

REPORT ON CBSE Heritage India Quiz 2017-2018

Organized by: ITL Public School Conducted by: Mr Ajay Poonia

Attended by: Students of 80 Schools of Delhi.

Date : 2 February, 2018

Venue : Auditorium, ITL Public School.

CBSE always endeavours to inculcate in young learners a passionate love and attachment towards the country's opulent culture and heritage. In sync with this noble intiative ITL hosted CBSE Heritage India Quiz 2017-2018 on 2 February 2018. The quizmaster for the session was Mr Ajay Poonia, the co founder of www.qryphtc.com, the author of a series of Quiz books for classes I- VII and the Heritage India Quiz Book with CBSE

The quiz session saw the enthusiastic participation of 90 reputed schools of Delhi. The preliminary round was a written one wherein the students' knowledge of history and heritage was tested and the best 6 teams were selected. The selected teams were Amity International School, Saket, Bal Bharti Public School, GRH Marg, DPS Rohini, Vikas Bharti School Rohini, ST. George's School, Alaknanda and the host school ITL Public School, Dwarka.....they became the City Finalists along with Ahlcon International School, Mayur Vihar who had already qualified as City Finalist.

A short cultural programme was staged to mark this special event and to cordially welcome all participating schools. The cultural programme comprised of a soulful song presentation 'Manzil Mil Jayegi Jab Chalenge Eksath', a virtual tour to Humayun tomb through a striking documentary made by ITLeens and a powerpoint presentation presenting a visual treat to certain historic, path breaking cross paths of our journey towards Independent India, an audio visual clipping of the Father of the Nation which captured the actual voice of the Mahatma. The other highlights of the cultural extravaganza included a video footage on New Delhi... how our city looked on the day when we received Independence, Jawaharlal Nehru's speech 'Tryst with Destiny', Indira Gandhi's interview by BBC, an epic video where our memorable astronaut Squadron Leader Rakesh Sharma declared that India looks 'Saare Jahan se achha' in answer to the Prime Minister Indira Gandhi's question how India looks from space.

Out of the seven selected teams, the Regional Finalists Were Ahlcon International School, St. George's School, Alaknanda and ITL Public School, Dwarka. The final round was played between these three Regional Finalists and three other teams who had already qualified as Regional Finalists - Indian School, Al Wadi Al Kabir, Oman, Muscat, New Era Public School, Mayapuri and Mount Abu Public School, Rohini, New Era Public School secured the coveted first position followed by Ahlcon International School at the second position and ITL Public School at the third position. Kudos to the winning teams!! Surely these bright kids will spread rays of enlightenment all around!!!













