

## ITL Organized Disaster Management Week

**Date: 10 October 2018 to 15 October 2018** 

Name of the activity: Disaster Management week "Command over Calamity"

Organized by: ITL Public School.

**Venue: School Premises** 

ITL Public School organized series of activities during the Disaster Management Week: Command over Calamity held between 10 October 2018 to 15 October 2018. The event inspired the students to do in-depth research on various Natural and Manmade Disasters and frame effective plan of action for facing catastrophic situations. Different Mitigation Strategies and the plan of actions that can be taken during occurrence of different disasters were discussed and formulated in detail.

On the First day (10 October 2018) of the **Safety Drive**, the students of Class IX participated in **Research** and **Preparation of Vulnerability Maps**- a group activity where the students prepared the vulnerability maps on different natural disasters like Earth quake, Floods, Landslide, Tsunami, Cyclone which hit India, China, Japan and the USA. In the second phase of the activity students made a comparative analysis of the mitigation strategies that are followed in India, China, Japan and the USA during different natural disasters.



On the Second day (11 October 2018) of the **Safety Drive** the students of Class IX participated in a **Panel Discussion** on the best of the Mitigation strategies to evoke consciousness among students regarding disaster control measures.



On the Third day, 12 October 2018 the students of class XI gave a PowerPoint presentation on the stratagem used in India, China, Japan and USA to combat unforeseen calamities. The focus of the presentation was on strategies to deal with incidents of fire in the schools. The School also organized a work shop cum safety drill on the same day. The work shop was conducted by Mr. Pravin Rawat, Inspector, NDRF ( National Disaster Response Force )The resource person shared his practical experiences as a member of the Rescue Force and also explained the students the importance of training to deal with such adverse situations more effectively To give hands on experience to the students in the second phase of the work shop an *interactive mock drill* was organized in which the students were trained to evacuate the school building in case of disasters like earthquake and fire.



On the 4th day of **Mega Safety Drive** the students of **Classes IX and XI** prepared a **safety booklet** on Disasters. The booklet can provide best of the mitigation strategies which can be followed before, during and after a disaster



Such series of activities generated awareness among young minds about Manmade and Natural Disasters. The activities also equipped them with expertise on how to extend ready help to the victims in case of any calamity.