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Chairperson, Amity Group Of Schools



**सर्वे भवन्तु सुखिनः, सर्वे सन्तु निरामयाः।
सर्वे भद्राणि पश्यन्तु, मा कश्चिद् दुःखभाग्भवेत्॥**

Every achievement, every effort, and every milestone at Amity reflects the boundless potential of our students. It brings me immense joy to see these moments of triumph, creativity, and learning come alive in Amicrest. Amicrest is not just a newsletter, it is a celebration of our collective journey. It showcases the vibrant life of our school, highlighting events, competitions, artistic expressions, and literary marvels. From the glint of victory in inter-school competitions to the heartfelt poems and intricate artwork created by our students, every contribution to Amicrest is a reflection of your dedication and spirit.

With every word you write and every idea you share, you embody the ethos of Amity- dedication, perseverance, and humility. Remember, my dear students, your words have the power to inspire, influence and ignite change. Whether it is through a poem, a story, or a report, let your creativity shine. Let your writings be a reflection of your dreams and your efforts, a legacy that inspires generations to come! May our mantra BHAAG- Behaviour, Hard work, Attitude, Ambition and God serve as a beacon of light as you navigate through your academic and personal journey, reminding you to strive for excellence in all that you do.

As you read this newsletter, know that you are part of something far greater- a community of dreamers, doers, and achievers. Amity has given you the canvas but it's up to you to paint it with the colours of your imagination and vision.

Stay curious, stay humble, and let your light guide the way.



Ms. Divya Bhatia

Principal, Amity International School, Saket



"उद्यमेन हि सिद्धिर्यत्नैरेव हि साध्यते ।
न हि सुप्तस्य सिंहस्य प्रगृहीतं मृगं व्रतम् ॥"

As the ancient wisdom of this shloka rightly emphasizes, success is attained through the virtues of relentless effort and tenacity. It is not the slumbering lion that captures the prey, but the one that strives tirelessly.

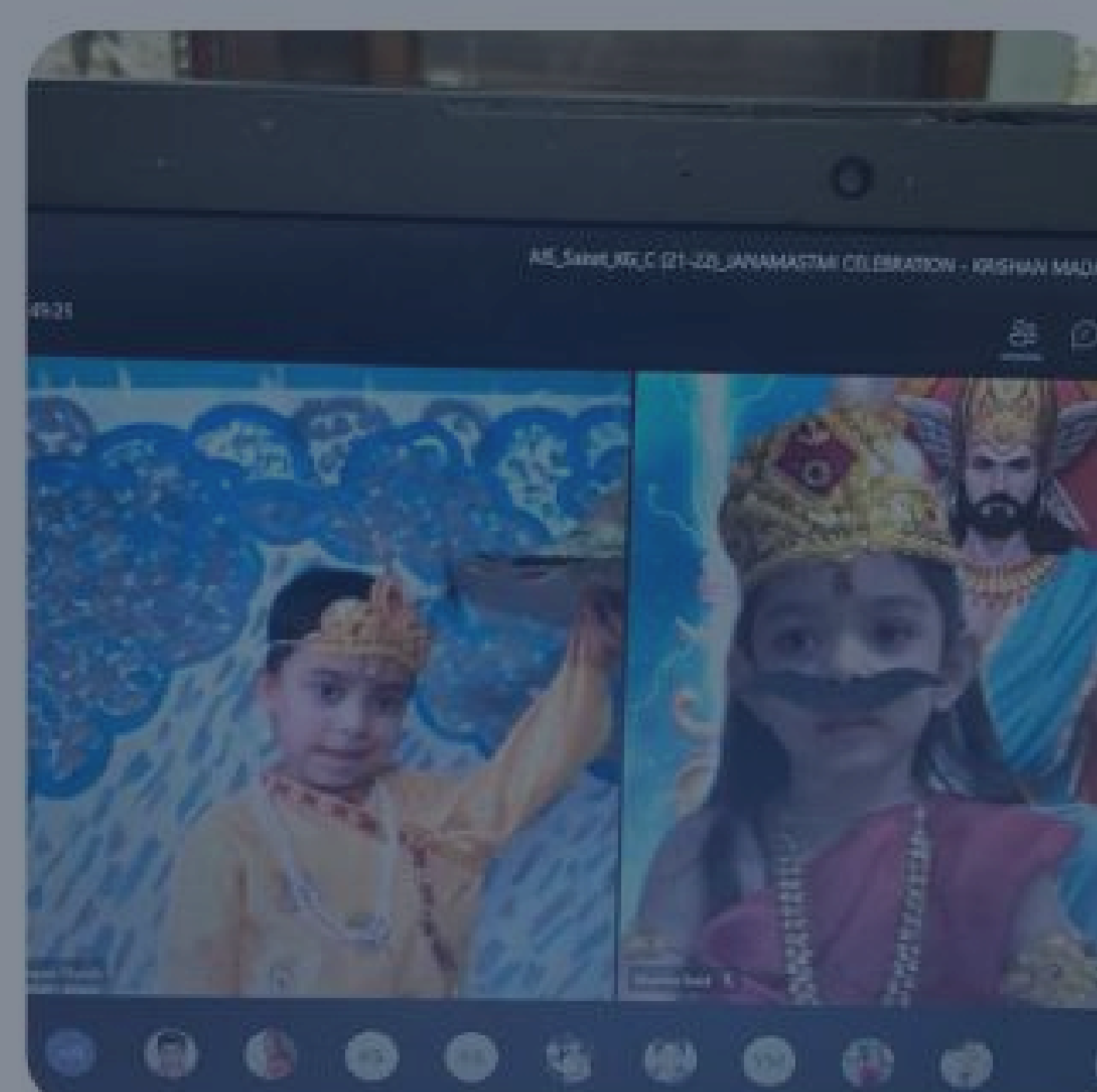
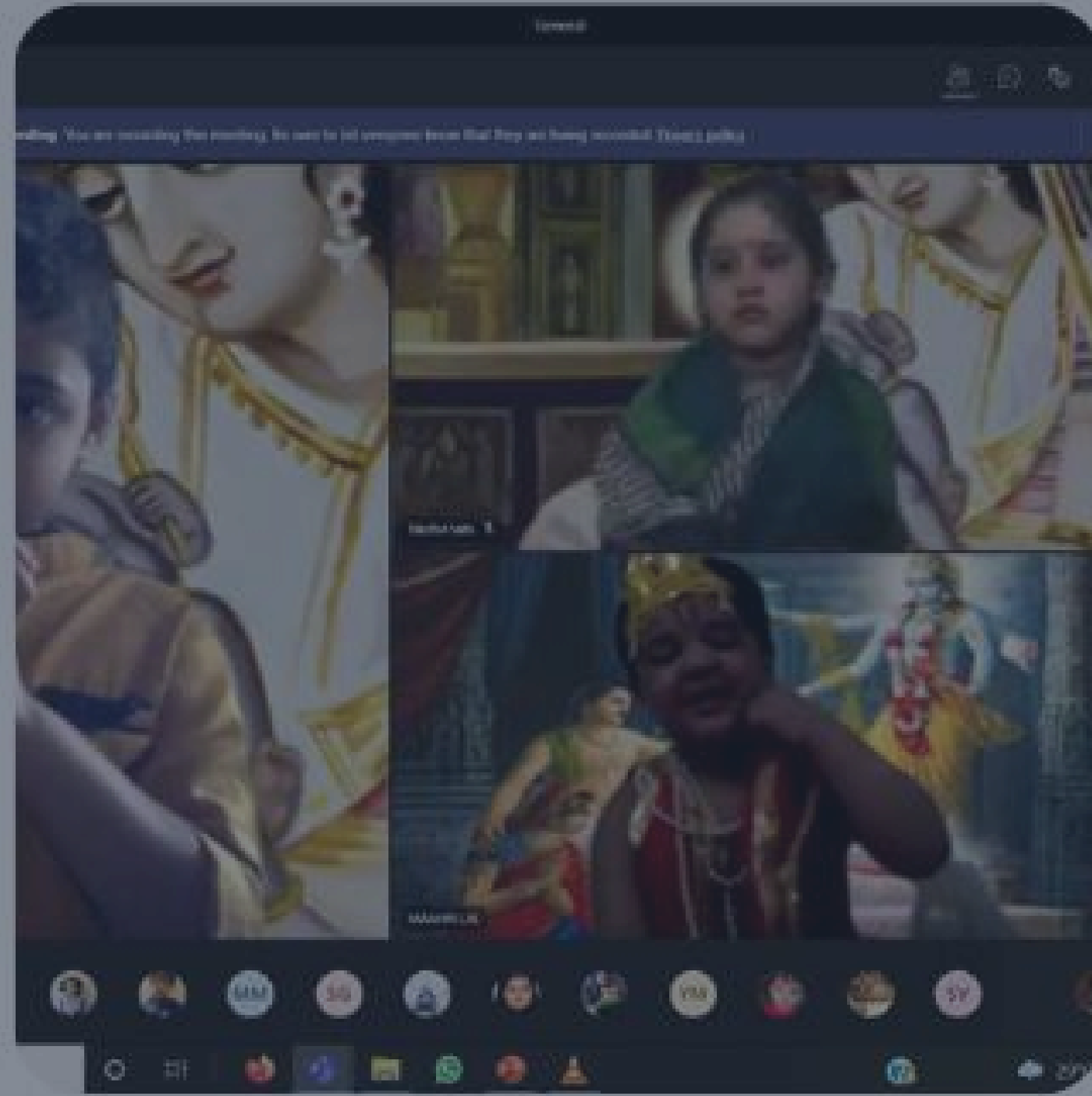
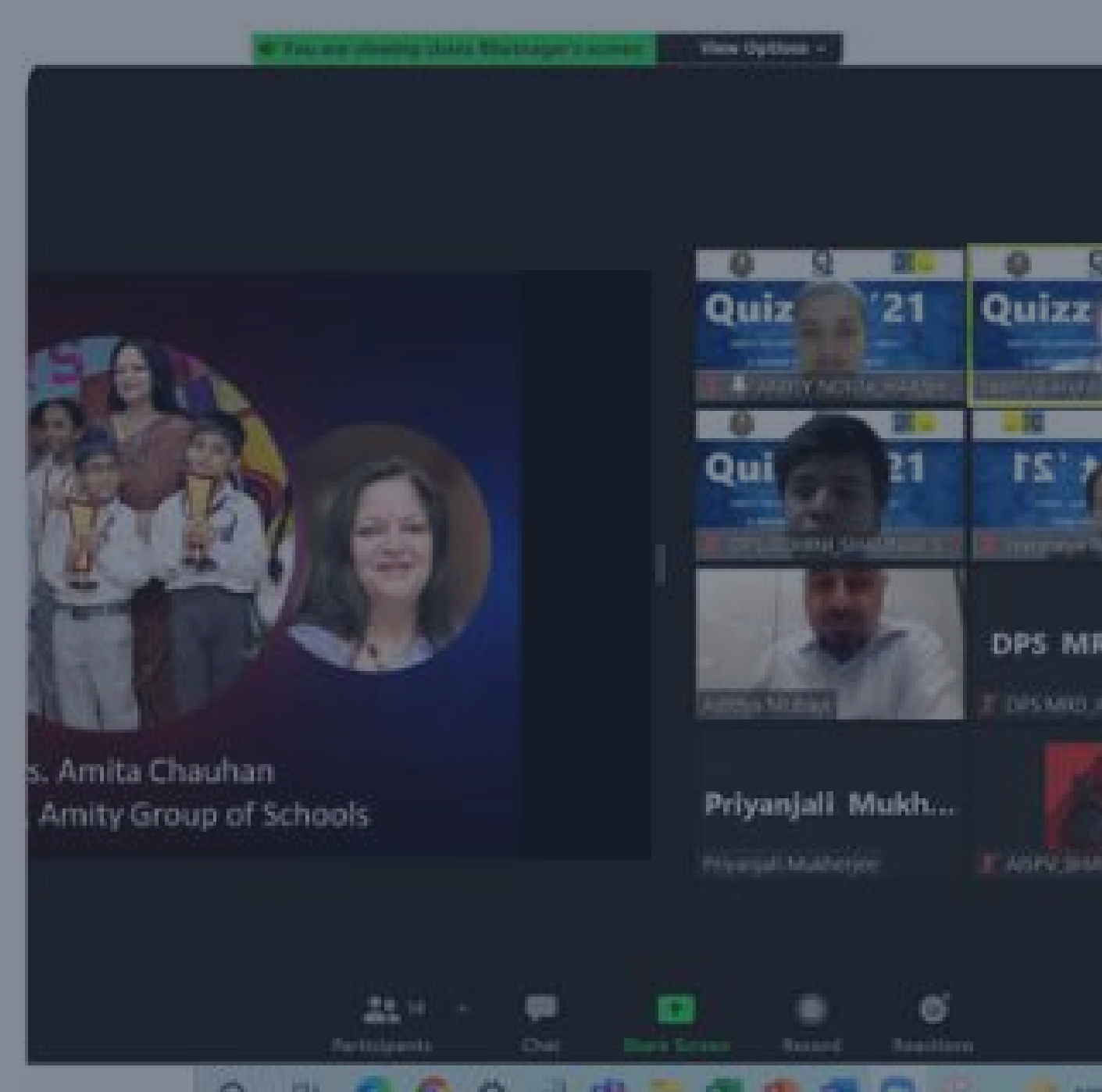
I get a glimpse by the pages of Amicrest that it is more than just a compilation of words and pictures; rather, it is evidence of the very commitment that gives us our courage, direction, and motivation for our goals.

I extend my deepest gratitude to our revered Chairperson, Dr. (Mrs.) Amita Chauhan Ma'am, and our visionary Founder President, Dr. Ashok K. Chauhan Sir, for their steadfast leadership towards fostering an environment that prioritizes education. Their guidance and leadership have been the cornerstone of our school's success, propelling us to greater heights.

To all my dear students out there, as we tread through the pages of Amicrest, remember that striving for perfection is a laudable task that requires a great deal of vitality. Wholeheartedly welcome hurdles and tightly grasp the chance to aim and attain excellence. I am extremely proud of our students who could bring this newsletter to life with their time, passion, and creativity. The arts, creative endeavours, works, and writings in these pages illuminate the path of knowledge. The essence of Amity is embodied in your voices, ideologies, and personal narratives.



EVENTS



FRENCH DELEGATES FROM INSTITUT DE GENECH

Under the visionary leadership of Dr. (Mrs.) Amita Chauhan, Chairperson of the Amity Group of Schools, and under the guidance of Ms. Jyoti Arora, Head of the Amity Educational Resource Centre (AERC), Amity Saket had the honor of hosting 10 students and 2 teachers from Institut de Genech, Lille, France, for their participation in AIMUN 2024.

The delegation was cordially received and invited for a special tea by Chairperson Ma'am, a gesture that set the tone for their enriching visit. The AIMUN debates were intellectually stimulating, the cultural evening was a vibrant celebration of diversity, and the entire experience proved memorable for both the French delegation and our students. Additionally, a variety of engaging workshops and excursions were organized to provide our guests with a glimpse into the rich heritage and cultural tapestry of our beautiful city.



BANEGA SWASTH INDIA

Anupriya Nayak, an alumna, was invited as a panelist for Reckitt and Dettol's "Banega Swasth India" program, hosted and broadcast by NDTV. During the event, she spoke passionately about the pressing issue of menstrual hygiene in the country and presented her project, *Menstrumate*. The panel also featured prominent entrepreneurs, industry leaders, hosts Ankita Singh, anchor at NDTV, and renowned actor Ayushmann Khurrana, making it a truly impactful platform for discussion and change.



PRESTIGIOUS PANELIST AT AIIMS

Our respected Principal, Ms. Divya Bhatia ma'am, was invited as a panelist at AIIMS to discuss the impact of air pollution on school children and the vital role schools play in raising awareness. Her participation in this esteemed forum highlights a commitment to addressing environmental challenges and fostering a healthier future for our students.



MOVIE EXCURSION

Inspiring Hope, One Story at a Time

The higher secondary school of Amity Saket embarked on an inspiring movie excursion to watch “Chandu Champion”. The film, portraying the journey of a young man overcoming struggles to win the Paralympics, left students motivated with powerful themes of resilience and strength.



E-WASTE PLEDGE

Pledging for a Better Tomorrow

Electronic waste contains hazardous materials such as lead, mercury, cadmium etc. If it is not managed properly, it can contaminate soil, water and air and hence pose a serious threat to human health and ecosystems. Students at Amity International School, Saket pledge to responsibly manage E-waste, safeguarding the environment and human health from its harmful impact.



CHILDREN'S DAY

The school was filled with joy and festivity as we celebrated Children's Day. Teachers hosted a special assembly with songs, dances, and fun activities for the students. The achievers were proudly recognized, receiving their prizes from Head Girl Kaavya Verma and Head Boy Viraj Khanna.



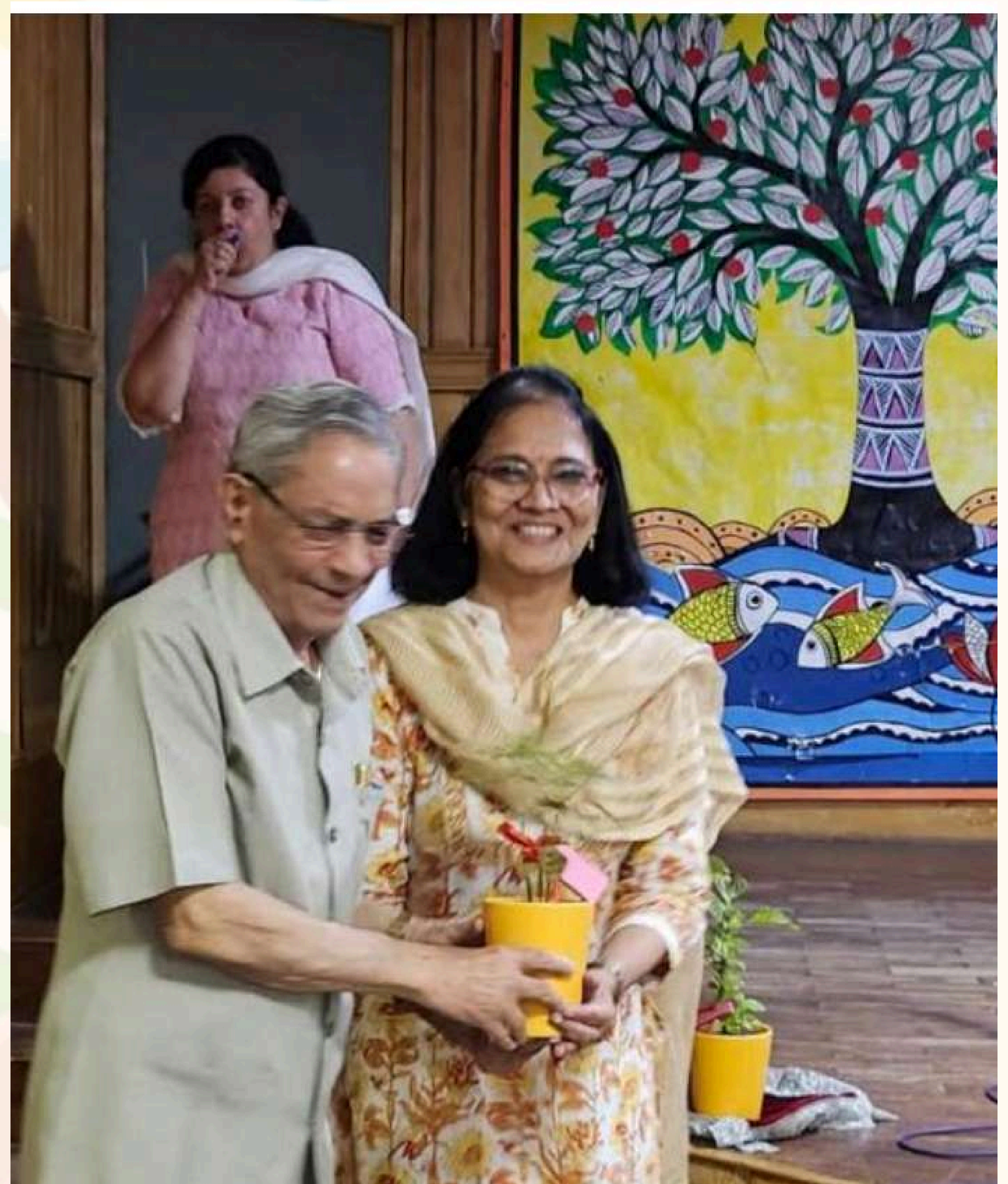
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BOOK COSMOS

A Day of Stories, Magic, and Fun

Book cosmos was organised for students of class 2, where a fun story telling session was organised. Students enjoyed and applauded the author who narrated an interesting story. This brought happy smiles and brightened the day of the students. Children were delighted and amazed at the wonderful magic show which was also scheduled for them. The magician skillfully performed a variety of illusions which entertained the students. Delicious food was also served to the children to make the day memorable for them. They had a fun filled day and enjoyed a lot in school.



CHILDREN'S DAY CELEBRATION

Stories, Magic, and Endless Fun!

Children's Day in class IV was celebrated by creating a joyful atmosphere. The day was filled with fun activities in which children were completely engrossed. The interesting and entertaining storytelling session was conducted by the renowned storyteller Mrs. Simi Srivastava. A fabulous magic show was presented by Mr. Abbas, an acclaimed magician. Delicious snacks were then served to the children, which they relished. It was a day of joy, fun, and friendship, leaving lasting memories for both the children and the staff.



INCREDIBLE INDIA

A Celebration of Culture and Creativity

Students from KG took part in a class presentation by the name of Incredible India. They lit the stage with their vibrant performances showcasing various different cultures within India through their dances, songs etc.

The attire was also made to match the culture they were representing. Through this, the children gained knowledge about India's diversity while also enjoying an entertaining event. It was engaging not only for the students but also for the teachers, who cheered the students enthusiastically.



SHABD PRAVAH

A Celebration of Language and Learning

The Hindi 'shabd pravah' competition is organised every year to enrich and enhance the vocabulary for the students of class 3 and to awaken their love for their mother tongue. Students answered with great enthusiasm and zeal, and had a lot of fun along with their teammates.



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NAARA VACHAN ON HINDI DIWAS

Celebrating Language and Patriotism

On Hindi Diwas, children actively participate in Naara Vachan to promote the importance of Hindi. They enthusiastically chanted slogans with pride and unity, with passion glinting in their eyes standing beside their friends.

These slogans celebrate the significant heritage of Hindi in India, fostering patriotism in the minds of our proud Amitians.



DUSSEHRA CELEBRATION

A Vibrant Tale of Good vs Evil

A special assembly was conducted for students of class 2 where they put up a vibrant presentation to celebrate Dussehra, focusing on the theme of good over evil. They showcased a wonderful dramatization of the Ramayana, depicting the heroic journey of Lord Rama and his triumph over Ravan.

Their confident performance brought the story of the victory of good over evil to life through expressive acting and colorful costumes. Each scene highlighted the values of bravery, righteousness, and the importance of standing against evil.

Their captivating performance not only entertained the audience but also imparted important lessons about courage and morality. The assembly concluded with a joyous celebration of Dussehra, reminding us all that good will always prevail. It was a truly memorable event.



ELOCUTION: HEALTHY FOOD VS JUNK FOOD

It was amazing to hear our little ones from class 2 speak on Healthy food vs Junk food. Students spoke confidently about the benefits of eating healthy and the risks involved in eating junk food.



GURPURAB CELEBRATION

Learning, Sharing, and Spiritual Joy

Students of Nursery celebrated Gurburab with joy and devotion. The children were introduced to the teachings of Guru Nanak Dev Ji through an engaging video. The children participated in a short prayer session and were delighted to receive 'kada prasad'. They also learned about the values of sharing, kindness, and compassion.

The session was spiritually enriching and the children were inspired and happy. Parents were also involved in the celebrations and we extend our gratitude to them.



'HER'STORY UNVEILED

Celebrating the Valiant Women Rulers of India

The young thespians of class IV showcased a power packed presentation on the topic, valiant women rulers of India, titled HERstory from the pages of HIStory. Through this presentation, students unveiled women rulers like Ahilya Bai, Rani Chennamma, Begum Hazrat Mahal and Lakshmi Bai, who displayed exceptional courage, strategic thinking, and adaptability during challenging times. Their focus was on long-term goals, compassion for their people, and natural multitasking abilities which allowed them to balance governance with care.



KIDDIES KITCHENETTE

Culinary Creativity

Amity believes in experimental learning which is evident by the plethora of activities undertaken to make learning fun. Class KG enjoyed Kiddies Kitchenette activity, where they joyfully discovered the art of making rooh afza lemonade. The young chefs were quick on the uptake where a simple recipe was shared with them, they enthusiastically squeezed lemon and mixed ingredients together and created their own refreshing drink. They experienced the thrill of culinary creativity and the satisfaction of savoring a tasty treat on a hot summer day.

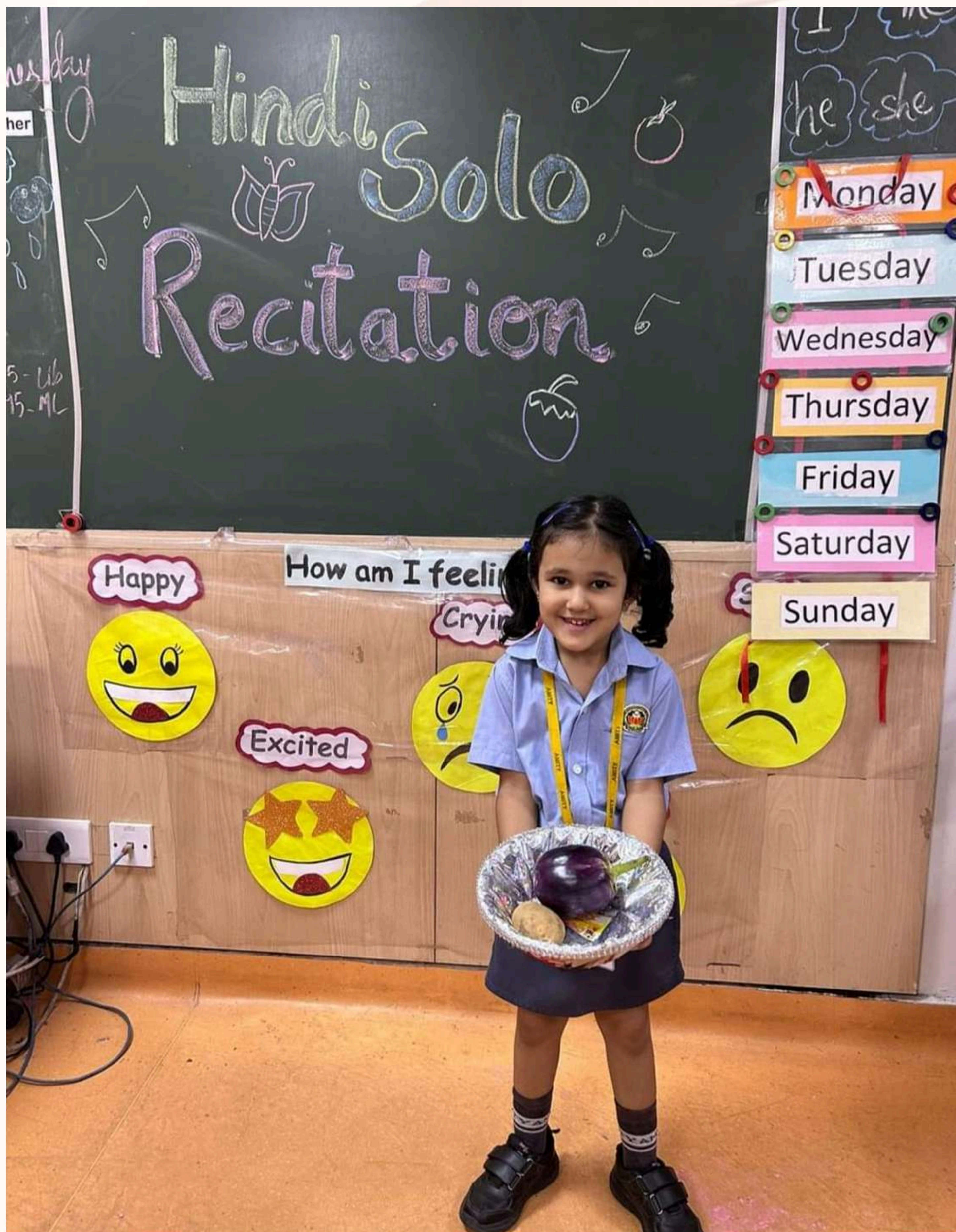


RHYMES AND RHYTHMS

A Colorful Symphony of Expressions

In the Hindi Solo Recitation, kids demonstrated their talent through rhythm and music. It was certainly impressive to see the young ones express themselves so confidently.

Various props including fruits were used to make the recitation more lively. We hope to see more of such performances from these budding artists!



EXPRESSIONS IN ENGLISH

Creativity Unleashed

To enhance the English language skills of students, various creative activities were conducted in school. These activities were enjoyable for the kids, and it was a great way to learn while having fun.

- Word Building activity - Class 2.
- Word Cascade - Class 2.
- Article Arcade - Class 1.
- Memory Mashup - Class 1.



AH-SAANS: CELEBRATING DUSSEHRA



Celebrating Tradition and Sustainability

Our school's Youth Power Team Ah-Saans celebrated Dussehra with the students of Class 3 by engaging in a meaningful and eco-friendly activity that symbolized the triumph of good over evil. This celebration not only fostered cultural awareness but also informed the students of the importance of eco-friendly practices in tackling modern-day challenges.



FAVOURITE SEASONS ACTIVITY

Show 'N' Tell

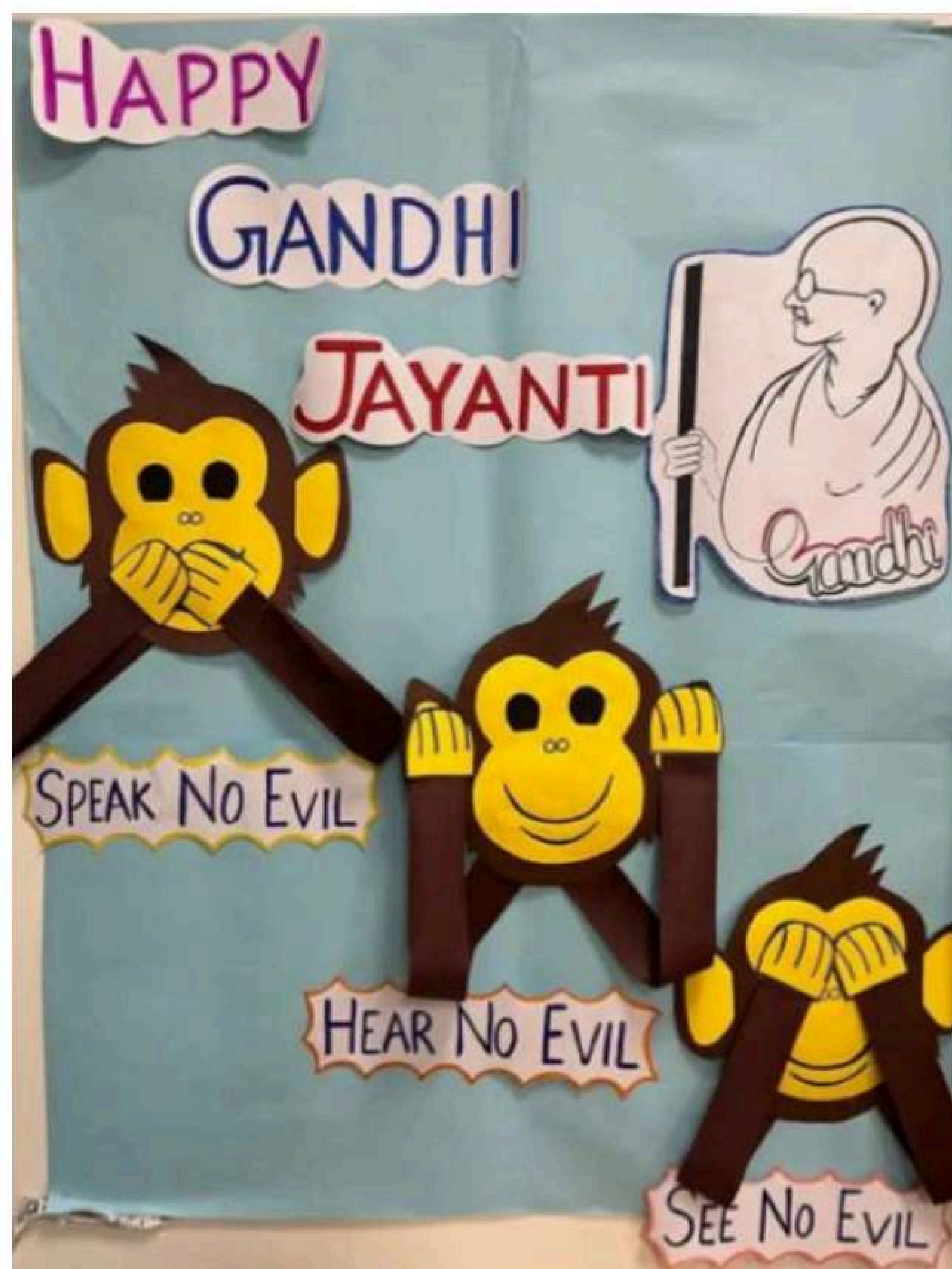
Children of KG class had a wonderful day where they showcased their public speaking skills. They participated enthusiastically in the Show 'N' Tell activity on 'My favourite season' and their confidence was commendable. It was great listening to children speak lines about their favourite season along with their beautiful props.



GANDHI JAYANTI

Craft, Songs, and Lessons of Non-Violence

On the occasion of the birthday of Mahatma Gandhi, a craft activity was conducted in KG class where children joined the dots to frame the image of the father of our nation and coloured it beautifully. Children enthusiastically sang Raghupati Raghav Raja Ram' and were excited to understand the teachings of Gandhiji as well. They understood the significance represented by the three monkeys of Gandhiji and the importance of non-violence.



ECO-FRIENDLY FUN

Crafting Paper Bags and Promoting Sustainability

Students were encouraged to promote sustainability by making paper bags out of newspapers. They learned about the 3 R'S i.e Reduce, Reuse and Recycle.

This was a fun activity for the children who were beaming ear to ear, decorating their bags however they wanted to and proudly displaying them after. They learned to utilize old materials to make useful things, like using newspapers to make a bag!



WAVE WALK

Balancing Fun, Friendship, and Fitness!

Students of kindergarten enjoyed the fun and creative activity of walking on parallel waves while holding their friends hand. This activity works on balancing, new fun movements, and sets up a challenge for kids to enjoy together! These movements help children increase their body awareness, improves their gross motor control and coordination.



Wave walking



SLURPY SNACKS

Squeeze, Stir, Sip, and Smile!

It was a refreshing day for our Nursery tiny tots as they excitedly prepared lemonade in class. With smiles on their faces, they squeezed lemons and added salt and sugar to create the perfect, healthy treat!



FUN IN WRITING AND COLOURING

Colorful Ties, Smiling Ties: Crafting Skills with Creativity!

To enhance the fine motor and writing skills of children from KG class, a fun activity of writing and colouring on cutout of a tie was conducted. Students were excited and happily participated with enthusiasm.



YELLOW DAY

Shining Bright in Hues of Yellow

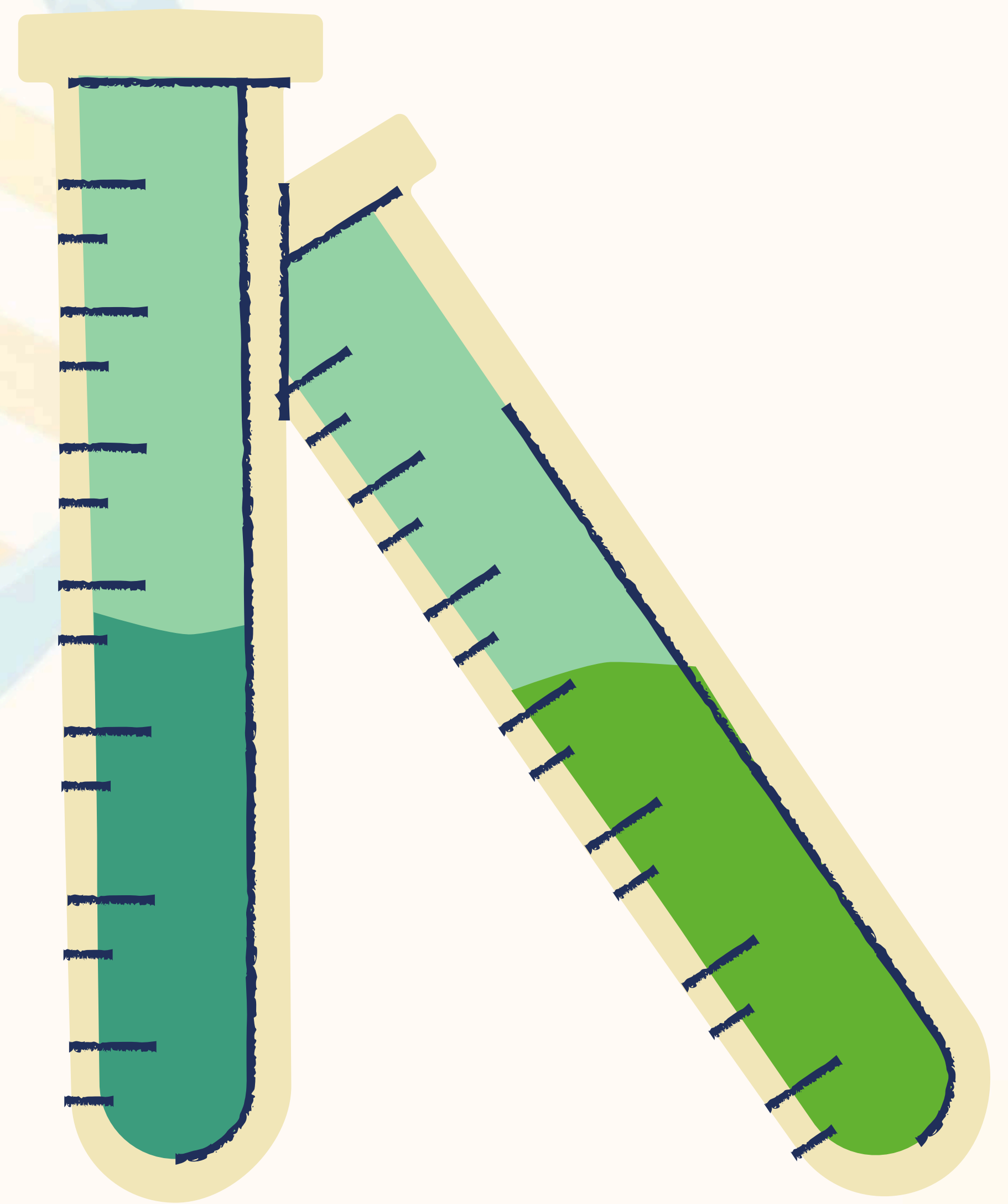
Students from Nursery class were rays of sunshine as we celebrated Yellow Day! Everything was bright and cheerful, just like the color yellow. All children were dressed in various shades of yellow. "I Spy Something Yellow" was a fun game where children took turns looking around the classroom for yellow objects, got creative with artsy yellow bus craft. Snack time was a treat of yellow too! We enjoyed yummy fruits like bananas and mangoes. Yellow day was filled with excitement and was a huge success!



EXPERIENTIAL LEARNING

Science through Experience!

Students were introduced to the concept of density of water through hands-on activity of float and sink. Students explored how materials (like lemon) sink in normal water and float in salted water. Students were excited and were curious to understand further concepts of science through experience.



YOGA FOR SELF AND SOCIETY

International Yoga Day: 21st June 2024.

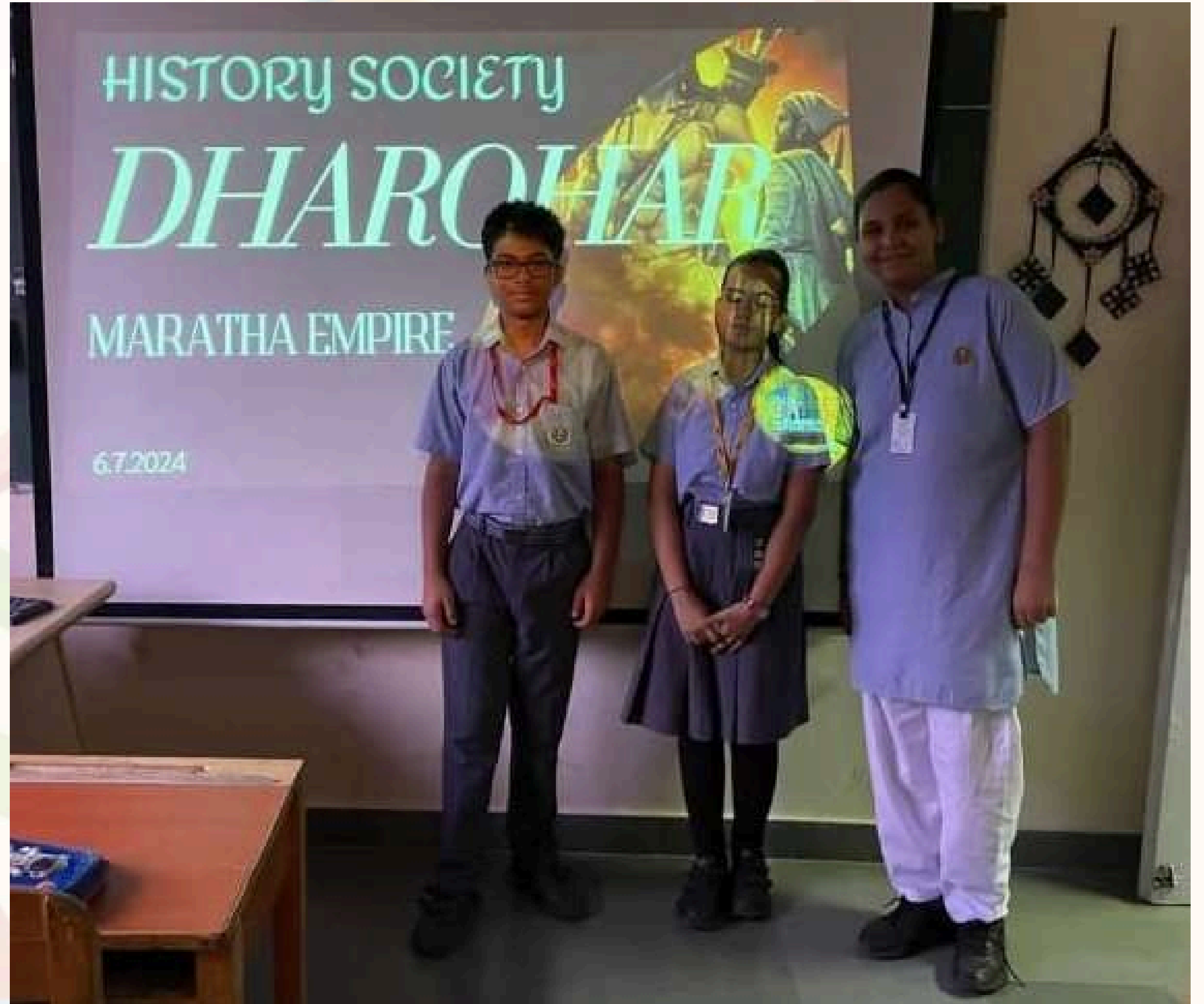
Based on the theme for International Yoga Day 2024 “Yoga for Self and Society”, Amity Saket organised an online yoga session for staff, students and parents. The power packed Yoga session was energising, relaxing, healing and infused with positivity and was enthusiastically attended by all.



SOCIETY SESSIONS

Learning for a Brighter Future

The Society sessions, including Dharohar, Vincere, Futureal, Rhetorica, Tainted Hues, and Green Warriors, were both enriching and thoroughly enjoyed by students and teachers alike.



SHLOKAANJALI

Our Chairperson ma'am Dr. Amita Chauhan is committed to the promotion of Sanskrit and Hindi language. Under her guidance and inspiration, an Inter-Amity 'Shlokaanjali' competition was organized for students of classes V to VIII on 4th October at Amity International School, Saket. In this competition, students had to recite the verses of Shrimad Bhagavad Gita aloud. This competition was organized both live and on a virtual platform. The jury comprised of Delhi University Professor Dr.Chandrashekhar Tripathi and Dr. Yogesh Sharma, Jawaharlal Nehru University Professor Dr. Jyoti Raj and Indira Gandhi National Open University



ICPE WORKSHOP

Anubhav Series

Plastic pollution can disrupt habitats and natural processes, diminishing ecosystems' capacity to adapt to climate change and negatively impacting the well-being of all species. To enhance awareness about the importance of plastic recycling, a workshop was organized by the Environment Club in collaboration with ICPE for students of classes VI to VIII. It was an informative and valuable learning experience for all participants.



CYBER SECURITY WORKSHOP

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It focused on internet safety, avoiding online scams, and being cautious with personal information. Interactive activities helped the students understand potential online risks, empowering them to stay safe in the digital world. Students queries were taken up at the end of the session. The session was very relevant, informative and an eye opener for all those who attended the workshop.



F1-SESSION

Racing their way through all obstacles

An engaging and informative F1 orientation session was conducted for students of Classes IV to XI, led by Mr. Yash Raj. The session provided valuable insights into the world of Formula 1, sparking curiosity and excitement among the students.



CYBER SECURITY WORKSHOP BY RAKSHIT TANDON

*Empowering You to Defend, Detect,
and Defeat Cyber Threats.*

A cyber safety and security workshop was organised for students of classes V to VIII, conducted by renowned Cyber Security expert Dr Rakshit Tandon, where he shared real life examples on how to recognise cyber threats, frauds and be safe in the world of social media.





THE AWAKENED CITIZEN PROGRAM

Flying High Like The Drones!

The Awakened Citizen Program is a three-year, graded course on Human Possibilities for students in classes 6, 7, and 8. It is inspired by Swami Vivekananda's Universal Concept of the Potential Divinity of Man, which asserts that "Each of us carries within a vast, infinite source of power, strength, and goodness." A two-day training session was held at the school, with teachers from various schools taking part. Participants were awarded certificates upon completion of the session, which proved to be both enriching and enjoyable.



ASTRONOMY DAY

On Astronomy Day, students from Classes 7 to 10 took part in an engaging and interactive astronomy session at school. They thoroughly enjoyed exploring the wonders of the universe and even had the chance to take the lead in some of the activities, making the day both educational and memorable.

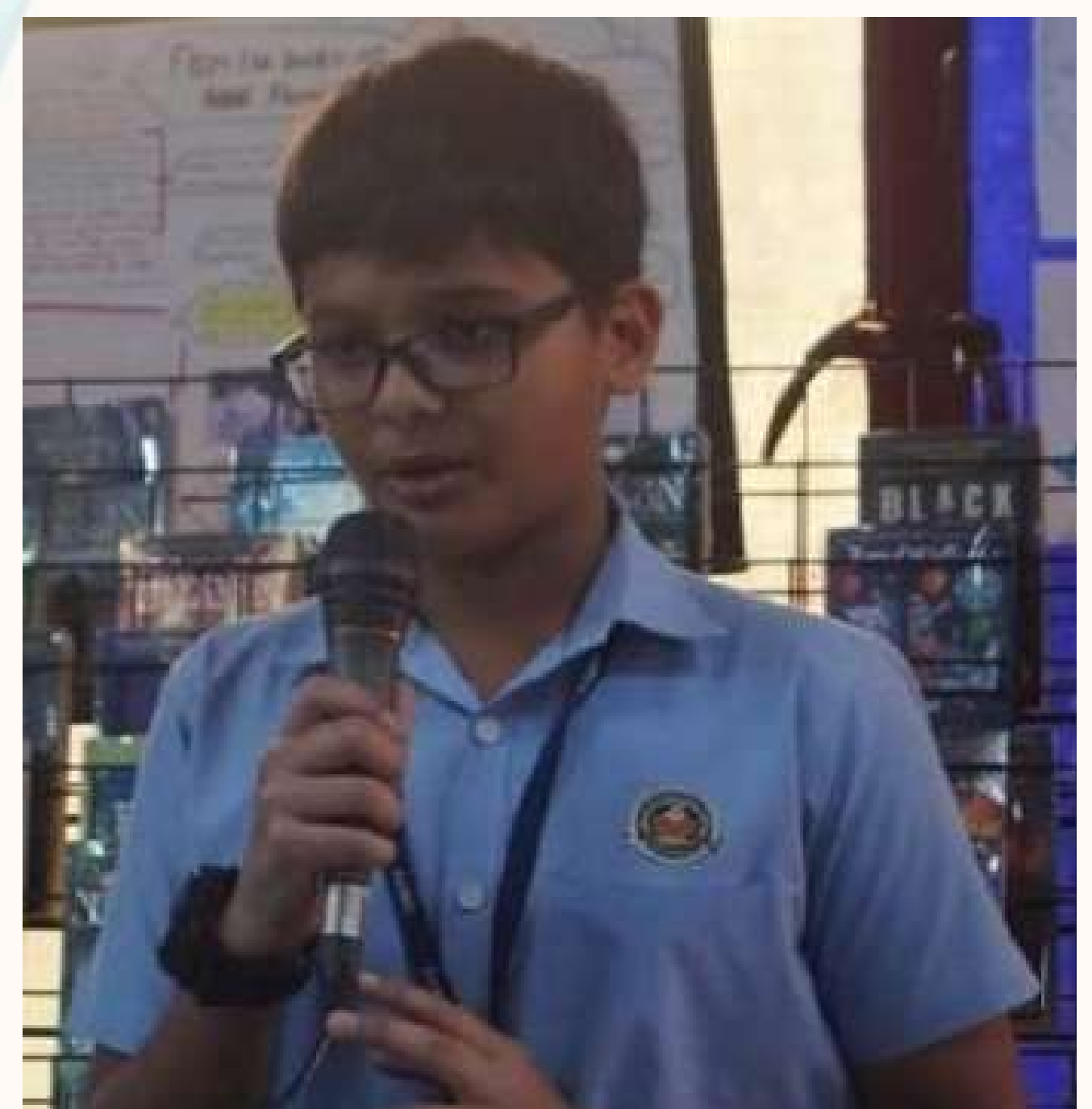


AGITUR SOCIETAS

Agitur Societas, the Debate Society of Amity International School, Saket, has organised various debating workshops and competitions under the guidance of AERC and in line with the vision of our Chairperson.

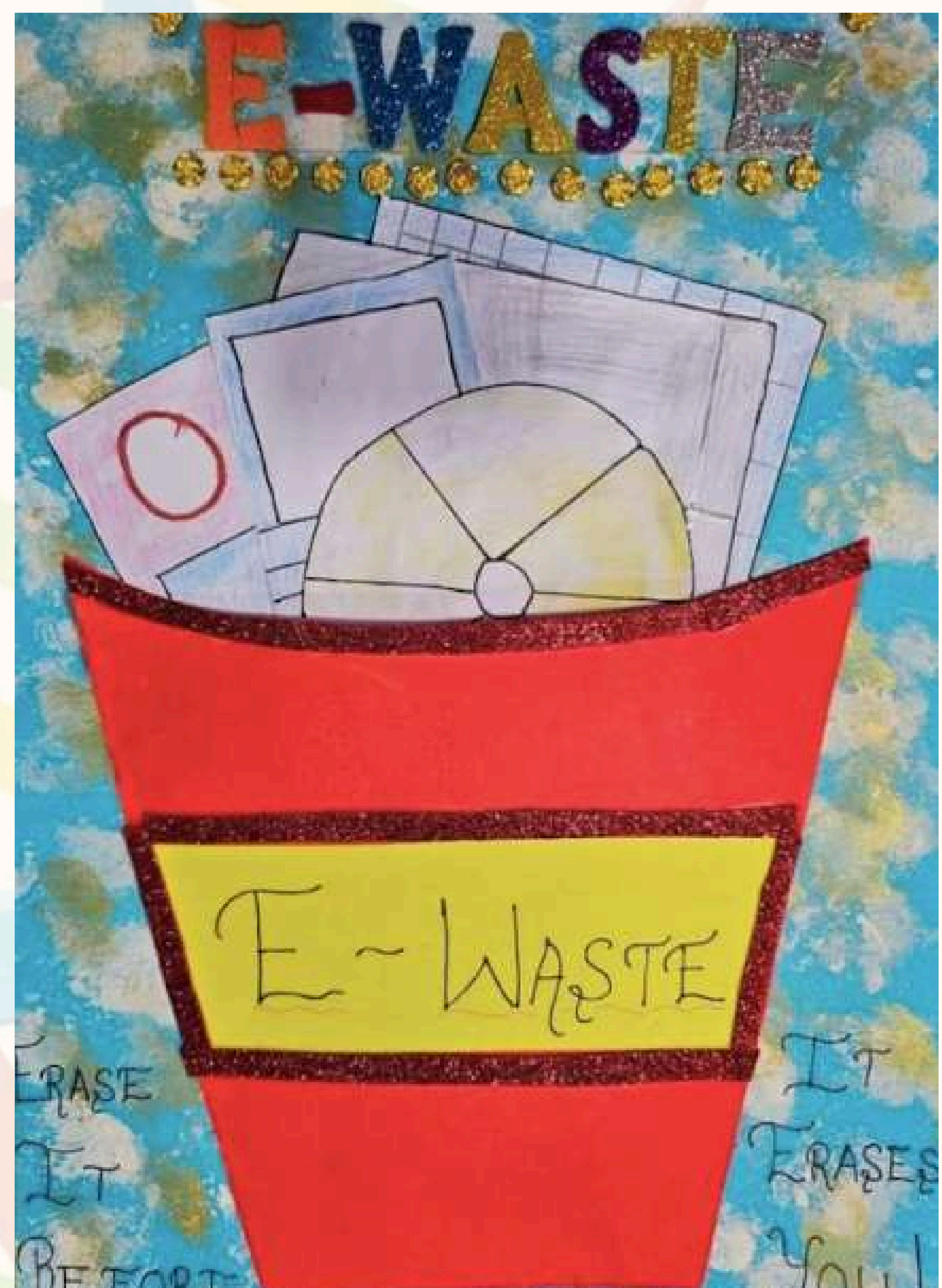
1. Turncoat Debate competition on May 16th judged by Ms. Debjani Das, Ms. Bandeep Chhabra, Mr. Ashish Magoo, and Ms. Priyanka Guha.
2. Team Policy Debate Workshop on 30th July, led by esteemed alumnus Yashvardhan Jain.
3. Team Policy Debate Competition on 1st October, adjudicated by alumni, Mr. Ashish Magoo and Ms. Samaira Sachdeva.

These sessions were a valuable learning experience for the students, who gained insights into the intricacies of debating.



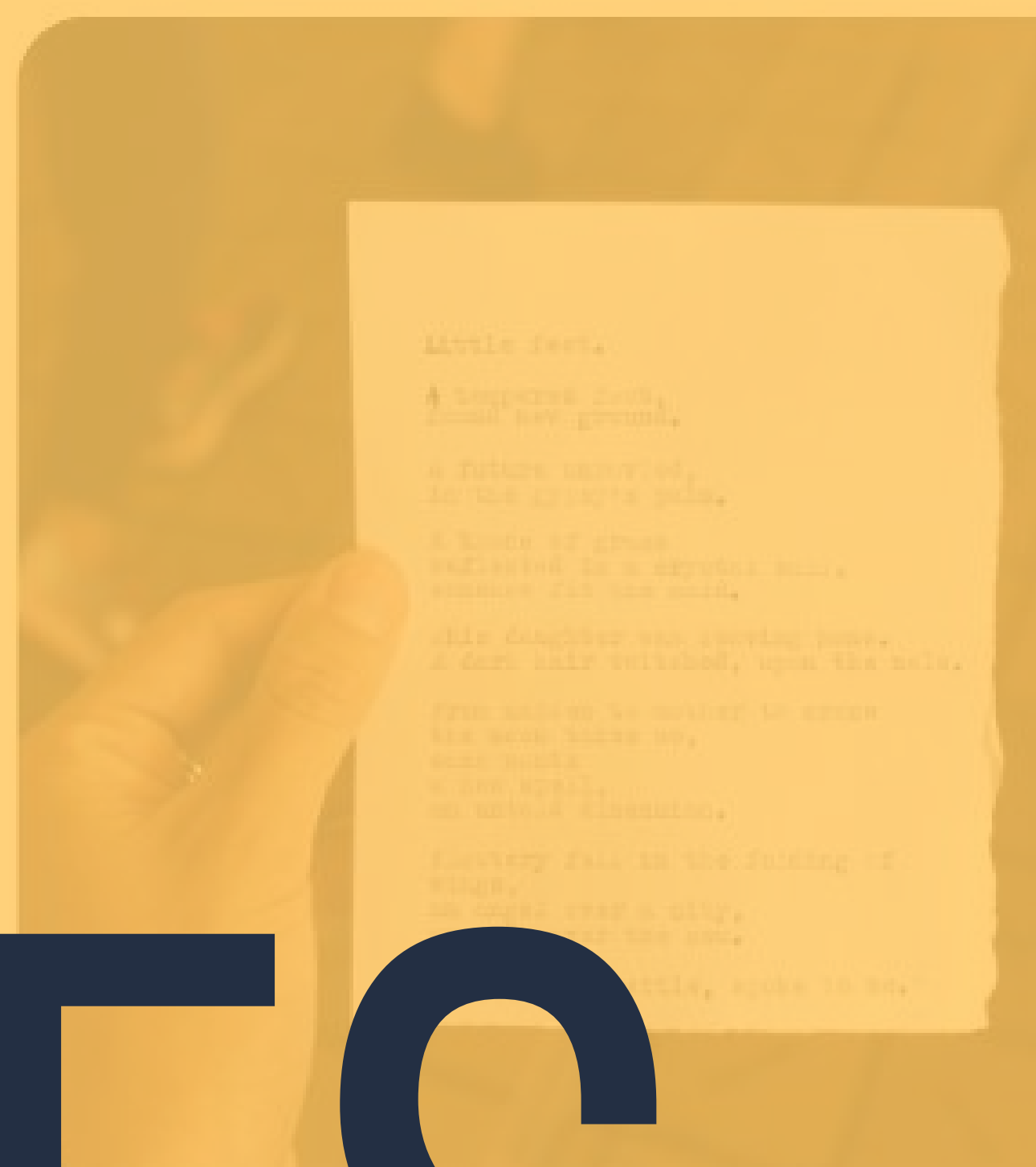
E-WASTE MANAGEMENT DRIVE

Students of class V participated in the poster making activity on e-waste management to spread awareness about the proper disposal of e-waste without harming the environment. They showcased their thoughts with creativity and participated with great enthusiasm.



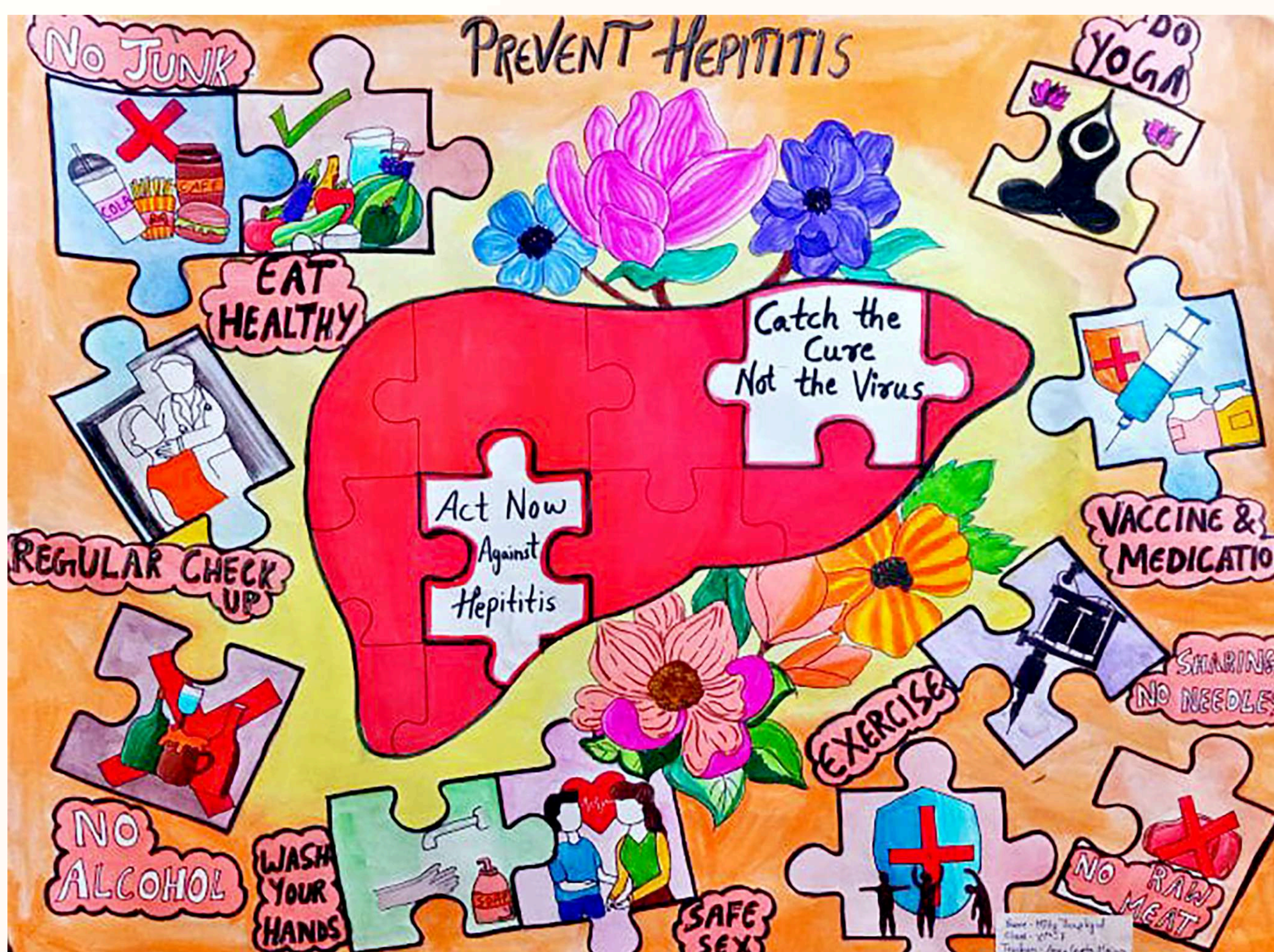
CREATIVES

ART AND WRITING



“EXPRESSIVE VISUAL SYMPHONY”

Milly Thapliyal (XI-F)



Milly Thapliyal-XI F won second position in the inter school Poster competition on "Prevent Hepatitis; Act Now!" organized by Institute of Liver and Biliary Sciences, Vasant Kunj on the occasion of 27th Hepatitis Day.

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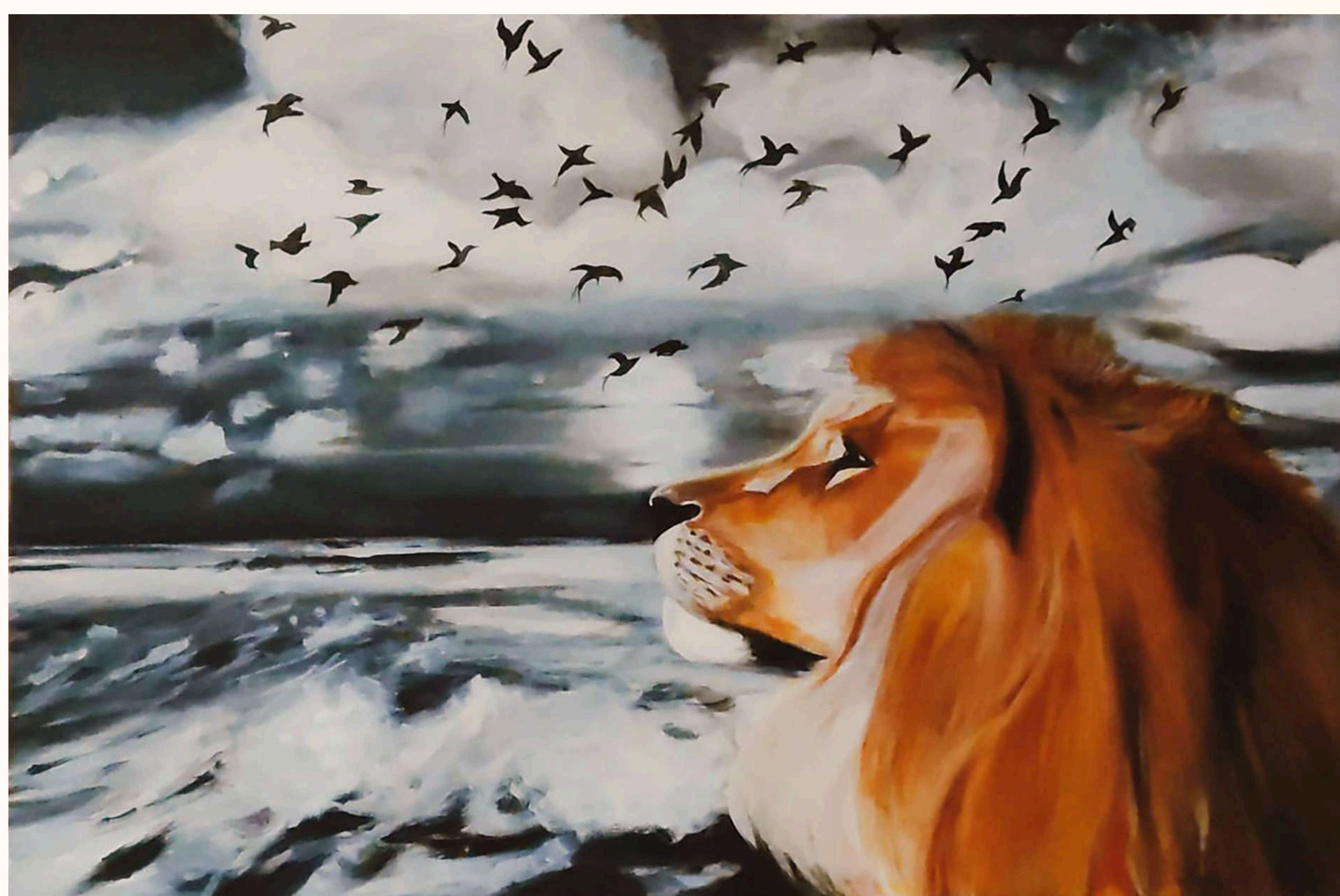


Harshil Giri (III-B)

Showed his skill in clay modelling, sculpted Lord Hanuman.

Oceen Dayal (XII-F)

Acrylic painting on canvas



“EXPRESSIVE VISUAL SYMPHONY”



Shagun Sharma (IX-D)

Monochromatic painting.

Angela Thakur (X-E)

Explored Charcoal on paper showing affection.



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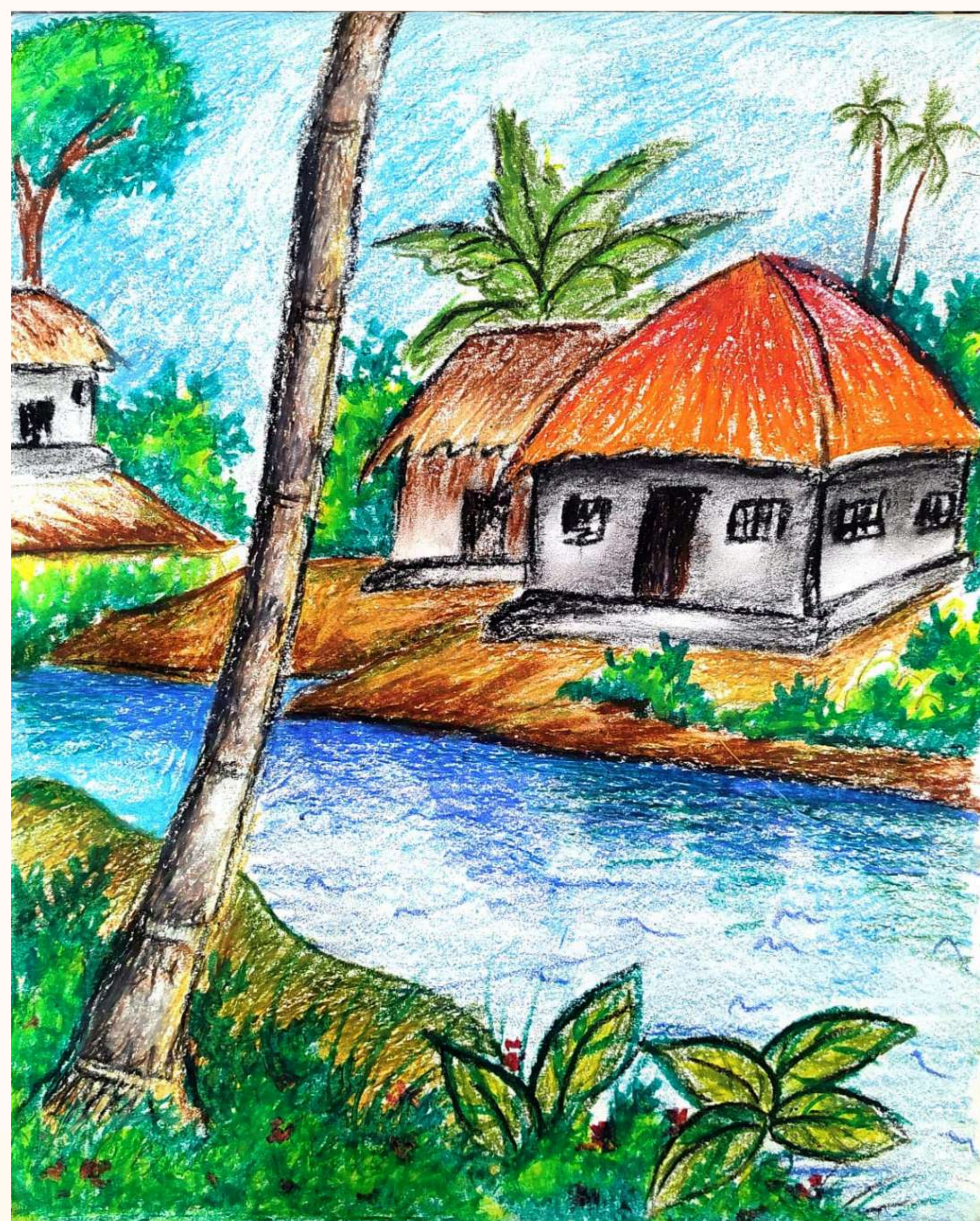


Misshika Gupta (V-B)

LOTUS IN FULL
BLOOM

Siddharth Debnath (V-B)

OIL PASTEL
LANDSCAPE



“EXPRESSIVE VISUAL SYMPHONY”



Shivang Gupta (IV-D)

ABSTRACT ART

Saanvika Panigrahi (VI-D)

A PORTRAIT OF
BEGUM HAZRAT
MAHAL



“EXPRESSIVE VISUAL SYMPHONY”

Maahir Lal (III-A)



OBJECT STUDY WITH PATTERN



SEASONS IN A DAY

*Morning comes in all its glory
Everything looks so fine and flowery
A whiff of freshness in the air
Spring in all its beauty, it's finally here*

*Morning changes to afternoon that's right
Sun shines overhead fiery, hot and bright
The summer months give no respite
I try to chill myself with a delicious icy bite*

*The dusk comes, the sun goes down
It's a little sombre and gloomy all around
The air whistles and the trees do shed
On the dry crinkly leaves, I continue to tread
The nature leaves its plans all bare
The solemn autumn is here*

*Welcome to the cold dark night
Chilled and frosty I look for light
In the distance I hear the bells toll
Christmas is calling as I stroll
I have trudged so far, I am so near
Welcome to the biting winter and the new year*

*Tired and weary as I have become
I look for a place like home
In my bed I sleep nice and snug
Away from worries I give my dreams a hug*

*I open my eyes and see the beautiful sunrise
The morning seems warm and nice
The beautiful seasons come and go
As I live my vibrant life and I grow*



Avyaan Wadhawan (VI-B)



WINTERS ARE WELCOME!

*She knocked my door, and I peeped
through the eyehole,
It was a cool breeze that I welcomed with a
sneeze.*

*I knew that winter is here to stay;
Warm sun, hot chocolate and lots of play.*

*I see Oranges, dry fruits and carrots;
We wrap our evenings in soups and salads.*

*Sweaters, scarves and cozy nights;
Hot chocolate and jaggery sweets are
special delights.*

*Dressed in blazers and caps we reach the
school;
Meet our friends & teachers, all packed in
wool.*

*We study and enjoy each other's company;
Our warmth and winters are in perfect
harmony.*

*Christmas, New year and Winter Break;
Desserts, puddings and plum cake.*

*Like a snowman, I have a cold nose;
In the balcony, where the cold wind blows.
Tea stalls buzz with warmth and cheer,
As winter whispers in our ear.*

*Winter's magic, clear and true;
A season's joy, for me and you.*



Aarav Bhatnagar (VI-D)



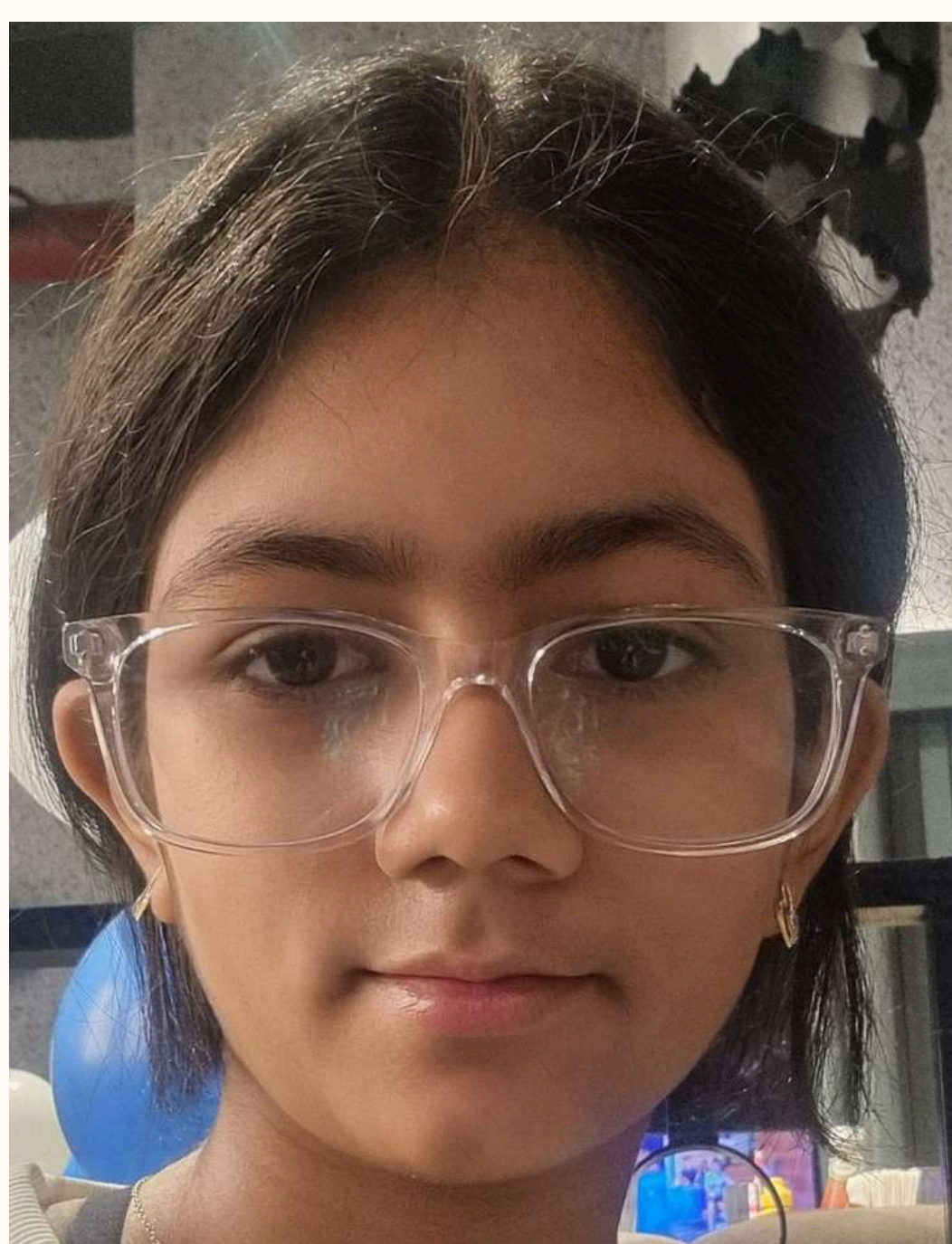
FATHER LOVE

*Having us as a number 1
priority,
Giving us the best security
Working day and night,
At all those tough times

Making every cheer an
occasion,
Organising the best vacation
Dear dad you are my ray of
guiding light,
In your embrace everything
feels right*

*The man behind my back
There for me whenever I lack,
Always being kind ,
Holding all my struggles
behind*

*Having us fly like a bird,
Without saying a word
He's the best,
The one and only DAD*



Saiba Rao (VII-B)



SHADOWS OF THE MIND

*In this world so advanced, where silent
voices rise,
My heart, both broken and kind, hides its
cries.*

*Yet beauty lingers in struggles undone,
From shadows of pain, a new strength is
spun.*

*The weight of the world rests heavy and
deep,*

*Yet in my soul, I still dare to keep
A flicker of hope, a spark in the dark,
A reminder that even in grief, there's a
mark.*



*Many strong thoughts reside in my soul,
Amidst the darkness, my heart plays a heavy
role.*

*Though pain has the power to turn light into
gray,*

Within the light, there's still a way.

*Through the storms, through the rage and
the rain,*

I stand tall, though the echoes remain.

For each tear that falls, a lesson is learned,

And with every scar, a fire is burned.

In the quiet of night, when doubt fills the air,

I remind myself that strength lies in care.

For even in sorrow, there's growth to be

found,

In the quietest moments, where grace does

resound.

*As I stand today, my body and soul aligned,
My thoughts remain, forever intertwined.
For even in sorrow, I find my way through,
In the depth of my heart, I know what is
true.*

*Through each trial and each passing test,
I carry on, knowing what's best:
To embrace the struggle, the hurt, and the
strife,
For they are the threads that weave my life.*



Ashi Jaiswal (VI-D)



INDIA: THE DIVERSE LAND

*India, the land of diversity and beauty,
With a history and culture that's truly mighty.
From ancient times to modern days,
India's story weaves in so many ways.*

*The Indus Valley Civilization was born,
In Mohenjo-daro and Harappa, it was adorn.
The Aryans came with their Vedic hymns,
Brought Sanskrit language and Hinduism in
their wings.*

*The Maurya and Gupta dynasties,
Brought the Golden Age with many entities.
Ashoka spread Buddhism, Gupta's art shone,
Advancement in science and literature had
begun.*

*Mughals came, bringing their own culture,
Taj Mahal, a symbol of their architecture.
Akbar's reign saw religious harmony,
Music and poetry thrived, artistry in beauty.*

*The British Raj brought changes anew,
The freedom struggle, the salt march too.
Gandhi led the way with nonviolence,
And India got freedom, with resilience.*

*The diverse cultures from north to south,
Languages, religions, and customs that sprout.
Festivals and food, music and dance,
The vibrant culture of India, a trance.*

*The land of yoga, spirituality, and peace,
Where ancient wisdom still doesn't cease.
India's history and culture, so rich,
A treasure to cherish, a story to pitch.*



Aditri Bhatnagar (X-A)



MYSTERY OF THE MIRACLE

*Water, a miracle on which we survive
But no one knows how our lives thrive
So now, we shall see its glory
And unveil its ongoing mystery*

*When our Mother Earth was born
It was full of seas, oceans, lakes and ponds
But as soon as we took birth
We destroyed its nurturing beauty and mirth
breakdown edge*

*And now all we see is scarcity
People dying in every village, every city
So now let's all take a pledge
Not to take this crisis to breakdown edge*

*To God, I pray on behalf of everyone
Not a drop even will be wasted by anyone
Protect it always, that's all I seek
Until the lost glory is restored to its peak*



Rishita Gulati (VII-B)



MY UNFORGETTABLE TRIP TO THE U.S.

My trip to U.S. was an unforgettable experience. New York or 'The Big Apple' is actually the city that never sleeps. I saw people hustling through the streets at all odd hours as if the clock had stopped ticking for them and time meant nothing. I saw people of different colour and it taught me that people all over the world are same. The city helped me acquire a more global perspective of the world we live in. I was amazed to see how America is imparting a sense of honesty in its citizens. Be it a cafeteria, subway or any other place, everyone is expected to pay for using the public services. When I visited the World Trade Memorial, it made me understand the importance of life. At Central Park, I experienced how people would relax after a busy day, unwinding amidst the serenity of nature.

I also rowed a boat with my family there, which was indeed memorable as I had never done it before. I made many international friends on my trip and as we were staying in the same hotel, we had a lot of fun together and played different and interesting games whenever we were at the hotel. Thus, my passion for travel has given me great confidence; helped me embrace new cultures, enhance communication skills and create wonderful memories.



Aadhya Bansal (V-C)



AUTOBIOGRAPHY OF WIRED EARPHONES

The Wired Tales

By- Ishiekaa Kapoor

I am wired earphones, now old schooled, yet indispensable in my prime. I am not just a pair of wires and speakers, I am a silent companion. My wires have carried secrets, laughter, and the deepest of emotions.

I was born in an era where music became a necessity for most. I was wrapped in a shiny white packaging, placed at the most wanted section of the store. I was picked up from the shelf with utmost excitement, destined to become someones lifelong companion. You wont believe the places I have been in, tucked into pockets, wrapped around my owners hands, crowed handbag, and tangled into knots no magician could undo.



It was an hazard, yet, I faithfully stayed with my owner through thick and thin. I've been there when words failed, and music spoke louder than anything else.

But as years passed, my cousin, "wireless" earphones gained popularity. It seemed like my journey became evident. My wires, remained tangled in a drawer of miscellaneous stuff. My sound, once crisp started to become faint. The world now preferred convenience, over reliability. My cousin, who held pride in being wireless, was clueless about the importance that wires held. My cords have felt the adrenaline of workout sessions, the quiet of late-night study marathons, and even the sadness.

Yet, I hold my head high. Because I know deep in my heart that I was more than just a tool. I brought life to even the saddest moments. I stood as a bridge between melodies and memories. This is the tale of my forgotten adventure.



MY VISIT TO THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

During the summer break of 2024, I visited The United States of America with my family. After taking two flights of 8 hours each we landed at JFK airport, New York. It took us another half an hour to reach our hotel which was in Manhattan. It was almost midnight, but we could not sleep because of the jet lag and decided to visit Times Square as it was only 10 minutes walking from our hotel.

The next day we decided to do local sightseeing in Manhattan and the best way to travel is through the subway. It is a rapid transit system to get you through Manhattan from one place to another. We visited the Wall Street, the Empire State Building, the 9/11 memorial and battery park.



The next day we took a ferry ride to witness the iconic Statue of Liberty. It is a scenic experience with panoramic views of New York harbour, Manhattan skyline, Brooklyn bridge and the statue itself.

After enjoying four days in New York, we took a flight to Orlando known for its many theme parks. For the next 4 days we visited many amusement parks featuring rides, meeting beloved characters and other fantastic attractions. It was a dream destination full of fun and adventure.

At the Kennedy Space Center one can spend a whole day wandering through a garden of rockets, touching a piece of moon rock, enjoying shuttle launch simulator and seeing the Atlantis space shuttle. I met an actual astronaut while I was there during the meet and greet.

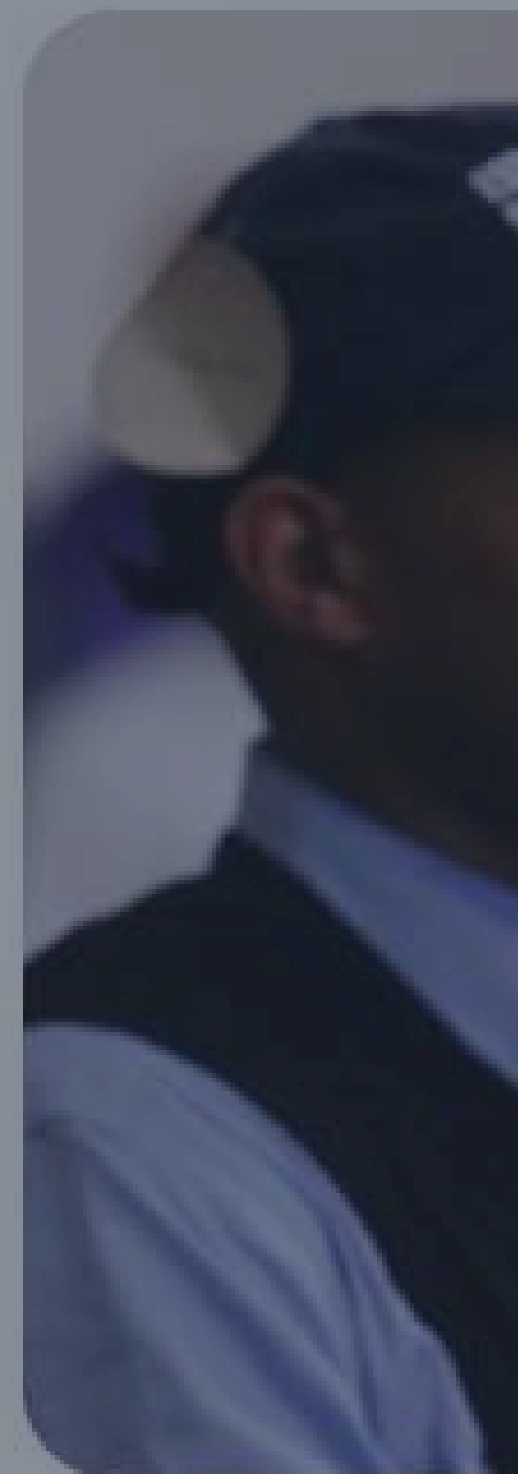
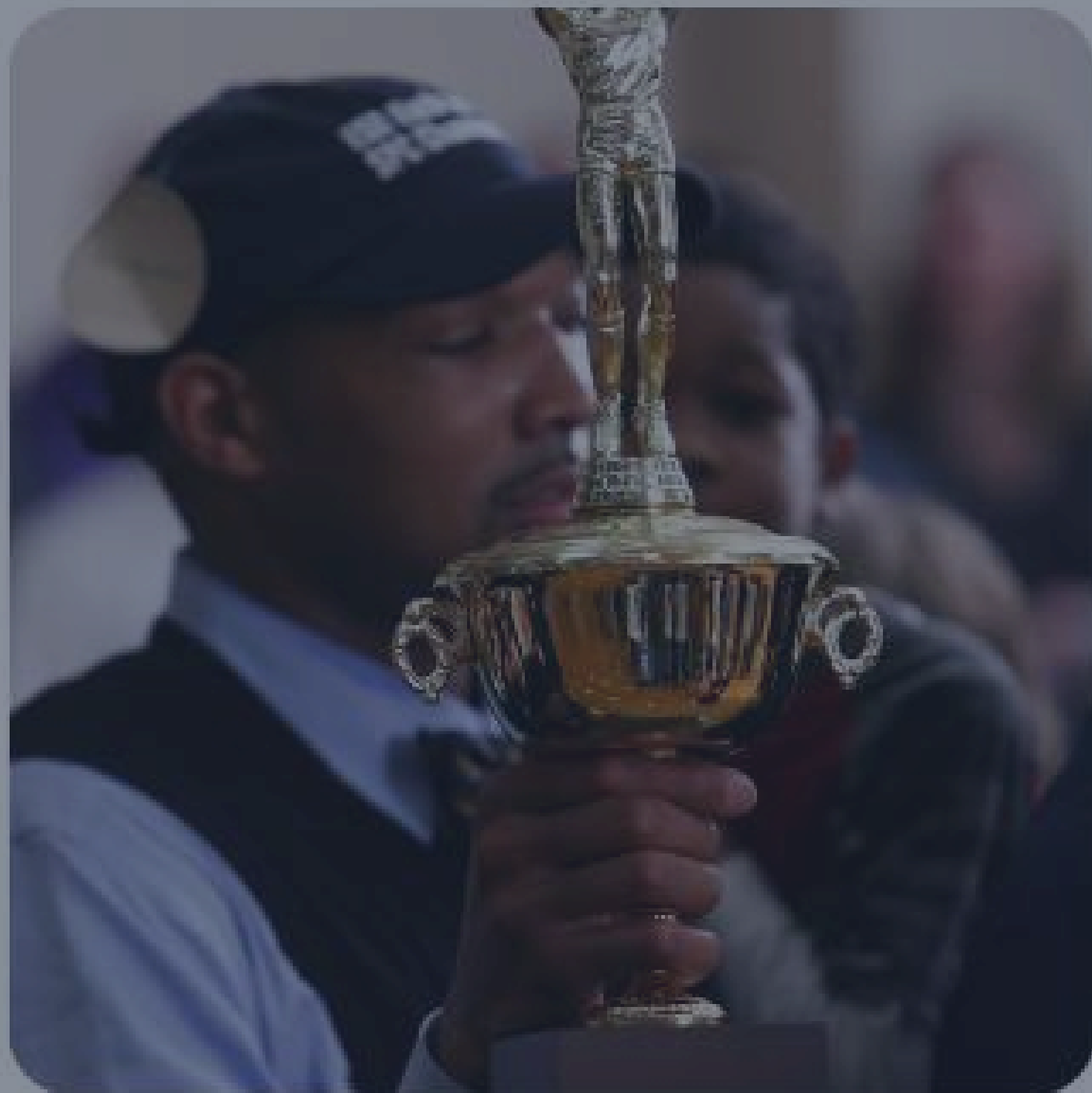
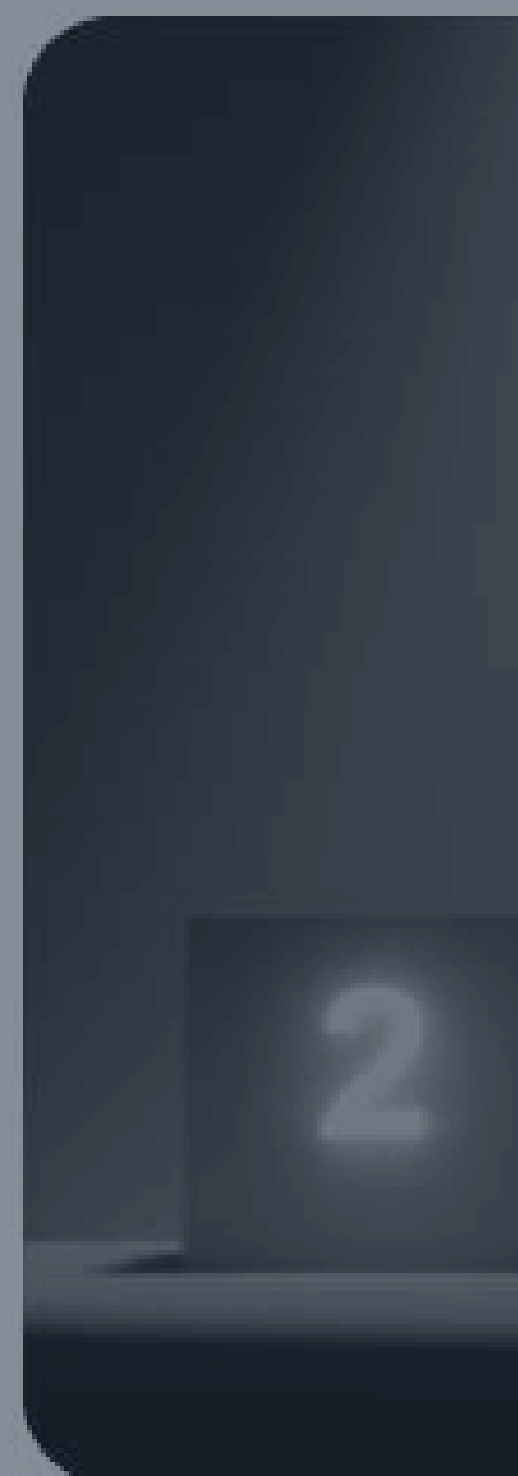
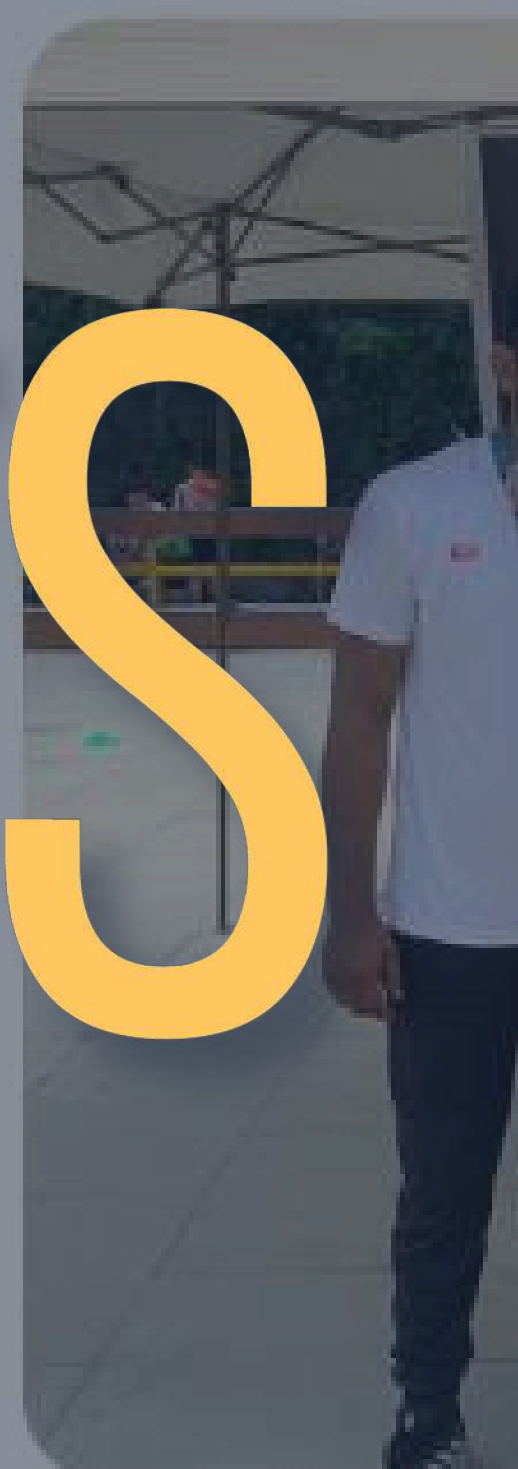
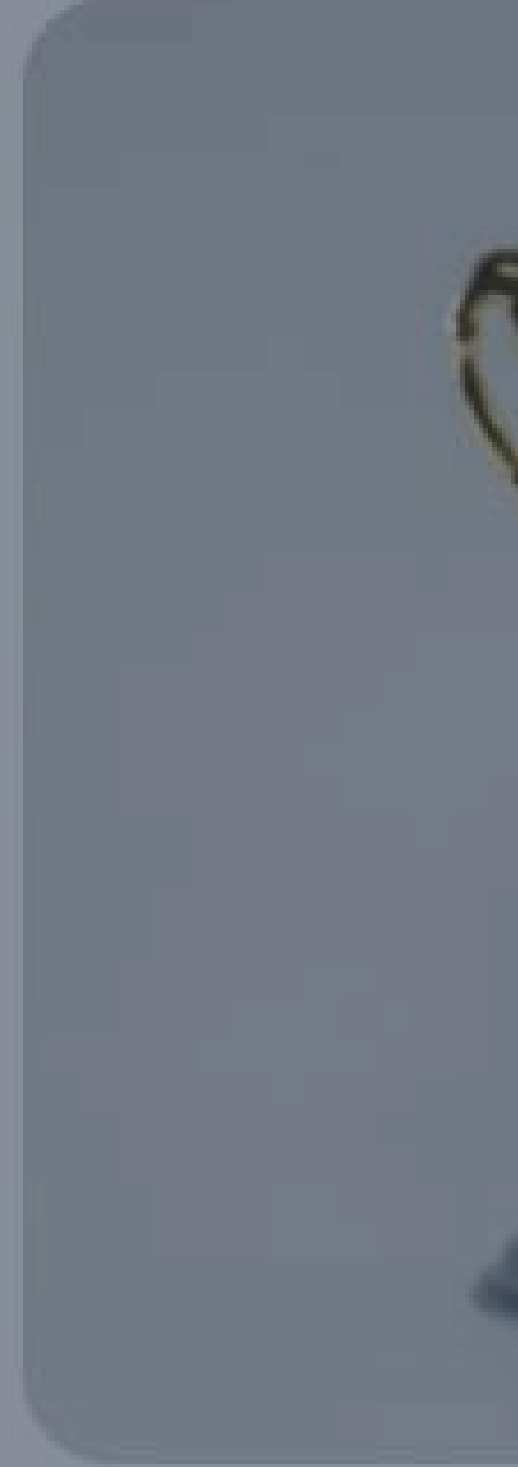
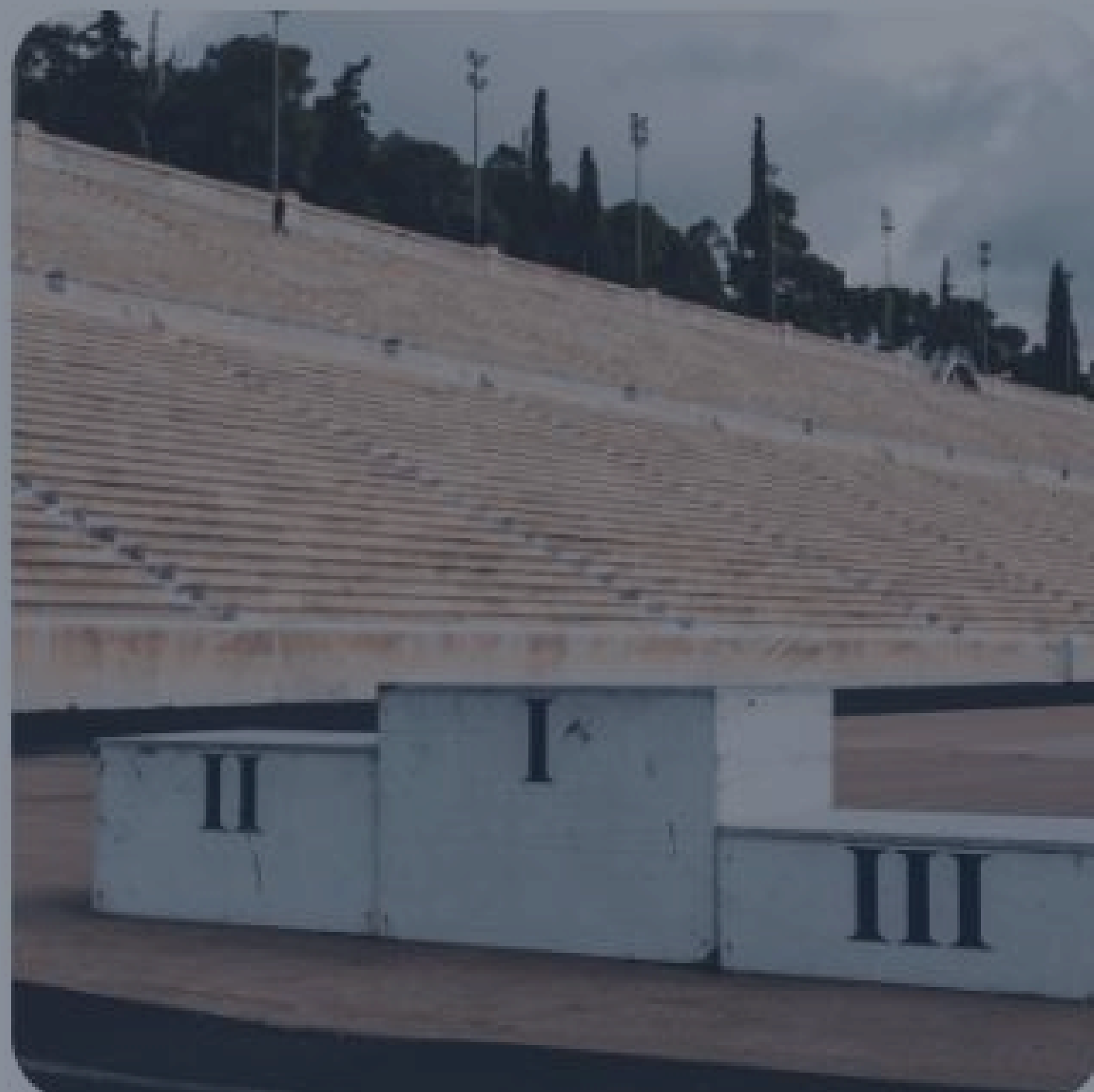
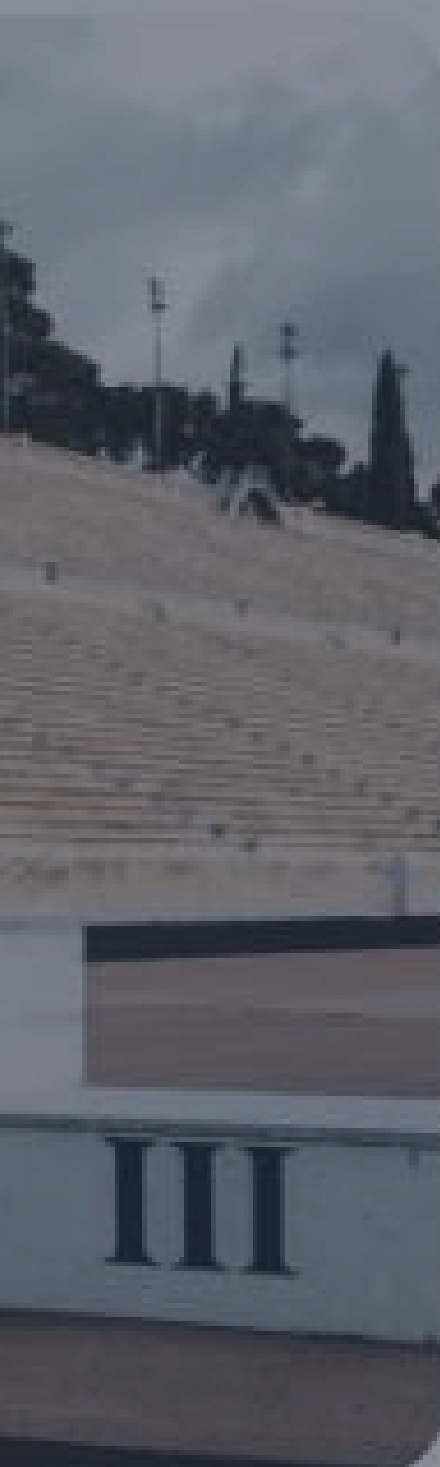
We ended our trip in the capital, Washington D.C.. The city hosts many important buildings like The White House, federal headquarters etc. The Lincoln Memorial is the home to 30-foot-tall sculpture of the 16th president of United States. The statue symbolizes unity, strength and wisdom.

My passion for travel has given me confidence, helped me embrace new cultures, learn new communication skills and create wonderful memories.



Agrim Bansal (VIII-E)

ACHIEVEMENTS



AWARD FOR EXPANSION OF ADVANCED PLACEMENT PROGRAM DELIVERY IN INDIA

Under the leadership of Dr Amita Chauhan, Chairperson Amity Group of Schools, Amity International School, Pushp Vihar test centre won the 2024 Award for Expansion of Advanced Placement Program Delivery in India (North).



RISING STARS AT THE SCIENCE COLLOQUIUM

Students from Amity Saket participated in the Science Colloquium Omnium Gatherum 2024 organised by Amity Global School, Noida and won the following prizes:

Sci City : AIS, Saket First Prize - Viaan Mehta and Abhinav Sharma

Forum Deliberation Best Interjector : AIS, Saket - Raabia Ali Abidi



TEACHERS' AWARDS

Teachers of Amity Saket received awards for their invaluable contribution towards imparting education to the students in various fields:

1. Raman sir - for his immense contribution in the field of sports and inspiring students to excel in sports for 27+ years.
2. Priyanka Behal ma'am - Outstanding Educator Award for Exceptional Teaching Skills and her remarkable contribution to the field of education and the lives of her students for 20+ years.
3. Dimple Madan ma'am - "Teacher Par Excellence" award for her unwavering dedication and selfless contributions to the field of education.
4. Garima Pandey ma'am - For being the best mentor teacher to her team Gulab-oh in Youth Power 24.





ZONAL BASKETBALL CHAMPIONSHIP

Junior and Sub-Junior Girls won Silver medal in Zonal Basketball Championship played at LPS.



SHIKSHA 360

Shiksha 360 hosted India's biggest education conclave and award summit at ITC Hotel Dwarka, New Delhi on 06 October 2024. Among the awardees was Mrs. Priyanka Behal of Amity International School, Saket, who received the Outstanding Educator Award for Exceptional Teaching Skills and her remarkable contribution to the field of education and the lives of her students for more than twenty years.



CYBERBUZZ

Students from Amity Saket participated in the Amity GG Sector 43 inter school IT extravaganza 'CYBERBUZZ' 24.

The children bagged many prizes and Amity Saket won the Rolling trophy.

Winners:

1. Aanya Bhandari and Akshaj Seth won 3rd position in Comiconomics
2. Vidit and Daiwik won 2nd position in Chalchitra
3. Vidit and Akshaj won 3rd position in Buzzer Quiz
4. Amatra Sejwal won 3rd position in Group Discussion
5. Aditya Sehgal won 3rd position in Logic Gate





TEACHER'S DAY AWARDS 2024

The Indian Institute of Hotel Management, in collaboration with the International Hospitality Council (IHC) London, organized the prestigious Teachers Day Awards 2024. Among the honoured educators was Mrs Dimple Madan, a Primary Teacher (PRT) specializing in Mathematics, who received the "Teacher Par Excellence" award.



THE COMMERCE TEACHERS FOUNDATION

The Commerce Teachers Foundation felicitated teachers from the Commerce stream for excellent CBSE results in class XII. Mr Jatin Arora was felicitated by Prof. Dr A.K. Singh, Dean and Head, Department of Commerce, University of Delhi with the CBSE Achievers award for brilliant class XII economics results in the year 23-24.



GT AWARDS 2023-24

Amity Saket brought home numerous accolades at the GT Awards 2024, showcasing exceptional talent and creativity:

1. Best Interview - First Runners-Up: Saamyra Arora and Ruhani Chawla
 2. Best Fictional Story - Winners: Ananya Vashishtha
 3. Best Poem - Second Runners-Up: Varnika Pradhan
 4. Best Humorous Story - Second Runners-Up: Diya Arora and Saamyra Arora
 5. Best Illustration - First Runners-Up: Adhya Arora
 6. Best Mentor - Debjani Ma'am
 7. Best Edit Award (School) - Second Runners-Up
- Congratulations to all the achievers!



VANIJYA SHREE AWARD

Aditya Gupta from class XII along with his mentor Ms Mukta Singh received the Vanijya Shree Award from Mr Himanshu Gupta, the Secretary CBSE, for topping the International Commerce Olympiad organised by the Commerce Teachers Foundation.



AMITY SAKET SHINES AT AIMUN

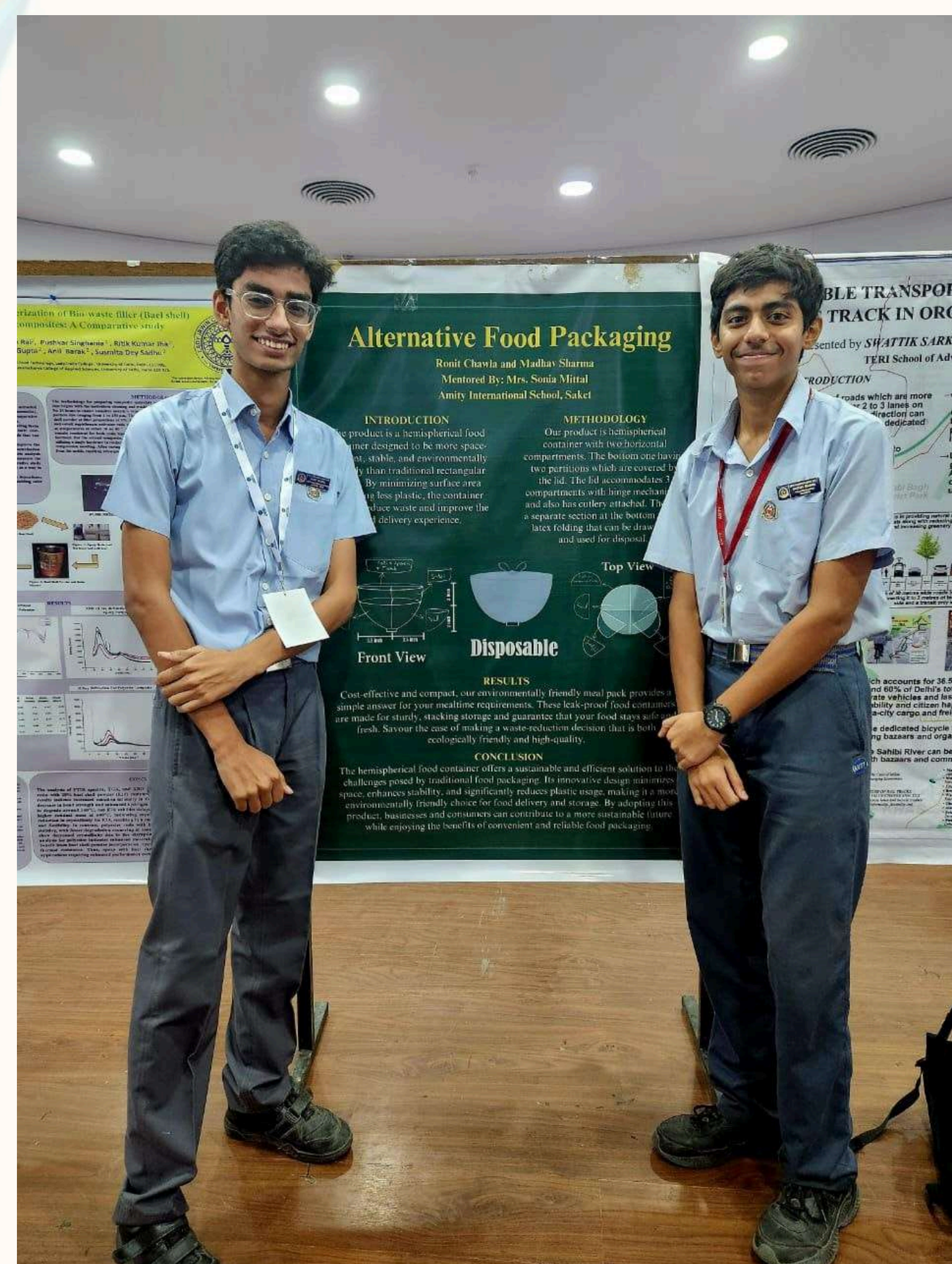
A Triumph of Diplomacy and Excellence

AIMUN 2024 was successfully conducted from 16th to 18th October 2024 on the Amity University campus. This event saw widespread participation and under the able guidance of Ms Jyoti Arora, Director AERC, was an international cultural event filled with intense debates, which culminated in a grand closing ceremony. Various dignitaries and Amity alumni graced the occasion. Under the mentorship of Principal, Ms Divya Bhatia, Amity Saket organised the closing ceremony with a dance performance on the theme, 'उधरेदामनामानम': A Man Must Elevate Himself. It concluded with a movie made by the school's photography and IT team. Amity Saket also bagged the Best Delegation award.



"FOOD FOR ALL: ACHIEVING SUSTAINABLE FOOD SYSTEMS FOR THE अमृत पीढ

The PHD Chamber of Commerce and Industry in association with Bhaskaracharya College of Applied Sciences, University of Delhi hosted a one-day conclave on World Food Day themed "Food for All: Achieving Sustainable Food Systems for the "अमृत पीढ" on October 16, 2024, at PHD House, New Delhi on the theme "Right to Food for a Better Life and a Better Future." Ronit Chawla and Madhav Sharma from class XI participated in the Scientific Poster Competition, their poster was appreciated and they were awarded certificates and Rs 1000/-.



LAURELS AT सभुषिका

Amity Saket won the 2nd prize in the play and best actor award at सभुषिका, the Inter School Sanskrit play competition organised by Amity International School, Mayur Vihar.



VANIJYA SANGAM

Aananya Thareja and Saisha Vashist secured Third Position in the inter school Vanijya Sangam at Amity, GG Sector 46, in the Start Up Sprint.



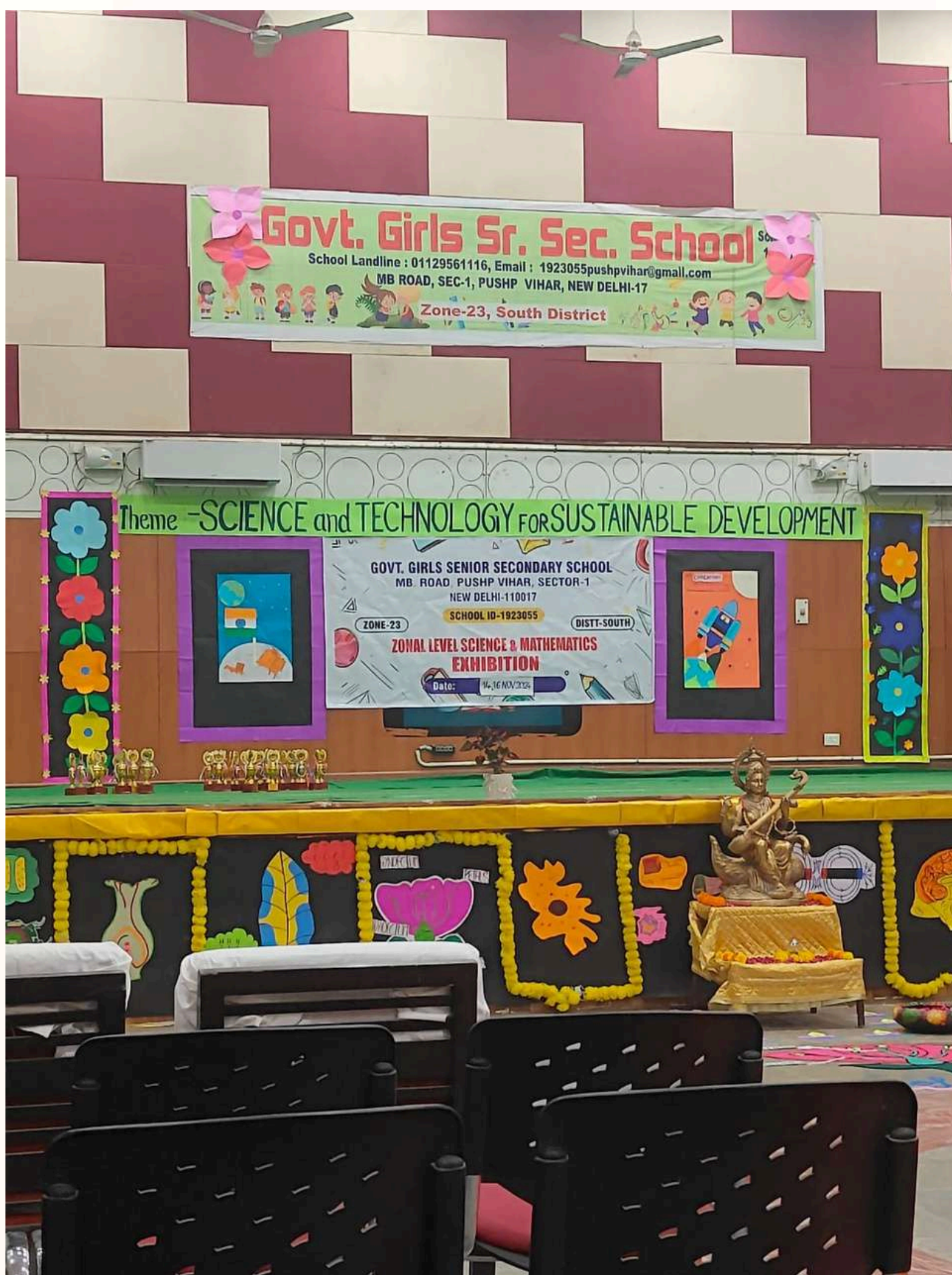
GLORY FOR AIS SAKET AT YOUTH POWER!

Team Gulab-Oh on stage to collect their prizes. Amity Saket's Youth Power team bagged the 2nd runners up prize in the mega event at Amity University.



AIS SAKET STEALS THE SPOTLIGHT AT THE SCIENCE DRAMA COMPETITION

In the Zonal level Science Drama Competition, Amity Saket's team bagged the 2nd prize on the theme "Disaster Management".



ECOMFORUM

Amity International School, Saket proudly hosted the prestigious Inter School Economics & Commerce event, ECOMFORUM, for the 26th time this year.

This year's event featured:

1. Economics Symposium: Thought-provoking discussions on contemporary economic issues
2. Wisdom Wand: Innovative startup ideas showcased by young entrepreneurs
3. Fintoons: Creative cartoon making - Fintoons on Viksit Bharat



DISTRICT ROLLER SKATING CHAMPIONSHIP

Divyanshi Singh of class IV bagged one gold and two silvers in 200 meters, 500 meters and 300 meters races respectively in the District Roller Skating Championship and has been selected for the state level Championship.



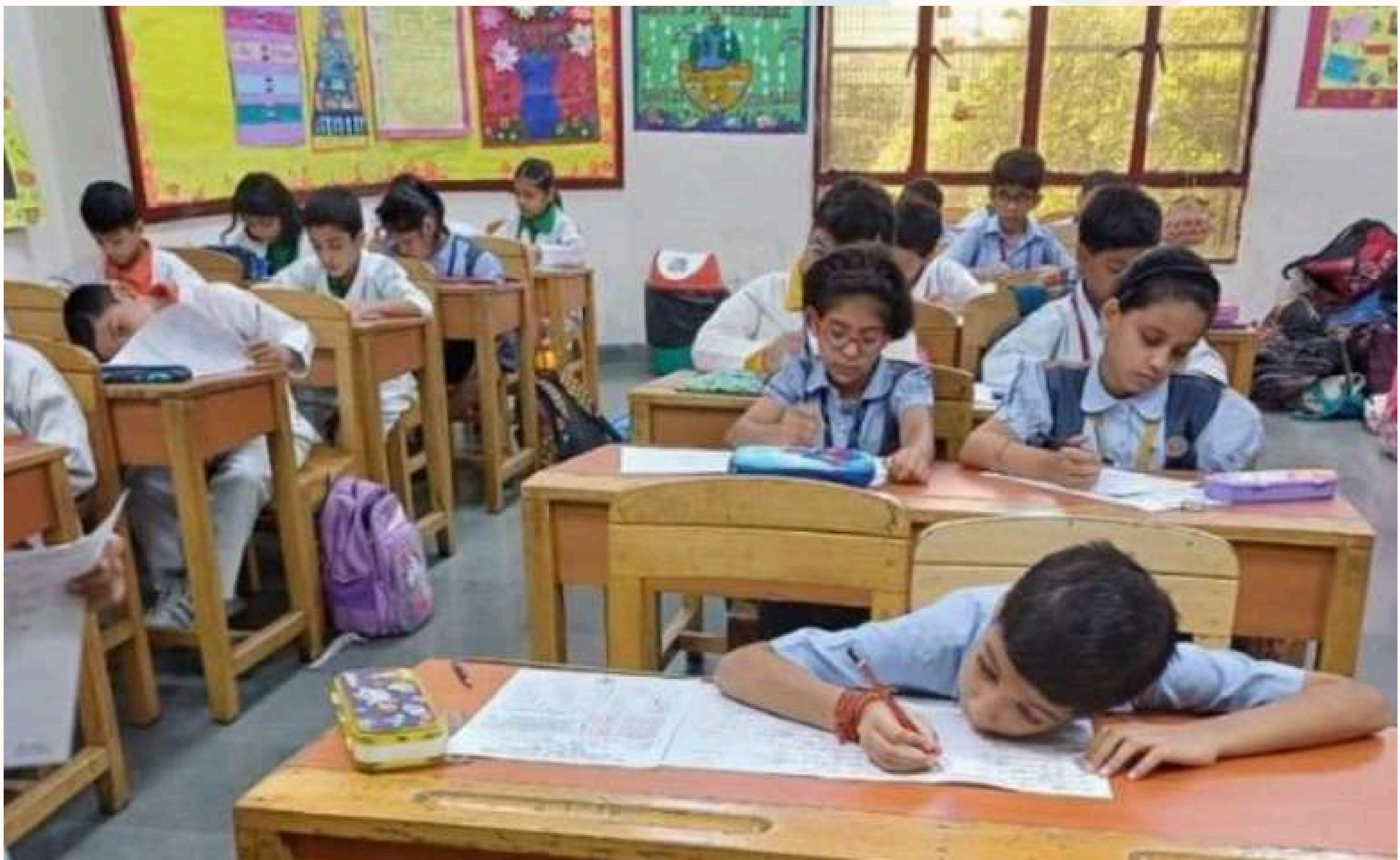
KATHA SAGAR COMPETITION

“Katha Sagar Competition” organized by Amity International School, Pushpa Vihar on 15/10/2024 for the students of class 3 to 5 under which 16 schools participated. Amity International School, Saket performed the mythological "Misuse of Powers" excitingly. This story was related to the misuse and ego of Shakti received by Bhasmasur by Shiv Ji, under which the performance of children was cooperative.



INTERNATIONAL HINDI OLYMPIAD

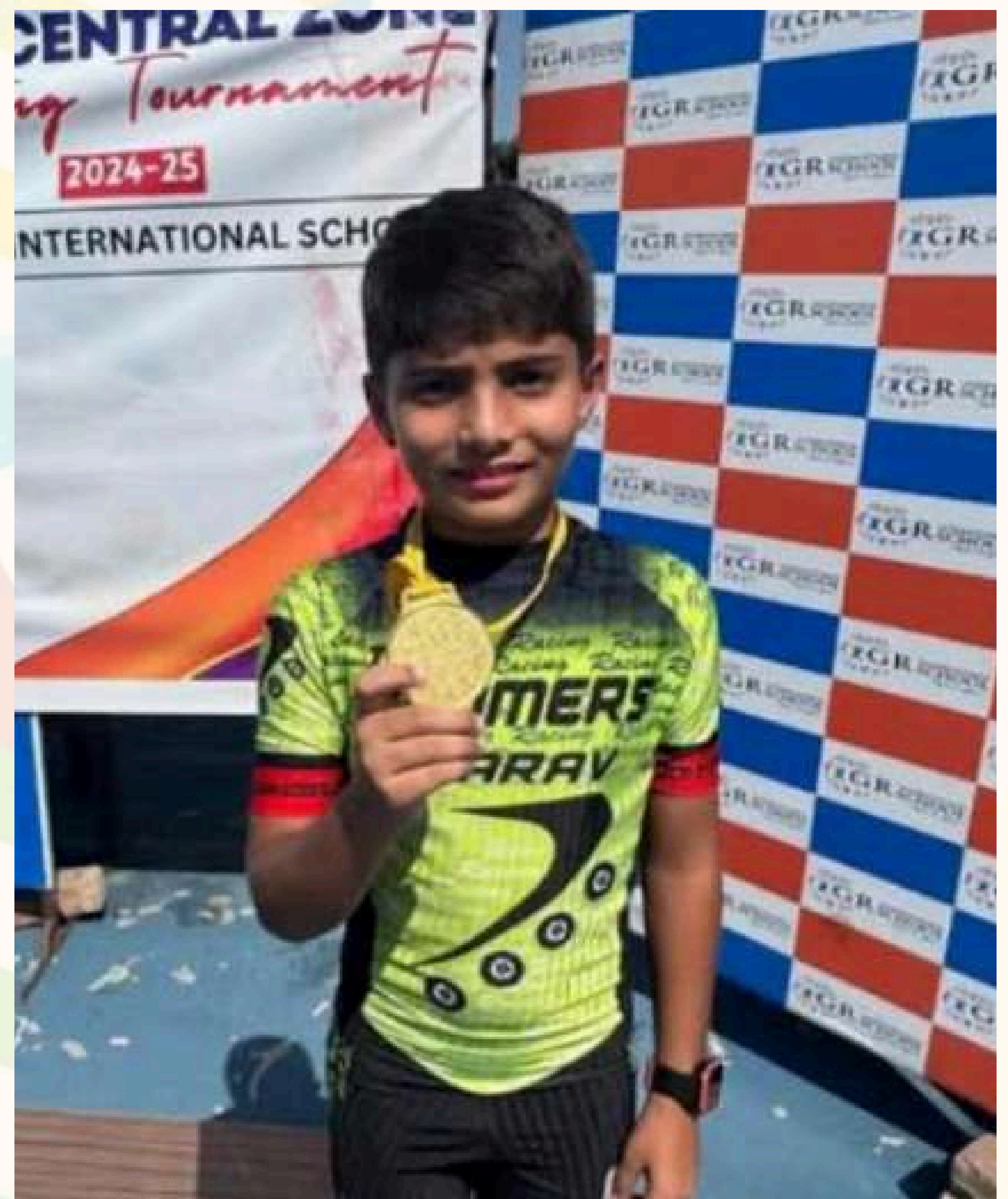
Students of classes 3 and 4 participated in the International Hindi Olympiad in school and answered all the questions asked in the question paper with ease. All the students came with good preparation for the Olympiad and participated in the Olympiad with great interest. Students' interest in the Hindi language increased tremendously as well.



CBSE SKATING NATIONALS

In an exciting showdown, the children of AIS Saket have qualified for the CBSE Nationals skating competition!

1. Anusha- 2 silver medals
2. Aleena- 2 silver medals
3. Aarav- 2 gold medals
4. Viraj Bhakuni- silver medal
5. Sambhav- gold medal
6. Jaksh- one silver medal, one bronze medal
7. Divyanshi- 2 bronze medals



NCR GOLF TOURNAMENT

“On the Green and In the Lead”

Ranveer Baloria, a student of Class 3 is a gifted golfer who was placed second in the renowned NCR Golf Tournament. This is an incredible accomplishment. Ranveer's astounding feat at such a young age demonstrates his commitment, talent, and love for the game. His perseverance and hard work have really paid off, and we are all very proud of him.



SPORTS TOURNAMENT

Sports Tournament , Vasant Kunj Sports Complex

Ditya Karole, a Class 4 student, won a silver medal at the DDA Inter-School Rolling Skating Championships held at the Saket Sports Complex. The event featured several from different schools competing, yet Ditya with her impressive performance earned herself a spot on the podium.

Her achievement has brought pride to her school and is sure to inspire her classmates to chase their own goals, whether in sports or other areas.



YMCA DELHI SWIMMING MEET

YMCA Delhi Swimming Meet held from 22 nd August to 24th August

1. 50 Meters Backstroke 1st Position
2. 50 metres Freestyle 2nd position
3. 100 metres Freestyle 2nd Position

Delhi Open Talent Search Swimming Competition held on 25th August at SPM swimming pool.

1. 2*50 Relay 1st Position
2. 50 metres freestyle 3rd Position
3. 50 metres Backstroke 3rd Position

He also participated in Swimming Tournament organised by DDA at Saket Sports complex on 21.9.24

He won 3 medals (one silver and two Bronze), also being the youngest participant as the age category was 8-12 years.

Viraj won 2 gold and 1 bronze at Noida YMCA on 9th Oct, Gold in 100 free and 50 fly, and bronze in 50 back.



CBSE CENTRAL ZONE SKATING TOURNAMENT

In an exciting showdown in the CBSE Central Zone Skating Tournament, Under 17 age groups, children of AIS SAKET showcased their incredible skills and won several laurels:

Jaksh Grover won the Silver Medal Road Race in 1 Lap.

Anusha won the Silver medal in the 1000 m Rink Race.

Divyanshi Singh won the Bronze Medal in the 1000 m Rink Race.

Aleena Fathima won the Silver Medal in 300 m.

Time Trial Rink Race Sambhav Paharia won the Gold Medal in the 300m Time Trial Rink Race.



"VIKSIT BHARAT 2024" INTER SCHOOL SKATING TOURNAMENT

Siddharth Debnath from class V won Bronze in under 9 category, Inline and Gold in under 9 category, Quads in the "Viksit Bharat 2024" Inter School Skating Tournament, 2024 organised at the Sirifort Sports Complex, New Delhi.



MULTIPLE INTELLIGENCE FESTIVAL

Students of class 5 won the second prize in the Katha Manthan competition at the Inter-School Multiple Intelligence Festival held at AIS, GG 46.

Their remarkable storytelling skills and creativity stood out, earning them this well-deserved recognition. We also extend our heartfelt gratitude to their mentors for their guidance and support. Congratulations to the team on this outstanding achievement!



ALL INDIA OPEN SKATES CHAMPIONSHIP

In the recently held Legend Cup 2024 - All India Open Skates Championship, Divyanshi Singh, a talented young athlete from Class 4, delivered an outstanding performance. She secured three silver medals in the 100m, 1000m, and 5000m skating races, showcasing her hard work and skills.

We hope she continues making Amity proud and inspiring her classmates. Congratulations Divyanshi!



27TH INTER SCHOOL ROLLER SKATING CHAMPIONSHIP, BLUE BELLS

Students won many prizes in the 27th Inter School Roller Skating Championships held at Bluebell School, organised by Talent sports. Congratulations to all our young achievers

1. Anusha- gold medal
2. Aarav Jindal- gold medal
3. Priaans Jain- bronze medal
4. Parth Jain- silver medal
5. Jasvee- bronze medal
6. Bhishma- bronze medal



GTSE 2023

Students who secured the top 3 ranks in GTSE'23 were felicitated by Dr Amita Chauhan, Chairperson Amity Group of Schools at a special award ceremony held at Amity University, Noida. The momentous occasion was graced by many distinguished luminaries. Students were awarded trophies, books and cash awards to recognise their outstanding performance.



27TH INTER SCHOOL ROLLER SKATING CHAMPIONSHIP

In the Delhi State Roller Skating Championship held at GR International School, Bawana organised by the Delhi Skating Association, many laurels were won by AIS Saket:

1. Anusha Sawarkar: 2 Silver medals
2. Jaksh Grover: 1 Silver medal, 1 Bronze medal
3. Aarav Mehta: 1 Gold medal, 1 Bronze medal
4. Viraj Bhakuni: 1 Silver medal, 1 Bronze medal
5. Aleena Fatima: 1 Silver medal
6. Sambhav Paharia: 2 Bronze medal



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