

BIOSCOPE AN OPEN LETTER OF GRATITUDE DR. SARVEPALLI RAD-HAKRISHNAN. RENDEZVOUS WITH THE VP YOUNG AMITIANS WRITE MOVIE REVIEW AMAZING FACTS TYPES OF STUDENTS IN EXAMS WHAT PTMS TAUGHT ME... MY IDEAL TEACHER

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SOUNDS OF SILENCE Sounds of silence, yes there are Heard from places near and far.. You can hear them in the silent prayers You can hear them in a mother's cares You can hear them straight from the eyes Of a child starving from hunger and love You can hear them in an abandoned house From the walls and the ceiling above.. Sounds of silence are rare But they are always there For when You are alone and struggling your way out of old memories When you just sit back and let your imagination cross territories You get answers to your quests You conquer what is unknown to the rest.. Those are sounds of si-

Those are sounds of silence that speak Those are the sounds that unknowingly, we seek...

# THE AISMV BULLETIN -*THE ENLIGHTENED MINDS*-

# AN OPEN LETTER OF GRATITUDE

#### Dear teacher,

I still remember the first day you taught me. You intimidated me a little, but I grew to cherish your intimidation. I remember being completely in awe of your style of teaching, with every doubt in my mind vanishing in seconds. I remember being absolutely amazed by your patience and your talent at controlling an entire class of 40 rowdy teenagers. I remember being super scared because this was the first time I was going to take exams in senior school, and you were always there, helping me get over that fear and motivating me to work even harder. I remember being thrilled when I found out you were going to teach me the next year as well.

Thank you, ma'am, for always being there, as a continuous source of kindness in my life. Thank you for providing me the warmth I needed, thank you for scolding me whenever I was going down a wrong path, and thank you for guiding me to the right one. Thank you for comforting me outside the centre for the Board examination, when I was nervous and very scared. Thank you for showering me with blessings all the years you taught me. I'm glad I could be your student. Thank you for being my teacher. A very happy teachers' day to you ma'am, you deserve all the smiles and happiness.

-Rhea Suri 11<sup>th</sup> D

Regards

# <u>A THANK YOU NOTE</u>

Teacher. Ma'am. Lehrerin. Guru. So many words, yet one common emotion: respect. And unconditional love. How could anyone love tiny humans with whom they've spent hardly an year? A teacher's love is so pure, absolutely different from any kind that you might have experienced before. It's impossible to see love in anyone's eyes but a teacher's while you're having it from her. Isn't it something so unconventional?

This is a small thank you note to all the teachers that have invested an amazing amount of time and hard work on me, to mold me into the person I am today. Thank you for everything. For the scolds that punctuate eachschool day of mine, for the occasional praises that shape my pride. But most of all, for always seeing the best in me, for showing me why I'm special when even I myself cannot see what I'm worthy of. Thank you, ma'am, for those classes that werenever too long. Thank you for bearing with our inappropriate laughter, goofyjokes, and our lame excuses.

-Aarushi Agarwal 9<sup>th</sup>A

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# Dr. Sarvepalli Radhakrishnan.-A PRESIDENT, A PHILOSOPHER, A TEACHER



## By Lavanya Jain, X B

## Chasing WildLife







Jasnoor Pruthi, XB



Veera Pandey Vice Principal Amity International School Mayur Vihar Every year, September 5 is celebrated as teachers' day as a mark of respect to one of India's greatest teacher. Here's remembering Dr. Sarvepalli Radhakrishnan.

Sarvepalli Radhakrishnan believed that "teachers should be the best minds in the country". Since 1962, his birthday is being celebrated in India as Teachers' Day on 5 September. He was an Indian philosopher and statesman who was the first Vice President of India (1952–1962) and the second President of India from 1962 to 1967.

His philosophy was grounded in Advaita Vedanta, reinterpreting this tradition for a contemporary understanding. He defended Hinduism against "uninformed Western criticism", contributing to the formation of contemporary Hindu identity. He has been influential in shaping the understanding of Hinduism, in both India and the west, and earned a reputation as a bridge-builder between India and the West. Radhakrishnan has been held up in academic circles as a representative of Hinduism to the West. His lengthy writing career and his many published works have been influential in shaping the West's understanding of Hinduism, India, and the East.

Radhakrishnan was awarded several high awards during his life, including a knighthood in 1931, the Bharat Ratna, the highest civilian award in India, in 1954, and honorary membership of the British Royal Order of Merit in 1963. He was also one of the founders of Helpage India, a non-profit organisation for elderly underprivileged in India.

Dr. Sarvepalli Radhakrishnan has been a guiding force for the country and will always continue to be a light which will never be extinguished from our hearts.

### Rendezvous with the Vice Principal... Jiya Jindal XD

#### Q. How do you empower teachers to be leaders?

I believe that a teacher is already a leader in the classroom, because she shapes lives and whatever she teaches is what our children learn. We give our teachers responsible roles, not just teaching, and give them complete freedom of making decisions, because they have ideas about how they want to do their role as a leader. Workshops are also regularly conducted on leadership skills.



#### Q.What expectations do you have for yourself as a leader and mentor?

We want to give the best to our children, and be able to live up to their expectations. We try to provide them with the best teachers and a very conducive environment for a holistic and all round development. We want our children and teachers to excel in various fields, and we want to build leaders of the build, leading with examples.

#### Q. Do you consider sports as an important element in learning?

Yes, definitely. Sports, I believe, are just as important as classroom lessons. Sports are very important for maintain good physical agility, strength, and above all, our health. These days a lot of people tend to ignore their health in front of other things. We want our students to excel and achieve in various fields, sports being an important one.

### Q. What kind of teachers did you like when you were a student?

When I was a student, I absolutely looked forward to classes of those teachers who made learning fun. Activities and discussions, basically hands on assignments used to be my favorite. I also really liked those teachers who encouraged concept-based learning, and always encouraged the students to achieve more and gave constructive feedback.

#### Q. What do you like about the teaching profession?

It gives me great sense of satisfaction, and it is extremely rewarding for us as teachers when our children achieve the pinnacle of success. We touch human lives and deal with a lot of emotions. It is an overwhelming feeling.



Through the Lens By **Dhruv Rawat 10 D** 



**Amity Interna**tional PHYSICS **Olympiad** 1 Bronze Medal Vansh Agarwal **Class XII** 



**Amity International PHYSICS** Olympiad Country Silver Medal 1 Silver Medal **Sidhant Malik Class XII** 

# Young Amitians write

**ONE STEP** one step at a time

before we paint, draw or make a shape, we learn to draw a line one lesson every day as we grow older we learn from her it will be okay a teacher is any person who makes you laugh, who makes you cry but leaves you with these memories when you say goodbye. -Kaveri Mathur 11<sup>th</sup> E 7 REASONS WHY **TEACHERS ARE AWESOME** 1. Teachers can say everything

without saying anything at all.

2. Teachers lead by example.

3. Teachers care.

4. Teachers are fabulous communicators.

5. Teachers are adaptable.

- 6. Teachers are positive.
- 7. Teachers work hard.

### Dear Bully



Isn't it sad, when you get so much hurt, that you finally say, "I'm used to it."?" Bones will heal, bruises will fade. But time can't heal the hurt words made. My innocence, I won't get back. I used to smile .. They took my kindness as weakness. Physical, emotional, cyber and verbal. Numb to all pain, People have caused. I try to ignore, Every single word they speak, But words hurt me, Like bee's sting. Can't I ever get immune to pain? Oh dear bully! You tell me I'm worthless and that I'm nothing but I say the same things to myself without your prompting. I hate that I can't stand up to you. Can't this ever end? because I'm so done, Thinking that maybe,

-Amishi Jain 8<sup>th</sup> B

# To my High School English Teachers

"I can no other answer make but thanks and thanks and ever thanks." I know it's rude to have favorites, but I can't help being a little inclined towards you. I know it's cliché

how I, an aspiring writer, am dedicating this letter to the one who gifted this passion to me. I remember the first day I walked into one of your classes. The new kid of the school- shy, quiet and geeky. I've always liked to keep to myself; silently reading my way through situations and writing down the unsaid but you- you pushed me beyond my limits. You constantly picked me to share my views on the subject, to answer your clever questions and whatnot. As weird as it sounds, you taught me to speak. I was never one to share my thoughts with anyone, except for the sorry-excuse-of-a-journal I carried, but you made me see that there are people willing enough to notice and listen to the universe of uncanny observations I hid in my pages. You gently lead me to an accepting audience and encouraged me to let my words flow. So, thank you.

Reading has been my cup of tea since forever, but writing was something I ran away from. I never thought I could write well enough to be a writer. Needless to say, I've never been happier to be proved wrong. You explored with me the uncharted waters of writing skills that I had in me, and helped me grow. You instilled a flair for writing; for poetry in me and for that, I'll forever be grateful.

You helped me grow as a person, as a writer, with your constructive criticisms and witty sarcasm. To my ninth-grade English teacher, I have a lot to be thankful for. But for what's more, I'm thankful to have met you. You introduced me to spoken word poetry, and as hard as it is to believe, only this week I'll be experi-encing my first open mic. Wow, never thought that would happen. So thank you, believe it or not, you were the one who began it all. I have nothing more to say, for words can not begin to state how very grateful I am to have all of you in my life. I hope the very best for you.

Yours,

The Quiet Girl in Class.

PS: Do you mind skipping the debate in the next class? It involves talking. And people. At the same time. (The horror!) Name: Manasvi Garg\_11-F

# Expressing Myself



Amity International mathematics Olympiad Country Gold Medal Pranay Gupta



Amity International Chemistry Olympiad 1 Silver Medal Shagun Uppal Class XII

# Of all the hard jobs around, one of the hardest is being a good teacher.

It is well said that teachers are greater than parents. Parents give birth to a child whereas teachers shape his/her character and make future bright. Thus we never forget and ignore them; we always respect and love them.

Our parents are responsible for giving us love and quality care however our teachers are responsible for making whole future bright and successful. They let us know the importance of education in our life through their continuous efforts. They are the source of inspiration to us which help us to go

ahead and get success.

They make us so strong and prepare to withstand any obstacle of the

life.Teaching profession is a profession of great responsibility than any other jobs. Teaching profession has a great impact on the growth, development and

well-being of the students and nation. There are many precious roles of teachers in education of students, society and country. The growth and development of the people, society and country is solely dependent on the quality of education which can be given by a good teacher. So above all teachers are someone who know you better than anyone, they can they realize your potential and help you accomplish your dreams. And thus when you have a good teacher he will inspire hope, Ignite the imagination in you and instill a love of learning. By Saarthak Sharma 9A

## THE INK WORLD.

This is the canvas I paint my dreams on, the fabric I weave my stories from and the world of my thoughts and tales.

This is the coffee that keeps me going through the darkest of nights and the dream that inspires me to wake up.

This is the rains that revive, the waves that calm and the flowers that bloom.

This is the sunrise that wakes the world and the sunset that puts it into an imaginative slumber.

This is the moon that dominates and the stars that guide,

This is happiness that smiles and grief that silences, This is the heights I feared and the heights I conquered,

This is the heart that calls and the mind that fears. This is the world where nature nurtures and man is kind.

This is the hope humanity craves and the doom it fears.

This is the fire that warms and water that cools. This is the river that flows and rain that flows.

This is a figment of my imagination. This is ink world.

By: Anupreksha Jain (XI B)



Amity International Chemistry Olympiad Country Bronze Medal Ishita Singh Class XII

# The Picasso in Me



-Ananya Gupta, X-D

# **Movie Review**

# -Lavanya Jain 10<sup>th</sup> B



**Amity International Chemistry Olympiad** 1Silver Medal 1 Bronze Medal Aranava C Class XII



**Amity International Chemistry Olympiad** Country Gold Medal Bronze Medal **Avush Singh** Class XII



**Amity International PHYSICS** Olympiad 1 Bronze Medal Javati Sharma Class XII

Movie: Bahubali: The Conclusion

Release date: April 28, 2017

Cast: Prabhas, Rana Daggubati, Anushka Shetty, Tamannaah, Ramya Krishnan, Sathyaraj

Plot: A sequel to one of the most loved films of all times (Bahubali: The Beginning), the film continued to win director SS Rajamouli and the entire cast and crew crowds and hearts from not just India but across the globe, even weeks after its release. Set in the fairytale kingdom of Maahishmati, the movie takes on the battle for the much coveted throne between two brothers to that between an uncle and a nephew.

Cinematography: With a budget of 2.5 billion INR, the film created an instant hype as it got onto the list of the most expensive films of all times in India. Bahubali: The Conclusion's cinematography leaves no gaps to let the expectations of the audience down. Rather, it has set a benchmark for Indian cinematography in convincing 'special effects'.

Music: The music of the film weaves magic that is as grand as the film itself. Every song, whether Jiyo Re Bahubali or VeeronKe Veer Aa, came to be hummed by all those who heard them. That everyone just loved the music would be an understatement. Not to forget, the Maahishmati anthem that deserves its own place in the movie's review!

Entertainment quotient: The film has a lot to offer-from the picturesque lakeside setting of the kingdom of Maahishmati to the magical weapons in the brutal fight scenes to the awe inspiring visual effects-it definitely does not prove to be a disappointment to the viewers. Revealing the most awaited answer to the most perplexing question of the century perhaps ("Kattappa ne Bahubaliko kyu maara?"; why did Kattappa kill Bahubali?), the film surely satiated the curiosity of the country. It's a must watch for the fans of historical dramas, fictions, and visually appealing films! Watch it for a mind blowing experience and subtle doses of laughter in between!

# Amazing Facts about dogs

-Lavanya Jain 10th B

The chances of you being a dog person is very high. And the chances of you having a dog person in your acquaintances is a full cent percent. So, here are some facts which you might not know about these adorable beings:

- Your dog's whiskers help him "see" in the dark.
- Dogs only have sweat glands in their paws.
  - Your one year-old pup is as physically mature as a 15-year-old human.
- Your dog can smell your feelings.
- Dogs can learn more than 1000 words
- The world's oldest breed, the Saluki, originated in Egypt around 329 B.C. According to a study shared by Cornell University, dogs were domesticated between 9,000 and 34,000 years ago.
- More than half of all U.S. presidents have owned dogs.
- President Calvin Coolidge owned at least a dozen dogs.
- Just like human fingerprints, no two dogs' nose prints are alike.
  - Dalmatian puppies are born pure white and develop spots as they grow older.
  - In ancient China, people kept warm by putting dogs up their sleeves.

# **Types of Students in Exams** -Lavanya Jain, X-B



JSTSE (Junior Science Talent Search Examination ) Saptrishi Banerjee - X

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JSTSE (Junior Science Talent Search Examination ) Tejas Aanand - X



Amity International mathematics Olympiad 1 Bronze Medal Advait Sharma

September is a big troublemaker. As soon as a new morning welcomes the first day of the month, a sudden realisation crawls into our minds. A constant dread of cramming books, making notes and finishing the syllabus hangs atop our heads like a heavy cloud of rain, ready to burst any moment. Each exam sees students of varying personalities; here's a list of a few:

## 1. the all-knowing nerd

These are the ones with whom you must, and *must* not talk before an exam, unless you intend on demoralising yourself. In their language, "good morning" is called "hi, I just revised the whole syllabus thrice, that's all". While writing the test, you never catch them looking up from what they're writing, except if they want to proudly yell "ma'am extra sheet, please!" while you're still on the second page of your answer booklet.

## 2. the hidden superheroes

These are the students who finish three-hour papers in half the time, and then sleep or doodle or go to the washroom countless times, and leave you wondering whether they knew everything or nothing at all.

## 3. the chit-hiders

These students spend more time in inventing creative ways of cheating than they do in studying. They can do nearly anything just to ensure that their notes are hidden exactly where they want at a perfect angle in the washroom. They have carefully analysed each and every circumstance over a long period of time and are now proficient at knowing the correct methods of cheating.

## 4. the "please God" type

These students are the easiest to spot, because of their distinguishable appearance. They have a perfectly round crimson red or canary yellow *teeka* on their foreheads, and hanging in their necks is a talisman that their grandparents brought from the temple priest. They know the auspicious timings for entering the exam hall, and make sure to do so with the right foot. They never ever sneeze before giving the test, and might even sport ruby-emerald rings in their fingers. Their answer sheets are adorned with swastikas drawn on every sheet.

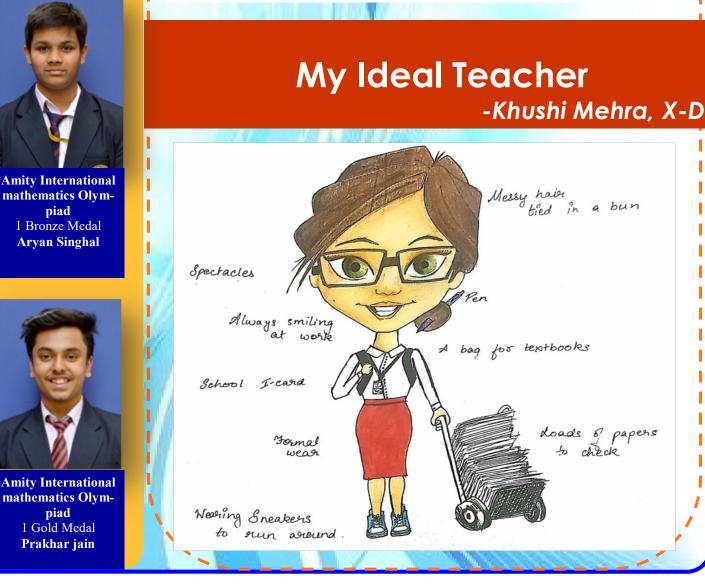
These are just a few of all the different personalities which we see in an exam hall. Despite all these differences, all of us continue to be united against our common enemy- the exams. As they say, unity in diversity...

# What PTMs taught me...

# -Ishita Gupta, 11-G



Amity International mathematics Olympiad 1 Gold Medal Maanas Talwar



"Okay class, tomorrow is your Parent Teacher's Meeting. Please come according to your time slots."

These words always dreaded me. "Why do PTMs take place?" is always what I am complaining of.

Not that I am a naughty student always messing with teachers, but I am just an average student. And you know the problem in being average? The uncertainty. You just never know what the teacher is going to say about you. It may be very good or can easily go bad. Like very bad.

But you know what's the fun part in uncertainty? The part where the teacher trusts you. Trusts you for doing well and being consistent. Trusts you for never giving up. Trusts you for achieving the unachievable. She believes in you for you shall give your best.

Nevertheless, being an average kid also has its perks where the teacher surprises you with the love she has for you.

Yes, PTMs always scare me but I am always certain about one thing. The uncertainty.

# **ACTIVITIES GALLERY**



Interact Club of Amity International School held a rally on 10th September 2018 with a motto " SWACHH BHARAT ABHIYAN"



Learning by Doing Class I-IV



Tree Plantation drive by Classes I-XII

Hindi Diwas Class I-IV

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# **Amity Achievers**



Amity International School Mayur Vihar has been ranked number 1 in Times school Survey under East Leaders Category.





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Scintillation at Sommerville public school vasundhra First prize Prakhar Bhargava, Paluk Gupta, and Sudiksha Gupta



1st Place in band at Saptak event in Joseph and Mary school with members as follows: Arman Afzal XI E, Devashish Gupta XI E, Arpit Jain



ECO-VERVE Swachh Robo making Competition at Mayur Public School. Ira Garg XI, Samridh Srivastava XI, Yatin Shukla XI



Kalpesh Sharma of 6A has won Hindi Olympiad award at National level



Amity International PHYSICS Olympiad Country Gold Medal 2 Silver Medals Prashasti Agarwal



Amity International BIOLOGY Olympiad 2 Silver Medals Anandita Nair Class XII