



ITL CELEBRATES GREEN DIWALI

Date: 4 November 2021

Day: Thursday

Participants: Candyfloss - XII

Keeping up with the festive spirit, **ITL Public School** celebrated Diwali with a great zeal shared by teachers and students alike. Diwali has a great spiritual significance. According to the Vedic culture, a lamp is lit to drive away inauspiciousness, which further signifies coming to light from darkness, coming to knowledge from ignorance. The students tried to illumine the aura through their splendid performances. The idea behind the Diwali celebration this year was **Celebrate to Sustain**.

The **Sustainable Development Goals** formulated by the United Nation were at the core of all the performances, with the focus on **SDG 13 Climate Action**. **Vani Jain, Head girl, ITL Public School**, elaborated how one can celebrate Diwali with maximum happiness and minimum consequences to the environment. She also emphasized on how all of us can take small steps to bring about big changes in lives of people around us by purchasing products **Made in India**. The toddlers of ITL reiterated the message of Green Diwali through various meaningful quotations. Diwali is one of the major festivals, that is celebrated across the world. It is the harbinger of **Global Citizenship**. With the idea of **Vasudev Kutumbhkam**, the students presented how Diwali is celebrated in different parts of the world with various names given to the festival.

The celebration ended with **Anisha Srivastava, XII F**, eulogizing the idea of spreading the smiles by taking a pledge to lead a sustainable life, bringing about positive changes in ourselves to make a great impact in the lives of those around us.

