

UN@75 - VIRTUAL CONCLAVE on SDG 2030 AGENDA

Date- 21st October, 2020 Conducted by- Classes XI-XII Attended by – Classes XI-XII

ITL PUBLIC SCHOOL conducted a Virtual Conclave on 21 October, 2020 for a constructive discussion on the SDG 2030 agenda with major focus on the 17th SDG while encompassing all other 16 SDGs The event was held to honour the phenomenal occasion of the UN completing its successful 75 years on 24 October 2020.

Dr Ashok Pandey Director, Ahlcon Group of Schools, Delhi graced the occasion as the **Chief Guest. Mr Akshay Rout**, the Senior Strategic Advisor for the UN Office for Project Services was the distinguished Guest of Honour and **Ms Jyoti Arora, Principal Mount Abu School** was the **special Guest** for the gala event.

The esteemed **judges** for the event were Dr **Sanjukta Subudhi**, Senior Fellow at Microbial Biotechnology Area, Environmental and Industrial Biotechnology Division, TERI and **Subhajit Bhattacharya**, a technology enthusiast, thought leader, mentor, author, and ssspeaker, Global Project Delivery Manager at Accenture. **Principal, ITL Public School Dr Sudha Acharya** formally welcomed the **Guests** and **Judges** and encouraged the participants to express freely on the values of collaboration and partnerships for Sustainable Development for a better tomorrow.

The participants assigned as the delegates of a particular country got a potent platform to speak on sustainability and shared a country's perspective after their intensive research and critical analysis of the official reports and statistics. The theme of their discussion is on the Goal 17 of the SDG and how this North-South, South-South cooperation can help benefit all the countries in achieving other 16 SDGs. The purpose lies in the vision of shaping the students to be the torch bearers of tomorrow and to move from individuality to a global view. The judges appreciated the meticulous research, passionate involvement and commendable oratory of all delegates **Navya Seth** of XIF representing **USA** was adjudged as the most effective speaker winning the **first position. Anisha Hallan of Class XID**, the **Delegate** of **Sweden** was the **first runner up** and the second runner up position was jointly bagged by **Suryanshi Gupta**(XID) **Delegate**

of Sweden and Sanchaita Das (XIF) Delegate of India. Prateek Arsh (XIC) Delegate, UK could grab the Special Mention Prize by virtue of his. impactful context and impressive oratory.

Shaping Peace Together is the theme for world peace day this year. The United Nations encourages people to celebrate the day by spreading compassion, kindness and hope in the face of the (COVID-19) pandemic and the same was highlighted through the Virtual Conclave Event at ITL.



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