D



1st prize  
Shutterbugs  
Prathyush Nair- XI C



3rd Prize  
Rhythmic Yoga  
Shanvi Rawat-VI C



2nd Prize  
What's your Story?  
Bhumi Goyal- VIII D



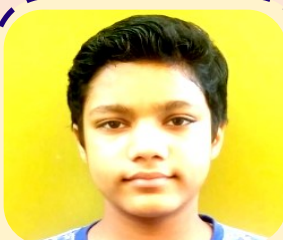
2nd prize  
Sports Aclove  
Krishna Aggarwal-IX B



2nd prize  
The Rising Youthpreneur  
Shubham Jain- XI C



1st prize  
Memeology  
Eishika Ranjan- XC



1st Prize  
Recycle for Lifecycle  
Swastik Jindal- VIII C



2nd prize  
Magniloquent Monologue  
Anagha Sharma -XC



1st prize  
Animates  
Manas Pratim Das-XII B



2nd prize  
The Rising Youthpreneur  
Lavanya Tyagi-XIIC



3rd Prize  
Go for graphics  
Samikshay Maan-XC

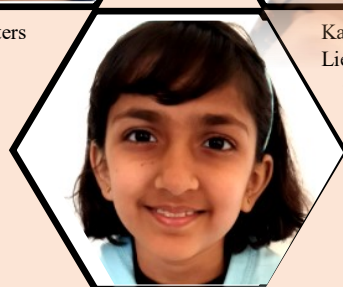
Interschool Competition **Glimpses** was organised by N. K Bagrodia School. Our students have won three positions out of 9 on Nov 14th 2020.



Math Encounters  
Devansh Das  
Class- II D



Kahani Bunana  
Liesha Sharma  
Class -1B

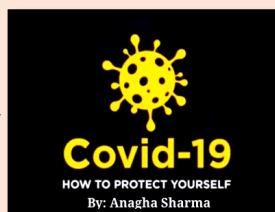


My own Puppet Theatre  
Aadya Sharma  
Class- III B

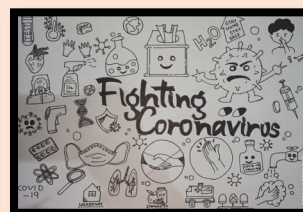
## INTER HOUSE COMPETITIONS

### Topic : How to Protect Yourself from Corona Virus

Animation Making Competition



Doodle Art Competition



Gif Making Competition



Emoticon Drawing Competition



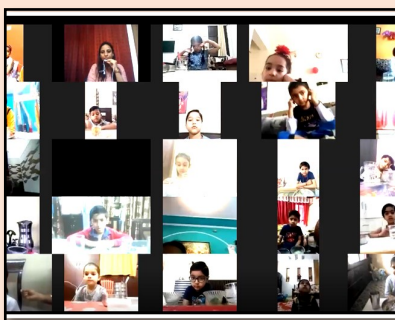
Movie Making Competition



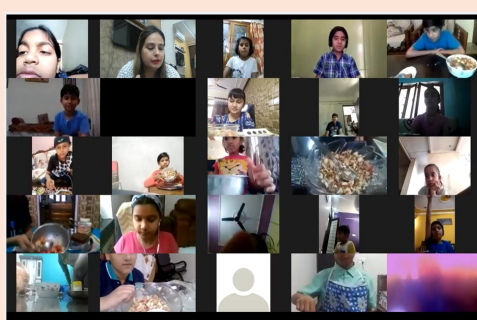


## OTHER ONLINE ACTIVITIES

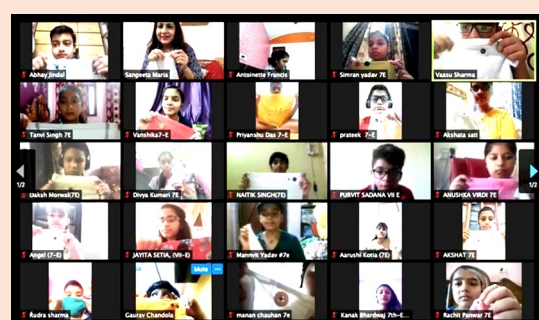
### Preparing Lemon Juice



### Salad Making



### Basic Life Skill Activity



### Christmas Assembly



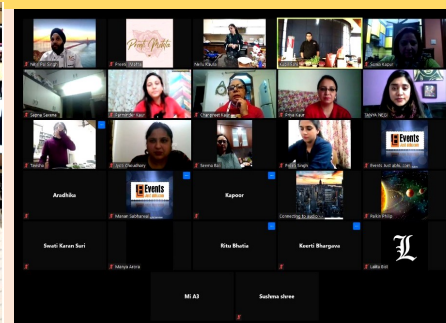
### Christmas Cornitos



### Tambola for teachers



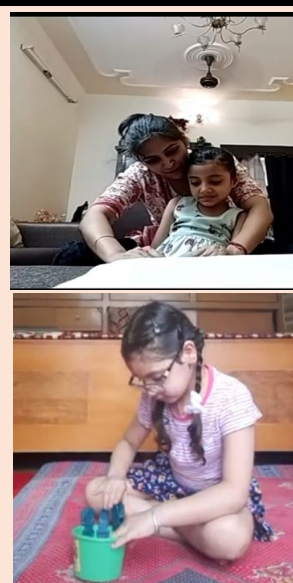
### Online Cooking with Chef



## REMEDIAL CLASSES FOR CWSN



## PARENT TEACHER ASSOCIATION



## STORY TELLING THROUGH PUPPETS



## REPUBLIC DAY CELEBRATIONS



**25th January 2021-**  
Republic Day was celebrated in the school premises. Our Principal Ms. Sheelu Mathew hoisted the National flag with social distancing.