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NEWSLETTER OF YADAVINDRA PUBLIC SCHOOL, PATIALA (July to October, 2021)

NEWS IN BRIEF

- Investiture Ceremony to elect the Prefectorial Body was held on 29th July.
- The 72nd Annual Academic Day was celebrated on 28th August.
- Alumni Celebrations held on 23rd October.
- Yadavindrians participated in 14 Inter-School Events, 13, MUNs and 19 Round Square Conferences in this session besides ECA & Inter-House activities

Point to Ponder

20 years ago, Elon Musk fixed his BMW with old parts from a junkyard. Today Tesla is 9 times bigger than BMW

YADAVINDRIANS OUTSHINE AGAIN !



Aryan Duggal

bagged by Aryan Duggal of Humanities, who scored an unrivalled 99.01%. Pratishtha Rajiv Bajaj of Humanities stood second with 97.75%, followed by Sehaj Kaur Bangar of Humanities, who scored 97.25%. Over 50% of the students scored above 90% and 45% of the students scored above 80%.

Likewise, in ICSE, Trishleen Kaur scored an unsurpassed 97.20%, followed by Saraah Gupta and Inaayat Grewal, who scored 97% and 96.60% respectively. Over 30% of the students scored above 90%. More than 45% of the students scored above 80%, with no one scoring less than 70%. Since offline exams were not conducted this session, CISCE adopted a new system to moderate the exam results, which was based



Trishleen Kaur

Yadavindrians have once again proven their mettle by achieving outstanding results in the ICSE and ISC exams for the session 2020-21. As achieved previously, both the batches registered 100% pass result.

The first position in ISC was

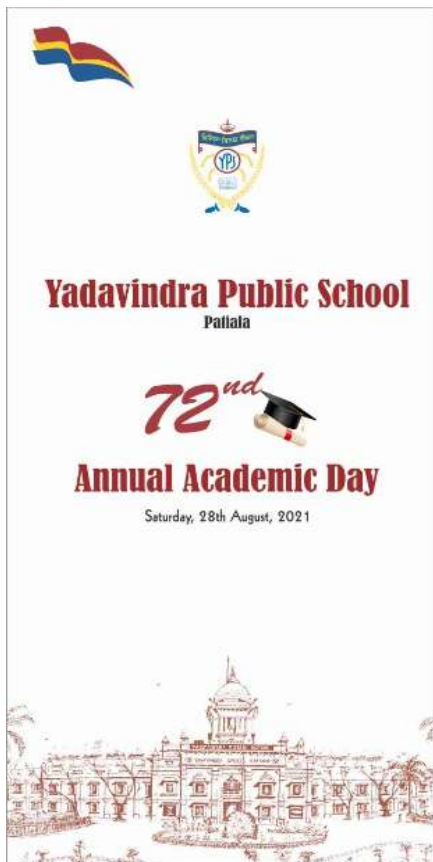
on the previous years' exam results. The school results for the session 2020-21 were compliant with the previous years' results. YPS is incredibly proud of each and every student, and wishes them all the best for their future endeavours.

YPS CELEBRATES 72nd ACADEMIC DAY

Yadavindra Public School, Patiala celebrated its 72nd Annual Academic Day with immense pride and gratification on Saturday, August 28. The majorly virtual event had a limited gathering which included the outgoing 12th class prize winners, the School Award winners and their parents. The entire YPS team witnessed the ceremony at the newly constructed Captain Amarinder Singh Auditorium.



WE ARE PROUD OF (2020-21) PRIZE WINNERS



Award Winners

- 1) IAYP Gold Award- Bhavneet Kaur, Harsheen Kaur, Manavi Dhingra
- 2) King Constantine Medal of Round Square- Vinay Goyal
- 3) MK Anand Memorial Award for the Best Result in Maths and Science (Junior School) - Sana Pandhi, Vir Singh Sandhu
- 4) Inderjit Kaur Memorial Medal for the Best Academic Result (Junior School) – Lakshya Dhablania, Yash Raj Singh
- 5) Best All Round Student Trophy- Aisha Gupta, Hridyaansh Kapil
- 6) Cub Reporting- Reyaan Athwal, Hinam Walia
- 7) Amica Nehal Memorial Award (Music)- Jiya
- 8) Meetinder Art Shield (Middle Section)- Adab Kaur, Divroop Kaur Sandhu, Thea Aggarwal
- 9) Cariappa Art Shield (Senior School)- Ananya Ahuja
- 10) Inderjit Singh Batra Medal for the Best Academic Progress- Rupanshi Chopra
- 11) Best Academic Result in Middle School- Vaani Goyal
- 12) S. Harnam Singh Bal Maths Genius Award of Rs 7500/- (Middle School)- Divyam Bansal
- 13) S. Harnam Singh Bal Maths Genius Award of Rs 7500/- (Senior School)- Aryan Duggal
- 14) Best Academic Result in Senior School- Aryan Duggal
- 15) Majithia Medal for Best Average in

Platinum Holders

Class VI

Aarav Bansal, Aaryan Gupta, Rehaan Gupta, Akshara Mittal, Diptanshu Singla, Guntas Pabla, Gurtaj Singh, Harshvardhan Rajesh Kakkar, Kamakshi Gupta, Shree Vardhan Dev Thapliyal, Aadesh Singh Rehal, Ishmanreet Kaur Dhaliwal, Jashanpreet Singh, Krishiv Bansal, Manan Rai Sood, Prajanya Kapoor, Simran Sidhu, Vansh Singla, Pravir Singh, Navrajinder Singh Kaleka, Yuvaan Rai Mangla, Jansher Grewal, Avreen Kaur Bains, Bhavik Goel, Divina Singh Puri, Gursifat Kaur Sekhon, Ineshwar Singh Brar, Neel Partap Singh, Pakhi Gandotra, Parinaina Bhandohal, Vriti Sharma, Livgovind Singh, Asees Kaur Waraich, Dilsher Singh Waraich, Gaatha Mittal, Guneev Kaur Punia, Parihaan Jagdevan, Rehaan Raj, Tejas Kaur, Zoravar S. Ahluwalia

Class VII

Renee Dhadli, Avraj S. Manchanda, Harmanmeet S. Batra, Aaditya Pratap Maudgil, Aishwarya Jhaladiyal, Ananya Gupta, Avanayae Kaura, Disha Jain, Eishrat Sapra, Gunwant Kaur Grewal, Gurleen Kaur, Harangel Sachdeva, Jaskaran Singh, Prabhgun Kaur Kocher, Tehzeeb Kaur Cheema, Yuvraj Tegpartap Singh Khaira, Hargun Gill, Dishita Singla, Abhayteg Singh, Ananya Gupta, Hetal, Iman Ajit Singh Khokhar, Jasnoor Kaur Sarin, Shaurya Garg, Tripti Jain, Vanshika Bali, Maanit Gupta, Anusha Gupta, Aahana Goel, Aarav Goel, Anhad Singh Jawanda, Bhomik Goyal, Pranjal Singla, Rasha Dhaliwal, Satvik Gupta, Zoravar Singh Sandhu, Udayravjot Singh, Vanshika, Ersheen H Singh, Krishiv Garg, Sifet Ahluwalia

Class VIII

Vaani Goyal, Mallik Arjun Ahluwalia, Aaryan Puri, Brahmjot Singh, Devank Bhalla, Devina Bansal, Dhriti Jain, Jannat Sachdeva, Neev Jain, Parwaaz Singh Saharan, Ravinderpal Singh, Rikhil Nagrath, Shourya Goyal, Divroop Kaur Sandhu, Hikmat Kaur, Adab Kaur, Agaaz Aggarwal, Ancheta Verma, Anvi Gupta, Thea Aggarwal, Harsh Thapar, Shresth Singh, Divyam Bansal, Adeshpartap Singh Sandhu, Akashdeep Kaur, Amreen Chahal, Asiss Kaur Sandhu, Gunraj Kaur, Hiren Jain, Kaavya Aggarwal, Naman Garg, Nimar Kaur Punia, Ryan Phul, Sabiha Bhandohal, Samarveer Singh Sicand, Sruti Damodar, Suhani Singla, Thakshbir Singh Dhillon, Ujeshwar Singh Brar, Vardaaveer Singh, Ira Mittal, Harbani Kaur, Vardhan Bansal, Anwi Kansal, Manan Bansal, Mohin Dhiman, Parul Singla, Raunaq Sharma, Samar Partap Singh Grewal, Seerat Kaleka, Seerat Sidhu, Shubhrika Chopra, Sukhman Dhiman

Class IX

Sabir Ahluwalia, Priyanshu Gupta, Shourya Kansal, Gunmay Garg, Steve Gupta, Gurkirpa S Sarao, Bir Angad Singh, Manveer Singh, Punya Arora, Kiratnoor Kaur Bajwa, Tejas, Kabir Sabharwal, Uday Singh Batra, Sukhnaaz Kaur Sidhu, Ananta Sharma, Inayat Pabla, Samaira Singh, Yuvika Jindal

Class X

Saraah Gupta, Inaayat Grewal, Trishleen Kaur, Kanav Bansal, Nirvair Singh, Varun Kaushal, Aaina Saini, Tanvir Singh Walia, Anmol Rattan S Nagra, Sarvagya Dev Thapliyal, Daksh Malhotra, Diva Goyal, Hinam Walia, Poorva Puri, Vanshika Goel

Class XI

Viraj Jain, Brahmjot S Ahuja, Garima Grover, Sargun, Erica Singh, Jasnaaz Sidhu

Class XII

Aaryan Duggal, Ananya Ahuja

- English and Social Studies (ICSE)- Trishleen Kaur
- 16) Aitchison Yadavindra Old Boys Medal for Standing First in ICSE and Dr Karansher Sidhu Scholarship of Rs 11000/- - Trishleen Kaur
 - 17) Prem Singh Batra Medal for Best Average in Science and Maths (ICSE) – Saraah Gupta, Trishleen Kaur, Varun Kaushal
 - 18) Nalagarh Medal for the Best Average in Science and Maths (Non Medical)- Anisha Bajaj
 - 19) Gurnam Singh Memorial Medal for the Best Result in ISC (Medical)- Simarleen Kaur
 - 20) Ludra Medal for the Best Result in Economics- Aryan Duggal, Ananya Ahuja
 - 21) Old Boys Medal for the Best Result in English (ISC)- Aryan Duggal
 - 22) Gurnam Singh Memorial Medal for Best Result in ISC (Humanities)- Aryan Duggal
 - 23) Goldstein Memorial Prize for the Best Effort- Anisha Bajaj, Kanwar Rutajit
 - 24) Aitchison Yadavindra Old Boys Medal for Standing First (ICSE)- Aryan Duggal
 - 25) Yadavindra Gold Medal and Dr Karansher Sidhu Trophy and Scholarship of Rs 15000/- - Aryan Duggal
 - 26) Inter House Trophy for Cultural Activities- DRH
 - 27) Study Cup- PH
 - 28) Champion House Cup for the Best All Round House- PH

PREFECTORIAL BODY: ACADEMIC YEAR 2021-22

The Investiture Ceremony is held to felicitate the new prefectorial body with their respective posts. This year the ceremony was held on 29th July in the New School Auditorium and celebrated in all its glory. The designated posts were bestowed upon the prefects by the Director, Retd. Maj.Gen. Sanjiv Varma and the Deputy Headmaster, Mr. Anil Bajaj.

The Auspicious Morning was welcomed with a prayer invoking the Almighty to provide guidance and good will. Next, the master of ceremony informed the students of the importance and the true meaning of what it takes to be a school prefect. The Prefectorial body was marched in, creating a sense of excitement and enthusiasm, never felt before in the auditorium. As the prefects stood there on the stage, heads held high, the Director was requested to felicitate the Captains of the School, Houses, ECA, and Games and Sports, followed by the Deputy Headmaster who pinned the badges on the Prefects.

The Director reminded the students about the responsibility and determination that all prefects should recognise inside them. The Ceremony came to an end with the 'Oath taking' which required each Prefect to promise to 'uphold the dignity and honour of the school'. With this, The Investiture Ceremony was concluded.

The following students have been nominated for the Prefectorial Body:-

a) SCHOOL APPOINTMENTS

HEAD BOY : GURTEJ SINGH (B/MH)
HEAD GIRL : REYAANATHWAL(D/PH)
DY. HEAD BOY: KANWAR SIDHU D/DRH)
DY. HEAD GIRL: DIVNOOR SAMRA(D/PH)

GAMES & SPORTS CAPTAIN:

JASNAAZ SIDHU (D/PH)
 TEJVEER SOOD (B/DRH)

GAMES & SPORTS PREFECT:

TAANVIANAND (D/PH)
 YUVNOOR DHILLON (D/MH)

EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES:

CAPTAIN: (BOY) ANIRUDH GUPTA (D/DRH)
 (GIRL) ERICA SINGH (D/MH)

PREFECTS:

HANNAH DEOL (D/MH)
 GARIMA GROVER (B/PH)
 PAREESA SARAO (D/PH)
 ADITYA KUMAR (D/DRH)
 CHITRA GOYAL (D/PH)

b) HOUSE APPOINTMENTS

CAPTAINS:

DRH (BOY): BEERUDAY BRAR (B)
 (GIRL): CHETANYA SINGLA (D)
MH (BOY): RHYTHM GOGIA (D)
 (GIRL): GAURI GARG (D)
PH (BOY): JUPNEET SINGH (B)
 (GIRL): ARSHJOT NAGPAL (D)
GBH: MANREET KAUR (B/MH)

PREFECTS

DRH: RAJBIR JUNEJA (D)
 ASHMEET KALER (D)
MH: SRISHTI (B)
 AMRITA CHOPRA (D)
PH: ADESHMANVEER SINGH (D)
 GURNUR CHOCHAN (D)



INTER-SCHOOL EVENTS

IT Competitions

1. **Host School: B.K. Birla Centre for Education, Pune (Online)**

Theme: 'White Noise 2021: Where the Tech Meets the Creative'.

Participants:

- XII – Aditya Kumar,
Sugam Jain,
Rhythm Gogia
XI – Anmolrattan Singh
Nagra
X – Samaira Singh,
Gunmay Garg
IX – Shehjpreet Kaur Ranu,
Kriti, Harbani Kaur,
Mallik Arjun Ahluwalia

3rd position in RAY @ 100: Movie making.

Participants:

Anmolrattan Singh Nagra, Rhythm Gogia

2nd Position - PAIK: Cyber Art Installation.

Participants:

Rhythm Gogia, Mallik Arjun Ahluwalia

2. **Host School: SAI International Education Group**

Theme: Science & Technology Fest

Participants:

- VIII – Aditya Pratap Maudgill
Zorawar Singh Sandhu
VII – Rehaan Raj,
Yuvaan Rai Mangla,
Gurhunar Singh Talwar
VI – Aisha Gupta,
Yashica Jindal
Nehchalbir Singh
Dhillon,
Hridyaansh Kapil

Aisha Gupta of VI-P won the Second prize in 'Can you Sell it' event.

Art Competitions

3. **Host School: Vidya Devi Jindal School, Hisar**
Event: 28th Jindal Art Festival- 'Kintsugi'

Participants:

- XII – Rhythm Gogia
XI – Udayveer S. Shergill
IX – Vaani Goyal, Mallik Arjun Ahluwalia,
Thea Aggarwal
VIII – Zorawar Singh Sandhu,
Gaurangi Jain

4. **Host School: Assam Valley School**

Event: IPSC Art Fest

Participants:

- XII – Chitra Goel, Ganga Ahuja, Anirudh,
Pavit Dhillon
Khyati Goel
XI – Nimar Sidhu,
Sarah Jain, Gulnaaz Gill, Ansh Taneja,
Udayveer Shergill
X – Jahnvi Jain,
Kiratnoor Kaur Bajwa,
Shireen
IX – Vaani Goyal,
Ira Mittal, Sehajpreet,
Adab Kaur,
Divroop Kaur Sandhu,
Kavya Aggarwal,
Thea Aggarwal,
Daksh Taneja,
Shubhrika Chopra,
Sabiha Bhandohal,
Seerat Kaleka,
Seerat Sidhu

Chitra Goel of XII Arts won Prize of Excellence in Mandala Art.

5. **Event: Tresor D Artistes**

i) **Event:** Komorebi Water Colour Painting

Participant:

- XII – Chitra Goyal,
Garima Grover,
Gulnaaz Gill

Gulnaaz Gill won a prize a for the best Dream Catcher

6. **Host School: Chittagong Grammar School**
Event: Art Competition
Participants:

- XII – Chitra Goyal,
Anandita Ahuja,
Seher Sidhu,
Megha Mittal
XI – Nimar Sidhu,
Gulnaaz Gill,
Sarah Jain,
Udayveer Shergill,
Ansh Taneja
IX – Divroop Sandhu,
Vaani Goyal

7. **Host School: Welham Boys' School, Dehradun**

Event: Nouveau Media Art Meet 2021

Topic: 'Moving Mirror' New Media Art

Participants:

- XII – Chitra Goel,
Rhythm Gogia
XI – Udayveer Singh Shergill,
Gulnaaz Gill,
Ansh Taneja, Sarah Jain

Debates

8. **Host School: Maharani Gayatri Devi Girls' School, Jaipur**

Event: Rajmata Gayatri Devi Memorial English Debate

Participants:

- XII – Sargun
IX – Suhani Singla, Ira Mittal

9. **Host School: Assam Valley School**

Event: East India Debates

Participants:

- XII – Hannah Deol
XI – Ansh Taneja
IX – Ira Mittal,
Vardhan Bansal

Hannah Deol was declared as the best speaker twice and Ira Mittal and Vardhan Bansal each won the most promising speaker award in their respective debates

10. **Host School: The Scindia School, Gwalior**

Event: Inter-School English Debate

Participants:

- XII – Hannah Kaur Deol,
Divnoor Samra,
Pareesa Sarao
IX – Gunraj

Business Quiz

11. **Host School: Vivek High, Chandigarh**

Theme: Reel to Real

Participants:

- XII – Erica Singh,
Rajbir Juneja,
Arshjot Kaur Nagpal
XI – Angad Guram,
Samaira Goel
X – Uday Batra

12. **Host School: Mayo College Girls School**

Theme: Cosctach Conclave, 2021

Participants:

- XII – Jasnaaz Sidhu,
Erica Singh,
Rajbir Juneja,
Arshjot Nagpal,
Anirudh Gupta,
Chitra Goyal,
Kanwar Sidhu, Sargun
XI – Udayveer Singh
Shergill, Anahat Kaur
X – Gunmay Garg,
Sukhnaaz Sidhu,
Adishree Sood

1. **YPS secured the third position in 'Transform to Transcend' event**
2. **Jasnaaz Sidhu won the second prize in the 'Auction Nation' event**
3. **Kanwar Sidhu and Gunmay Garg secured the third position in the quiz.**

Hindi Diwas

13. **Host School: Lawrence School, Sanawar**

Theme: Sanawar Sahitya Samaroh, 2021

Participants:

- IX – Divroop Kaur Sandhu,
Bhaumik Goyal

Divroop Kaur Sandhu won the first prize in Radio Jockey Competition

Dance

14. **Host School: Daly College, Indore**

Event: IPSC Dance Festival, 'TARAB'

Participants:

- XII- Hannah Kaur Deol
[Bharatnatyam],
Ishleen Kaur [freestyle]
IX- Anindita Dhadwal
[Kathak],
Raunaq Sharma
[Hip-hop]

Raunaq Sharma won a prize for outstanding performance for hip-hop dance style.

Students' Submissions for 'Moving Mirror' New Media Art Competition



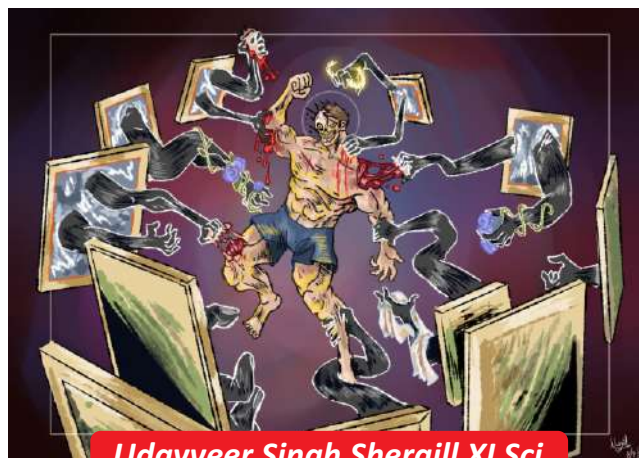
Chitra Goel XII-Arts



Ansh Taneja XI-Com



Gulnaaz Gill XI-Arts



Udayveer Singh Shergill XI Sci

ONLINE ACTIVITIES

MODEL UNITED NATIONS CONFERENCE

International Conferences

1. **Host School:** San Silvestre, South America (Peru)

Participants :

- XII – Garima Grover
 XI – Nimar Sidhu, Hinam Walia,
 Mansirat Kaur, Sarvagya Dev
 Thapliyal
 X – Uday Batra, Yuvika Jindal,
 Sukhnaaz Kaur,
 IX – Divroop Kaur Sandhu,
 Gulnoor Kaur

Agendas taken up:

- DISEC – Brazil
- DISEC – Germany
- SOCHUM – Russia, Venezuela
- WHO – New Zealand, Spain
- ECOSOC – Portugal, USA
- TPAs – El Comercio,
Folha do S. Paulo

i) Uday Batra won the verbal mention award in SOCHUM committee.

ii) Divroop Sandhu won the honorable mention award in TPAs committee

National Conferences

2. **Host School:** Strawberry Fields High School

Participants :

- XII – Divnoor Samra
 XI – Parth Garg
 X – Rabbani, Chitvan Goel
 IX – Ancheta Verma,
 Nimar Kaur Punia

Agendas taken up:

- UNGA – Militarization of Indo-Pacific
 UNHRC – Cold-War
 IAEA – Nuclear Security Plan 2022-2025

3. **Host School:** The Doon School, Dehradun.

Participants:

- XII – Erica Singh, Hannah Kaur Deol
 XI – Anirudh Gupta, Trishleen Kaur
 X – Punya Arora, Inayat Pabla,
 Uday Singh Batra, Naunihal Singh

Agendas taken up:

- UNEP– Republic of Kenya, Republic of Estonia, Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan– Environmental Sustainability in active and post conflict zones; Addressing multi sourced and pathogenic pollution in global waterways

- UNSC – Afghanistan, Indonesia – The protection of civilians in the context of peacekeeping forces
- DISEC – Somalia – Unconventional methods of warfare with a special emphasis on bacteriological weapons and cyber warfare.

4. **Host School:** Sai International School, Bhubaneswar, Odisha

Participants:

- XI – Nimar Sidhu, Anahat Kaur
 X – Anindita Dhadwal
 IX – Adab Kaur, Gunraj Kaur,
 Ujeshwar Singh, Vaani Goyal
 Abhaylaksh Gupta

Agendas Taken up:

- ILO – Are unpaid internships ethical?
- SPECPOL-Can space be colonised in future?

5. **Host School:** Welham Boys' School

Participants:

- XII – Kanwar Sidhu
 XI – Hinam Walia
 IX – Devina Bansal
 VIII – Rasha Dhaliwal, Armaan Nakai,
 Avraj Manchanda, Harshita Jolly

Agendas taken up:

- UNGA – Republic of Ghana, Columbia
- IPC – Soviet Weekly, NBC News (The Cold War)
- UNGA – Republic of Columbia (Weaponization of AI and it's impact on International Security)
- UNHRC – Togolese Republic, Federal Democratic Republic of Nepal (Plight of Uighur Muslims; Child Labour)
- Lok Sabha – Shri P. Ravendranath Kumar (AIADMK), Shri Ramesh Pokhriyal (BJP)
 The deterioration of political climate in India with special emphasis on Free Speech and Federalism and Second Wave of Covid-19

6. **Host School:** Singapore International School, Mumbai

Theme: Building Bridges Instead of Walls

Participants:

- XII – Jiya Arora, Sargun
 X – Sukhnaaz Kaur, Parina Dhaliwal

- IX – Adab Kaur, Thea Aggarwal,
Hikmat Kaur, Mallik Arjun,
VIII – Aahana Goel, Anusha Gupta

Agendas taken up:

- UNSC + UNHRC- Estonia – Declaring crimes against humanity by the Myanmar administration as an international issue.
- UNHRC – Bahrain, Saudi Arabia – Resumption of Israel.
- DISEC – Kenya, Argentina – To create a UN framework on peaceful ownership of outer space.
- ICJ- Argentina, To transfer the cases of Julian Assange and Roman Putersevich in ICJ, Hague to an independent international tribunal.
- ITU – Chile – Weaponisation of social media.
- INDO- PAK – To discuss the creation of a new nation in east Pakistan

7. Host School: Lawrence School, Sanawar**Participants:**

- XII – Garima Grover
XI – Ansh Taneja
X – Aayush Sood
IX – Samarveer Singh Sicand,
Divyam Bansal, Harsh Thapar
VIII – Jasnoor Kaur Sarin,

The Chief Guest of the MUN was Shri Om Birla, the Speaker of the Lok Sabha.

Agendas taken up:

- UNHRC –Jordan – Discussing the deteriorating situation of human rights in the occupied Palestinian territory
- UNSC – Mexico – Deliberation upon the aftermath of withdrawal of US troops from Afghanistan and maintaining peace and security in the region.
- UNGA – Egypt, Kazakhstan – Discussing the future course of disarmament with special emphasis on biological warfare.
- IMF –Australia – Re-assessing the measures for post pandemic recovery with special emphasis on current allocation structure.
- WHO –Argentina – Suggesting measures for fair and equitable allocation and access of vaccines for Covid- 19.
- AIPPM – Arjun Munda – Re- assessing the current farmers' protest and suggesting amicable solutions.
- Cabinet Of Mikhail Gorbachev- Nikolai Gubenko – Geo-political state of USSR

8. Host School: Jodhamal School, Jammu.**Participants:**

- XII – Yuvnoor Dhillon, Ashmeet Kaler
XI – Raghav Bhardwaj
X – Manhar Aggarwal, Adishree Sood
IX – Anvi Gupta, Naman Garg, Arpita Singh,
Seerat Sidhu

Agendas taken up:

- For Lok Sabha (Analysis of New IT Laws in India)

- UNHRC (Persecution of Independent Journalists and media organisations)
- Viceroy Supreme Forum (Partition of India: 17 May, 1947)
- International Arbitration Council (Assessing the withdrawal of American Troops from Afghanistan and establishing a secure international framework.)

YPS Delegation got “The Most Promising Delegation” Award.

1. Raghav Bhardwaj got a special mention.
2. Manhar Aggarwal got a verbal mention.

9. Host School: Bhawan Vidyalaya, Chandigarh

Theme: The theme of the MUN was 'Libertas Justitia Veritas.'

The conference was attended by almost 280 delegates from 80 schools spanning over 11 countries.

Participants:

- XI – Sarah Jain
X – Samaira Singh, Shiven Tayal
IX – Divroop Kaur Sandhu, Hiren Jain

Agendas taken up:

- United Nations Entity for Gender Equality and Empowerment of Women –Haiti
- European Commission – Austria
- Parliamentary Standing Committee on Health and Family Welfare – Hazi Fazlur Rehman (leader, Bahujan Samaj Party)
- High Level Committee on South South Cooperation – Peru
- High Level Committee on South South Cooperation – Vatican

Divroop Kaur Sandhu received a Special Mention.**10. Host School:** Mody School, Laxmangarh

Theme: “Metamorphosis : The Evolution of Youth”

- XII – Keerat Kaur
X – Dakshita Bhalla, Anoopinder Singh
IX – Dhriti Jain, Jannat Sachdeva,
Asiss Kaur
VIII – Satvik Gupta, Zorawar Singh,
Renee Dhadli, Disha Jain

Agendas taken up:

- UNHRC – Japan, Greece, Ukraine
- ONODC – Albania, Czech Republic
- UNGA – Afghanistan, People's Republic of China
- UNSC – Canada, Japan, Germany

11. Host School: BK Birla Centre For Education, Pune**Participants:**

- XII – Kanwar Sidhu
XI – Trishleen Kaur,

- X – Raghav Bhardwaj
Shiven Tayal, Adishree Sood,
Manhar Aggarwal, Inayat
Pabla
- IX – Mallik Arjun Ahluwalia,
Divyam Bansal, Hiren Jain,
Adab Kaur
- VIII – Avraj Manchanda, Sifet Kaur

Agendas taken up:

- WWF – China, Egypt
- LS + RS – BJD
- ACN – Honduras, UK
- GK Quiz
- UNHRC – Iraq
- ITU – Switzerland

Result- Mallik Arjun Ahluwalia Won the title of Most Promising Quizzard

12. Host School: La Martiniere

Participants:

- VIII – Bhomik Goyal, Yash Partap Singh,
Yuvraj Puri, Hiral Kwatra
- IX – Suhani Singla, Arpita Singh
- X – Tejas
- XI – Raghav Bhardwaj, Amrita Guram
Udhay Sharda

Agendas taken up:

- General Confederation- Duchy Of Nassu-
Unification of German speaking states
- UNHRC- State of Eriteria, Republic of Armenia, Sri
Lanka, Argentina- Political prisoners and displaced

- communities
- UNDP- Republic of Cuba- Infrastructure in Non self-
governing countries
- Disarmament and International Security- Republic
of Yemen, Cuba- Production and trade of
unconventional weapons regulated and unregulated
- US House Committee on Judiciary- Louisiana, Mike
Johnson- Free speech and political violence
- UNSC- Romania- need for reforms

13. Host School: Maharani Gayatri Devi School, Jaipur

Participants:

- XI – Gulnaaz Kaur Gill, Anahat Kaur,
Parth Garg, Eekisha Ahluwalia
- X – Anoopinder Singh, Samaira Singh
- IX – Samarpratap Singh, Hiren Jain,
Hikmat Kaur, Rabnoor Kaur,
Agaaz Aggarwal
- VIII – Vanshika Bali

Agendas taken up:

- UNSC – Kingdom of Saudi Arabia- Countering the
ongoing crisis in Afghanistan
- UNHRC- Republic of Indonesia, Philippines, Spain-
Combatting racism and xenophobia related
intolerance and States' use of exorbitant forces in
light of Covid-19 and its impact on Human Rights.
- UNOOSA – Republic of Bolivia, Rwanda-
Discussing the conservation of space environment
- Arab League- State of Kuwait- Moving towards
political stability
- FCC – Ireland, Russian Federation, Ukraine- The
evolution and involvement of Robots in warfare in
reference to World War III
- AIPPM – Dibyendu Adhikari, Gautam Gambhir-
Analysing the Centre's aggressive Privatization
Drive

ROUND SQUARE CONFERENCES

International Conferences

1. Host School: Bridge House School, South Africa

Theme: 'Crop out Monoculture'

Participants:

- XII – Keerat Kaur, Inayat Kaur, Divnoor Samra
- XI – Eekisha Ahluwalia, Trishleen Kaur,
Mansirat Virk

The students were given an insight on what Monoculture is, its advantages & disadvantages, and alternate farming techniques.

2. Round Square International Conference 2021

Theme: Blue Skies and Brave Conversations

Participants:

- XII – Hannah Kaur Deol, Erica Singh,
- XI – Sarvagya Dev Thapliyal, Hinam Walia,
Udayveer Singh Shergill

The round square conference lasted for four days and had a different theme for each day. A video gaming platform, 'Gather' was introduced to all students who

navigated throughout the conference using the app. The platform was such that students could interact with the Avatars that came in their close vicinity giving them a chance to talk to the students all over the world.

3. Host School: Belgrano Day School, Argentina

Theme: 'Do you dare to explore your deepest maze'

Participants:

- XII – Rhythm Gogia, Reyaan Athwal,
Ashmeet Kaur Kaler
- XI – Sarvagya Dev Thapliyal,
Manseerat Kaur

Discussions were done to bring out the meaning of the term, 'adventure' and all participants were asked to share details of the adventurous experiences that they had undergone in their lives.

National Conferences

4. **Host School:** Rajmata Krishna Kumari Girls Public School, Jodhpur

Theme: How to Deal with Prejudices & Judgements

Participants:

- XII – Erica Singh, Kanav Garg, Hannah Deol,
Anureet Kaur, Gauri Garg
XI – Eekisha Ahluwalia, Nimar Sidhu,
Raahat Gill

The views shared by all the participants shed light on the various aspects of dealing with a situation, centred around the theme of dealing with prejudices and judgements. It encouraged the students to think reflectively.

5. **Host School:** Sai International School

Theme: Booktopia

Participants:

- XII – Reyaan Athwal, Hannah Deol
IX – Mallik Arjun, Devina Bansal

The students had a chance to interact with Elise Marra, a 17 year old renowned composer, writer, director and Broadway Actor. Her incredible achievements at such a young age greatly inspired the students.

6. **Host School:** Sunbeam Suncity, Varanasi

Theme: Footprints in the Sands

Participants:

- XI – Harbani Kaur
VIII – Vanshika Bali, Bhomik Goyal,
Avraj Singh Manchanda,
Udayravjot Singh

The Round Square conference focused on unsung heroes, their stories and how they managed to make the world a better place.

7. **Host School :** Modern School, Barakhamba Road, New Delhi

Theme : 'Courage - Grace under Pressure'

Participants:

- XII – Yuvnoor Dhillon
XI – Angad Guram
X – Punya Arora, Gunmay Garg,
Ishan Kashyap, Sukhnaaz Sidhu

It was an amazing opportunity to discuss what the youth thinks about courage and overcoming their fears.

8. **Host School:** Step by Step School, Noida

Theme: Think Globally Act Locally

Participants:

- VII – Rehaan Gupta, Sohila Singh,
Afina Kang, Anahat Sohi,
Harshvardhan Kakkar,
Manan Rai Sood

The students prepared posters, stating the steps that can be taken towards sustainable growth of crops. Steps being taken to safeguard the future were discussed. Some key action points drawn up by the participants included

eating local produce and according to season to reduce carbon footprint, helping in the clean-up of parks and beaches and waste segregation among others.

9. **Host School:** Sunbeam School, Lahartara

Theme: When the going gets tough, the tough gets going.

Participants:

- VII – Pakhi Gandotra, Aarohi Goyal,
Asees Waraich, Aarav Bansal

- VI – Aditya Thakur, Adishwar S. Chahal

The Postcard Meet kick-started by a description of the theme by Mr. Syed Sultan Ahmed. The Meet was packed with exciting games.

10. **Host School:** Punjab Public School, Nabha

Theme: Forgiveness: A Road to Peace

Participants:

- XII – Brahmjot S. Ahuja, Harkomal
Chadha,

Gurnoor Chohan

- XI – Anirudh Singla, Anahat Kaur

A brief introduction was given by the host school. Dr Fredric Luskin (Director, Stanford Forgiveness Projects) addressed the gathering via Zoom. He shared his personal experiences and shared a quote by Nelson Mandela, "Without forgiveness, there is no future." The session taught an extremely valuable lesson of life, the lesson to forgive and move on.

11. **Host School:** Sunbeam Suncity, Varanasi

Theme: Moral Stories

Participants:

- VIII – Reene Dhadli, Hargun Gill

The students were given tips by a professional storyteller about how to make their stories sound more appealing. She also shared a beautiful story with the students using puppets. In the breakout rooms, students from different schools narrated beautiful stories from their regions.

12. **Host School:** The Hyderabad Public School, Hyderabad

Theme: Wellness Wheel Reveals the Zeal

Participants:

- VIII – Harmanmeet Singh Batra, Aahana
Goel

- VII – Kamakshi Gupta, Abhinavjeet Singh
Kainth

Aradhita Baadhwar, Parihaan
Jagdevan

The Chief Guest, Mr. Prakshit Handa (psychologist and life coach) shared his personal experiences on how to have the best possible health in the physical, emotional, spiritual, intellectual, spiritual and social aspects of life. Each school student spoke about a collage of images under the same theme.

13. **Host School:** Singapore International School

Theme: Quiz, Debate, Speech Writing

Participants:

X – Punya Arora

VIII – Yash Pratap, Dishita, Krishiv Garg, Aahana Goel, Zorawar Singh Sandhu, Hargun Gill

The experience was very enriching. The topics were thoughtfully picked out and were challenging and interesting. The best part was each individual was given a different topic so there were some very fresh perspectives. It was very exciting to hear the thoughts of others on popular topics.

14. **Host School:** Dhirubhai Ambani International School, Mumbai

Theme: Gender Equality

Participants:

XII – Kanwar Sidhu, Jasnaaz Sidhu, Garima Grover, Anirudh Gupta

XI – Udayveer Shergill, Amrita Chopra

The session started by a brief introduction about the theme 'Gender Equality' by Mr. Vaibhav Bakshi. The intention and the theme of the conference provided a new perspective and was delivered beautifully. The session came to an end with the consolidations of resolutions on gender equality.

15. **Host School:** The British School, New Delhi.

Theme: Sustainable Living and Waste Management

Participants:

VII – Vriti Sharma, Guneev Punia, Sohila Singh, Shreevardhan Dev, Pakhi Gandotra, Shresth Tandon

In the session, the students got to learn about topics like-waste management, sustainable living, and the positive and negative impacts humans have had on the earth's eco- system. They were taught how to make common materials like paint and oil lamps with daily substances like peels of oranges, feathers, sticks and leaves, materials that can in no way harm our environment.

16. **Host School:** Daly College, Indore

Theme: Democracy or DeMOCKracy?

Participants:

XII – Sargun, Jiya, Amrita Chopra, Harkomal Chadha, Raghav Bhardwaj

XI – Raghav Bhardwaj, Gulnaaz Kaur, Raahat Gill

The Round Square conference focused on Equality, equity, inclusion, accountability, responsibility, awareness of duties and rights in our democracy and talked about whether or not our judiciary is dependable.

17. **Host School:** Genesis Global School, Noida

Theme: How did the pandemic impact your country's economy?

Participants:

XII – Sugam Jain, Govind Aggarwal, Niamat Shergil

XI – Samaira Goel, Angad Guram Taranveer Singh

Students discussed about the out break of Covid-19 and how it impacted the people all over the world and what steps were taken by the governments of different countries during the pandemic.

18 **Host School:** Dhirubhai Ambani International Public School, Mumbai

Theme: Colours of India

Participants:

VIII – Kanwar Ratnaakar, Prishha Bhandari, Vanshika Bali

VII – Prajnya Kapoor, Zorawar Singh, Tejas Kaur Shergill

The students were asked to create and upload a collage of images that represents diverse cultures in India. Through discussions and slide presentations, the students experienced the beautiful and vibrant diversity that is the hallmark of our country.

19. **Host School:** Assam Valley School

Theme: Too many of us are not living our dreams because we are living our fears

Participants:

XII – Taanvi Anand, Viraj Jain, Manureet Grewal, Niamat Shergill, Tejveer Sood

XI – Vansh Sharma

Students were given tips and insights on how to recognise and overcome challenges in life.

Think it Over...

1. *Be a good person and good things will happen to you; show people love and they will show love to you; play by the rules and good guys will always win.*
2. *To be a true champion in life, you will be required to forgive. You see, holding on to anger doesn't hurt anyone but you.*

INTER HOUSE ACTIVITIES

SENIOR SCHOOL

1. Business Quiz-

House Positions: 1st – DRH
2nd- MH
3rd – PH

2. English Creative Writing

Individual Positions: 1st – Samaira Singh X
2nd - Hinam Walia XI
3rd- Erica Singh XII

3. English Debate

House Positions: 1st- MH
2nd – PH
3rd- DRH

Individual Positions: 1st- Gunraj kaur IX
2nd- Amrita Kaur Chopra XII
3rd- Ira Mittal IX
Amrita Kaur Guram XI

4. G. K Quiz

House Positions: 1st- MH
2nd- DRH and PH

5. Punjabi Debate

Individual Positions: 1st- Gunraj Kaur IX
Sukhnaaz Kaur Sidhu X
2nd- Gulnoor Gill IX
3rd- Armaan Singh Chahal X

House Positions: 1st- DRH
2nd- PH
3rd- MH

MIDDLE SCHOOL

1. Maths Quiz:

House Positions: 1st- PH
2nd- MH
3rd- DRH

2. Punjabi Creative Writing:

Individual Positions: 1st- Hargun Gill VIII
2nd – Aisha Gupta VI
3rd- Yuvraj Khaira VIII

3. Hindi Debate:

House Positions: 1st- DRH
2nd- PH
3rd- MH

Individual Positions: 1st- Srija Jain , Anubhav Verma VIII
2nd- Akshara Mittal VII
Bhomik Goyal VIII
3rd- Kanwar Ratnaakar VIII

A FEATHER IN THE CAP

1. AFS Campaign

Theme: 'My Idea of Peace; Interfaith Harmony'

A national level Bulletin Board competition was organised by AFS, India wherein students were required to present their vision and idea of peace and interfaith harmony through drawings, posters and bulletin board decorations. The following students participated in the contest-

Category I [Classes VIII and IX]

Adab Kaur, Divroop Kaur Sandhu, Rupanshi Chopra, Eishrat Sapra, Ira Mittal, Ancheta, Sabiha Bandohal, Hetal badhwar, Gautam Jain, Pranjal Singla, Prishha Bhandari

Category II [X to XII]

Raahat Gill, Aryan Khanna, Niamat Shergill, Udayveer Singh Shergill, Manureet Grewal, Jahnvi Jain, Parinaina, Kiratnoor

Results of the competition were announced at a zoom meeting held on 21st September, 'World Peace Day'. 395 students participated from 23 member schools and YPS, Patiala won two prizes in the competition!

Category I submission was declared as the winner of North Zone





Category II submission was declared as the runners up of North Zone

2. International Letter Writing Competition for Young People- March 21



Jasnoor Kaur Sarin

A letter writing competition was held by the Universal Post Union for students under the age of 15. On the whole, a letter addressing to a family member was to be written, where one had to express their experience with COVID 19. This competition was held world wide and was divided in national and circle level. At circle level Punjab, roughly 400 students participated from whole of Punjab and Chandigarh. About 25 students from YPS itself had pitched in this competition. It is of utmost delight and prestige to know that two students from our school namely, Jasnoor Kaur Sarin and Tehzeeb Cheema have bagged 1st and 3rd position respectively at the circle level.



Tehzeeb Cheema

3. Ambassador of Hope

Punjab Education Minister, Vijay Inder Singla had launched 'Ambassadors of Hope' in April 2021 a massive online competition that would cover 18 lakh students in the state. The first of its – kind competition had invited students to share positive ideas in the time of Covid-19 pandemic.

Harmanmeet Singh Batra from class 8E is a prize winner for 'Ambassador of Hope'.



4. Nanhi Chhaan Essay Writing Competition

Trishleen Kaur and Hinam Walia were shortlisted by the school for participation in the 8th Nanhi Chhaan Essay Writing Competition. **Hinam Walia** made it to the final round and was amongst the fifteen finalists and won a smart watch. This year the topic was- 'How can compassion heal humanity and the planet'. It is an achievement in itself to be making it to the final round of this prestigious competition as over 2000 schools across every state in the country sent their entries.

5. Laudable Achievement By An Oy

Col. Karaminder Singh Kamboj [batch 1960] and his team have been managing Patiala schools for the blind and deaf and their society has been adjudged as the best institution in India working for the cause of persons with disability and inclusive education, by Government of India. The award was presented on 3rd December, World Disability Day. This is the second National Award. The first was presented by the President of India for child care of the handicapped.

ECA ACTIVITIES

INTRA CLASS PANEL DISCUSSION (Classes-XI & XII)

TOPICS

12th Science and 11th Science

- (I) Can Artificial intelligence replace human intelligence?
- (ii) Is technology making us less human?
- (iii) Blended learning- the new normal
- (iv) Limitless ambition vs. Contentment – your take on it
- (v) Impact of News channels on society

12th Commerce and 11th commerce

- (i) The future of crypto currencies
- (ii) Cashless Economy- Is India ready for it
- (iii) How can we reduce wealth gap between rich and poor?
- (iv) Sustainable Development Hampers Industrial Progress
- (v) Are leaders born or made?

12th Arts and 11th Arts

- (i) Discipline is the backbone of a successful society.
- (ii) Hard work vs. Smart work
- (iii) Internet is curbing creativity
- (iv) Fictional Literature is More Interesting than Non- Fictional
- (v) Is Cricket an Over Rated Sport in India?
- (vi) Lessons for the World from Covid-19 Pandemic

Certificate of Merit for Outstanding Performance in Panel Discussion

- XII – Chetanya Singla, Hannah Deol, Reyaan Athwal, Sehrab Sarao, Aditya Kumar, Rajbir Juneja, Erica Singh, Arshjot Kaur, Gurnur Chohan, Jasnaaz Sidhu, Shemoila Saini, Pareesa Sarao, Kanwar Sidhu, Anirudh Malhotra, Amrita Kaur Chopra, Sargun, Srishti, Yuvnoor Dhillon, Pavit Dhillon, Harkomal Chadha
- XI – Hinam Walia, Nimar Sidhu, Gulnaaz Gill, Eekisha Ahluwalia, Raghav Bhardwaj, Amrita Guram, Anmol Rattan Nagra, Udayveer Singh Shergill, Gurtaj Singh, Gursarwan Singh, Sarvagya Dev Thapliyal, Trishleen Kaur, Anirudh Singla, Ansh Taneja, Parth Garg

Certificate of Appreciation in recognition of Commendable Effort in Panel Discussion

- XII – Tejveer Sood, Aayush Goyal, Rhythm Gogia, Anirudh Gupta, Beeruday Brar, Harraj Singh, Arshpreet Singh, Anavroy Mangla, Khushi Mehta, Ganga Ahuja, Mannat Sachdeva, Manteshwar Singh Ghuman, Inayat Kaur, Govind Aggarwal, Divnoor Samra, Gauri Garg, Garima Grover, Chiranjeev Kaur, Veerangad Singh Kaleka, Brahmjot Singh Ahuja, Jiya, Jupneet Singh, Ashmeet Kaur Kaler, Anureet Kaur
- XI – Yasmeen Kharoud, Antra Sharma, Garima, Shana Mukherjee, Nimrat Dhillon, Manyata Sethi, Jatin Monga, Udayvivek Singh Sharda, Manvir Singh Taggar, Mansirat Kaur, Yashvir Singh Chatrath, Mehar Kaur Khaira, Japneet Waraich, Aayushi, Saksham Sharma, Angad Guram

Certificate of Merit for Outstanding Performance in Intra Class Elocution Competition (Class - VI)

- VI Sabia, Pragun Bansal, Sana Pandhi, Gursheen Kaur Phulka, Piyush Garg, Tejasveer Singh Virk, Aisha Gupta, Sehs Kaur, Angel Shergill, Sparsh Dhawan, Vanya Singla, Ishleen Sachdev, Suhab Kaur, Neil Sachdeva, Adishwar Singh Chahal, Sargun Panag, Shivani, Jaanya Ahluwalia, Ayaan Modi, Bani Kaur, Gursifat Kaur, Ayaan Gupta

Certificate of Appreciation for Commendable Effort Intra Class Elocution Competition

- VI Yash Raj Singh, Nehchalbir Singh Dhillon, Anaisha Singh Lobana, Ustat Kaur Kaleka, Bisam Pratap Singh, Vidhushi Goyal, Vir Singh Sandhu, Dhruv Jindal, Harazeez Kaur Ganda, Jigarveer Singh, Kudrat, Saanvi, Smara Waraich, Guntas Sidhu, Jasmehar Kaur Brar, Yashica Jindal, Ronan Kumar, Arpit Goyal, Naysa Gupta, Hridyaansh Kapil, Bhavik Tandon, Kriti Gajrani, Divtaaj Aulakh

Certificate of Merit for Outstanding Performance in Intra Class Topic Presentation (Class - IX & X)

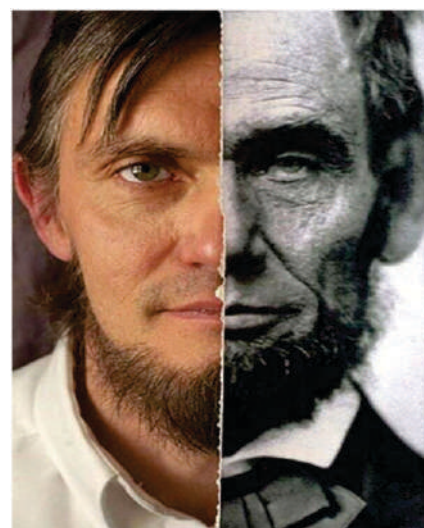
- IX Mallik Arjun Ahluwalia, Dhriti Jain, Devina Bansal, Vaani Goyal, Khushmehar Kaur, Jannat Sachdeva, Arpita Singh, Harsh Thapar, Naman Garg, Suhani Singla, Divyam Bansal, Gunraj Kaur, Amreen Chahal, Ujeshwar Brar, Seerat Kaleka, Vardhan Bansal, Ira Mittal, Harbani Kaur, Shubhrika Chopra, Samar Partap Singh, Arsheen Kaur, Divroop Kaur Sandhu, Gulnoor Kaur Gill, Asees Sidhu, Agaaz Aggarwal, Hikmat Kaur, Mridvika Bhardwaj, Rabnoor Kaur, Thea Aggarwal
- X Sanna Goyal, Priyanshu Gupta, Karuna Jain, Shaunak Singla, Harshita Thaman, Sabir Ahluwalia, Jahnvi Jain, Ayush Jindal, Inayat Pabla, Samaira Singh, Ananta Sharma, Dakshita Bhalla, Guransh S Sohi, Ashmeen Kaur, Gurveer Singh, Yuvika Jindal, Sukhnaaz Kaur, Imanveer Singh, Steve Gupta, Gurkirpa Singh Sarao, Adishree Rai Sood, Gunmay Garg, Naunihal Singh, Punya Arora, Bir Angad Singh, Kabir Sabharwal, Tejas Narang, Manhar Aggarwal, Chitvan Goel, Abhiraj K Puri, Shaurya Kaura.

Certificate of Appreciation for Commendable Effort in Intra Class Topic Presentation

- IX Certificates of Appreciation: Brahmjot Singh, Udai Pratap Singh, Labib Mushtaq, Vedant Singh, Samayviraj Singh, Samarveer Singh Sicand, Ryan Phul, Sabiha Bhandohal, Asiss Kaur Sandhu, Daksh Taneja, Parth Dhiman, Thakshbir Singh Dhillon, Anubhav Puri, Parul Singla, Manan Bansal, Anwi Kansal, Abhaylaksh Gupta, Ancheta Verma, Dev Malhotra, Jasraj Singh Thind, Jainoor Singh Ahuja, Nandin Gupta, Adab Kaur, Aryan Bali
- X Certificates of Appreciation: Shaurya Kansal, Preen Arora, Shiven Tayal, Jashanjot Singh, Khushraaj Singh, Mehrab Goyal, Uday Batra, Anindita Dhadwal, Gurkanvarinder Singh, Khushnoor Kaur, Tanvi Garg, Aayush Sood, Kiratnoor Kaur, Sifat Arora, Rabbani Saharan

Interesting Facts about the Human Body

1. One interesting yet strange fact about the human body is that our noses and ears never stop growing — no matter how old we get.
2. An 11th-generation Lincoln named Ralph Lincoln bears a striking resemblance to his ancestor, the 16th president of the United States.
3. The tallest person ever recorded was an 8'11" American man named Robert Wadlow. His height was caused by hyperplasia of the pituitary gland, which sparks rapid and excessive growth.
4. The human eye is sensitive enough to spot a candle flame up to 30 miles (48 km) away assuming you are standing on a flat earth and are in complete darkness.
5. Pair of human feet consist of 52 bones and account for 25% of all bones in the body.



BUZZ AROUND THE CAMPUS

UPCOMING PROJECTS

1. Shooting Range

A composite shooting range of 10m, 25m and 50m is under construction next to the Clock Tower. Civil work shall be completed by December 2021. Thereafter, the setting up of the equipment and work on the interiors shall commence. It is expected to be complete in all respects by February 2022. There is a provision of 18 lanes for 10m shooting and 6 lanes each for 25m and 50m shooting. The range shall be equipped with electrical and digital targets.



2. Cricket Pavilion

A cricket pavilion is under construction in the main cricket ground. It comprises of two locker rooms on either side of the building and a central lobby which can easily accommodate around 20 people. The view gallery shall have a seating capacity of around 250 people. The building has been designed on the lines of the Cricket Pavilion in Aitchison College, Lahore. The Pavilion is most likely to be completed in February 2022.



3. Hockey Ground

To facilitate the training of our Hockey Team on Astro Turf, two, six aside Astro Turf, hockey fields are being set up in the ground next to the stables. The fields shall be ready by the beginning of the next academic session.

4. Demolition of the old DRH building

With the construction of the three storey boarding house building, the continuance of the 70 year old DRH building has become redundant. Moreover, it has outlived its life. Thus, it has been decided to demolish the building. The place subsequently available shall accommodate a 50m swimming pool and a separate diving pool. Apart from that there is a proposal to set up new basketball and volleyball courts.



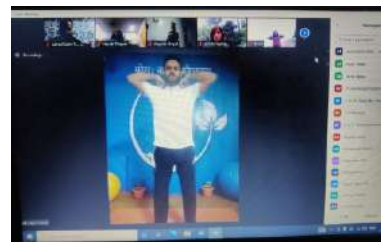
RECENT ACQUISITION

A Sea Harrier Plane which had been in service for 36 years has recently been acquired from the Indian Navy and installed in front of the Girls Boarding House, close to the Stadium Road. The plane stands as a symbol of selfless service to the nation and is sure to motivate the young and bright minds of YPS.



CELEBRATION OF YOGA DAY

International Yoga Day was celebrated by NCC(Army, Air wing), NSS Students and Junior school students of classes IV and V on 21st June.



TEACHERS' DAY CELEBRATION

Teachers' day was celebrated by the class XII students on 4th of September. A small cultural show was put up and students expressed their gratitude towards their teachers.



SUMMER WORKSHOPS

To keep the students occupied productively during the summer vacation, the school organized a variety of summer workshops, each of which received an exhilarating response. In all, 23 Summer Workshops were conducted from 9th to 19th June. A total number of 1202 students attended these workshops.

List of Workshops

- Story Telling** (English)
- Story Telling** (Punjabi)
- First Aid**-Basic First aid ,CPR , Fire safety.
- Zumba**-
- Get Fit**– Health issues & goals, calorie control, weight control exercises.
- Finger Puppet**– Create 4 Finger paper puppets
- Name plate** –Create Name plate with figure of Turban Man.
- Origami**- Create animal figure, Paper balloon,3D pop-up Stars.
- Fabric Painting** – Create floral patterns on T-shirt, dupatta, cushion cover.
- Clay modelling** - slap mud technique Pot, Human Figure.
- Tie &Dye**– Create lovely patterns on dupatta, table cloth or a bed sheet.
- Beverages**-Watermelon- cooler ,slush &shake, Immunity booster juices .
- Palate ticklers**- Mango cheesecake ,Paneer Tikka salad & Mexican salad.
- Baking** - Chocolate marble cake &Mug cakes.
- Manners make a Man**–Table laying & dining etiquette.
- Personality development** -Body language, confidence building, Mnemonics, Stress bursting techniques.
- Woman Self Care** (only for girls)- Self hygiene, Peer interactions
- Best Foot forward** (only for girls)-Wardrobe, Basic conversation skills & etiquettes
- Brain Candy for kids**- Math riddles, puzzles & Brain teasers.
- Up Above the World So High**- Constellations Types & Spotting them in the night sky.
- Become a Google Developer Expert**- Learn to build a Portfolio, Tools & Apps by Google.
- Become a You Tuber** –Learn to create YouTube Channel & equipment required.
- PunjabiTadka**- Learn Punjabi diction, Dialogue delivery & Poetry
- Relevance of Shakespeare**-Interesting Facts of his life, Proverbs & idiomatic phrases given by him.
- Conflict Zone** - Israel-Palestine- Jews and Arabs , Zionist movement ,War , Peace negotiations, Present crisis
- Water Wars**-Brahmaputra River -Three nations and the geopolitics of water



SECOND DOSE OF COVID VACCINE

Yadavindra Public School conducted a vaccination camp on its campus on 13th July. A total of 130 people including staff members and their families were

administered the second dose of the Covid-19 vaccine during the camp.

SKILLS OLYMPIAD

150 students of classes VII-XII participated in the skills olympiad which tested them on leadership, critical thinking, digital learning,

logical reason, communication, digital literacy, technology aptitude and decision making. This Olympiad was created by Stanford University and IIT Alumnus and was conducted on 19th June.

WELL-BEING SESSIONS

A famous personality once said – “Overall wellbeing enhances intrinsic motivation, decreases discipline problems, increases academic achievement and leads to flourishing of individuals, communities and nations”.

This year, the various facets of wellbeing were covered by the school; carefully planned activities of cards and other board games, therapeutic arts such as drawing, painting and sketching were encouraged and short films to boost well-being and educate students about various mental health topics were shown.

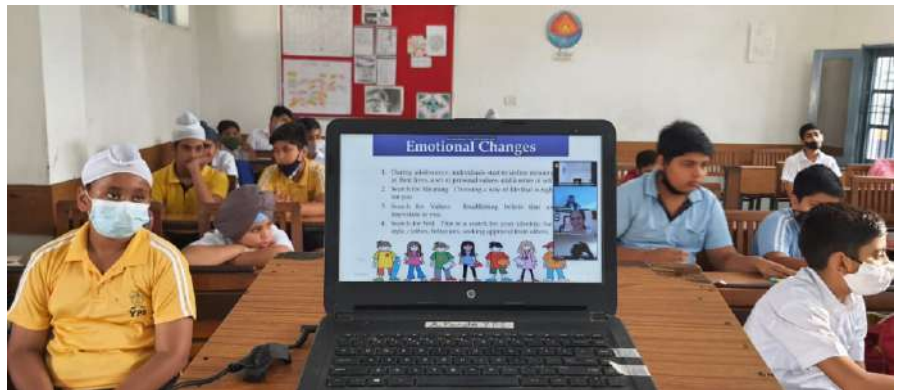
Topics like gratitude, empathy, resilience, importance of truthfulness, joy of sharing,

ambition, friendship, impact of cinema and pretensions were taken up in the various wellbeing sessions this year.

Special sessions to explain Cyber security, Cyberbullying, Menstrual hygiene (a session exclusively for girls) and Adjusting to changes in

adolescence (a session specially for boys) were conducted.

Fostering and teaching wellbeing is a way to show students we care about them and are willing to support them through various means of education and counselling for both short and long term benefits.



YPS Motivates Students to Serve the Nation

To motivate and prepare students to serve the nation, CTW (Cadet's Training Wing) seminar on armed forces was organised by Yadavindra Public School, Patiala on 06 October 2021. This event was conducted with the help of Maharaja Ranjit Singh Armed Forces Preparatory Institute, Mohali.

With an aim to motivate students to serve the nation and join National Defence Academy, CTW seminar was conducted in Captain Amarinder Singh Auditorium of YPS, Patiala. The seminar included the motivational talk by the following veterans from armed forces:

- **Air Mshl Kulwant Singh Gill**, PVSM, AVSM, YSM, VM(G), Veteran

- **Maj Gen B S Grewal**, VSM, Director General AFPI
- **Air Cmde Nitin Sathe**, Veteran, IO & Head CTW AFPI
- **Cmde Ajay Puri**

Along with aspiring students from YPS, around 70 students from three different schools participated in this seminar. The speakers motivated the students by educating them about the role and challenges of being army men. They also mentioned the significance of all three forces i.e. Army, Navy and Air Force.

AFPI was established by the state government to select and train volunteer students to take up careers in the armed forces. Once the student gets enrolled, the additional training process is jointly handled by the



school and AFPI. The school provides the academic content and the specific training is provided by AFPI. It is noteworthy that YPS, Patiala has been part of this programme for the last many years with a decent number of students already being trained under this programme.

ALUMNI CELEBRATIONS



The school, keeping up to its tradition of celebrating the Golden and Silver Jubilee of its batches, organised the alumni celebrations for the 1970 and 1971 Golden Jubilee Batch and 1995 Silver Jubilee Batch on 23rd October 2021.

The alumni meet is conducted every year to reconnect with the old students of the school. Last year's alumni meet was conducted virtually due to the pandemic. This

time, around 100 old Yadvindrians visited the school to relive their old school days and share their life experience with the present students.

The programme included an interaction with the students and a power a point presentation on how YPS has evolved and progressed

with the changing times in terms of facilities and infrastructure. This was followed by a march past and run by the golden and silver jubilee batches. A school tour brought back nostalgic memories for the Oys. A dinner was held in the evening in their honour.



The presence of six headboys indeed was iconic. Headboy of 1969 Mr Paramjit Singh Bahia, 1970 – Mr Amarjit Singh Sagar, 1971- Mr Jaspal Sekhon, 1972 – Mr Reetmohinder S Boparai , 1977 – Mr Naininder S Dhillon and deputy headboy of 1995 Mr Harpreet Nijjar, all together on one platform and in one frame, we couldn't have asked for a better capture.

FROM A YADAVINDRIAN'S PEN...

Why cleanliness is important?

Cleanliness means that there is no dirt, no dust, no stains, no bad smells. The goals of cleanliness are health, beauty, absence of offensive odour and to avoid the spreading of dirt and contaminants to oneself and others.'

Sanitation and neatness play an important role in our day to day routine. It is important as it prevents dangerous diseases like Dengue, typhoid, hepatitis, and other diseases caused by mosquito bite, etc.

There are many ways to keep our society clean and such an initiative was taken by Mr. Narendra Modi who introduced the Swachh Bharat

Abhiyan in India, it lead a lot of awareness regarding the same, there are also many other instances like for example, at every place keep a dustbin, if you see littering on the floor tell a help to clean it or maybe do it yourself.

We also need to spread awareness on the same and Say no to plastic as it takes a lot many years to decay, instead of plastic we can use paper bags or maybe jute or silk bags.

According to many surveys and researches India's cleanest city is Indore. Calgary in Canada is the world's cleanest city.

There are many fun facts regarding cleanliness:-

- You're 1000 times more likely to spread bacteria with damp hands, so dry your hands after washing the "with soap and water."
- Only 20% of people wash their hands before preparing food, and 39% before eating food.
- Elevator buttons harbour 22% more bacteria than toilet seats.

I would humbly request everyone to maintain cleanliness and take care of their personal hygiene.

- Satvik Gupta 8-N

NICKNAMES

When I entered my class for the first time, a child walked up to me, asked me my name, and sat down thoughtfully after my reply. I will refer to that child as xy, to keep his actual name anonymous. No doubt he will recognize himself in my writings and were it not for the physical differences between us, he would have been quite pleased to throw me from the Clocktower. When I commented on him to another student introducing himself, he simply waved his hand and said," Oh xy. He's finding your nickname."

I soon learnt that around 66% of the class had nicknames, all given by xy. I may have forgotten a few, but some are still installed in my memory.

Xy's first victim was Satvik who was named sattu/sattu bhai. Maanit became motu, which was a strange name for the short and thin boy. Xy then turned his attention to Aahana, Anusha and Pranjali, three very good friends. He thought and thought but couldn't find the answer. Then he read about some Aam Admi Party victory in the

newspaper. Since that day, they three are collectively known as Am Admi Party and have sworn to hate it. Xy also named Pranjali Brinjal.

He was only beaten in the race to find nicknames when the music teacher, whether intentionally or unintentionally, mistook Hardik's name for Harpic. Xy also named me Zero Zebra Born in the Zoo because my name starts with a Z, and more recently, 22 creatures in 1, which he soon upgraded to jungle in 1. I don't really know the reason for this bizarre name.

That was the last straw. Everyone brought out ideas to stop xy's blitzkrieg. The secret debate finally concluded when someone found a name for xy. The next few days everyone referred to xy as Bhokne walla Bhokar. Xy's pride was so hurt that he refused to name any other students. That stopped our fear of him, and most of his nicknames were discontinued. We still use xy's nickname whenever he acts as if he will start renaming his class again.

*Zorawar Sandhu
VIII-N*

Meaningful Questions



- Why is the place in a stadium where you SIT, called a STAND?
- Shall I say that there is racial discrimination even in chess, As the WHITE always moved FIRST?
- We have FREEDOM of SPEECH, Then why do we have TELEPHONE BILLS?
- If money doesn't grow on TREES, then why do banks have BRANCHES?
- Why doesn't GLUE stick to its BOTTLE?
- Why do you still call it BUILDING, when its already BUILT?
- If its true that we all are here to HELP others, What are others HERE for?
- If you aren't supposed to DRINK and DRIVE, Why do bars have PARKING lots?
- If All The Nations In The World Are In Debt, Where Did All The Money Go..?
- When Dog Food is 'New With Improved Taste', Who Tests It?
- Can You Cry Under Water?
- Why Do People Say "You've Been Working Like A Dog", When Dogs Just Sit Around All Day?

Today's Weather

*Today's weather is different,
 Different than yesterday or the year before,
 Flowers bloom and wither away even today,
 But there is a difference in the air-not the way things were,
 Times fly and unexpectedly bring uncertain, unenjoyable stays,
 Some permanent, some ever-changing as the tide,
 We are in our homes to check where this tide shall flow,
 We are watchers of the feathers falling from the sky,
 The wind decides our direction now we go where it shall go.*

*But it's getting terribly warm today,
 As we watch from our windows that brings in the distant breeze,
 The lush greenery outside seems so bland without people walking over it and gloomy is the
 bright yellow ray,
 Our future and dreams seem like clouds in our coffee,
 But remember life is still moving,
 Though it does not rush in its fast fury anymore,
 Sometimes an occasional rain, sometimes an occasional petrichore,
 Makes things better by penetrating the warmth of the tired earth,
 Clouds that darken sometimes tear and clear to bring optimism more and more,
 There is a bright spot in every cloud it seems,
 With spring melting into the heat, don't let it melt your dreams.*

*That's the weather of today,
 Sometimes positively sunny, sometimes negatively dark,
 When things get rough with the weather,
 Look outside the window- chirping birds on a brown coloured bark,
 Nature heals the weather too, be it hot, cold, autumn or spring,
 Admire nature and it's unique endowment to life,
 These times will pass too, no matter what worse life brings,
 Till the heated, anxious weather of today turns into a distant memory and all the pains to gains,*

*When darkness persists for long, look at the moon and stars that shine along,
 On a clear April night aloof from the chaos in our world,
 Today's weather is different,
 Different than yesterday or the year before,
 Cast away this gloominess which bad weather along with itself as a present does bring,
 Hum along that bird's song which of beautiful, pleasant weathers of the future and bright,
 happy days does sing!*

Erica Singh
XII-Commerce

SPORTS NEWS**YADAVINDRA PUBLIC SCHOOL, PATIALA
SPORTS PRIZES (2020-21) :****Cash awards @ Rs. 3000/- each for class XII students for excellence in Sports:**

1. Hockey: Krish Doomra
2. Athletics: a) Boys : Gurkaran S. Chahal
b) Girls: Tara Singh
3. Swimming: a) Boys: Aadil Saluja
b) Girls: Sukoon Shergill
4. Boxing: Jaiveer Singh Tanwar
5. Shooting: Megha Mittal
6. Trap Shooting: Zubaer Sira
7. Cycling: Prabhleen Kaur
8. Fencing: Pratishtha Rajiv Bajaj

Cash awards for winning medals in the Nationals: 2020 – 21

1. Tejveer Sood: XI Sc. Roller Scooter (Above 11), Silver (Individual) in the Nationals -Rs. 10,000/-

TROPHIES:

1. Dhruv Pandove Cricket Trophy for Best Batsman: Kanwar Rutajit
2. Nalagarh Cricket Trophy for Best All Rounder Cricketer: Aryan Duggal
3. S. Harpal Singh Trophy for maximum participation in school games:
Anmoldeep Singh
4. 1st Armd. Div. Trophy for the Best All Round Sportsman : Gurtej Singh

As the routine returns to normal the school started with classes in both online and offline mode. Even the games facilities sprung back to normal as around 350-400 students are enthusiastically availing the opportunities with the consent of their parents and taking all the necessary co-vid precautions in the following disciplines:

Cricket	Basketball (Boys)
Soccer	Basketball (Girls)
Hockey (Boys)	Gymnastics
Hockey (Girls)	Archery
Athletics	Judo
Horse Riding	Squash
Tennis (Boys)	Badminton
Tennis (Girls)	

Active participation of students has given an opportunity to start with the inter-house activities in the field of sports with the last three months having all sorts and forms of inter-house matches as the sportsmen of our school bagging multiple achievements and medals.

Inter house Cricket U-14

DRH won by 8 wickets

Overall results:

1. DRH
2. MH
3. PH



Interhouse soccer (Juniors)

Overall results

1. PH
2. MH
3. DRH



Interhouse Basketball Under-14 Boys

The result of first match

Score:

1. DRH - 8
2. M.H - 0

The result of second match

Score:

1. PH - 12
2. DRH - 4



Interhouse Basketball U-19 Girls

The result of first match

Score:

1. DRH- 27
2. M.H - 8

The result of second match

Score:

1. M.H - 39
2. P.H - 26



Interhouse Basketball U-19 boys

The result of first match

Score:

1. DRH - 29
2. PH - 35

The result of second match

Score: 1. M.H - 39 2. P.H - 26

Badminton

Shikhar Rallan, won four gold medals in a three day Badminton tournament held at Polo Ground, Patiala. From 18th to 20th August.

Winning in the following categories :

- Under 17 Boys Singles
- Under 19 Boys Singles
- Men's Singles
- Men's Doubles

He also won Two Gold Medals (Singles & Doubles) in Under-17 category in the Punjab State Championship held at Pathankot from 26th to 31st October 2021.



Fencing

In Fencing, the Patiala district championship was held on 1st October, at Mohindra College Patiala

Avreen Bains of VII-N was able to bag Gold in the U-14 category and silver in the U-17 Category.

Dev Malhotra of class IX-O received Bronze in the U-17 Category.



Swimming

Our school swimmers participated in the Sub-junior, Junior and Senior Punjab State Championship held in Mohali from 2nd to 4th October, the results are as follows:

Chetanya Singla of XII-Science, came 1st in the 200m backstroke,

3rd in 100m butterfly,

2nd in 4x100m freestyle relay, 3rd in 4x200m freestyle relay and 3rd in 4x100m freestyle relay.



Yuvraj Singh of V-P came 3rd in 50m freestyle.

Sumer Singh and **Shiven Tayal**, of X-P, both got participation awards.

Skating

Tejveer Sood had participated in the 58th National Roller Skating Championship held at Chandigarh from 8th to 10th April, 2021 where he won a Silver medal in the event - Roller Skooter. He also participated in World artistic/ skooter and Downhill Championship held at Parc del fòrum , Barcelona, Spain from 24th to 28 th September 2021.



UNUSUAL SPORTS FACTS

1. The average distance person walks in their lifetime is four times around the whole world.
2. Sports have been played in outer space - yes, a golf ball was hit by Alan Shephard and a Javelin thrown by Edgar Mitchell on the moon, in 1971.

**Following students won medals in
CHANDIGARH HORSE SHOW
held from 29th to 31st October 2021**

Sr. No.	Name and Class	Event And Position
1.	Sumer Singh 5-N	Gold in Boot and Hay
2.	Jayveer Singh 6-O	Gold in Stick and Ball
3.	Zorawar Singh 5-O	Bronze in Ball and Bucket and Gold in fancy dress competition on horseback
4.	Sabrina 4-O	Joint bronze in ball and bucket
5.	Kunsh Kataria 3-0	Joint Gold in fancy dress competition on horseback
6.	Inaara Kaur 2-P	Joint Gold in fancy dress competition on horseback
7.	Adhishwar Singh 6-E	Gold in Pole Banding
8.	Bilaval Singh 10-N	Silver in Junior Show Jumping normal and also got his two MERS cleared for Nationals in his two trials which were held in Jalandhar and Chandigarh horse show

NOTE:

AGAMJEET SINGH BATRA and **KANAV GARG** have been shortlisted for 3rd and 4th trials which are in Hyderabad and Meerut respectively for their nationals selections and MERS clearing.

Junior Wing

Extra-Curricular Activities not only help the students to learn about themselves, but also help them in developing their skills and knowledge in different contexts.

The teaching learning process has undergone a complete change during covid times. From complete offline school, we shifted to online classes and now to a hybrid pattern where fifty percent of the class is attending offline classes on alternate days.

The various ECA activities which were conducted during the term for different classes were under the following categories

Creative Activities

Tip Tap Toe	Class I
Story Telling	Class II
Making a Pencil Stand &	
Friendship Band	Class III
Making an Astronaut	Class IV
Patriotic Song	Class IV&V

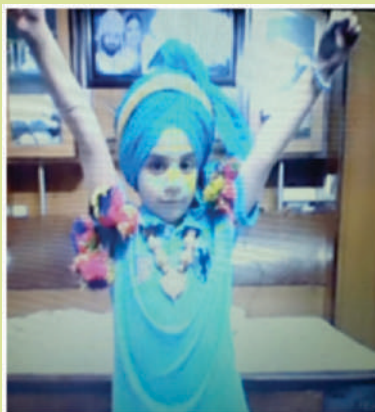


Academic Activities

Speak it Right	Class II
Punjabi Handwriting	Class III
Hindi Recitation	Class IV
Punjabi Riddle	Class V
Speed Typing	Class V
Punjabi Recitation	Class V
Mathomagic	Class V

TIP TAP TOE

The new term started with new ideas and excitement. To start with we had online dance competition for Class I, the junior most of the school. The competition started with great zest and enthusiasm.



Outstanding Performance

Angadveer Singh Somal
 Anjan Karan Singh
 Anjani Mittal
 Aparveer Singh
 Harsamrath Singh
 Jaiyana Kaur
 Manreet Kaur
 Mehnaz Tiwana
 Miraya Bansal
 Parth Jindal
 Prabh Fatehbir Sachdeva
 Rabia S Dhot
 Saira Dhiman
 Samar S Sandhu
 Savreen Mann
 Shayaan Rang
 Tanisha Bhatia

Commendable Efforts

Aditya Sharma
 Akeem K Gurna
 Angadveer Singh
 Arihaan Gupta
 Dev Garg
 Inara Kaur Shergill
 Kashvi Bhadwar
 Kyra Channi
 Lavin Bansal
 Meharwan Dhaliwal
 Navraj Singh
 Nayra Gupta
 Nividh Goyal
 Shanaya Gupta
 Shivansh Chawla
 Triman Kaur Alagh

Story Telling

The storytelling method is a dynamic and a creative approach to learning. Children develop great oral communication skills while mastering the language. Children have an innate love of stories. They create magic and a sense of wonder at the world. It is a unique way for students to develop an understanding, respect and appreciation, and also develop a positive attitude. The students of class II came up with some lovely stories creating an aura around them while narrating.

Outstanding Performance

Amaira Khaushal
 Inaara K Jagirdar
 Shaurya Sood
 Vinaira K Jeji

Commendable Efforts

Aradhya Verma
 Neeyan Gupta
 Rubany Bhutani
 Ruhanika Singh
 Shree Singla
 Sneha Khanna

Independence Day Activities

To celebrate this day, various activities were conducted for different classes to mark the importance of the day. Children participated with great zeal to show their love, respect and dedication towards the country, which is an integral part of the growth of the nation. These activities did depict the feeling of pride and sense of responsibility towards the nation

Patriotic Song**Class V****Outstanding Performance**

Divagam Singh

Shreya Gupta

Commendable Efforts

Ojaswi Jain

Zorawar S Kolhi

Patriotic Song**Class IV****Outstanding Performance**

Arjunveer Singh

Brihaan Singh

Gurkanwar S Kaura

Commendable Efforts

Asses Singla

Imaan Pratap S Khaira

Viren Murli

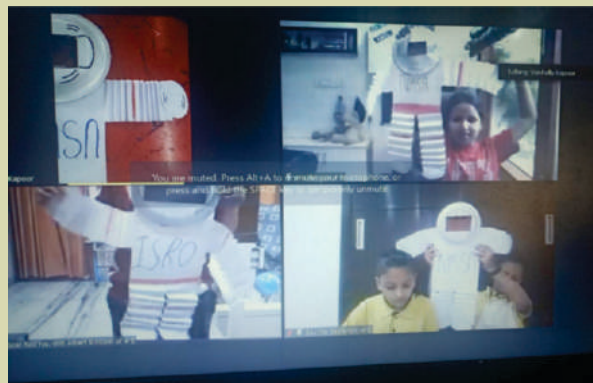
Craft Activity

Friendship Band and Pencil Stand



This activity for class IV children was a part of English 'Show and Tell' as well as to showcase the creativity of our little hands. The children were asked to do research on any of the astronauts and speak on it. Creating their very own astronaut was the most enjoyable part of this activity.

Making An Astronaut



Speak It Right

The '**Speak it Right**' was a competition for the children of class II, which required a lot of concentration by the children. It was conducted separately for the kids attending online classes and for the ones attending classes offline. It was a fun way method to engage children through a psychological approach, based on 'Stroop Effect'.

Outstanding Performance

Aahana Jain
Rangatpreet Kaur
Saanvi Mehta
Sumer Inder Singh
Tanav Singla

Commendable Efforts

Ayana Bansal
Jaivardhan Rajesh Kakkar
Manav Walia

Punjabi Handwriting Competition was organized for the students of class III. The objective of this competition was to motivate students to enhance their writing skills. It provided a platform for the students to showcase their writing competency and to develop their fine motor skills.

Outstanding Performance

Aradhya Jain
Bhavneet Dhiman
Laghima Garg

Commendable Efforts

Adav Pal Singh
Angad Singh Ralhan
Hitanshi
Samarth Singla

Recitation

“Poetry is simply the most beautiful, impressive, and widely effective mode of saying things.”

Mathew Arnold

The students of class IV participated in Hindi Recitation Competition with great interest as they got an opportunity to exhibit their talent and confidence. They recited poems on the theme 'Nature'.

Class V students participated in Punjabi Recitation Competition. They recited the poems promoting our culture and vernacular language.

These competitions inspired the young poets and they came up with different poems on the themes, expressing their love, concern and gratitude to mother nature and the language. All the participants recited with great fondness and zeal.

Hindi Recitation

Outstanding Performance

Aagam Singla
Arjunveer Singh
Mehnoor Singh
Samaira Grewal

Commendable Efforts

Ansh Goyal
Ayaan
Dhruvi Garg
Eshreet Kaur
Imaanpratap S Khaira
Viren Murli

Punjabi Recitation

Outstanding Performance

Gurikhtiar Singh
Kyna Gupta
Trisha Jindal

Commendable Efforts

Amira Partap Singh
Divagam S Kocher
Harpartap S Sidhu
Hartej S Buttar
Samrat S Boparai

To create interest for the language, fun way, this activity was conducted for class V, where students asked riddles to each other during the online session. This activity was in continuation to the holiday homework given during the summer vacations. This was an interactive session and the students participated with great interest. They were too excited to share their riddles with their friends.

Undoubtedly, children benefit a lot learning the fun way. It offers a relaxed environment where they can practice using new words and are free to express themselves, thus enhancing their language skills.

Mathomagic

“MATHEMATICS is not about numbers, equations, computations and algorithms: It is about UNDERSTANDING”.

William Paul Thurston

This activity was a brief assessment used in education to measure growth in knowledge, abilities and skills. It helps to enhance the interest in the students for the subject. It provides a challenging and engaging mathematical experience, that is both competitive and educational.

Students of class V participated the activity with great enthusiasm and the preparedness of the students was clearly visible as they were promptly answering to the various questions put across to them.

On the same lines, for class 1 as well 'Mathomatching' was conducted. Enthusiasm was at its peak during the session and children promptly answered the questions.

Speed Typing Competition

Speed typing competition was held for class V students. With the changing trends of the teaching learning process, speed typing is one of the most needed skill. Keeping this in mind the children participated with full enthusiasm.

Outstanding Performance
Prabhmehar K Sandhu

Commendable Efforts
Gurikhtiar Singh
Japman Sarin
Vivaan Garg

करोना को ले जाओ यहाँ से

जूम सीखा, टीम को पहचाना
स्कूलेरो को भी हमने जाना ।
कान लगाकर सुनो फिर आगे
एच ओ डी ने इक दिन बतलाया,
डायरेक्टर ने है इक दिन बतलाया,
डायरेक्टर ने है मन में ठानी,
हिंदी टाइपिंग इनको सिखलानी ।
प्रश्न पत्रों में सिर खपाया,
परीक्षाओं ने भी कम न सताया ।
अब आगे की सुनो कहानी
अंक दिए ई मेल के द्वारा
बात अभी रुकी नहीं,

चाल अभी थमी नहीं ।
ऊपर से आया आदेश एक दिन,
अब क्विज भी तुमको है बनाना
हाय तौबा मची हिंदी, पंजाबी विभाग में
तोते उड़े हाथ से, होश हुए फिर फाख्ता ।
हमसे न हो पाएगा, हमसे न हो पाएगा
इन आनलाइन कक्षाओं से अब
छुट्टी दिलवाओ हे भगवान,
करोना को ले जाओ यहाँ से
करोना को ले जाओ यहाँ से ।

श्रीमती प्रवीन तनेजा
हिंदी विभाग

जीवन पेड़-पौधों से

सारी जगह हम रहते,
हरियाली हम फैलाते,
सुंदर तो हम हैं ही,
आक्सीजन भी फैलाते,
हमें मत काटो,
हमें प्यार से पालो,
हम हैं तुम्हारे अपने,
प्यारे पेड़-पौधे ।

तुम्हारी रक्षा करते,
प्यार तुम्हें हम देते,
किसी का बुरा न चाहते,
हवा को शुद्ध बनाते,
तुमसे कुछ न माँगे,
बस एक इच्छा है हमारी,
जीने दें हमें यह दुनिया सारी,
हम हैं तुम्हारे रक्षक,
लाडले पेड़-पौधे,
नहीं हैं भक्षक ।

नायसा गुप्ता
VI-N

बचपन

नन्हा प्यारा सा यह बचपन,
जीवन का एक टुकड़ा बचपन ।
नटखट नादानी का बचपन,
विद्या में जो डूबा तनमन ।
खेलकूद में गुजरा बचपन,
याद दिलाता है हर पल की ।
रंग-रंगीली दुनिया में,
बीता है सुन्दर-सा बचपन ।
कितना चंचल, कितना प्यारा है ये बचपन ।
दादी, नानी और मां की आँखों का तारा यह बचपन
भोली-भाली बातों से यह सब का मन मोह लेता है,
अपना-पराया यह न जाने दिल में घर कर लेता है ।
कोरा-कागज़ सा यह बचपन, हर घर की तस्वीर है ये बचपन ।

नीया गुप्ता
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अतीत का सफ़र

आप सभी ने नींद में स्वप्न देखे होंगे। कुछ आपको इस तरह मंत्रमुग्ध करते हैं कि आप उनसे उठना नहीं चाहते किंतु कुछ इस तरह बुरा अनुभव कराते हैं जो आपको विहवल कर देते हैं। आज जो मैं अपने पाठकों के साथ साँझा करना चाहती हूँ वो एक बहुत ही अनोखा स्वप्न है। मैंने देखा कि मैं एक निर्जन स्थल पर अकेली खड़ी थी और कोई मुझे बुला रहा है, “आओ तुम्हें अतीत में ले जाए।” अचानक मुझे अहसास हुआ कि यह आवाज़ एक लाल-पीली बत्तियों वाले यंत्र से आ रही थी। मैं डरती हुई उसकी ओर बढ़ी और स्वयं को उसमें बैठने से रोक न पाई। इतने में क्या देखती हूँ कि एक लाल बटन पर लिखा है “मुझे दबाओ और अतीत में चलो।” कंप-कंपाती उंगलियों से मैंने उस बटन को दबाया और मैं एक जंगल के बीचों-बीच पहुँच गई जहाँ पर अजीब से दिखने वाले मनुष्य कुछ गुफाओं में पत्थरों के साथ कुछ उपकरण बना रहे थे। एक दूसरे से बातें करने के लिए साँकेतिक भाषा या गुफाओं में बने चित्रों का सहारा ले रहे थे। मुझे समझते देर न लगी कि मैं पूरा-पाषाण-काल (paleolithic age) में पहुँच गई हूँ। डर के मारे मैं एक पेड़ के पीछे छुप गई जहाँ मुझे एक रोते हुए जानवर की आवाज़ सुनाई दी। वह एक पत्थर के नीचे फँसा हुआ था। पहले तो मुझे डर लगा पर उसकी दयनीय स्थिति देखकर मुझ से रहा नहीं गया और मैंने वो पत्थर उठाकर उसे स्वतंत्र कर दिया। अभी मैं सोच रही थी कि दो बड़े-बड़े आदमी मेरे सामने भाले दिए खड़े थे। वो उस जानवर का शिकार करना चाहते थे। मेरे द्वारा उसको बचाने से वो मुझसे क्रोधित हो गए और मुझे पकड़ कर अपने नेता के पास ले गए। मैंने उन्हें इशारों से समझाने का प्रयत्न किया कि मैं निर्दोष हूँ पर वो नहीं माने। तभी एक स्त्री वही जानवर लेकर उसे सहला रही थी और उस जन-जाति के नेता से कुछ कर रही थी। इतने में सभी मेरे आगे झुक गए और मैं वहाँ से भाग के अपने काल यंत्र में बैठ गई। हरा बटन दबाते ही मेरी आँख खुल गई।

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