



AMITY INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL SECTOR 46, GURUGRAM

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CHAIRPERSON'S MESSAGE



**Dear Amitians,
Greetings!**

"Isn't it nice to think that tomorrow is a new day with no mistakes in it?" L.M. Montgomery.

At the very outset of the new session, I would like to congratulate all the students and staff members of AISG-46 on the successful accomplishment of the academic year of 2023-24. We welcome all the new students who have joined us in the new session. Dear students, at this juncture, you must contemplate and reflect on the previous year. It's always good to reflect on previous actions in order to know what was good, and what we want to improve.

Don't focus on the failures of yesterday, start today with positive thoughts. Inventor Thomas Edison failed thousands of times. He supposedly tried 9,000 different experiments, all failures, before inventing a new type of battery, leading to a quote often attributed to him: "I have not failed. I've just found 10,000 ways that won't work. Always remember the following steps to unleash your power and potential:

1. Reduce negative thoughts and establish a sense of positivity in your life.
2. Set Meaningful goals.
3. Be open to possibilities and new opportunities.
4. Do not hold on to grudges, it can block your enthusiasm.
5. Nurture good habits.
6. Embrace Continuous Learning.
7. Expand Your Knowledge and skillsets.
8. Practise gratitude everyday.
8. Believe in yourself.
9. Take action to transform your aspirations into tangible results.

With this strategy, you will be able to fulfil your dreams, and create a purposeful and meaningful life.

With best wishes

(Dr.) Amita Chauhan

Chairperson

PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

"The Power of Connection: Effective Communication"



Dear Readers,

As humans are inherently social beings, effective communication is a fundamental requirement. Human communication is rooted in collaboration and the sharing of intentions. Distinguishing themselves from other animals, humans possess unique communication abilities, such as expressing abstract concepts like time and place as tangible entities. The act of communication in humans serves various purposes, including seeking assistance, providing information, and fostering social connections through the sharing of attitudes. Effective communication is a collaborative endeavour that heavily

relies on the capacity to maintain shared attention, exchange pertinent background knowledge, and draw upon shared experiences. This ensures that the conveyed content is understood and meaningful in the course of interactions.

Communication gap leads to strife, quarrels, conspiracies, and even leading to wars at times. There are certain points to focus on to improve one's communication skills, like listening carefully, having empathy in one's heart, practicing diplomacy, and educating others without arrogance. Human communication remains unparalleled, irreplaceable by any other means. In the past decade, especially after the COVID-19 era, virtual communication has gained significant prominence, transcending the constraints of distance, time, and convenience. Hybrid teaching and learning approaches have surfaced as effective, but they possess limitations as they miss the human connection and the inherent warmth. Face-to-face communication tends to be more impactful than written or audio-only interactions due to the ability to perceive nonverbal cues and body language.

It is pertinent how schools across the world are making the best use of human communication to garner a school culture of collaboration, commitment, and care. Mastering effective communication and collaboration is essential for thriving in any professional setting. Elevating one's skills involves articulating thoughts clearly and concisely, engaging in active listening, fostering relationships, leveraging technology strategically, taking initiative, embracing feedback, and establishing precise goals. Commitment lies at the heart of effective human communication, going beyond the mere expression of intentions, beliefs, or mental states. It forms the cornerstone for cultivating trust and accountability.

Effective human communication plays a crucial role in fostering empathy and care among students in schools. The implementation of the New Education Policy 2020 has propelled schools towards actively practicing equity and equality. Encouraging students to care for their peers and accept them as they are, contributes towards the emotional well-being of individuals.

Under the new educational framework, there is a heightened focus on sustainability and the conservation of vital resources such as water, energy and soil. Students are engaged in research projects centered around these topics, instilling in them a sense of responsibility towards the environment. Additionally, Amity emphasize the importance of caring for animals and supporting those who are ill or less fortunate. Participation in social projects has emerged as a powerful tool for young individuals to work towards a world characterized by peace and harmony, ultimately leading to widespread happiness. Through these initiatives, students not only gain a deeper understanding of societal issues but also develop a strong sense of empathy and responsibility towards creating a better world for all.

Human communication, a transformative force, weaves empathy and understanding into the fabric of our existence, fostering unity and progress. It bridges gaps, resolves conflicts, and cultivates a shared consciousness, guiding us toward a harmonious world. It is up to students, to make it a powerful strategy to enhance overall learning outcomes in classrooms too. Human communication continues to be the catalyst for co-creating a culture of positive change and the foundation for a collectively brighter future.

Happy Reading!

Arti Chopra

Principal

POETIC EXPRESSIONS

My visit to the book fair

When I saw an ad about a book fair on telly,
I want to visit it, so I went to Delhi.

A long way to go,
But we took the metro.

When I reached, I was very excited,
The book I want I knew I will find it.

After a lots and lots of search we finally found it.

We got two,
then I thought why not get it for my brother too.

Then we left the book fair,
It was very fun there.

VAANYA JINDAL IV-H

India's Rich Diversity

India, a canvas of grace untold,
a symphony of hues, a sight to behold.

Mountains towering, rivers wide,
languages and cultures, side by side.

From Himalayan peaks to southern floor,
unity in diversity, forever more.

Saris, turbans, traditions unfold,
a nation's pride, a tale retold.

In festive moments, true happiness shows,
India's charm, within us, it glows.

SHRESHTHA VII-H

The Ripple Effect

A hand outstretched, not for applause,
but to steady each one on life's uneven course.
No saintly pose, no need for praise,
just human kindness in a weary daze.

The burdens we all bear, unseen, unheard,
a weight on shoulders, a whispered, unspoken word.
A listening ear, a silent understanding,
the weight may shift, a fragile solace landing.

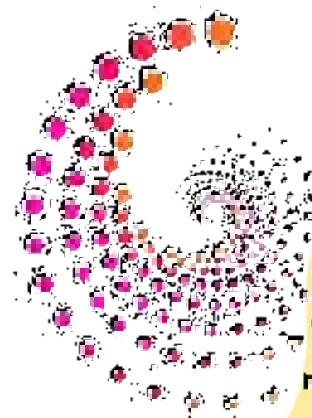
No grand pronouncements, no solutions grand,
just the simple act of being there, a helping hand.
To share the struggle, the tear that fall unseen,
a perceptive glance, a space where they've been.

Not weakness found, but strength in empathy's embrace,
a shared vulnerability in this human race.
The broken wing mends, with time it takes flight,
a bond is forged, in the fading, flickering light.

No expectation of return, a silent vow,
the ripple effect, a kindness somehow,
spreads outward, unseen, a gentle breeze,
weaving a tapestry where all hearts find ease.
So let us walk this path, with eyes open wide,
for in helping others, our own spirit finds its tide.

ACHINTYA SUDARSHAN VIII-B

BOOK
FAIR



POETIC EXPRESSIONS

मेरा भारत

ये राष्ट्रीय चिह्न हमारे , हमें क्या दर्शाते हैं ?
एक भारत श्रेष्ठ भारत, ये पहचान विश्व में दिलाते हैं ।
यहाँ पर बहती प्यारी गंगा , जल का मोल हमें बताए,
मोर खुशी से नाचे गाए ,जब- जब बादल गरज कर आए।
यहाँ लोग परिश्रम करते, जग में ऊँचा नाम है करते ,
अनेक रंगों मे रंगा है भारत , विश्व मे सबसे प्यारा भारत,
मेरा भारत , श्रेष्ठ भारत , मेरा भारत अखंड भारत ।



दक्ष पालीवाल छठी -आई

मेरा प्यारा कुत्ता

विगल्स मेरा प्यारा कुत्ता मेरा प्यारा साथी है
मेरे हर पल और हर खुशी का वो साथी है
विगल्स अपना नाम सुनते ही मस्ती में आ जाता है
जहाँ भी मैं जाता हूँ वो पीछे -पीछे चलता है
पूँछ हिलाकर आँखें नचा कर लाड मुझसे करता है
मेरे स्कूल से आने का वो इंतज़ार करता है
सुनकर ज़रा- सी आहट चोकन्ना हो जाता है
मेरे सो जाने पर भी वो जागता रहता है
उसका साथ में रहना मुझे खूब भाता है



अर्जुन जगासिया 'सातवीं-जी'

CREATIVE EXPRESSIONS



ADHIRAJ SHARMA - IV A



GAURANSH MISHRA - IV H



JIYANSHI KALRA - IV H



PRANAV KAKKAR - IVA



PULKIT YADAV - III I



LAKSHYAA - III I



PAAVNI SARASWAT - III H



SRISHTI - III D

CREATIVE EXPRESSIONS



KAYRA PODDER - III H



AARADHYA GUPTA - VI A



VIDYANSHI SINGH - XII D



MANYA TINNA - VIII D



SIA - XII D



SAANVI GOVIND- XII D



AASHNA BHALLA - VIII A



AVANI - XII



Awards and Acclams

CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR SHINING STARS !



Garv Agarwal's Innovative Project Revolutionizing Communication

Under the esteemed guidance and unwavering inspiration of Dr. (Mrs.) Amita Chauhan, Chairperson of Amity Group of Schools, Garv Agarwal, an eighth-grade student has been honoured with the prestigious State-level INSPIRE AWARD. Garv's project, titled "An Aid for Mute," introduces an innovative method for communication within the mute community. Departing from conventional electromagnetic articulography (EMA), Garv's invention leverages Bluetooth Low Energy technology to create a more accessible and efficient communication tool. Principal Mrs. Arti Chopra appreciated Garv's dedication and extended her best wishes for his future endeavours.



Achieving Gold Level Certificate in School Enterprise Challenge 2023

Under the esteemed guidance of Dr. (Mrs.) Amita Chauhan, Chairperson of Amity Group of Schools and RBEF, along with the diligent leadership of school principal, Mrs. Arti Chopra, our students have accomplished a remarkable feat by achieving the Gold Level Certificate in the School Enterprise Challenge 2023.

The School Enterprise Challenge is a prestigious global awards program designed for schools to establish innovative, sustainable school-based businesses. This initiative is organized by 'Teach A Man To Fish,' a renowned NGO based in the United Kingdom, dedicated to charitable endeavours. Team's progress through three levels: Bronze, Silver, and Gold, with the ultimate goal of achieving the Gold Level status, was highly commendable.

The achievement of the Gold Level Certificate signifies the exceptional efforts and outstanding performance of the students and staff involved.

Harmonious Expressions: Celebrating Talent and Creativity

28th February witnessed a dynamic display of talents and skills during the event 'EXUBERANCE – LEARNING BEYOND BOOKS'. This initiative, in alignment with the vision of Dr. (Mrs.) Amita Chauhan, Chairperson of Amity Group of Schools and RBEF, aimed to provide students from grades 1 to 5 with a platform to showcase their diverse talents.

The proceedings started with the traditional lamp lighting ceremony. Mrs. Arti Chopra, the School Principal, took the stage to underscore the importance of bagless days in nurturing the holistic development of students. Intelligence, thereby contributing to their overall growth and well-being. From the musical rendition titled 'Sur Saaz', paying homage to joy, to a mesmerizing dance performance 'Rhapsody' and a musical theatre presentation 'Expressions', depicting the tale of the Pied Piper of Hamelin, the event offered a diverse range of artistic expressions.

The program also featured 'Blissful Harmony', where students connected with their inner selves through yoga poses, and 'Synergy', a fusion dance performance celebrating patriotism. Additionally, the audience was treated to displays of martial arts prowess in 'Motivation Martial Masters' and impressive skating skills in 'Rolling on Wheels'.



Bagless Days Programme: Fostering Holistic Development through Practical Learning

Under the visionary leadership of Honourable Chairperson, Dr. (Mrs.) Amita Chauhan, Amity 46 organized an enriching online Bagless Days programme for students of classes VI to VIII. This initiative aimed at nurturing the holistic development of students and polishing their practical skills.

Activities included vocational classes such as fabric painting, pottery, jewellery making, canvas painting, carpentry, electrical work, bakery, macrame, needlework, and crochet. Students also participated in 3D designing sessions and created models using specialized software. Life skill workshops came out to be an interesting medium of learning about self.

'The Bagless Days' programme witnessed active participation from 219 students. All the participants were awarded certificates upon the completion of the programme.



'Spardha' - Energizing Unity and Sportsmanship

The annual Sports Day, 'Spardha,' emerged as a vibrant tribute to athleticism, teamwork, and boundless enthusiasm, captivating the spirits of grade VI-VIII students. The event pulsated with vitality of the students wholeheartedly took part in a diverse array of sporting activities, painting a picture of unwavering zeal and vigour .

From the electrifying 50-meter dash to the Broad Jump and the exhilarating Relay Race, students forged bonds of camaraderie while embodying the fusion of speed and endurance. Their spirited engagement not only embraced healthy competition but also underscored the significance of setting personal fitness goals, underscoring the transformative power of sports in fostering discipline and collaborative skills crucial for success in all spheres of life.

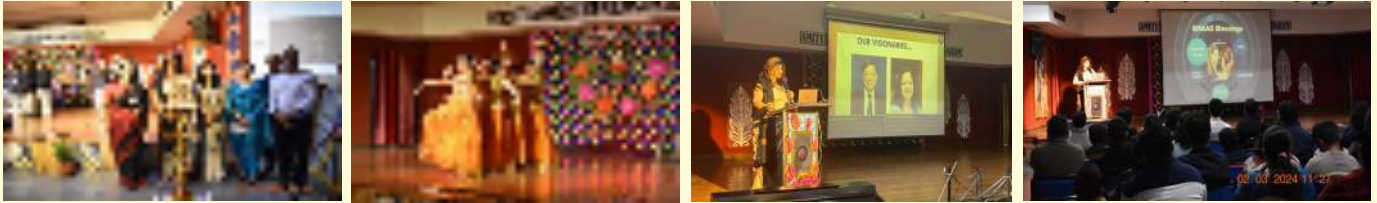
This harmonious collaboration culminated in the prize distribution ceremony, graced by the presence of our esteemed Principal, whose words of encouragement and blessings resonated deeply with the students. Additionally, the address by the Headmistress, Ms. Ranjana Sharma, acknowledged the collective efforts of students and teachers alike.

Amidst the jubilation, numerous students were lauded across various categories. The echoes of Spardha defined the power of sports to ignite passion, foster unity, and inspire unparalleled achievement.



Parent Orientation Programme 2024 - An Insight into Enlightening Beginning

Orientation Program was conducted for new students and parents on Saturday, March 2nd, 2024. The event commenced with the auspicious lighting of the lamp ceremony, accompanied by the chanting of the Gayatri mantra. The esteemed gathering was welcomed with a captivating dance performance presenting Ganesh Vandana. Honourable Principal, Ms. Arti Chopra, along with the school administrative faculty, extended a warm welcome to the parents of new students, acquainting them with the rich cultural ethos of Amity. The principal elucidated the school's vision, mission, and the myriad of opportunities offered within the Amity universe. The parents of new students were given the opportunity to express their queries, which were adeptly addressed by the administrative faculty, resulting in a highly productive session.



Parent Orientation Programme for Grades V & VI

The programme commenced with the lighting of the ceremonial lamp along with a shloka recital by the students followed by Nrityanjali - a classical dance performance. Principal Ms. Arti Chopra, welcomed the parents and in her presentation on Framework to Achieve Excellence, she guided parents to support and encourage their students to academic excellence. In her address, she also highlighted the achievements of the school in the field of academics and co-curricular activities. The parents were oriented about the assessment pattern, pedagogy, curriculum design and various events and activities designed for students, by Ms. Sumity Kapoor, the Headmistress of primary school. Ms. Ranjana Sharma, the Headmistress of the middle block. Ms. Amrita Basu (Synchro Coordinator) apprised students about Synconnect courses respectively. Parents were informed about the Counseling facility and Learning Enhancement Center (LEC) for educating students with special needs by the team of counselor and special educator Ms. Vinita Chikkara, Ms. Riya & Ms. Sumitra. The school medical policy and health care facility were explained by Dr. Tripti Singh.



Water Conservation Day

On the occasion of World Water Day, water conservation activity was conducted to create awareness among the students about the dire need of conservation of water. Students from grade IV & V participated in group discussion prompting everyone to be water saviours and contribute in this area. A tabulated data in the form of a water diary was compiled by the students to record the weekly consumption of water in their houses. The activity culminated with a very informative video on importance of water conservation.

Both the activities sensitized students to reduce the everyday wastage of water.



Excursion - Consolidated Learning for Primary School

fun filled recreational excursions for the students of grade I to V proved adequately beneficial when the children came back rejuvenated to share beautiful memories of this day. They were taken to Madhav Garh farm, an ideal location with abundant serenity and calmness in natural surroundings. This trip was organized from 29th February – 5th March.

From zip-lining to camel rides and pottery, Bullock cart, Tractor ride, magic show, trampoline, it was a day filled with excitement and adventure. Engaging sports activities like the Burma Bridge was a great way for them to develop their kinesthetic skills.

Students from grade I and II were also thrilled to see puppet show, magic show too and some outdoor play time was greatly admired by the young learners as it enhanced their imaginative skills.

Animal farm was another attraction for the kids. Scrumptious meals amidst nature with their friends and teachers was thoroughly enjoyed by them.



Astronomy Day Organized by Space Team

Astronomy Day, conducted on 22nd March was a much awaited occasion for the young upcoming scientists of classes VI-X. The event started with an inauguration ceremony by our respected Principal madam, with launching of the rocket . She appreciated students for their innovative projects which were based on Save the Earth Game, Make Your Own Microscope, Fun with DSLR, Mass of Planet, Zoom it and find it, Destroy the Space Rock, Astronomers Tool Kit, Hydrobot, Comet Making, Make a constellation, Create your Own Skymap, Solar Observation, Hands on Telescope, Tattoo station, Types of sundial, Solar Observation with Pinhole camera, Goggles and Telescope, Ring the Planet and Check your weight at different planets. Students of other classes visited the exhibition to learn more about astronomy.



Etiquettes workshop by Amity finishing School

“Manners maketh a man.” –William of Wykeham

Amity 46 believes in imparting holistic education to the students. With the aim of personality development, a session on Etiquettes was organized for the students of class V to XII .Principal Ms. Arti Chopra welcomed the resource persons Dr. Ishani, Ms. Roshi Kapoor and Ms. Masha from Amity Finishing School. The session covered a wide range of topics to help students in enhancing personal image, etiquette management, and their overall personality development. Students performed many activities like role play, dialogue delivery and enactment to improvise body language. Audio and visual technique was used for a very effective understanding of the topics. Students performed role play to teach soft skills. It was a very effective session.

‘Confident conversations & Social skills’ was the topic for Classes V-VII, Smart Goal Setting was taken up for Classes VIII and IX and the next was ‘Time & Attitude Management’ for the students of Classes X-XII. Students exhibited unusual enthusiasm in this enriching session.



Students Explored Sustainable Solutions Through A Field Trip to TERI GRAM

Under the esteemed mentorship of Dr. (Mrs.) Amita Chauhan, the revered Chairperson of Amity Group of Schools and RBEF, on February 28th, 2024, a cohort of students hailing from Class VIII embarked on an educational expedition to TERI GRAM. During the visit, students were introduced to various innovative initiatives aimed at energy conservation. Notably, they were shown the earth tunnel system, a remarkable technology enabling the maintenance of a consistent temperature of approximately 22 to 25 degrees celsius across 15 rooms using just a single fan. Additionally, they were provided insights into the process of energy conservation and were given a demonstration of the bio gas producer. The visit also included an exploration of the vermi compost pit and a showcase of numerous medicinal plants, with explanations on their practical significance in daily life. A visit to a green house further enhanced their conceptual understanding through practical learning. It proved to be an enriching experience for 65 students, sharpening their insight and sensitivity towards environment.



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