

OCTOBER **2021**



CHAIRPERSON'S MESSAGE



Dear Amitians,

As rightly said by Dr. A. P. J. Abdul Kalam" Let us sacrifice our today so that our children can have a better tomorrow". We are living in a fast changing world. The pace of change is indeed so fast that almost everything seems to be in transformation mode. Education all over the world is undergoing a radical shift. Knowledge is no longer constrained by time and space. Continuous mentoring, monitoring and evaluation of the learning environment need to be done to provide re-

quired intellectual stimulation to the young minds. In today's world, application of the acquired knowledge is more important.

As a premier educational institution, we are known for creating our own benchmarks and elevating ourselves to higher planes. However learning, evolving and effort will never cease. The values and environment we provide for our children are sustainable and see them successfully through their formative years helping them in thorough preparation of any kind of competitions and examinations. I am sure that my children are working very hard for their upcoming Term-1 Board Examination. My best Wishes and blessings are with them always. I know they will definitely make their school and parents proud of their achievements.

PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE



Dear Readers,

We as human beings are blessed with the innate ability to visualize, comprehend, adapt, analyze and empathize as per the desired need. These Covid times, have taught us to respect the present moment and make the most of what we have in hand, through introspection and wisdom. It is therefore essential for all the students to focus on the only thing that is in their control; the Present. It is imperative at this point to keep your long term and short-term goals in mind. One needs to be wise in managing time as 'time and tide wait for none'. Good time management involves listing and prioritizing the tasks at hand, which requires self-awareness and self-management. Once able to prioritize the tasks, students must reflect upon and allocate time to each; significantly reducing the time wasted on unproductive actions.

It is important to allocate the maximum time to your academic schedule, doing physical workout like active sports, yoga or any fitness regime and in social activities like family time - watching TV, playing board games, travelling or having meals together which are considered important too. Choose good books to read and make amicable and positive friends to help you navigate through both the good and trying times. Another important thing is "ME Time', which could be used in reading writing or reflection. Making an effective time schedule for the day, for your own self, is an art which you could practice till you achieve perfection. Remember, YOU CAN make your own destiny, by effective and strategic time management, keeping all the distractions at bay.

Happy Reading!

Creativity - Junior School

TEACHER'S DAY

You are caring and kind,
You can always read what is going on in our minds.

Cheerleaders during our success,
Always showing the way for our progress.

The knowledge that you all share, make us eager to learn more,

Thank you, teachers, for helping us soar.

Shaping little minds with your love and affection, For us, you all are an inspiration.

Excelling in whatever we do, Dear teachers, it is all because of you.

You make a positive difference in our lives, Under your guidance, each day is like a rainbow in our lives.

AVYAAN TALWAR (CLASS 5F)

ONLINE CLASSES

We all got locked at our homes,
Wishing to go out and roam.
Let's together read this poem.
About online classes at our home.

When we have classes we wear earphone.

Solve the questions on our own.

We see our friends in the phone.

But in reality we all are alone.

Teachers are ready to teach.

Asking questions from each.

Some get tired of the speech.

Some in thoughts of going to a beach.

All attend classes online.

Some students are praised and are on cloud nine.

While others usually whine.

The hardworking shine.

Online classes are really a fun.

Better than classes in the hot sun.

MUSIC

Music is to dance
Music is to sing
Music is present
In all living beings.

Music cools our mind
We all become kind
Music brings joy
To help & to heal.

Music shines our day Music keeps us pray Music keep us alive In one & only way.

AADYA BHARDWAJ (CLASS 4 A)

SHAPES



I am a Circle, round as a pie,
I am a triangle, three sides have I
I am a square, my sides are four
I am a rectangle, shaped like a door
I am an oval, shaped like a zero
I am a diamond, with a sparkle and glow
We are the shapes that you all know
Find us wherever you go!!

AANYA JAIN (CLASS 4A)

TANISHQ MANGLA (CLASS 3 H)

AUTUMN

Creativity -Middle School*

I have got a friend
Whose name I have forgotten
I haven't seen him past one year
But I can sense he is very near

Remembering his characteristics
I found he was cold
He stole away my leaves green
But he was not that mean

I think he was not liked by animals
That's the reason he didn't have a pet!
He made the sun lazy
And the sky a little hazy

Eagerly waiting to know more
Suddenly, there was a knock at the door
There was no one standing to welcome
I felt a cold breeze and remembered he
was Autumn

SIDDHNAT KAURA (CLASS 7J)

SAVE MARINE LIFE

Let's have some sympathy
And not be contrary
Let's save marine life
And destroy the hunting knife

Let's not participate in a killing spree
And start the jamboree
Let's not kill them heartlessly
And show our courtesy

Stop the dumping in the sea
And let's not be a bully
Let them be free in their habitat
Or else there would be a combat!

"CYBER SECURITY



Lockdown has left us with laptops and phones, Life is showing is different tones. Instagram, Facebook that's what everyone wants,

We think that our parents always taunt.

But wait they are right,
This World Wide Web is an enormous plight.
Creating social media accounts is what we all await,

Keep in mind trouble is what you might create. Hackers are waiting around, They might ask you for a million pound.

Beware when you are on the World Wide Web,
It is no less than the spider's web.
Once you're stuck you can't get out.
Always keep safe without any doubt.
Never leak your data to any unknown.
They always have an eye on your phone

NAYONIKA KHATANA (CLASS 8 AFYCP)

ARSHIA KULSHRESTHA (CLASS 8B)

Creativity -Senior School 🎕

THE GOLDEN YEARS

They say that these are the 'golden years'
Where the shadows shouldn't be there.
The only thing I feel
Is fear bursting through my 16-year-old heart?

A childish mind with adults problems — Where to go? What to study? What to do? Why are these questions on the shoulders of Someone who still needs permission to go?

Fear after fear piling inside my naïve self,
The unspoken understanding of leaving —
Leaving in a few short years
The place and the people I call my home.

Decades will pass after these 'golden years',
And my innocent self would've turned experienced.
Only to look back with a nostalgic smile to utter the
Exact thing to the kids ,about the golden years.

TIME MANAGEMENT

Wake up before sunrise,
Giving everyone a suprise.
And do your work on time,
To know you're worth a dime!

Postponing doesn't work,
You may think it has some perks.
Instead ,it forces you to make an excuse
For a work which is in use.

Laziness is your weakness,
Instead have some persistence.
For it means being adamant,
For an adventure which has excitement!

Time should be managed and not be wasted, To get a success you've never tasted. So improve your strengths and weaknesses, To fly higher than normal which is no more less.

And don't forget!!
Yesterday is a long gone history,
Tomorrow is a long coming mystery.
But today a gift has been lent!

Which we all know as present

RADHIKA GUPTA (CLASS 11 H)

PARTH GUPTA



ASMI CHAWLA (CLASS 11 G)



SIDDHARTH (CLASS 9C)

समय

समय है बड़ा बलवान, प्रभु का दिया हुआ बड़ा वरदान। अमूल्य समय का आदर करो, मत उसका दुरुपयोग करो। समय है एक अनमोल रत्न, इसे खोने का न करो प्रयत्न। समय अगर बीत जायेगा, लौट के फिर न आएगा। सफलता तभी तुम पाओगे, समय का महत्व अगर जानोगे।

अव्यान तलवार कक्षा चार एफ

कोरोना

कोरोना कोरोना आ गया है कोरोना
यह नहीं कोई जादू टोना
ना ना ना किसी से हाथ ना मिलाना
सबको प्यार से नमस्कार है करना |
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हमें मोदी जी की बात को है मानना
और अपने देश से हटाना है यह
कोरोना |

वान्या हसीजा कक्षा - एक आई

माता. पिता

माता. पिता को करो प्रणाम जीवन सफल हो जाता है। कितना भी मुश्किल हो काम झट से सब बन जाता है। इनके चरणों में सब सुख धाम छुएं तो सब मिल जाता है। सम्मान करो जीवन भर उनका यह शिष्टाचार बताता है।

कनिका शर्मा कक्षा २ बी

हिंदी

मुहब्बत की जो भाषा है,
हमें हिंदी सिखाती है,
क्या है माँ कि परिभाषा,
हमें हिंदी बताती है,
दिखावे में भले ही हम,
माँम -डैड कहते हैं,
मगर जब भी चोट लगती है,
जुबान माँ माँ ही चिल्लाती है,
सुहब्बत की जो भाषा है,
हमें हिंदी सिखाती है,
क्या है माँ कि परिभाषा,
हमें हिंदी बताती है

जानवी पुनिया कक्षा— दसवीं एफ



Achievements

EUPHORIA 2021 held at Salwan Public School, Gurugram on 4th September 2021

 VIREN (Grade VII) and SARANSH MANGLA (Grade VI) secured 2nd Position in Mathematical Dance

GDGI MUN held at G.D Goenka, Vasant Kunj on 6th—7th September 2021

- ♦ SHREEMAN TRIPATHI (Grade XI) secured Best Delegate Award
- PRABHA JHA (Grade XII) secured Best Delegate Award
- ◆ GATIK YADAV (Grade XI) secured High Commendation.
- ◆ BHAVYA BATRA (Grade XI) secured High Commendation.
- ◆ PRANAV AGARWAL (Grade XI) secured High Commendation.
- ♦ SHIREEN TEVATIA (Grade X) secured Special Mention.
- ♦ SHLOK CHAUDHARY (Grade XII) secured Special Mention.
- ARNAV KAUSHIK (Grade XI) secured Special Mention.
- ◆ SAMARTH BHARGAVA (Grade X) secured Special Mention.

ALPHABIT 2021 held by AIS SAKET on 21st September 2021

- ♦ KHANAK AGARWAL (Grade X) & SHAURYA SISAUDIA (Grade IX) secured 3rd Position in Q? Bit Quiz
- YUVRAJ NARULA (Grade XI), AYAN AGARWAL (Grade XI) & AYUSH AGARWAL (Grade X) secured 3rd Position in Hackathon
- ◆ AMISH MAMTANI (Grade XI), VAIBHAV SHARMA (Grade XII) & JAI MADHUKAR (Grade XII) secured 2nd Position in Designathon

ATL TINKERPRENEUR held on 23rd September 2021

◆ PRANJLI AGGARWAL (Grade X) was selected in TOP 100 students as ATL Tinkerpreneur, a student innovator and entrepreneur. PRANJALI has designed an online store Cherry to make the virtual birthday party more exciting.

WWF QUIZ 2021 held on 23rd September 2021

◆ CHINMAY KARWA (Grade VII) & SIDDHANT KAURA (Grade VII) are the 2 top scorer WWF School Level Quiz 2021

THE QUEEN'S COMMON WEALTH ESSAY held at Royal Common Wealth Society on 29th September 2021

- KKUSUMPREET KAUR (Grade VIII), PRATYAKSHA SINGH (Grade IX), RADHIKA
 GUPTA (Grade XI) & VYAKHYA GUPTA (Grade XII) won Gold Award
- ◆ GEETANSHI MALIK (Grade IX) won Silver Award

ELDROK INDIA AWARD



Eldrok India K-12 Summit was held at Pullman Hetel on 5 October'21 to build knowledge by communicating face-to-face with the think tanks from the world of education and witness the most insightful discussion on Challenges, Opportunities and Advancement in Education Segment. It was held to felicitate the think tanks from the field of education. It was great to witness the most insightful discussions on Challenges, Opportunities and Advance-

ment in Education Segment. Eldrock India K12 Summit honored Amity International School, Sector46, Gurugram for Excellence in Adapting Holistic Learning Pedagogy at a glittering ceremony held on 5 October'21 in Pullman Hotel, Aerocity, New Delhi. Experts from CBSE and Academia like Dr Biswadeep Saha spoke during the conference on subjects like Use of Interactive Tech Tools and Digital Contents in Transforming School Education and Global Best Practices in Reshaping the Learning Experience through use of Innovative Technologies.

INTERNATIONAL YOUTH AWARD PROGRAM

The IAYP Award's concept is one of individual challenge, giving young people a balanced, non-competitive programme of voluntary activities which encourages personal discovery and growth, self-reliance, perseverance, responsibility towards themselves and service to their community. During the pandemaic in 2020, Most of the activites conducted by the IAYP were held on the Online forum wherein the students who enrolled for the program followed the modules as mentioned in e- program guidelines and maintained in online dairies. Those who participate in the Award are expected to follow its requirements in a non-competitive manner with a determination to succeed, either individually or as part of a team. The Award therefore is challenging, and can be undertaken at each students own pace. The Participation Age is between 14 and 25 years. The certification from above program not only encourages students to explore spirit of adventure but also enhances their talent.

KIDEX 2021



The sixth Edition of National All Rounder Championship "Summer NARC 2021" was conducted from 1st May,2021 to 31st July, 2021 by Kidex in collaboration with Atal Innovation Mission, NITI Aayog. We are happy to share that our school secured rank 11 at national Level based on Holistic Development Index in Summer NARC 2021. 1000 + schools from 30 States / UTs had participated in the National All Rounder Championship. 9 students

from our school secured National And Zonal level winners position in different categories and won cash prizes. Mrinalini Sahdev from grade XI got Overall All Rounder I position in her respective age category.

DISHA' 2021—A CAREER ORIENTATION SYMPOSIUM

With the blessings of Honourable Chairperson Dr. Mrs. Amita Chauhan and under the unparalleled leadership of Principal Mrs. Arti Chopra, the school successfully hosted the virtual edition of DISHA'21- A Career Orientation Symposium for classes IX-XII. Amity '46 has always ensured to facilitate student's readiness for academic and career success by providing necessary information and promoting thoughtful exploration through its unique initiatives. In a bid to support students to be the dynamic administrators of their career pathways, DISHA was organised wherein industry experts, experienced professionals from the parent community of Amity and alumni were invited to guide students about different vocations, 24 career fields were covered in this event ranging from Civil Services, Data Science, Artificial Intelligence to Medicine, Armed Forces, Law, Journalism. The professionals shared their valuable insight from their rich experiences about contemporary work issues and how they overcame challenges met by them. They also discussed at length about relevant skills to sustain and succeed in a particular profession, expected pay packages and the hiring trends. The speakers also briefed the students about the criteria of admission to different courses and universities, gave details about the competitive entrance tests and tips to ace them. The enthusiasm and zeal of the students was evident through the myriad queries put forth by them which were answered to their satisfaction by the experts. It has always been an endeavour of Amity to inspire students to look for opportunities that is best suited to their unique abilities and strengths. It is highly imperative that an effective career guidance program paves way for transformation of students into successful professionals and entrepreneurs of tomorrow. The positive feedback received from the parents and students was indicative of the fact that DISHA'21 was successful in imparting effective, meaningful and significant information to the students about the various career avenues and acclimatize them to the ways of thriving in a fast paced work environment and become promising leaders of tomorrow.

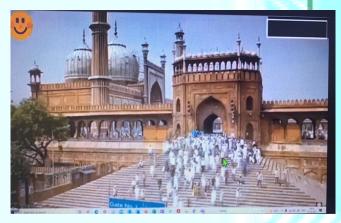




VIRTUAL TOUR OF DELHI DARSHAN (CLASS VI) RTS

A virtual tour for class VI was organized on 12.10.21 on Delhi Darshan. They visited various famous historical monuments like- Red Fort, Qutub Minar, India Gate, Akshardham Temple, National Gallery of Modern Art and Jama Masjid. After Delhi Darshan students participated in an online quiz related to the information shared with them on Delhi. They also shared their reflections on the entire virtual tour. Overall, it was a fun filled and a learning experience for the students.

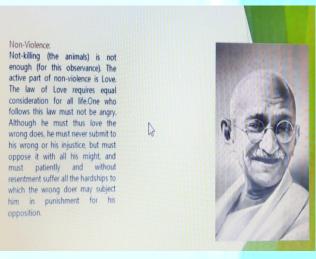




VIRTUAL TOUR OF SABARMATI ASHRAM (CLASS VII & VIII)

A Virtual tour was organised for classes VII & VIII on Sabarmati Ashram. It was indeed an interesting tour in which students were able to see the glimpses of Gandhi Ji's life. The Ashram which houses a museum, Gandhi Smarak Sangrahalay is divided into five units — office, library, two photo galleries and an auditorium. It is a treasure trove, having the largest number of original manuscripts of Gandhiji's letters and articles. The museum has eight life-size colour oil paintings and an exhibition on Gandhiji's life titled "My life is my message" and "Gandhiji in Ahmedabad". This virtual visit to Sabarmati ashram was not only an eye-opener but it also helped students get a feel of Gandhiji's life and thoughts and what they mean for everybody, the youth, society, government and for humanity at large. The information provided in Ahmedabad Art gallery & Hriday Kunj motivated students. The Virtual Tour also ignited the feeling of patriotism in students. This was followed by Online Quiz on Gandhi ji which was enjoyed by the students.





ONLINE DUSSHERA ASSEMBLY—MIDDLE WING ORTS

A special assembly was conducted on 12 October 2021 by the students of Grade VI and VII to mark the auspicious occasion of Dusshera. Respected Principal, Arti Chopra Ma'am, graced the occasion and addressed the students. She spoke about Lord Rama being an ideal man, husband, father, and king and advised students to model their behaviour on the high standards set by him. Apart from the news for the day in English and Hindi, students shared thoughts for the day in keeping with the theme of good over evil. There were several speeches by students as part of Rhetoric Reflections. A presentation on the way Dusshera is celebrated in various regions of India was both informative as well as enjoyable. A wonderful dance performance, recitation of 'Chaupais' (चौपाई) and 'chand' (छंद) enlivened the programme. This was followed by the vote of thanks by respected Head mistress, Ranjana Sharma Ma'am. The programme ended with a beautiful song that celebrates Lord Ram's victory over Ravan and that of good over evil.





GANDHI JAYANTI CELEBRATION 2021

Gandhi Jayanti was celebrated on 1st October, 2021 in the virtual classrooms of Amity International School, Sector-46, Gurugram. In this, the students of Grades I to XII participated in full fervor where the life of Mahatma Gandhi- 'The Father of the Nation' was discussed. Rhetoric reflections on 'Five Life Lessons from his teachings and 'his philosophy of non-violence' were given. Thoughts, amazing facts, songs, poem recitation, movie and art & craft activities made the celebration interactive. Students also sang Gandhi Ji's favorite bhajan- 'Raghupati Raghav Raja Ram' with great enthusiasm. Few students played the same on the musical instrument 'Keyboard'. In craft activity, students of junior wing made three monkeys of Gandhi ji.



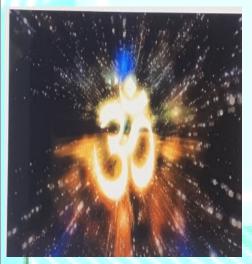


ADOBE VIDEO MAKING WORKSHOP

Under the guidance and counsel of our respected Founder President Sir and Chairperson Ma'am an Adobe Spark Video Making Session to create visually stunning and impactful sessions was organized, facilitated by Ms. Arti Chopra for the mentee school AIS-VKC (Lucknow). The session has empowered us to use the new innovative technology and provided us with an opportunity like never before to explore, collaborate and use the digital resource of ADOBE SPARK. The session started by lighting the lamp of knowledge and wisdom and seek the blessing of God Almighty with Gayatri Mantra. A warm and gracious welcome to the Principals Ms. Arti Chopra, AIS G-46 and Ms. Rachna Mishra AIS- VKC along with the staff members of both the schools was extended. A Virtual Tulsi Sapling was presented as a token of love and respect. A Demo on how to activate Adobe Spark linked to the Microsoft accounts to create short animated videos, lesson plans, explanation and recapitulation including text, images, icons, music, and voice narration was explained in detail. The Facilitator explained that the Adobe Spark customization tools enable us to edit themes, text, synchronizing narration and corresponding visuals. The demonstration aimed to create media literacy concepts for the topics to be explained in the virtual classroom. Teachers were divided in groups of I-IV, V-VIII and IX-XII and were guided to create a short theme based video clip and further uploaded on the Padlet link. The session gave an insight on the powerful digital tool to demonstrate learning while creating striking multimedia class presentations.











DR (MRS) AMITA CHAUHAN Chairperson, Amity Group of Schools

ONLINE VIRTUAL PRESENTATION—GRANDIR AVEC GRATITUDE

GRADE 1

To celebrate the broad meaning of gratitude in a variety of ways and to develop a sound consciousness of the incredible contribution of the Mother earth, Our Gurus, Corona warriors, Our soldiers, Sport persons and above all God, the children of grade 1 celebrated the online virtual presentation, GRANDIR AVEC GRATITUDE (Growing With Gratitude), on Saturday, 18th September 2021. The presentation progressed to Our respected principal ma'am Ms Arti Chopra's rhetoric during which she encouraged the students to have a happier and calmer attitude towards life. She also added, Eager and excited to vent out their devotion and gratitude, the students got actively involved in the celebration. The presentation commenced with enthralling performances by the students towards the boundless favours of good and offering prayers to radiate the rays of God's love. It further rolled on to various enthusiastic dance performances by the majestically talented Amitians of grade 1 who brilliantly articulated their feeling on the virtual stage. The entire range of performances was indeed a beautiful way of expressing gratitude and was a gratifying experience. Culminating the event, Our Senior Co-ordinator ma'am, Ms Sumity kapoor appreciated the relentless efforts of the students in making this event a success and urged them to start each day with a grateful heart, practice kindness and end with a peaceful heart.







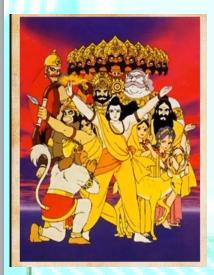


VIRTUAL ONLINE CLASS PRESENTATION THE HOLY EPIC—RAMLEELA (GRADE I)

To spread the awareness among the students, about the great Indian social values and rich mythological culture of our country, Ramleela Presentation was rejuvenated by the students of Grade 1 of Amity International School, Sector-46, Gurugram through the online virtual presentation, THE HOLY EPIC, RAMLEELA, on Thursday, 14th October The presentation progressed to our respected Principal, Ms. Arti Chopra's rhetoric during which she encouraged the students to build power to be resilient, develop social and cognitive strength and ability to fight against evil forces such as diseases and threats. The presentation was brought alive through the dramatization of the various characters wherein the good times, the purpose of Lord Rama's incarnation on Earth was showcased. The presentation commenced with enthralling performances by the students to learn the valuable lessons from Lord Rama's life. It further rolled on to various enthusiastic dance performances by the majestically talented Amitians of grade 1 who brilliantly articulated their feeling on the virtual stage. Culminating the event, Our Senior Co-ordinator, Ms Sumity Kapoor appreciated the relentless efforts of the parents and students in making this event a success and urged the students to start each day by paying respect to the elders, practice patience and achieve victory of good over evil habits.









VIRTUAL ONLINE CLASS PRESENTATION OUR SEASIDE TREASURES (GRADE III)

The virtual Class Presentation titled - Our Seaside Treasures was presented by students of Grade 3 showcasing the remarkable heritage and cultural diversity of Kolkata, Vizag, Chennai, Cochin and Mumbai was held on 12th October 2021. The programme unravelled with the virtual lighting of the ceremonial lamp. As a token of love and respect virtual Tulsi was offered to all the guests present. The Principal, Ms. Arti Chopra addressed the parents in various teams. The highly talented students shared information on the culture, cuisine, and places of interest of these cities. The melodious singing on a Bengali song based on Rabindra sangeet and Ganesh Vandana and the dance performances (Bharatnatyam and Maveli- Onam Pattu dance) by students left the audience spell bound. The confidence, grace, and enthusiasm with which the students performed, and the efforts put in by the Class teachers were appreciated by the Senior Coordinator, Ms. Sumity Kapoor and the Coordinator, Ms. Parvathi Subrahmanian, in their addresses. The class teachers thanked the parents for their continuous support. Overall, the event was a great success and a good learning experience for everyone



















VIRTUAL ONLINE CLASS PRESENTATION JOURNEY OF DROP (GRADE VI)

Honourable Chairperson, Dr (Mrs.) Amita Chauhan Ma'am's vision has always been to inculcate sensitivity and concern among young Amitians for the environment. She has always emphasized the conservation of our natural resources. With a motive to realize this dream, students of Class VI of Amity International School, Sector 46 put up a presentation entitled, 'बूद - Journey of a Drop.' Students adopted a multi-disciplinary approach to research water, and the impending crisis facing the earth due to the increasing scarcity of this vital resource. In Mathematics, students conducted a survey on the consumption of water and analyzed where it is wasted and can be conserved. In Social Studies, students explored how much water is available on the Earth and how much fresh water is available for human consumption. They put across their message through songs and dialogue. In Science, students researched and discussed the status of available water on earth, its growing scarcity and what steps can be taken to save water and avoid wastage in line with UN Sustainable Development Goal number 6 which is aimed at achieving water and sanitation by all for 2030. They depicted the same through a panel discussion. In **English**, students explored the water cycle through dramatization. In Hindi, students depicted the reverence for water and rivers in Indian culture through recitation of 'shlokas' and explanation of the meaning. As part of art integration, students performed a beautiful dance on rivers. The show ended with students singing the inspirational song, 'Paani anthem,' stressing the importance of water for human survival. Respected Principal, Arti Chopra Ma'am also addressed the gathering and emphasized Gandhiji's words, "The earth, the air, the land and the water are not an inheritance from our forefathers but on loan from our children. So, we have to handover to them at least as it was handed over to us." She also acquainted the audience with the achievements of Amitians in this regard as well as in academics. The students participated whole heartedly and the presentation was appreciated by the parents and guests alike.







