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AMITY INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL
SECTOR- 46, GURUGRAM

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OUR MISSION

AMITY 46 envisions to be a catalyst in augmenting holistic development, cultivating a dynamic and engaging learning environment that motivates children to aspire, act and achieve. We believe that every child is potentially the beacon of divine light and has the capacity to transform society and uplift mankind.

OUR VISION

- To cherish and nurture our students with utmost care
- To foster a culture of empathy, kindness, and respect towards nurturing relationships that uplift and inspire
- To embrace innovation and adaptability
- To cultivate the strong sense of identity and purpose
- To build strong partnerships with families, communities and organizations
- To instill in the students the ability to cope with situations with grit and determination
- To encourage students to achieve and aspire for success
- To imbibe in the students an understanding of exemplary behaviour, the value of hard work, a positive attitude, a strong sense of ambition and faith in God as stated in the BHAAG formula propounded by our respected Founder President, Dr. Ashok K. Chauhan

Where Modernity Blends With Tradition

CHAIRPERSON'S MESSAGE

Dear Students,

As we celebrate the glory of our nation's Independence Day, we take pride in the grandeur of India's rich history and culture. From the valour of Maharana Pratap to the wisdom of Chanakya, India's legacy is adorned with tales of courage and intellect. The architectural marvels of the Taj Mahal and the temples of Khajuraho speak of our ancestors' artistic brilliance. The spiritual teachings of Mahatma Gandhi and the scientific prowess of Dr. APJ Abdul Kalam exemplify India's diverse contributions to the world.



Let us draw inspiration from these icons and strive to uphold the values of unity, diversity, and progress. As we celebrate our freedom, let us pledge to contribute to India's growth and glory. We at Amity earnestly aim at incorporating cultural education into the curriculum, celebrating national festivals, organizing cultural events, and competitions, encouraging students to participate in traditional arts, music, and dance, inviting guest speakers to share knowledge on Indian history and culture, creating a culturally rich and conducive school environment by promoting values like respect, empathy, and inclusivity.

By participating in such activities, students develop a strong sense of identity, pride, and appreciation for India's rich and diverse heritage.

We, as educators, need to empower students to be the torchbearers of our legacy, driven by dedication and unrelenting determination. We must prepare our students to be the ambassadors of our culture and future guardians of our heritage. Patriotic values need to be instilled right from the beginning.

Dear students, cherish and celebrate the timeless splendour of Indian culture and tradition, one of the world's oldest and most revered civilizations. As you strive for a better tomorrow, may your thoughtful actions and unrelenting passion shape a brighter future for our nation! With every step forward, may your commitment to social progress etch a new chapter in the annals of your nation's history that will forever inspire generations to come.

With blessings

Dr. (Ms.) Amita Chauhan

Chairperson

Brilliant Performance in INTACH QUIZ (2025-26)



On 29th of August, the Intach National Heritage Quiz 2025, was held at Vedatya Institute, Gurgaon, witnessing enthusiastic participation from 14 schools, with a total of 30 teams.

After a written preliminary round, only four teams qualified for the stage round. It is a matter of pride that our school team secured a place among the finalists and bagged the 3rd Prize in this quiz competition. Team members were -Arnav Walia-VII-B, and Daksh Parmar -VIII.



Dear Readers,

‘PROGRAMMING’ THE FUTURISTIC MINDSET TOWARDS PEACE

Rightly said, it is all in the mind, as a great thought can change perception, augment innovation, transform attitude, revolutionize society and even save humanity. Each one of us has a powerful driving force within us that protects our goals, keeps us sane, assertive and crushes all excuses of inaction. In the constantly evolving world that we live in today, we need to have a mind capable of unlocking the immense potential that remains hidden within us, due to lack of self-awareness. Amity empowers students with disciplined, synthesizing, creative, respectful and ethical minds, so as to empower them to become futuristic global citizens who can take charge of their lives.



The disciplined mind guides in bringing discipline in the way we work, instilled through daily practice of chanting Gayatri mantra, yagna, value-based assemblies and adoption of BHAAG formula in life. Practising Chess, Trigonometry, Archery or violine, just to name a few activities, in a disciplined manner has given us immense recognition, be it at state, national or international level. The rigour to practise open ended questions, MCQs, quizzing etc. enables our students to critically analyze information received from a variety of sources and helps in developing a synthesizing mind. This paves the way for seeing the bigger picture in one's life and makes learning lifelong. There are structured efforts made continuously in these directions. Respecting parents, teachers, environment, community, the nation and the universe comes effortlessly to our students as they have a respectful mind that understands differences between individuals by valuing and accepting ideas that are different from their own. By working for Amitasha, our students have learnt to find purpose beyond self-interest. Youth Power, Service-Learning projects and Interact Club initiatives have helped in developing ethical mind that empathizes with others.

Mind programming is the latest fad of this century. A healthy mind, nurtures positive thoughts, that work as catalyst in forming desirable habits, sublimating into one's work profile much needed for scripting a success story. Learning to set boundaries, being mindful, healthy lifestyle, managing time, controlling anger are the life skills inculcated by the school, from time to time. Any student can plan a preferred future by staying pragmatic and honest with himself. It is important to decide the 'who' one socializes with, along with, the 'what', one actually does in their free time, as friends is the family 'you' choose and by bonding with right people, everything is possible. Not only this, developing a futuristic mindset enables us to consider the 'tools' around us, like taking help of your teachers, making the most of the progressive environment created by participating in scholastic and co scholastic activities to enhance your IQ, EQ and SQ. Amitians must endeavour to indulge in self-reflection and self-awareness discourses, by maintaining gratitude journals, doing one good act a day, indulging in inter-generational dialogues (speaking to grandparents) and reading good books.

लोका समस्ता सुखिनो भवन्तु !ॐ शान्तिः शान्तिः शान्तिः

This is an apt Sanskrit mantra from Upanishads that resonates power of mind, saying, may the thoughts, words, and actions of one's own life contribute in some way to that happiness, to that freedom for all and let all beings be happy and free.

Wishing all the readers to develop the futuristic mindsets that are progressive towards peace and harmony for all.

Happy Reading!
Dr. Arti Chopra

Career Conclave- 2025

Under the guidance of our esteemed Chairperson Dr. (Mrs.) Amita Chauhan, AISG46 hosted Career Conclave2025, organized by Amity Career and Counselling Cell, guiding the graduating batch of 2025-26 to understand the options available to them. Along with the professors from Amity University, multiple professionals from varied backgrounds were invited to interact with the students .The following domains were covered: Management and Business Analytics, Commerce and Economics, Journalism and Animation, Environment, Forensics and Applied Sciences, Engineering (IT, CSE, ECE, Mech, Civil, Defense), Biotechnology, Fashion, Fine Arts, Medical (Pharma, Dietetics, Stem Cell), Architecture, Law, Psychology, Global Study Program, ICAI, Indian Navy (Sena Bhavan), Cambridge Assessment, ICSI.

The students of grade 12 from AISG 43, AGS and AISG46 visited the kiosk of their choice and acquired the requisite information. The experienced panelists included Dr Manish Mahajan, a renowned Neurologist, CA Navya Malhotra, Sakshi Gambhir Grover, Food Technologist Currently working at PepsiCo, Captain A. Ashok, Director of Manpower and Planning in the IndianNavy, Mallika Chugh Senior Manager – Marketing Communications (Central Resource) with DLF Hospitality, Mrityunjai Tiwary, founder of Digital Butler Hub, Rahul Aggarwal, from finance, Priyanka Pandey, design creator and Creative Founder of Studio Pink, Sachin Juneja, Director of Admissions at Amity University, and Ranjan Chawla, a Computer Engineer.

The event was graced by Chairperson Dr. (Mrs.) Amita Chauhan, who in her motivational address inspired the Amitians to have a strong belief in themselves, follow their dreams confidently and with all perseverance. Principal Dr. Arti Chopra expressed her gratitude to all the panelists and Chairperson madam for her unwavering support.





Our Team Lifts Winners' Trophy in Newspaper Making Contest -2024-25

Awards and Acclaims

Well Done, GT Team !

On 5th August, 2025 our team was declared the overall winner of the GT Newspaper Making Contest for the session 24-25, in the award ceremony held at Amity University, Noida .

The Global Times Newspaper, being the brainchild of revered chairperson, Dr. (Mrs.) Amita Chauhan has paved a platform of creativity and talent nurturing the young minds to think outside the box and tap into their uncharted land of possibilities. This newspaper, which is of the students, by the students and for the students, over the years has created a fraternity of thinkers, writers, illustrators, photographers. Despite the world going digital our chairperson's initiative has ignited the spirit of the print media, the news and creativity as a tangible asset.

The following students made us proud by winning in the various categories:

Best Edit 1st runners up – the entire GT team

School Time Achievement Award – Ranya Sharma ,Editor-In-Chief GT team AISG46 24-25

Best top story - Manvi Yadav (Alumna)

Best Science Advertisement 2nd Prize – Ranya Sharma (Alumna), Ekam Sibia (XI I), Aaditya Garg (XI B)

Best Autobiography 2nd Prize - Manvi Yadav (Alumna)

Best Perspective Story 2nd Prize - Ekam Sibia (XI I)

Best Fictional Story – Nomination – Sanvi Bhatia (X H)

Best Humorous Story Nomination - Parneka Chowdhary (XI J) and Pavani Bansal (XI)

Best Illustration 2nd Prize - Ishani Verma (XI)

Best Photo Nomination – Diya Kerur (XII J)

All the winners were awarded by respected Chairperson Dr. (Mrs.) Amita Chauhan and were appreciated for their passionate commitment and outstanding work.



Guiding Global Leaders: U.S. University Readiness Session at Amity

A session on College Readiness for the U.S. Universities was organised by Amity Career Counselling and Guidance Cell, on 7th August, 2025 for classes IX-XII. The session commenced with a welcome address by Principal Dr. Arti Chopra. The key speaker for the session was Ms. Meenakshi Sharma, Associate Director, UTD Asia International Centre. She explained the Common Application process in detail, highlighting how admission officers evaluate academic performance, rigor of coursework such as GPA and AP/IB subjects, standardized test scores, extracurricular achievements, leadership roles, and community involvement.

An engaging application evaluation activity organised for the students provided them with an insider's view of the admissions process and helped them understand common pitfalls.

The session concluded with an interactive Q&A session, which gave them a better clarity regarding pursuing higher education in the United States.



Spotlight on Sports Achievers

Congratulations to our Champions for Their Spectacular Performance

Chess



Our chessmasters shine bright in CBSE School Games and Sports, North Zone (Boys) held at Sagar Global School, Charkhi Dadri, Haryana.

Under 19 Boys Team consisted of Nalin Sinha grade XI, Danish Goyal grade X, Divit Arora grade X and Hrishit Shukla grade X and got the Bronze medal.

Under 17 boys' team- Shourya Pratap Singh grade XI, Tanmay Prakash Jha grade X Sync, Rudra Nath Bala grade IX and Gaurang Gupta grade X, won Silver Medal.

Both the teams are selected for the CBSE National Chess Championship 2025.

Under-14 girls team won Gold Medal in the CBSE School Games and Sports, North Zone (Girls) held at Alpine International School, Panchkula, Haryana.

Our winners are:

Padmaja A.G- V E

Heena Garg- VI H

Kisha Aggarwal- VII A

Chaarvi Pokharna- VIII E

Our team is selected for Nationals.



Our students got accolades in Inter School Chess competition organised by Vega School, Sec 76, Gurgaon.

Under 11 winners:

Padmaja AG, grade V E won Silver medal

Under 19 winners:

Advit Yadav, grade VI sync won Bronze medal

Krishna Aggarwal, Grade IV got 3rd position, winning a cash prize of Rs. 4100 in 1st Shatranj India International Rapid and Blitz Chess Tournament (Open state), Thyagarajan Stadium, Delhi in Under 12 girl's category.



Our Senior Boys Team won Bronze Medal in Inter Amity Chess competition at Amity International School, Mayur Vihar, New Delhi, following are the winners:

Tanmay P Jha, Class X Sync

Rudra Nath Bala, Class IX G

Shaurya P Singh, class XI I

Gaurang Gupta, Class X C

Cricket

Following students performed brilliantly in U-19 boys category in SGFI Games, Block Level at CRIC TOWN Sec- 64, Gurugram:

Nityant- grade X, Nurpesh - grade XI, Vrishabh - grade XII

They are selected for District Cricket Team.



Our cricketers distinguished themselves in the CBSE Games and Sports, North Zone Cricket U-19 Girls, organized at Asha Jyoti Vidyapeeth School Faridabad.

Swarnim Gaur- XII D and Aadya Gupta- XII F clinched gold medals and are selected **for North Zone Cricket Team.**

Spotlight on Sports Achievers

Table Tennis



Laurels bagged in Inter Amity Table Tennis Championship held at Amity International School, Vasundhara:
Our Girls' team with Saanvi Goyal (VIII), Saanvi Dewan (X), Naina Gupta (VII), Tanvi Bibra (IX) secured first position.
Our Boys' team with Kartikeya Chaturvedi (X), Anurag Pande (IX), Yyukt Akshay Vats (IX), Dhairya Manaktala (VI) and Naman Gupta (XI) secured 2nd position.

Outstanding achievement of our boys and girls team in SGFI Table Tennis championship at Lions Public School, Gurgaon.

U-19 Boys' team secured 1st position: Kartikeya Chaturvedi (X), Anurag Pande (IX), Yyukt Akshay Vats (IX)

All of them are selected **for SGFI Table Tennis districts.**

U-14 Girls team secured 3rd position:

Saanvi Goyal (VIII), Naina Gupta (VII), Tannvi Bibra (IX)

Saanvi Goyal selected for SGFI Table Tennis districts.



U-17 Boys team bagged third position in CBSE School Games and Sports, North Zone at 'M R Public School, Ateli, Mahendergarh.

Our winners are:

Kartikeya Chaturvedi (X).

Anurag Pande (IX)

Yyukt Akshay vats (IX)



Yoga

Aashna Bhalla, Grade- IX participated in the CBSE North Zone Yoga championship and got selected **for the National Level** in U-17 Artistic Yoga competition.



Skating

Stupendous showcase of our skaters in the Skating Hockey Premier League (SHPL) 2025 held at Baliawas.

Our winners are:

Naira Chabra (class IV D)- Gold

Vyan Chawla (class IV D)- Gold

Nattansh Chawla (class VIII A)- Silver

Aditya Dhiman (class XI G)- Gold

Bhavesh Dagar (class XII H)- Gold

Yashasvi Aggarwal (class X H)- Silver



Our Aerobics Gymnasts excel in Inter Amity Aerobics Championship, held at Amity International School, Pushp Vihar.

The winners under various categories are:

Individual (Girls) - Mananya Sharma VIII B got 1st position

Mix pair got 2nd position

Mananya Sharma- VIII B

Samanyu Sharma- III G

Senior Aero dance Team got 2nd position

Mananya Sharma- VIII B

Harika Shringi- IX I

Aaditri Animesh- IX H

Saisha Dani- IX J

Barisha Pandita- IX E

Mehak Sukhani- IX I

Trio Girls team got 3rd position

Mehak Sukhani- IX I

Hardika Shringi- IX I

Aaditri Animesh- IX H

Junior Aero Dance team got third position

Bhavyanshi Sharma- VII F

Shruthi S.- VII F

Tanvi Aggarwal- VI E

Anaya Gupta- VI A

Yashi Chaudhary- VI H

Anshika- VI H

Savvi.- VI J



Thai Embassy Invited Two Winners From Our School To Thailand

Angad vir Singh (XII B) and Pritha Ghosh(XII J) , the **national level winners of Namastey Thailand Quiz**, were invited by the Thai embassy to Bangkok to celebrate their victory and to honour them for their stupendous performance in national level quiz organised on 2nd August 2025 in New Delhi. This esteemed competition drew participation from 250 students representing 65 schools across Delhi and NCR . Our winners were felicitated in Delhi with a cash prize of ₹30,000 and certificates and as a token of appreciation they were invited by the royal Thai government to Thailand from August 21st to 24th 2025, to study the richness of the Thai culture.

Angadvir Singh and Pritha Ghosh accompanied by their teacher Mrs Bela Bhan, were warmly welcomed by the high official from the ministry of foreign affairs Thailand. They had the privilege of interacting with Mr. Kasemsan Thongsiri, Director of South Asia and Central Asia ministry of foreign affairs of Thailand who threw light on collaborative initiatives between Thailand and India in the realms of hospitality and tourism. Our winners, very proudly in their interaction, highlighted the Amity initiatives under the visionary leadership of Founder Dr. Ashok K. Chauhan and the Chairperson Dr. (Ms.) Amita Chauhan namely Foreign Exchange Programme, The Global Times, VASUDHA, AMUNs and ATL labs etc. As gesture of gratitude, they presented a copy of the Global Times and an artistic composition crafted by Amity students to the Director.

Our students visited the Grand palace in Bangkok, a majestic complex located on the banks of the Chao Phraya river, Queen Sirikit Museum of Textiles, Wat Pho and Museum Siam as well.

Visit to Ayutthaya, a world heritage site, the ancient Buddha temples, and the ruins of the old temples such as Wat Phra Mahathat, offered a glimpse into the rich culture and spiritual heritage of Thailand.

On coming back, the students expressed their warm gratitude to esteemed Chairperson Dr. (Ms.) Amita Chauhan for her motivation to embrace global experiences and develop a better understanding of the world. They were also thankful to principal Dr. Arti Chopra for being their guiding light in the preparation of this quiz.



Future Entrepreneurs in Action: Our Students Make Mark at Sharkathon 2025



With the blessings of Founder President Dr. Ashok K. Chauhan, under the visionary leadership of Chairperson Dr. (Mrs.) Amita Chauhan, and the able guidance of Principal Dr. (Mrs.) Arti Chopra, students participated in the prestigious Sharkathon 2025 Grand Finale, held on 3rd August, 2025 at CDS Tower.

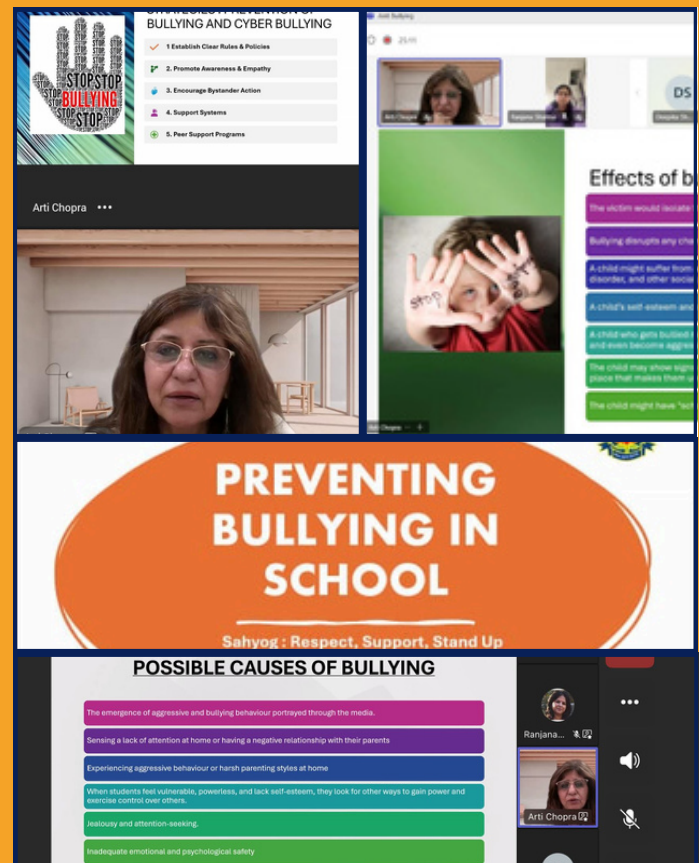
Designed by the alumni from MIT, Wharton, McKinsey, IIT Delhi, and IIM Ahmedabad, Sharkathon 2025 was an investment-based competition that brought together the top ten finalists selected from seven states across India after two rigorous qualifying rounds. The participants were required to question the business models, evaluate investment opportunities, and deliver well-reasoned verdicts, thereby demonstrating their acumen in financial analysis, critical thinking, and real-world business judgment. Esteemed judges Mr. D. N. Mukerjee and Mr. Tushar Aggarwal evaluated their performance on questioning skills, thought process, and investment decisions. The event also featured inspiring addresses by Ms. Swati Ganeti, Director of Undergraduate Programmes at Masters' Union, and Mr. Rajat Kumar, ex-CTO of CarDekho. Highlight of the finale was the special appearance of Mr. Amit Jain, CEO of CarDekho and former Shark on Shark Tank India.

The remarkable performance of Avikshit Bhardwaj (Class XII I), who secured third position, brought immense pride to the school. Another Amitian, Chinmay Karwa (Class XI F), was also among the top ten national finalists, showcasing exemplary skill, confidence, and business acumen.

“सहयोग: Respect, Support, Stand Up.” Anti-bullying Workshop for the teachers

An online workshop was conducted by school Principal Dr. (Mrs.) Arti Chopra on 4th August, 2025, for the faculty members. The awareness session titled “सहयोग – Respect. Support. Stand Up.” reaffirmed the school’s unwavering commitment to fostering a safe, respectful, and inclusive environment. The session addressed the multifaceted issue of bullying, exploring its various forms, underlying causes, repercussions, and preventive strategies applicable both within school premises and online spaces. Dr. Arti Chopra emphasized the profound impact of bullying on students’ emotional, social, and academic well-being, highlighting the critical importance of early identification and timely intervention.

The session also delved into the legal framework governing child protection, with references to the Juvenile Justice Act (2015), IT Act (2000), and POCSO Act (2012), underscoring educators’ responsibility to align school practices with statutory provisions. High-risk zones, including playgrounds, buses, cafeterias, and digital platforms, were identified, emphasizing the necessity of vigilant supervision and proactive intervention. She also announced the forthcoming SAHYOG – Anti-Bullying Week, to be observed from 5th to 8th August, featuring assemblies, discussions, badge-making, roleplays, and storytelling activities aimed at cultivating empathy, inclusivity, and mutual respect among students. The initiative strongly reinforced the school’s vision of creating a culture where every child feels valued, secure, and supported.



Movie Magic: Recharging with a Dose of Drama, Action and Emotions

On 12th August, 2025, the students of Class X visited MGF Megapolis Mall for a special screening of the movie ‘Sitaare Zameen Par’. They were warmly welcomed by the mall staff and treated with popcorn and refreshing soft drinks. Accompanied by their class teachers, the students thoroughly enjoyed the movie and described it as a valuable educational experience, appreciating its theme on understanding and supporting individuals with neurological differences. On 28th August, Class XII students watched the same movie.

Grateful for this delightful break from academics, the students thanked the Principal for organizing the outing and expressed their hope for more such enjoyable trips in the future.

A Session on Nutritious and Wholesome Eating

A special session on “Nutritious and Wholesome Eating” was organized for classes VII and VIII. The session was conducted by Ms. Surbhi Singh, a certified nutritionist and diet expert who is heading Medanta Wellness clinic at Cybercity, Gurugram. The aim of the session was to create awareness among students about the importance of eating a nutritious, balanced and healthy diet. Ms. Surbhi began by explaining the basic food groups — carbohydrates, proteins, fats, vitamins, and minerals — and their role in maintaining good health. She highlighted the dangers of junk food and explained how it can lead to obesity, low energy, and long-term health problems.

The session included practical tips for planning balanced meals, reading food labels, and making smarter choices while snacking. Students were encouraged to include more fruits, vegetables, whole grains, and water in their daily diet. In the interactive Q&A session, students eagerly asked questions about diet during exams, immunity-boosting foods, and the right portion sizes. Overall, the session was highly informative and engaging, and it motivated students to take their eating habits seriously.



Workshop on 'Peace Begins with Me-Towards Positive Anger Management'

On August 11, 2025, Dr. Arti Chopra, Principal, conducted an insightful session on Peace Begins with Me-Towards Positive Anger Management for class IX students. The session commenced with statistics on teenagers experiencing anger and frustration, followed by a short video emphasising constructive outlets for managing emotions. Videos of respected Acharyas demonstrated positive ways to respond to anger, and the Anger Iceberg model was explained to highlight the deep-rooted causes behind anger in adolescents. Group discussions on case studies encouraged students to suggest healthy approaches for managing anger. RID Technique—Recognise anger signals, Identify a positive way to analyse the situation, and Do something constructive to calm down was the take-away for the students. The emphasis on forgiveness and peaceful living was particularly noteworthy, encouraging students to adopt a more harmonious approach to life's challenges.



Managing Stress: Building Emotional Resilience for Academic Success



Principal, Dr. Arti Chopra, led a vital and empowering session on 11th of September 2025 for Grade XII students focussing on 'Managing Stress and Fostering Emotional Resilience.' A range of practical stress-relief strategies was introduced, combining immediate and long-term approaches. Among these, guided imagery was a key tool helping students mentally escape stressful situations by visualizing calming, peaceful scenes to reduce anxiety and refocus the mind. She also encouraged meditation, progressive muscle relaxation, yoga, therapeutic cooking and other creative outlets like mandala artwork to facilitate emotional balance. In addition, while explaining the stress curve, Dr. Chopra stressed lifestyle habits essential for lasting health: eating a balanced diet, prioritizing regular exercise and yoga, making time for leisure activities, and developing positive self-talk. An important part of the session involved framing SMART goals—Specific, Measurable, Achievable, Relevant, and Time-bound—to help students set realistic and clear objectives. This goal-setting technique was recommended to reduce anxiety by breaking down tasks into manageable steps and tracking progress. Learners framed and shared their SMART goals during the session. In conclusion, Dr. Arti Chopra inspired students to view challenges as opportunities and build emotional intelligence and foster resilience not just for exams but for life.

Vaniya Sangam 2025- Sparking Passion, Innovation, and Excellence in Commerce

With the blessings of our Founder President, Dr. Ashok K. Chauhan, and under the stewardship of Chairperson Dr. (Mrs) Amita Chauhan, Vaniya Sangam, the Inter Amity Commerce Fest, was held with great enthusiasm, on 12th August, 2025. The event saw spirited participation from 22 leading schools across the NCR.

The competitions showcased remarkable talent across online and offline events. Online winners included Summer Fields School (Ad War first place), Amity International School, Sector 43 (Biz Toons first place), and The Maurya School (e-Mag-onomics first place). Offline events highlighted strong entrepreneurial spirit and creativity with Amity International School, Saket, and Sector 46 winning top honours in Trade Wars and Essential Unbox respectively.

The event was judged by an esteemed panel of experts: Mr. Rahul Agarwal (Trade Wars), Ms. Khushali Mehta (Biz Quiz), Ms. Jahnvi Rao (Essential Unbox), Mr. Kulwant Singh Hora (Start-up Sprint), and Ms. Kriti Panwar (Policy Play).

In Biz Quiz, Amity International School, Sector 46 emerged as the brilliant all-rounder, while Policy Play's first prize went to Amity International School, Noida. The acclaim of overall winner of Vaniya Sangam was proudly bagged by Amity International School, Vasundhara Sector 1.

Principal Dr. Arti Chopra congratulated all the winners, participants and their mentors for showcasing remarkable efforts.



Kiddies Kitchenette Mini Master Chefs at Work

25th of July was a much awaited day for our little chefs from classes I and II who took part in The Kiddies Kitchenette activity and prepared Lemonade. Under the guidance of their teachers, the children measured the ingredients, followed instructions, and expressed their creativity. As they mixed ingredients they realized and learnt how an easy and healthy drink recipe can be made at home, which can also provide nutrition without cooking. This observation sparked an interesting discussion on the nutrient value of different ingredients. This activity also developed fine motor skills through measuring and mixing ingredients. It encouraged teamwork and collaboration among students and introduced basic culinary skills and safety practices in the kitchen.

The Kiddies Kitchenette activity was a resounding success, offering a unique learning experience that combined practical skills, scientific exploration, and fun. The students' excitement and engagement throughout the activity demonstrated its effectiveness in promoting interactive learning.



Amity Innovators Shine on Mega Tinkering Day Building Innovation, Inspiring Minds

Under the inspiring mentorship of Chairperson Dr. (Mrs.) Amita Chauhan and the dynamic leadership of Principal Dr. Arti Chopra, our young scientists proudly participated in Mega Tinkering Day on 12th August, 2025 at the ATL Lab. This nationwide initiative, organized by NITI Aayog and the Atal Innovation Mission (AIM), reached over 10,000 schools across India with the mission of nurturing curiosity, creativity, and problem-solving skills among young learners.

Our school's project challenge was to design and build a mini vacuum cleaner with a budget limit of ₹80, using recycled materials. Guided by tinkering leaders, Aaditya Garg and Abhay Bailey, collaborated enthusiastically to bring their innovative idea to life. Using a plastic bottle as the dust container and nozzle, a DC motor fitted with a handmade fan, and powered by a 9V battery with a simple switch, the students successfully created a functional mini vacuum cleaner. The project not only worked efficiently but also reflected teamwork, creativity, and sustainable thinking.

The event was transformative, inspiring students across all grades to embrace scientific exploration and cultivate a problem-solving mindset.



Teacher's Day Special Assembly



Special Assembly was conducted on 3rd September, 2025 to celebrate Teacher's Day, honouring the dedication and invaluable contributions of teachers. The event was held in high spirits and filled with heartfelt moments, cultural vibrance, and cheerful interactions to mark the birth anniversary of Dr. Sarvepalli Radhakrishnan, a renowned philosopher, teacher, and the second President of India.

The celebration began with a welcome speech by the Head Boy and Head Girl, followed by a soulful prayer song. Students from different grades showcased a series of cultural performances, including dance and poetry recitations. To make the day more memorable, students organized a set of fun-filled games and activities exclusively for the teachers. These included: Tongue Twisters, where teachers tested their articulation with tricky phrases, Guess the Song, a musical challenge that sparked laughter and nostalgia, and Prop Games, which brought out the creative and playful side of the teachers. As a token of love and respect, students presented flowers and chocolates to their teachers, adding a personal and emotional touch to the occasion.

Principal Dr. Arti Chopra addressed the gathering with words of gratitude to our guiding lights Dr. Ashok K. Chauhan, Founder President and Dr. (Ms) Amita Chauhan for mentoring and motivating the students to the path of success. She appreciated the efforts of students and acknowledged the dedication of the teachers.



Independence Week Celebrations- A Kaleidoscope of National Colours

To mark the 79th Independence Day of India, our school celebrated Independence Week from 11th August to 15th August, 2025 with great patriotic fervour and unbridled enthusiasm. The celebration aimed to instill a deep sense of national pride, responsibility, and awareness among students of all age groups. A wide range of activities were conducted across all classes– Junior, Middle, and Senior – making it a truly inclusive and vibrant celebration.

Students of the Junior School participated in following engaging activities :

Freedom Fighter Talk, Art & Craft, Tricolour Food Sharing, Just-A-Minute (JAM) & Reflective Writing, Patriotic Slogan Writing (Hindi), Tricolour Nature Collage, Mass Patriotic Singing, Middle school students participated in Pledge Writing for the Motherland, Classroom Decoration, Hindi Speech Activity, Tricolour Food Sharing, Intra-class Freedom Quiz: Students showcased their knowledge of India's history, freedom struggle, and national symbols through a spirited quiz competition. Senior students actively engaged Pledge Writing, Opinion Board – "Future India", Face Painting Competition and Tricolour Rangoli Making

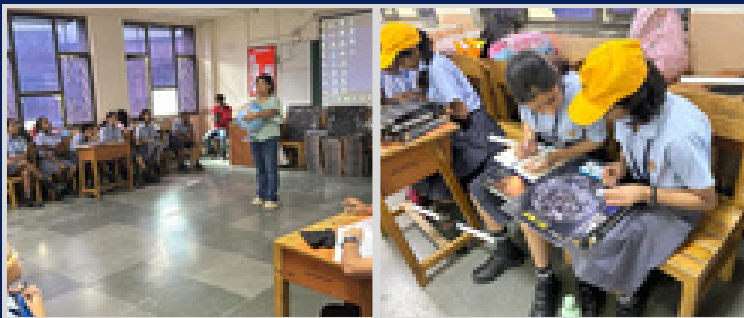
Special Assemblies by juniors and seniors on 13th August with patriotic performances, skits, and reflections by the young students, infused the campus with the vibrant burst of national pride. The week-long celebration culminated on 15th August 2025 with a grand Independence Day ceremony held in the school premises. The highlight of the day was the Flag Hoisting Ceremony conducted by the esteemed Principal, Dr. Arti Chopra, followed by the singing of the National Anthem and a rousing address by the Principal emphasizing the importance of unity, integrity, and commitment to the nation's development.



Session on Space and Astronomy

On 6th September, Astronomy Club students from classes VI to VIII enthusiastically participated in the workshop on astronomy and space. Members of Module-1 understood the kit materials and their work. They identified the purpose of each material and how it aided in pursuing science. They gained an understanding of the concept of coordinates in our celestial system and identified reference techniques to locate objects in space. They created a celestial grid and a sky map.

Module-2 session included an introduction to Jantar Mantar as an ancient observatory, explaining why it was built and the history behind it. Various Yantras of Jantar Mantar were identified, and a model of Jantar Mantar was created. The working of the Yantras was understood by measuring Alt-Az through the Ram Yantra and time through the Samrat Yantra. Overall, the session was highly engaging and went very well.



AMIGMUN 16 – 16th Annual Intra-school Model United Nations Conference



Our school hosted the 16th edition of AMIGMUN from 23rd to 25th July, 2025.

Over 500 students from Classes VI to XII participated as representatives of various international and national committees including UNGA, UNHRC, WTO, Lok Sabha, NITI Aayog, UNOOSA, HUNSC, WHSR, and ICJ. Delegates engaged deeply with pressing global and national issues and offered innovative solutions through research, critical thinking, and collaboration.

Participants were awarded with accolades such as Best Delegate, High Commendation, Special Mention, and Verbal Mention, celebrating excellence in diplomacy, research, teamwork, and leadership.

Robotronics 2025: Celebrating Innovation, Creativity, and Technology

The school hosted the 13th Edition of Robotronics, on the theme "AI for Sustainability: A Green Future" on 19th August, 2025. Nearly 250 students from more than 30 leading NCR schools participated in the event.

The event featured an exciting spectrum of competitions designed to test skills across domains: Paint 3D, Scratch, Canva, Film Making, Encryptid X CTF, Surprise, Ground Discussion, Quiz X Crossword Gaming, Programming, Creative Design, Line Following, Sumo War (Senior & Junior), Robo Race, and Robo Soccer.

The fest was graced by eminent dignitaries, including Dr. Lalit Mittal, who applauded the school's initiative in fostering 21st-century skills among students. School Principal, Dr. Arti Chopra, in her address, commended the participants for their creativity, collaboration, and problem-solving spirit.

The event concluded on a high note with DPS R. K. Puram emerging as the Overall Winner of Robotronics 2025.



Service-Learning Presentation by Class IX

It was an absolute delight to witness the Service-Learning Presentation of Class IX on 22nd of August, which truly exceeded expectations. The event began with a warm and sincere expression of gratitude to beloved Chairperson ma'am, Dr. (Mrs.) Amita Chauhan, and revered Founder President sir, Dr. Ashok K. Chauhan, for their tireless efforts and inspirational leadership. The students showcased their exceptional creativity and innovation, presenting thought-provoking projects on vital topics such as Recycling waste to secure our future, Giving Back to the Society, Spreading awareness about Physical and Mental Health etc. The parents joined the Service Learning presentations online, observing their children's creativity and learning in action.

The students undertook various initiatives to highlight their service towards the society on a larger scale through Street Plays, Nukkad Natak, Social Media Activism, Digital Posters, Online Workshops, Interactive Sessions, Community Engagement and Education for all-the students' efforts in educating underprivileged Amitasha girls, demonstrated a remarkable commitment to social responsibility and community service.

The event was a vibrant celebration of learning, creativity, and community service – a true reflection of the spirit of service learning.



Krishna Leela Presentation by Grade II A Tapestry of Colours , Emotions and Action



On 14th August, 2025, the Grade 2 students presented a vibrant and heartwarming event based on the life story of Lord Krishna, "Krishna Leela".

The programme beautifully showcased various phases of Lord Krishna's life through a combination of acting, singing, and dance performances. Dressed in colorful and traditional costumes, the students took on different roles such as little Krishna, Yashoda, Kans, and other important characters. Their delightful performances won the hearts of the audience and brought the story to life in a truly engaging way. Principal Dr. Arti Chopra applauded the efforts of the students, teachers, and parents, appreciating the cultural value and teamwork displayed in the event.



Vasudha 2025 – Innovation for a Better Tomorrow

Under the visionary guidance of our Hon'ble Chairperson, Dr. (Mrs.) Amita Chauhan, Vasudha 2025 was organized for Classes I–XI, carrying forward her mission of nurturing scientific temperament, creativity, and social responsibility. The event witnessed the spirited participation of more than 2500 students who showcased their originality and problem-solving abilities through innovative models, experiments, and performances on the theme “Innovation for a Better Tomorrow.”

For Classes I–V, young learners impressed audiences with models on composting, magnet-based games, water filtration systems, wind energy devices, weather tracking, and demonstrations on eclipses, soil types, and light phenomena.

Classes VI–VIII participated in Screening Round-1 on 8th August 2025, which provided a platform to explore applications of Artificial Intelligence and emerging technologies. Students presented ideas on AI-powered plant disease detection, smart assistants for the visually impaired, automated traffic control systems, drones for agriculture and rescue, and educational chatbots.

For Class IX–XI, the Screening Round-1 was conducted on 7th August 2025 under the theme “Harnessing AI for Sustainable Development and Social Impact.” Students developed AI-based projects during the summer break under the mentorship of teachers. Judges evaluated their work on creativity, incorporation of AI, connection with Sustainable Development Goals, methodology, and originality. Several promising projects were shortlisted for Inter-Amity Vasudha and future district- and state-level competitions.

The exhibition was further enriched with nukkad naataks on water conservation, group dances on environmental themes, and interactive quizzes, blending science with culture and social awareness. School Principal, Dr. Arti Chopra, encouraged students to think critically and apply science for the betterment of society. Parents and visitors appreciated the creativity, teamwork, and innovative spirit of the young participants.



Shauryagatha: A Tribute To The Unsung Heroes

A vibrant wave of patriotism filled the atmosphere as grade IV hosted the Class Presentation on 30th August, 2025, Shauryagatha: The Unsung Heroes to pay tribute to the courageous men and women whose silent sacrifices and extraordinary deeds have often gone unrecognized but remain the backbone of India's glory.

The program began with a warm welcome address by the young anchors of grade IV.

Principal ma'am, in her address, lauded the efforts of the students and reiterated the importance of instilling values of bravery and gratitude in young hearts.

The stage transformed into a canvas of powerful storytelling as the students presented Shauryagatha, a journey through India's untold tales of courage. Beginning with the saga of Suniti Choudhury and Satyabati Ghosh, the play transported the emotional portrayal of Nand Singh, the postman, whose bravery during the Indo-China war exemplified true patriotism. The saga of Dr. Verghese Kurien, the architect of India's White Revolution, showcased how vision and perseverance can transform a nation. The story of Bunker Roy's Barefoot College inspired all, proving that empowerment and education can light up even the remotest corners of the country. The heart-touching climax, depicting Head Constable Tukaram Omble's supreme sacrifice during the 26/11 Mumbai attacks left the audience spellbound. The grand finale, with all participants chanting a patriotic song, was a breathtaking moment that evoked pride and patriotism in every heart.

The event concluded with a 'Vote of Thanks' by Headmistress Ms. Sumity Kapoor, who appreciated the hard work of the students and teachers in bringing such inspiring stories to life. She also thanked the parents for their constant support and presence.



A Session on "Global Educational Opportunities with Amity"

A highly informative and engaging session was conducted on 18th August 2025 for students of Grade XI and XII, focussing on global educational opportunities. The session was organised by Amity Career Counselling and Guidance Cell, and conducted by Ms. Sumita Mukherjee, Dr. Kavita Thapliyal and Ms. Simran from International Affairs Division, AIBS, Amity University, Noida. The session began by a warm welcome of the distinguished speakers by Principal Dr. Arti Chopra. The speakers then took over the proceedings and introduced the students to the concept of internationalisation, and how as a result of visionary leadership of our Founder Sir, Dr. Ashok K. Chauhan the Amity University has been a pioneer in introducing world to Amity and Amity to the world. Amity has established Global Campuses and has established tie-ups with several renowned universities across the USA, UK, Canada and Australia. The speakers also introduced students to various academic programmes, scholarship options, and career pathways available internationally. They emphasised on end-to-end support for students throughout the admission process abroad. Students actively participated in the Q&A session and showed keen interest in exploring international study options.



POETIC EXPRESSIONS

Teacher's Day

Teachers are the role model,
They guide us through each day,
They teach us lessons of life,
And show us the right way.

They give us wings to dream,
And courage to stand tall,
With kindness in their words,
They always help us all.

They turn our doubts to hope,
And brighten every mind,
They shape our future strong,
With hearts that are so kind.

On this Teacher's Day we say,
Thank you for all you do,
We owe our dreams and success,
To teachers brave and true.

Sargun Kaur, VIII- C

Pleasant Night

The world goes off at the time of night
The stars keep twinkling to get us a good vibe
Everyday we think to get everything bright
But trust me this is the best day of my precious time.

The night goes on as the time goes through
But is it true that the stars are a massive improve ?
The days goes on the night comes through
My friends are getting big I will be too.

Night is pleasant ,
as we go it says good night, and a new day begins with a
bright light
It gives a us a chance it gives us hopes it gives us dreams to
get a big home
Give everybody a chance like this big night.

Aradhyaa Gupta, VI- F

छाता बोले - सुनो मेरी बात

छोटा सा हूँ मैं रंग बिरंगा ।
पानी और धूप से मैं करता रक्षा ।
धूप अगर तेज बन कर आती
तो मैं भी छाया बन जाता ।
सूरज की गमी से
तुम्हें ठंडी हवा दिलाता ।
तेज हवा जो चलती है
मैं थोड़ा झुक भी जाता हूँ ।
पर फिर भी साथ निभाता हूँ
छाता हूँ मैं, छाता हूँ
मैं रंग बिरंगा छाता हूँ ।

Eeshani Khetarpal, II-A

POETIC EXPRESSIONS

Happiness

Happiness is jumping high, Running fast
beneath the sky. Eating ice cream, big and
sweet, Dancing silly on my feet.

Happiness is games to play, Smiling bright
through every day. It's cartoons and songs I
sing, It's joy in every little thing.

Happiness is hugs so tight, Stories told before
the night. It's friends who laugh and never
fight, It makes the world feel just so right. Life
feels fun, and that is true, Happiness shines in
me and you

Ronav Shahani, IV -E

भविष्य भारत माँ का

एक दिन, एक व्याकुल मन में उठे विचार, कैसा होगा
भारत माँ का भविष्य अपार?
उसके अनुसार ऊँची इमारतें होनी चाहिए,
परन्तु प्राकृतिक सौंदर्य कम हो, ऐसा बिल्कुल नहीं।
धर्म का संचार होना चाहिए,
धर्म के नाम पर दंगे नहीं। समाज को रोज़गार मिलना
चाहिए,
परन्तु रोज़गार के लिए भ्रष्टाचार नहीं।
मनुष्यता को मिले बढ़ावा,
एकता और अनुशासन न कम हो कभी। इस सोच को
सत्य में परिवर्तित करने के लिए अब दर-दर भटक
रहा है वह।
हर दरवाज़े, एक ही प्रश्न "कैसे?" पूछ रहा है वह।
बहुत लोग तो रहे मूक,
पर एक जनाब ने दिया जवाब
"शिक्षा!" शिक्षा है वह प्रक्रिया
जो ज्ञान, विकास और कला में करे वृद्धि,
व्यक्ति के व्यवहार में परिवर्तन लाए और करे समाज
की सिद्धि।
शिक्षा है जो भारत माँ के भविष्य में ला सकती है
विकास,
दूर कर अंधकार को ला सकती है प्रकाश।

Deepshikha Singh, XI- C

Human First

We all are human first,
every line separating us is second.
Yet, these lines, create boundaries,
and sometimes fruit resentment. Why is it that kind words
seem difficult to utter?
while bitter verses reign the tip of our tongues.
Why actions of people kill the spirit of others?
and empathy has taken a backseat.

Why is there hesitance?
just to lend a hand,
smile in encouragement.
Is being human now and then,
like picking a needle from a haystack?

Empathy should be embraced,
not treated as weak.
Being able to walk others' shoes,
is a skill so unique,
so brave and so strong.
Let's just start small,
from asking people about their days,
to listening to them when they yearn for that warmth.
To spend energy pulling them up, not pushing them down,
because even one proud look, one compliment and one
person who understands,
can stop from a wrong path traversed.

Sudhi Vashistha, XI- A

POETIC EXPRESSIONS

Conquering Dyslexia

In a world of words I used to stumble,
Letters danced and made my mind crumble.
Dyslexia's grip, tight and strong,
But love and support came along.

Teachers with patience, like beacons bright,
Guiding me through the darkest night.
Friends by my side, lending a hand,
Helping me conquer the shifting sand.

Family's support like a comforting balm,
Turning frustration into a healing calm.
Doctor's wisdom, a steady guide,
Together we journeyed, side by side.

Each day a challenge, but I found my way,
Through the confusions, towards a brighter day.
Words untangled, letters at ease,
A symphony of language, flowing with ease.

Gratitude blooms, like a blossoming flower,
For those who stood by me, through every hour.
Dyslexia's shadow, now a distant trace,
Replaced by the warmth of a loving embrace.

In the tapestry of support, my story's spun,
A tale of triumph, a battle hardwon.
To all who helped, with love so true,
This heartfelt thanks, I give to you.

Navya Jain, IX- F

My Midnight Summer dream

In a midnight summer dream, I wander through,
An amethyst sky where the stars renew.
A starry night with whispers low,
Guides my path in a jaded glow.

Fortune's hand, unseen but near,
Shapes my fate with silent cheer.
A navigator in the cosmic stream,
Steering through my midnight summer dream.

The trees, with leaves like emeralds bright,
Sway and dance in the mystic light.
Their shadows play upon the ground,
A silent symphony all around.

Oceans deep and rivers wide,
Reflect the heavens, side by side.
Ripples whisper secrets old,
Of tales untold and dreams of gold.

Through fields of stardust, I make my way,
As night gives birth to the dawn.
The morning dew, a jewelled thread,
Weaves a tapestry where dreams are spread:
A midnight summer dream's embrace,
A timeless journey through time and space.

Kyra Tudu, XI J

CREATIVE EXPRESSIONS

Teacher's Day Thank You Note

Teachers are the real heroes of our life. They help us grow and improve in our skills. They also help us groom for our journey in life and sharpen our minds. They are with us in our highs and lows. Their motto is to never let us down. Teachers are like a mother figure to us. The light the candle of knowledge eliminating the darkness within us. They are just like fearless warriors winning every battle. It is a wonder how they compose their calm demeanour especially with some students who annoy them a lot. Teacher's Day is a day dedicated to them to let the world know how brilliant they are. They shine as bright as the stars in the sky. So, to all the teachers who are working day and night a big thank you and heartfelt gratitude from all of us.

Varidhi Dhuliya, VIII- E

Independence day riddles

1) Before Gandhi ji's salt, I fought for soil, A queen in cotton, the British I foil.

Ans: Rani Gaidinliu (she was a spiritual leader who fought the British in the 1930s, and led the Heraka movement.)

2) In Lahore's court, I laughed at death, The gallows bowed before my breath.

Ans: Kartar Singh Sarabha (he was a young Ghadar Party revolutionary and got hanged at just 19.)

3) Stitched khadi with silent care, Yet I hid secrets everywhere.

Ans: Spy Rings in Tailor Shops (Many freedom fighters used tailor shops as cover for passing messages, and delivering important news.)

4) My march was not with salt or grain, But with students on a freedom train.

Ans: Quit India Student March 1942 (Students across India led healthy protests after Gandhi ji's call for Quit India Movement)

Shreshtha Karan, 9- E

From Krishna's Play to Childhood of Today- The Little Krishna in Every Child

Picture this: the sweet aroma of the bangles clinking in the kitchen, a suspiciously empty Ladoo plate. Long before Vrindavan knew Krishna as a god, he was just a little boy, a boy with a heart full of mischief. Generations later, the same mischief can be seen hidden inside every childhood.

Timeless Tiffin Tales

Krishna's favorite pastime was to steal Makhan, which still lives in this era. Ever recall sneaking in some food just before recess? The pots have turned into lunch boxes, but the mischief is timeless; only the ways have changed.

Flute Tunes and Desk Beats

Krishna's flute or today's pencil taps, all roots to one cause, music. His spirit flows into rhythm whether through a flute or taps. This reminds us, Krishna's stories aren't confined to just temples and fables; it is more than just that, the roots of Krishna's everlasting aura are deeply woven in every child whether through music, behavior or just the plain scolding of their mothers.

From Mathura to Math Tests

For Krishna, the hurdles in his life were the difficult situations he had to overcome on his way to defeating his uncle Kans. For children today, the hurdles often come in the form of stress and pressure from studies.

The Spirit Lives On

Just as Krishna's leelas brought laughter and love to Vrindavan, children today carry that same spark. Whether it is about sneaking in a snack before recess, drumming on tables, and making up clever excuses. While the settings have moved from barren fields to classroom corridors, the spirit remains the same. In every giggle, every playful prank, and every moment of innocent mischief, the serenity of Vrindavan continues to play.

Alisha Singh & Agrima Pandey, VIII- G

Riddles

1. What is always coming but never arrives?

Answer = Tomorrow

2. What is full of holes but still holds water?

Answer = A sponge Date

3. Nobody empties me, but I never stay full for long?

Answer = The moon

4. I can fly but I have no wings, I can cry but I have no eyes?

Answer = A cloud

5. What has many keys but can't open a door?

Answer = Piano

6. What has hands but cannot clap?

Answer = A clock

7. What has a neck but no head?

Answer = A bottle

Aadhya Verma, IV- H

Movie Review

Movie- Kesari Chapter 2: The Untold Story of Jallianwala Bagh
Director- Karan Singh Tyagi
Release Date- 18 April, 2025
Starring- Akshay Kumar, R. Madhavan, Ananya Pandey
Genre- Historical Drama

SYNOPSIS-
This story revolves around 1919, the movie reminds us of a tragic episode in Indian history the Jallianwala Bagh tragedy. It is the story of a young man who is the witness to the tragedy firsthand and is changed by it. What begins as a simple visit turns into a life-changing experience as he sees innocent people being attacked without warning. The incident compels him to find his purpose, and he gradually becomes part of the freedom movement. The film beautifully captures the resilience, remorse, and dismay of individuals who lived through this dark time.

WHY IS IT WORTH WATCHING?
Kesari Chapter- 2 is emotional, powerful, and significant. It shows us the pain and sacrifice that went into winning our freedom. The performances are truly moving, especially Akshay Kumar who makes us feel every moment. The story feels real. The visuals are stunning, and the message stays with you. It's a reminder of our past and a tribute to the brave hearts we must never forget. It reminds us of our past and honours the brave hearts we must never forget.
Iconic Line- “ O Shera Uth Zara Te Phir Ohi Jalwa Dikha Apna, Badi Betaab hai duniya Teri Parvaaz Dekhan Nu”
Rating- 4.8/5

Sukhman Rattan, VIII- E

Facts

- 1) There are more stars in the universe than grains of sand on all earth's beaches.
- 2) Lighting is hotter than the surface of the sun.
- 3) The Eiffel tower glows in the summer.
- 4) Octopus has three hearts and blue blood.
- 5) A cockroach can live for up to a week without its head.

Girik Kamboj, II- H

The Victorian Doll House

Three days ago, my grandmother died. In her will reading I inherited her antique doll house. It's a beautiful 3 story Victorian style house with a family of four porcelain dolls, a mother, a father and 2 children, a teenage girl and a little boy. The first night I placed the dolls around the dining table. When I woke up, they were in different places, the girl was in her room, the father in his office, the mother in the kitchen and the little boy was missing. I found his stuck behind a kitchen counter, turned towards the wall, arms positioned as if hiding. I repositioned everyone before school. When I got home, they had moved again. The parents faced each other in what looked like an argument. The daughter stood against the bedroom window, the boy at the stairs. It was strange. I placed all the dolls on the couch, took a photo and went to sleep.

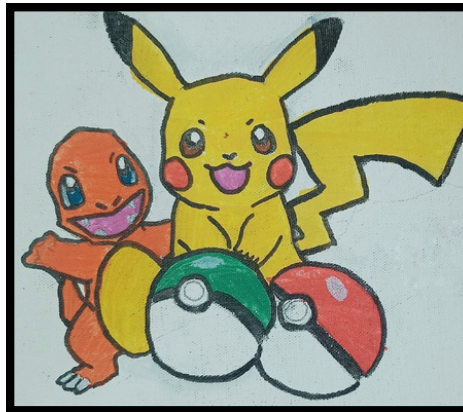
By morning they had scattered in positions that told a violent story. The mother lay face down on the floor, the father knelt beside him, the daughter running towards the front door, the boy hid behind the stove. I researched the houses history. My grandmother bought it from the Harrington family in 1972. In 1971 Steve Harrington killed his wife, Margret. Their daughter Anna tired to escape but didn't make it to the door. Their son Billy hid in the kitchen, found days later traumatised but alive. The dolls looked exactly like the Harrington family. That night I moved the dolls to happier positions and whispered to them to be at peace. When I woke up; they were at the same tragic positions but something new had been added. A tiny fifth doll sat at the living room chair looking exactly like me in my pyjamas. I grabbed the doll. Its porcelain skin was warm with a tiny heartbeat. I noticed my reflection in the mirror in the dollhouse. I was in there too. Watching the Harrington family's eternal nightmare. I tried to move away but my reflection stayed in place. I was trapped in their world. Last night I sleepwalked to the doll house. When I woke up the doll that looked like me was gone. I looked closer. The mother was still on the kitchen floor but now a tiny figure knelt beside the father sat in my pyjamas. When I looked in my real mirror, I saw all of them behind me, the Harrington family at my bed, watching with hollow porcelain eyes. The little boy stepped forward and whispered, your family now.

Rivika Srivastava, VIII- E

ARTISTIC EXPRESSION - I



Yesha Goel (2- C)



Vibhi Malhotra (2- I)



Yuvika Thakran (2- H)



Aadvik Jain (2- D)



Vrinda Bajaj (2- A)



Veer Nayar (3)



Shivaya Sharma (3- C)



Aashirya Kalra (2- A)



Anika Singh (3- C)

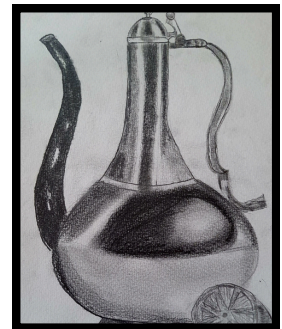
ARTISTIC EXPRESSION - II



Mayra Yadav (4- G)



Shaina Yadav (2- E)



Akshit (4- I)



Kayra Podder (4- F)



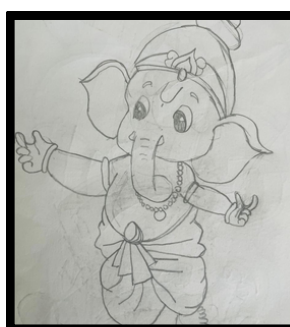
Ahaan Saxena (4- G)



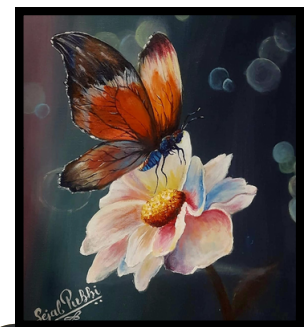
Shivanshi Singh (4- J)



Neelanshi Khare (4- C)



Kashvi Sharma (4- C)



Sejal Pubbi (9- I)



Bhavyansh (1- E)



Aarav Yadav (1- I)



Avyaan Garg (1- I)

Media Coverage & Social Media Links

छात्रों ने दिखाई वैज्ञानिक प्रतिभा

■ NBT न्यूज, गुड़गांव : सेक्टर-46 स्थित एमिटी इंटरनैशनल स्कूल में रोबोटोनिक्स-2025 कार्यक्रम हुआ। 'एल फॉर सस्टेनेबिलिटी : अ ग्रीन फ्यूचर' थीम पर आयोजित रोबोटोनिक्स के 13वें संस्करण में एनसीआर के 30 से अधिक स्कूलों के लगभग 250 छात्रों ने हिस्सा लिया। इस दौरान कई प्रतियोगिताएं कराई गईं। पेंट 3डी, स्क्रैच, कैनवा, फिल्म मेकिंग, एन्क्रिप्टेड

Making students' future ready

Q. What should be prioritized in the curriculum to prepare students for the future?

A. Curriculum should integrate techniques for communication through listening, speaking, reading and writing practices, critical thinking by incorporating higher order thinking questioning techniques and collaboration for innovative problem solving. Digital skills are a must, of course. Goal setting, time management, self-awareness, and resilience are also a few life skills that are essential and should be integrated in the curriculum. Art and sports integration are important too.

Q. How can you ensure inclusivity for all?

A. Differentiated teaching methods, service-learning projects and peer mentorship help in attaining the objective. Days of gratitude are celebrated in which children express gratitude for the school support staff and helpers. Senior school takes up social outreach projects like 'Drish' for awareness about the visually impaired, and limited to help and motivate dyslexic children.

Q. What do you do to support teachers' professional development?

A. As mandated by CBSE, 50 hours of professional development of teachers through training programs, both in-house and outside school is practiced. Teachers get ample opportunities to upgrade their skills. Equal emphasis is given on enhancement of emotional and social skills too.

Q. What metrics do you use to measure success beyond academics?

A. Students are given opportunities to take part in interschool, district, state, and national level tournaments and win accolades. Senior Secondary students take up internship opportunities with industries during their summer break.

Q. What are the biggest challenges facing education today?

A. Competitive exams like IITs and IIMs make it difficult for mediocre students to make good career choices. More emphasis on skill development and vocational education is needed. AI enhanced learning has opened new paradigms both for teachers and students. Tech research-based projects are enjoyed by students, increasing their overall accountability and discipline.



Principal Speaking

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Abhay Bailey scores with his innovative AI project

Abhay Bailey, a talented student from Amity International School, Sector 46, Gurugram, was awarded the prestigious Inspire-Mentor Grant for the year 2024-25. This flagship scheme, under the Innovation in Science Pursuit for Inspired Research (INSPIRE) programme of the Department of Science & Technology (DST), Government of India, is implemented in collaboration with the National Innovation Foundation (NIF), to develop scientific temperament among students of classes VI to X across India.

Abhay's innovative project, Rakshak AI - an artificial intelligence-based threat detection system - was selected for its strong technical feasibility and social relevance. From among lakhs of entries, his idea stood out and received a state-level grant of ₹10,000 under the Haryana State Innovation Scheme. His project is now eligible for further participation at prestigious forums such as the Dis-



Abhay Bailey with his project Rakshak AI

Abhay acknowledged that it was the constant encouragement, mentorship, and visionary leadership at his school that empowered him to dream big and bring his unique idea to life.

एआई तकनीकों से युवाओं की सोच में बढ़ावा मिलेगा

गुरुग्राम, कार्यालय संवाददाता। सेक्टर-46 के एक स्कूल में शनिवार को आयोजित रोबोटोनिक्स के 13वें संस्करण में दिल्ली एनसीआर के 30 स्कूलों के 250 छात्रों ने भाग लिया। कार्यक्रम रोबोटिक्स और डिजिटल डिजाइन के क्षेत्र में प्रतिभा, रचनात्मकता और नवाचार का एक उत्सव बना।

कार्यक्रम में विभिन्न क्षेत्रों में कौशल का परिष्कार करने के लिए डिजाइन की

■ सेक्टर-46 में कार्यक्रम का आयोजन किया गया
■ एनसीआर के 30 स्कूल के बच्चों ने हिस्सा लिया

शामिल रहे। इसमें उत्साही भागीदारी, रचनात्मक समस्या-समाधान और उल्लेखनीय टीम वर्क देखने को मिला, जो एआई, रोबोटिक्स और डिजिटल तकनीकों में युवा दिमागों की बढ़ती शक्ति को दर्शाता है। इस उत्सव में डॉ

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