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from the editor's desk

"Difficult roads often lead to beautiful destinations"

Adversity and hardship make a person strong and ready to face challenges of life with equanimity. Life is beauteous just as roses but it has challenges which are like thorns.

Students face difficulties with studying at one time or another and overcoming these challenges is all part of the learning process. A positive attitude helps them to cope more easily with the daily challenges of life. When everything around us is going wrong, the most common thing we hear is to stay positive. Dear children, a positive life requires a fresh mind and fresh attitude. So, a great way of living a cheerful life is to stay positive and not allow the small defeats or failure to affect you. Keep working on your goals and you will surely attain it.

"A positive attitude will lead to positive outcomes"

Ms. Sumita Ganguly

Editor - In-Chief



Teacher's Day Celebration

"When God created teachers

He gave us special friends

To help us understand his world

And truly comprehend

The beauty and the wonder

Of everything we see

And become a better person

With each discovery"

Teacher's day was celebrated with lot of fervour and enthusiasm on 4th of September'21 at Sir Padampat Singhania School, Kota.

The online celebration was done on Zoom which started with lighting of the lamp and offering prayers to the deity by our Respected Principal Sir, Vice Principal Ma'am and Coordinators.

Students shared their beautiful and heart touching videos thanking teachers for being their mentor and guide. They showed gratitude towards their teachers in various forms like dance ,song and reciting

poem for their favourite teacher.

Teachers also showered love and blessings on the kids by sharing their videos.

This was a memorable day filled with pride for the teachers as each one was appreciated for the hard work and dedication they have put in enlightening the students with knowledge and virtue.

Following teachers were also honoured with best teacher award for their relentless contribution.

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Ms. Pratima Bhardwaj and Ms. Manisha Garg

Activity

Mr. Kuldeep Bhardwaj and Ms. Pratibha Sharma

Senior Secondary Wing

Mr. Devendra Prakash and Ms. Surekha Nigam

Secondary Wing

Ms. Pompy Kar and Ms. Roopam Saxena

Middle Wing

Ms. Usha Dixit and Ms.Sangeeta Hada

Primary Wing

Ms. Krishna Gupta and Mr.Sagar Nagar

Foundation/PrePrimary Wing

Ms. Sumita Ganguly and Ms. Aastha Shrivastav

The award winners thanked the school management and Respected Principal Sir for believing in them and honouring them on this special day.

The program concluded with the words of wisdom from our Respected Principal Sir, who appreciated each member for working as a team during the difficult times of Covid-19 and admired the teachers for adapting to the new teaching methodologies for the benefit of the students.









Etiquettes Ethics

Good manners are just a way of showing other people that we have respect for them.

Manners and good etiquettes reflect the quality of your personality even before you have opened your mouth. Keeping this in mind, Etiquettes Ethics activity was conducted for the students of Nursery to II. Teachers showed them videos on good manners and etiquettes and discussed how we are expected to behave at different time.

It was an interactive session which was quite enriching. From simple things

like-do not interfere when elders are talking, wait for your turn to speak, to basic courtesy of staying on mute during Zoom class and keeping videos on was discussed. Later on, students were explained how to use cutlery properly and they made beautiful dining table mats during the activity which was followed by the session. Teachers requested the parents to get these mats laminated and use while having meals.

Students enjoyed making the mats and the idea of using their own creation enthralled them.



MY FRIEND GANESHA

Festivals build group cohesiveness. Festivals inform, educate, bring people together, break the monotony of routine and give us a chance to reenergize our body, mind and spirit.

Of all the festivals, Ganesh Chaturthi is the most colourful. Ganesh Chaturthi is a Hindu festival that marks the birthday of Lord Ganesha.

People believe that Lord Ganesha, the symbol of wisdom bestows his presence on Earth during this festival and removes obstacles.

With such belief, tiny tots of Singhania School celebrated this auspicious festival by chanting mantras of Lord Ganesha.

The class teachers narrated the

wonderful stories of Lord Ganesha to the students.

The students got excited and enthralled after listening to the stories.

The core purpose of the celebration was to let the students stay rooted with Indian culture and to enable them to understand the significance of this festival.



Orientation Session

A parent is a teacher at home and a teacher is a parent in school and the child is the centre of our universe."

The foundation for a good parent teacher relationship is frequent and open communication, mutual respect and a clear understanding of what is best for an individual child. In pursuit of the same, Sir Padampat Singhania School organized an virtual Orientation Programme for the students and parents of classes VI-VIII to familiarize them with the curriculum, teaching methodologies, Academic and Co-curricular activities, NCC and assessment pattern for the current Academic session on Thursday, September 02, 2021. The programme commenced with a warm welcome to the parents followed by enlightening the audience with the vision of the school.

The session was conducted by the Coordinator, Ms. Joyce Das along with the middle wing teachers. Parents were addressed by showing a comprehensive PowerPoint Presentation. It laid emphasis on the active involvement of parents in the upbringing of their wards and on active synergy among parents and teachers for the holistic development of the child.

The coordinator encapsulated the need to encounter the challenges of the new virtual education system and beckoned upon the parents to monitor the progress of their children and nurture their confidence. Parents were made aware about the special efforts made by the school to enhance learning in students.

Teachers shared subject specific strategies with parents which consisted of all the important elements like marks distribution. timely submission of assignments, goal setting and effective study schedule. Students were informed about various techniques that can help them prepare well and retain concepts for a longer time. Students were also advised to eliminate distractions from their life and concentrate on effective studies. Parents were also made aware of the menace of fast escalating cyber threats and apprised them about the preventive measures necessary to pre-empt such threats. The programme came to a close with a question answer session in which the parents shared their doubts and queries followed by vote of thanks and the school song.







OTHER ACTIVITIES

Bharat Vikas Parishad Kota organized an online Bharat Ko Jano Prativogita for classes 5th to 12th and Patriotic or Sanskrit singing competition for classes 6th to 12th. Students actively registered themselves for the same.

Vigyan Prasar, a National Institute for Science and Technology Communication established under the Department of Science and Technology in association with NCERT, is conducting the Virtual 10th Vidyarthi Vigyan Manthan(VVM)2021-22. for students of Classes VI to XI on 30th Nov & 5th Dec 2021. Registration for the same is open till 31st October 2021, where students are getting themselves registered.

CBSE declared the month of September as Rashtriya Poshan Maah to bring in the sense of social responsibility . Under the banner of CBSE, Rashtriya Poshan Mah was celebrated which will help students to imbibe a sense of social responsibility, inclusion and volunteerism. Various activities were conducted for all age groups during the month where students enthusiastically participated.

Activity 1- Sowing of seeds/sapling of plants for the kitchen garden.

Activity 2- Distribution of nutritional meal to underprivileged sections of the society living in the neighborhood.

An Online Quiz was conducted on 29th September 2021 for classes VI-VIII on the theme: Nutrition and Physical Health.

Students were asked to submit Photo/Video of both the activities.

*The greatest threat to our planet is the belief that someone else is going to keep it green, save it and conserve

It is actually our responsibility to know the earth and keep it green....

Green Olympiad is being conducted by TERI (The Energy and Resources Institute) to Assesses the environment quotient of students and also to enhance their understanding of issues related to sustainable development.

Students from class IV to XII were eligible for participating, Registrations are open till 30th September 2021. CBSE declared the month of September as Rashtriya Poshan Maah to bring in the sense of social responsibility number of activities were conducted for all age groups.

With these lovely tokens truly September ended as a month to remember.'





Change is a window of opportunity. We have mapped our paths by cuddling the opportunities through determination and innovation.

For the past year many students have had to learn in front of screens in other settings, affected by illness, loss and fear stemming from the pandemic.

The heroic efforts by our teachers, staff and school leaders- who quickly developed online lessons, remote teaching plans and concrete strategies for meeting students' basic needs- are commendable. Our teachers have shown, as they often do, great leadership and innovation in ensuring that "learning never stops". From being masters in their subjects to being well equipped with digital and pedagogical skills or being confidant, benevolent and caring towards their students in these hard times, our teachers have hit every milestone.

SPSS has provided with the best grounds for development of positive attitudes towards learning and also ensured that students acquire the attitudes and dispositions that can maximize their ability to make the most of online learning

It's a journey where each and everyone strives for greatness, we have done it before and we will do it now.

Urvashi Malav XII Humanities











