



# PRABHU DAYAL PUBLIC SCHOOL

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*His vision ..... Our Mission*

**OUR GUIDING SOUL**



**LATE SH. PRABHU DAYAL BHATIA**  
(1906-1986)

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### **Trust Thyself**

To awaken the desire to achieve,  
To foster holistic education,  
Moulding global citizens, with excellence and commitment,  
Retaining Indian ethics.....



## CHAIRMAN'S MESSAGE

It gives me immense pleasure to note that PDPS is bringing out its digital magazine. As we know that almost last two years have been highly disappointing for everyone and particularly for the students. The regular classes in the school were not held which deprived them from normal classroom activities and the exposure to the learning process in the academic environment of the school.

However, this also provides an opportunity to the young minds to script their experiences during the pandemic period that virtually rattled the world in every way. Prabhu Dayal Public school's initiative to encourage the students for contributing their writings for the publication in E-newsletter is worth appreciation.

I wish every success for the magazine which has become a regular academic activity of the school.

**Dr. V.K. Tyagi**  
(Chairman)



## MANAGER'S MESSAGE

My heartiest congratulations to the editorial team for bringing out the next volume of its e-newsletter, Blue Streak.

The school newsletter has always been an integral part of the school activities. It serves as a platform that allows both teachers and students to showcase their artistic and literary skills. It also throws light upon the participation and achievements of our students in numerous areas of online and offline competitions.

It is a matter of pride, to see the PDPS fraternity making their presence felt in all fields promoting all round developments of students.

I wish Team PDPS the very best in their pursuit of excellence!

**Ms. Bimla Bhatia**  
(Manager)

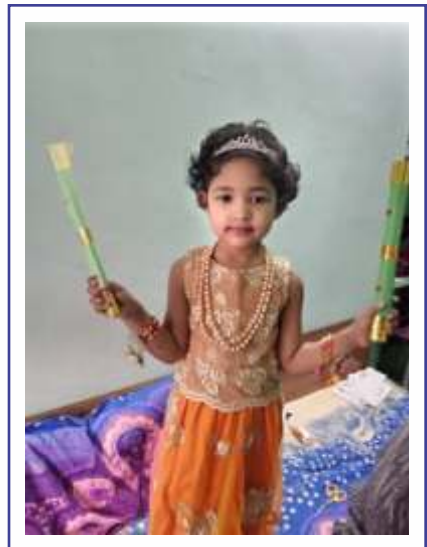


# NURSERY SEGMENT

*'Every child is born a discoverer, propelled by the instinctive need to know more.'*

## DUSSEHRA C E L E B R A T I O N

**T**he festival of 'DUSSEHRA' was celebrated virtually by our Pre-school students on 12th October 2021. Dussehra is a major Indian festival celebrated for ten days, it also marks the end of Navratri. The significance of the festival was narrated to students; it signifies the victory of good over evil. Children were dressed in ethnic clothes. They enjoyed all activities related to Dussehra like Ravana bursting, Dandiya dance, crown decoration of Durga Maa. It was indeed a day filled with much excitement.



# DIWALI

## 'Diwali is a festival of lights'

*Diwali celebration began with the online session on 1.11.2021. Children attended the session in traditional outfits and learnt about the importance of Diwali. Spreading the message of celebrating safe and eco friendly Diwali; kids indulged in Diya decoration and Toran making activities.*



## ANIMALIA ACTIVITY

*Animals are an important part of our eco system. They live, breathe and eat like human beings.*

*To make our tiny tots realize their significance we organized 'Animalia Party' on 8.10.2021, where the students came dressed up in different types of animal species – marine, wild and domestic. They spoke a few lines on the same confidently. The main objective of the event was to make children empathetic towards animals.*



# WORLD ENERGY CONSERVATION DAY

***E**nergy conservation is the need of the hour. Man is constantly damaging the environment by over consumption of energy leading to global warming, toxic air emissions which affect our day to day life.*

*Nursery wing celebrated this day on 14.12.2021 by persuading tiny tots to switch off the lights and take their class in sunlight. Teachers elucidated on the fact that a little contribution makes a big difference in our lives*



## FANCY DRESS COMPETITION

***O**ur tiny tots enthusiastically participated in Fancy Dress Competition on 25.1.2022. Dressed up in colorful clothes, enacting various characters, the children left everyone spell bound with their performance.*





# ENGLISH RHYME RECEPTION

**R**ecitation is one of the important and effective mode of learning a language. Keeping this in mind, 'English Rhyme Recitation Competition' was organised for our pre-schoolers on 1.10.2021. The children got an opportunity to exhibit their talent with confidence. They recited rhymes with full zeal and vigour.



## SWACHH BHARAT

*'Clean India Green India'*

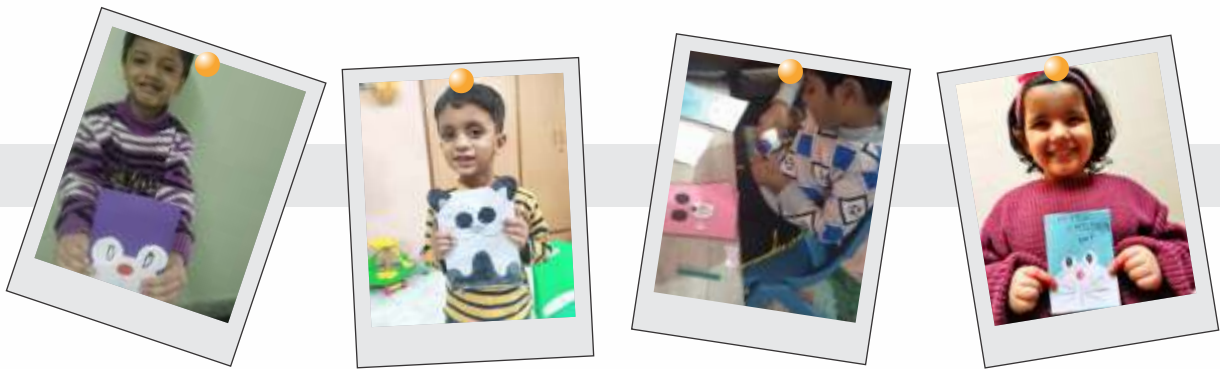
**C**leanliness is indispensable whether it is at home, workplace or public place. Our Honourable PM Shri. Narendra Modi strongly advocates the principle of cleanliness and launched 'Swachh Bharat Mission'. To sensitize our kids, an interactive session was conducted virtually by the teachers. It was indeed a very valuable session for one and all.





# CHILDREN'S DAY

**C**hildren are like birds in a garden and should be carefully nurtured. They are future of our nation and the citizens of tomorrow. To mark the essence of childhood and celebrate the birth anniversary of Pandit Jawahar Lal Nehru, a special day was assigned for activity of our tiny tots. It was a day of fun and frolic, children were buzzing with enthusiasm. They made special cards, danced with happiness; spreading delight all over.



## ENGLISH STORY TELLING

**S**tory telling is an art, a unique way to learn moral values and life skills. It promotes a positive attitude in children to understand things in a better manner. Keeping this in mind, English Story Telling Competition was conducted on 24.12.2021 in Nursery Wing, where each child showcased his / her story telling skills.



# GURUPURAB

*“Thou has a thousand eyes and yet not one eye,  
Thou host a thousand forms and yet not one form” – Guru Nanak*

**N**ursery branch of PDPS celebrated the auspicious occasion of Guru Nanak Jayanti on 18.11.2021 with great exuberance and devotion. The young learners were apprised of the teachings of Guru Nanak. Various interesting activities were designed for the learners including chanting of mantras-Ek Onkar and Shabad Kirtan. The celebrations culminated with the offering of Kadah Prasad to all family members. Kids learnt the values of universal brotherhood through this festival.



# CHRISTMAS

*“Christmas waves a magic wand over this world, and behold,  
everything is softer and more beautiful.” Norman Vincent Peale.*

**C**hristmas is a festival of joy, sharing and giving. To spread this wonderful message, the Nursery wing celebrated X'Mas virtually. A Christmas party was organized for our tiny tots in which they saw a movie on Christmas and enjoyed mouth watering snacks. Kids were dressed up as Santa Claus. They painted a picture of X-Mas scene on canvas, followed by carol singing.



# LOHRI

*India is a land of festivals and celebrations. Lohri is one of the popular mid winter festival which is unique in its perception and significance. The nursery wing made sure that kids felt the immense joy associated with the festival. They dressed up in ethnic attire, danced on foot tapping Punjabi music. A drawing activity was also conducted which displayed a panorama of our culture and traditions.*



# REPUBLIC DAY

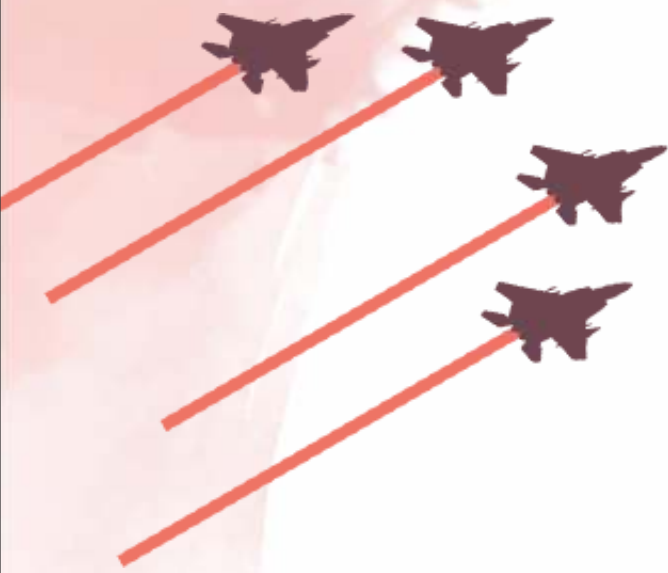
*Nursery Wing celebrated Republic Day with immense patriotic fervor and zest. A special assembly was conducted to infuse the spirit of unity, brotherhood and patriotism. A fancy dress competition was organised keeping in mind the theme of Unity in Diversity. Kids also enjoyed making tri color sandwich.*





# MARTYR'S DAY

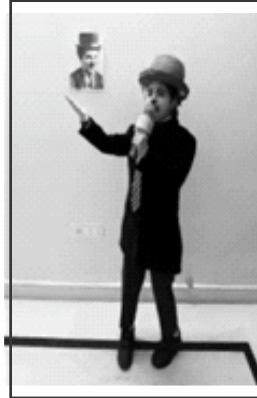
*M*artyr's Day is an annual day observed by countries to salute the martyrdom of soldiers who lost their lives defending the sovereignty of the nation. Nursery students paid tribute to the great heroes of INDIA who sacrificed their lives to protect our motherland. Students pledged to become responsible citizens of the nation.



# PRIMARY SECTION

## Inter School Solo Dance Competition

**T**he students of Classes 3 and 4 eagerly showcased their talent and brought out the beauty of the black and white era with their magnificent grooves and moves in an Inter School Competition organised by Queen's Convent School. The students took inspiration from Michael Jackson, Charlie Chaplin and various other characters. The efforts of the students were very well appreciated. It was a moment of great pride for us when Ayansh Mittal of Class IV B bagged III position.



## RECITATION COMPETITION

**"Poetry is when an emotion has found its thought and the thought has found words" -Robert Frost**

**A**n Inter Class Poem Recitation Competition was organized for the students of Class IV on the theme 'Nature'. Recitation is one of the important and effective modes of learning a language and appreciating a piece of literature. Taking all these facts into consideration, the children got an opportunity to exhibit their talent and confidence. The competition inspired the children to come forward and recite.

Our passionate performers recited different poems showcasing their wonderful skill and immense hardwork.



## SLOGAN WRITING ACTIVITY

**S**tudents of Class IV enthusiastically participated in Slogan Writing Activity organised by Science Department of our school. Our little artists came out with the vibrant and exciting posters that were well appreciated by all. It highlighted the gravity of the very fact that clean environment leads to healthy growth and development of all the living creatures.



## FANCY DRESS COMPETITION

**I**nter Class Fancy Dress Competition was held across all the sections of Classes I-V. It was based on the theme of National Leaders or Freedom Fighters. Our little performing artists presented their talent with great zest and dedication. We received many entries from our enthusiastic learners. Best performances were awarded from each class as they brought out the eminent personalities alive.





# CELEBRATING FESTIVALS

*“Different festivals being celebrated signify India's vibrant cultural diversity.” – PM Narendra Modi*

**W**e love to celebrate and learn more about the different festivals and traditions of our county. So, we at PDPS celebrate all the festivals with loads of happiness, joy and enthusiasm. It brings out the cultural fervour and beauty of existing unity in diversity in our country.



## SCIENCE ACTIVITIES

*“Tell me and I'll forget;  
Show me and I may remember;  
Involve me and I'll learn.”*  
- Benjamin Franklin

**S**tudents of Class IV ardently participated in various Science Activities which enhanced their logical and scientific aptitude. 'Learning by doing' is the motto of the constructive and interactive classes.



# HT SCHOOL TALENT HUNT

**U**ndertaking co-curricular activities has far-ranging benefits that affects many aspects of a child's development. These activities not only give the equal platform to the children but also boost their confidence and spirit of independence.

We are indeed very proud of the students of Prabhu Dayal Public School-Primary Wing, who participated in the HT School Talent Hunt for school students wherein, they were given the opportunity to showcase their talent in three categories:

*Painting, Write-up and Poem Writing.*

Five students of our school – Hetharth Yadav - Class 3, Manas Chaurasia and Aarna Bansal-Class 4, Chehak Malik and Shorya Gupta - Class 5 participated in the Talent Hunt and have received E-Certificates for their remarkable participation.

## STUDENTS PARTICIPATED IN DIFFERENT INTERSCHOOL COMPETITIONS

Name of the school	Class	Name of competition	Name of Student	Result
Queen's Convent School	II	Happiness All Around	Aryan Sehgal	Certificate of Participation
Queen's Convent School	KG	Add-O Minya	AadyaTyagi	Certificate of Participation
Queen's Convent School	IV	Bioscopewala	Ayansh Mittal	III Position
Queen's Convent School	KG	Spirit Shakers(dance)	Prashi	Certificate of Participation
Queen's Convent School	V	Silent Whispers(song)	Prateek Raj	Certificate of Participation
GD Goenka	II	Enact IT	Isha Sharma	Certificate of Participation
GD Goenka	III	Brush n' Palette	Aadit Girdhar	Certificate of Participation
GD Goenka	IV	My Book My Cover	Gyanshi Narula	Certificate of Participation
Cambridge Foundation School	+4 years	Celestial Emblem	Aadya Tyagi (KG B)	Certificate of Participation
Cambridge Foundation School	I	Convolutud Virtuoso	Hardik Nagpal (I D)	Certificate of Participation
Cambridge Foundation School	I	Rhythmic Twirl	Palakshi Bhatnagar ( I C)	Level 1- Cleared Level 2 – Certificate of Participation
Cambridge Foundation School	II	Panoramic Safari	Divija Pandey ( II A)	Level 1- Cleared Level 2 – Certificate of Participation
Cambridge Foundation School	II	Classical Revelry	Amyra Bansal (II C)	Certificate of Participation
Cambridge Foundation School	III	Craft Legacy	Aarav Tekriwal	Level 1- Cleared Level 2- III Position
Cambridge Foundation School	III	Witty Shoot	Aparshi Chaudhary	Level 1- Cleared Level 2 – Certificate of Participation
Cambridge Foundation School	IV	Rhythmic Quest	Vrinda Goel (IV D)	Level 1- Cleared Level 2 – Certificate of Participation
Cambridge Foundation School	IV	Scratch Dynamism	Darshika Bhatnagar (IV B)	Certificate of Participation
Cambridge Foundation School	V	E-Travelogue	Mridul Kumar (V B)	Level 1- Cleared Level 2 – Certificate of Participation

हिन्दी विकास संस्थान द्वारा आयोजित अंतरराष्ट्रीय हिन्दी ओलम्पिअयाड 2021 में हमारे विद्यालय के विद्यार्थियों ने उत्साह के साथ भाग लिया कुल 134 विद्यार्थियों ने इसमें भाग लिया। हमारे विद्यार्थियों ने 16 स्वर्ण, 24 रजत व 5 कांस्य पदक प्राप्त किए। 6 विद्यार्थियों का चयन द्वितीय चरण की परीक्षा हेतु भी हुआ है। यह हमारे लिये गर्व का विषय है।

कक्षा	विद्यार्थी का नाम	परिणाम
I	पीहू राजपूत ( E)	स्वर्ण
	महरीत कौर (E)	स्वर्ण
	नव्या गुप्ता (A)	स्वर्ण
	सूर्यांश (E)	स्वर्ण
	आरिन (C)	स्वर्ण
	अंतरा धंजल(C)	स्वर्ण
II	युक्ता लांबा (B)	स्वर्ण
	माधव माथुर (C)	रजत
	वान्या (C)	रजत
	रियाना सलूजा (C)	रजत
	रितिका (D)	स्वर्ण
	एकाक्ष सिंह अखेर ( B)	रजत
	अदिति ( A)	रजत
	मानवी भटनागर (C)	रजत
	काव्या मुटरेजा (D)	स्वर्ण
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III	नव कपूर (इ)	कांस्य
	मनन खेरा(ए)	रजत
	स्वास्तिका सिंह (बी)	रजत
	तनिका वशिष्ठ (डी)	रजत
	राघवी सिंघल ( डी)	कांस्य
	वाणी ( सी)	रजत
	नियति गहलोत (ए)	रजत
	अरहम खान ( बी)	रजत
	प्रांसी यादव (सी)	स्वर्ण
	काशवी कोहली ( इ)	स्वर्ण



कक्षा	विद्यार्थीका नाम	परिणाम
IV	रुदाक्ष प्रजापति ( ए ) समीक्षा गुप्ता ( बी ) विदीप राजेश सिंघल ( बी ) मान्या ( सी ) ज्ञानशी नरुला ( डी ) यशवी कुकरेजा ( इ ) निर्मोलक सिंह ( इ ) काशवी बंसल ( सी ) वेदांश गर्ग ( डी )	रजत रजत स्वर्ण रजत रजत स्वर्ण रजत रजत रजत
V	पूर्वी ( सी ) प्रांश जैन ( ए ) अर्णव कुमार ( ए ) आदित्री जैन ( ए ) चेहक मलिक ( सी ) अर्णव प्रसाद ( सी ) प्रिशा बंसल ( सी )	कांस्य रजत रजत रजत स्वर्ण रजत रजत



# CBSE ACTIVITIES

## Rashtriya Poshan Maah

*“Exercise is king. Nutrition is queen. Put them together and you've got a Kingdom.” - Jack Lalanne*

**R**ashtriya Poshan Maah was celebrated in the month of September. Students were shown different YouTube videos related to health and nutrition. Pledge taking activity was conducted for the students of classes 3-5. Also, a questionnaire and a Google form was shared with the students (classes 3-5). It was very encouraging and insightful for all our budding learners to realise the importance of nutritious and balanced diet.



## AZADI KA AMRITMAHOTSAV

**P**rabhu Dayal Public School organized CBSE Expression Series -2 to celebrate the spirit of Independence Day. A Paragraph Writing and a Painting Competition were scheduled in Junior Classes (3-5) for the month of October, 2021. Children had to research on their favourite freedom fighter from a nearby state or UT and express the same through their paintings or essays. The school received several entries from the students. The dedicated participation of our students contributed to the celebration of 75th year of Independence.



# VEER GATHA PROJECT

**P**rabhu Dayal Public School organized an activity under the CBSE Veer Gatha Project to celebrate the commitment of Gallantry award winners. Children expressed themselves using poems and paragraphs. It was scheduled for the students of classes 3-5. Our students were not only inspired by the gallant warriors of our country but also enhanced their writing skills. Their beautiful write ups embraced the sacrifice of the brave hearts and devoted souls.

## EK BHARAT SHRESHTH BHARAT

**CBSE Activities for the month of October 2021**

**Pledge taking ceremony was held on National Unity Day on 31st October.**



**CBSE Activities for the month of November 2021**

**Poshak show on the theme of attire of regional costume of Sikkim**



**CBSE Activities for the month of December 2021**

**Exposure of schools to language spoken in Sikkim**







## COOKING WITHOUT FLAME

**L**ike every year, our school celebrated Republic Day on 25th January 2022 with the immense love and passion for our country. An activity - 'Cooking Without Flame' was organized for the students of classes I-V in which the students prepared healthy platters for themselves using tri-colours. The celebration culminated with the hopeful hearts and high spirited mindsets.



## CLEANLINESS DRIVE

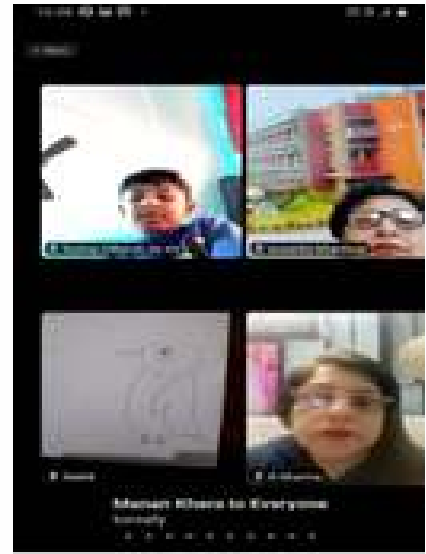
**T**he Pre-Primary students of our school participated in Cleanliness Drive under 'Swachh Bharat Abhiyan Programme' on the occasion of Gandhi Jayanti. The main objective was to create consciousness among the students related to the personal hygiene and how to keep the surroundings clean. Students made creative posters with interesting slogans to spread the awareness related to clean and healthy environment.



# LEARNING HAS NO LIMITS

## WEBINARS

**A** webinar for EVS teachers was organised by Indiannica Learning on the topic- 'Unfolding EVS at the Primary Level' on 8.10.2021. Learning evolves with time and leaves an impeccable mark which adds on to our experiences. Our teachers explored the new parameters related to the teaching- learning process of EVS.



Our school organised an informative webinar for children, parents and teachers on 27.11.2021 in collaboration with Anon Global Foundation. It focused on the very relevant concern of increasing screen time among young kids.

This webinar was headed by Ms Deepa Chaudhary and Ms Prachi Biswas. It was quite helpful for the students and parents in understanding how the devices and gadgets can be the useful tools in communication and aid in learning process. However, at the same time, one must not forget that 'balance is the key word'.

On 24/11/2021, a webinar was organised for Mathematics teachers by Oxford University Press on the topic Effective NEP Implementation in Mathematics at the foundational and preparatory stages. There is always a room for improving our skills and learning in different domains. We believe that, the facilitators of learning must also evolve with the changing time as per the needs of the different subjects.



# STUDENTS' CORNER

## SCIENCE BEHIND THE HANDWASHING

**K**eeping hands clean is one of the most important step that we should take to prevent ourselves from falling sick and spreading germs to others.

*Washing hands prevent illness.*

*Germs from unwashed hands can get into body through eyes, nose and mouth.*

*Germs from unwashed hands can get into foods and drinks that people consume.*

*Removing germs through hand washing helps prevent diarrhoea and infections.*

*Handwashing hygiene helps people to stay healthy and prevent diseases.*

*Arundhati Verma*

*IVC*

## KEEP UP THE HOPE DURING CHALLENGING TIMES

**O**n the evening of 24th March 2020, the Government of India ordered a nation-wide lockdown.

*It was due to the pandemic caused by covid-19. For the first time life of the people came to a halt. We (children) were clueless about what to do at home. All the schools were closed and we all were missing our school life, friends and teachers. It was a pretty bad situation as we were not ready to fight a pandemic. But there was something which cannot be ignored. All of us spent some quality time with our families without any time constraints. Online classes were the substitute in the field of education. The rapid growth and advancement in the medical field was very helpful in controlling the spread of deadly virus. But in this bad situation, all of us noticed that we became kinder towards humans and animals. Many families were destroyed by covid-19 but at the same time the people were united in a humane manner which was not seen in a long time. We hope and pray to overcome this phase soon, so that we can return to our normal life just like it was before these challenging times.*

**Swastika Singh - III-B**



# HAPPINESS

*Happiness is something you give,  
Only then it comes back to you.  
Lend it, spend it, give it away.  
Happiness is full of grace,  
It's all around you.*

*Happiness is when tears roll down your eyes after helping someone.  
Happiness is helping mom in her work.  
Happiness is bowing down to pray .  
Happiness is guiding a friend in the right way.*

*You cannot buy happiness.  
Because happiness is free.  
Just do your best and smile a lot.  
Happiness is made for you,  
Just take a bite and see  
Happiness is what you do.*

***Mridul - V-B***





# SAVE EARTH SAVE FUTURE

**W**e are born and brought up in the laps of mother nature but what are we doing with it? We are cutting down trees, throwing garbage on the road and polluting the air. Hence we are destroying our present and future. We should plant more trees, save water and use less plastic. Here are few lines in the form of a poem----

'Let's care'

Earth is our mother, don't pollute it.  
It gives us food and shelter, just salute it.  
With increasing global warming, it's in danger.  
Let's save it by becoming a strong angel.  
With dying trees and animals, it's a sorrow.  
Make green today and green tomorrow.  
With melting snow, one day it will sink,  
How can we save it? Just think.  
Trees are precious, preserve them,  
Water sources are the treasures, reserve them.



**Yashika IV-A**

## LITTLE HANDS AT WORK



# SENIOR SEGMENT

## INTER SCHOOL / CLASS COMPETITION RESULT

S.N.	NAME OF THE COMPETITION	PARTICIPANTS	POSITION
1	Synergy 2021 – Srijan School Folk Dance Competition (Jr)	Taranjeet Kaur (VI)	
2	Synergy 2021 Srijan School Guftgn	Arjun Singh (VII B)	First Position
3	Jaspal Kaur Public School – Inter School) Math-O-Chuckle	Moulik Garg (VII B) Tanu Kumari (VIII D)	
4	Pi-Fest Spectrum 2021 Bosco Public School – Recital Value Pi Competition	Moulik Garg (VII B)	
5	Pi-Vogue Competition	Taranjeet Kaur (VI B)	
6	Avon Wellness Week Competition (National Platform)	Avani Choudhry (VIII D)	
7	Synergy 2021-The Srijan School “Kaun Banega Math-E-Star” Competition	Arti Lamba (VIII B)	
8	Create a Book Competition Queen's Convent School	Punya - VIII A Mannat Chaddha (VIII B)	
9	Paragraph Writing Competition (Gallantry Award Winners)	Punya – VIII A Aryan Jain – XI D	
10	Siciotisement – The Synergy 2021 Advertisement with a Cause Competition	Mokshi – XII C	
11	“Cut, Tear and Stick” Art Competition (Inter school Competition)	Parnal Jain (IX A) Kishan Bhardwaj (XI A)	
12	“Sanskrit Samashar Vachanam” (Inter School Competition)	Yubhashna Jain (VIII E) Naman (VIII E)	
13	DAV Public School - Eesh Stuti (Bhajan Recitation)	Ainesh Dhir (VI A)	
14	Kaho Kahani Worli Ki Zubani (Inter School Competition)	Parnal Jain (IX A) Kishan Bhardwaj (XI A)	
15	Inter School Quiz Competition – Qrioisity'		
I	Cadet Team	Arna Jain – Class V Jivika – Class V	

ii	General Awareness Quiz Jr.	Punya – Class VIII Mannat – Class VIII	
iii	General Awareness Quiz Jr.	Manan Seekary - Class XII Aaryan Taneja – Class XII	
iv	“Webscript Event”	Ayush Bucha– Class X E Ishu saini – Class X E	
v	‘Pixelarate’	Shaurya Mugrai – XI C	

## CBSE Inter School Competition Result

S.No.	Name of the Competition/Event	Participant
1	Cbse Expression Series	
2	Poster Making Competition	Yashasvi Kukreja- Class IV
3	Poem Recitation Competition	Yash Nagpal –Class VI
4	Essay Writing Competition	Chahek Goel – Class IX
5	Poem Recitation Senior	Harshita Sharma – Class XI
6	Paryavaran Sathi Chatbot Delhi Govt.	Students of Classes X – XII participated enthusiastically
7	Kala Utsav, Dist. NWA, Event – Classical Dance Bharatnatyam	Tanishka – X D
8	Veer Gatha Project	Jiya Dilawri – XI
9	Ek Bharat Shreshtha Bharat Programme Activities covered from September – February	Students from classes VI –XII participated enthusiastically
10	Gallantry Award Winners – Paragraph Writing Competition	Punya- VIII A Aryan Jain – XI D
11	Azadi ka Mahotsav Eco club under Environment Education	
12	Green Pledge	Classes VI – XII
13	Pledge Undertaking	Virtually by class VIII
14	Poster Making with Slogan writing on Promotion of Good Green Deeds by Class IX	Class IX
15	'Video Shows Presentation	Class XI





# MAJOR EVENTS

## FOUNDER'S DAY

September 23 is celebrated every year as Founder's Day to commemorate the birth anniversary of our Founder, Sh. Prabhu Dayal Bhatia; who was a true crusader of education and an able administrator. The school organised a Havan in the morning, followed by a Bhajan session. It was attended by members of the management and staff members.



## BIDDING ADIEU TO .....

PDPS organized a farewell function for all the staff members who retired in the year 2021. It was attended by our revered Manager Ms. Bimla Bhatia, Mr. Das, Principal and staff members. Principal, Mrs. S R Panda in her emotional speech recounted the myriad contributions made by the super annuated teachers during their tenure.

The PDPS family wished them a blissful journey ahead.

The school also bid farewell to the following staff members in the session (2021-22).



- Ms. Archana Vishnoi (Primary)
- Ms. Sarita Gulati (Lab Assistant)
- Ms. Susarita Bhardwaj (Primary)

- Ms. Pushpa J. Singh (Primary)
- Ms. Alka Arora (Primary)
- Ms. Amita Sibal (PGT Commerce)

# BATTLE COVID

## FREE VACCINATION DRIVE

*Prabhu Dayal Dayal Public School kickstarted the vaccination drive for children aged 15 to 18 years against coronavirus on January 13 and 14, 2022 in the school premises. Many children accompanied by parents, queued up outside the school to secure their first dose of the Covid-19 vaccine. This would ensure safety of children and provide protection to students leaving their homes to attend school.*



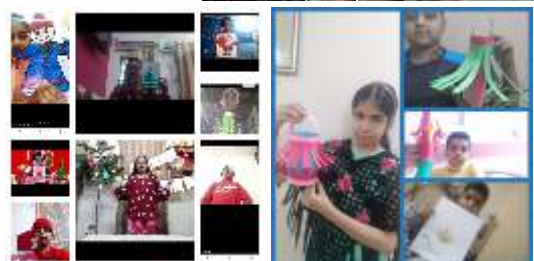
## SPECIAL ASSEMBLIES – TO EXTEND LEARNING

*To empower the children with life skills and familiarize them with the glorious vistas of our rich and cultural diversity, various festivals are celebrated and displayed through colourful and mesmerizing assemblies wherein participation of students is ensured.*

### DIWALI AND CHRISTMAS

*PDPS did not leave any stone unturned in making our students smile and participate in digital celebration of festivals.... Diwali and Christmas.*

*The team of our teachers went ahead in motivating our students to hold special assembly and encouraged them to show case their talent through various events like rangoli design, carol singing, decorations etc. Children wholeheartedly participated in the fun activities organized for them. Last but not the least our esteemed Principal, Mrs.S R Panda wished and guided students with her golden words of wisdom that made us all welcome the new year 2022 in a special way.*



# REPUBLIC DAY

**26th January 2022, India stepped into her 73rd year of being a Sovereign Democratic Republic.**

**W**e are a young nation with dreams and aspirations. PDPS celebrated the national festival digitally with patriotic zeal and enthusiasm on 25th January. The cold foggy morning could not dampen our national spirit as our school Manager Ms. Bimla Bhatia and Principal unfurled the national flag in the school premises with the chorus singing of the national anthem. The event was digitally shown to our students, followed by a video presentation.



Principal ma'am in her speech reminded students about India's glorious achievements. Students came up with amazing ways to show their patriotic zeal through speech, poetry recitation, dances etc. A painting competition was organised for classes VI-VIII by Ms. Shailee and Ms. Risha.

*Kudos to the efforts of the whole staff!*



## WORKSHOPS FOR TEACHERS

S.No.	Conducted by	Conducted by	Attended by
1	Conduct of CBSE Exams	CBSE	Senior school teachers
2	National Education Policy (NEP)	CBSE	Subject teachers (IX-X)
3	Google classroom	Ms. Anita Malhotra	All teachers of PDPS

## WEBINAR FOR STUDENTS

S.No.	Topic	Conducted by	Attended by
1	Key to Success	Akash + Byjus Institute	VII – IX students
2	Secret to Success	Akash + Byjus Institute	X – XII Students
3	Webex (Digital Safety)	Tata Group	VI – XII Students



# TEEN CREATIONS EMBRACE YOURSELF

*“Life doesn't have to be perfect to be wonderful” – Annette Funicello*  
*If nobody told you this today, you're beautiful, you're worthy, and you're amazing.*  
*Me, this is me. All the flaws, all the imperfections I have in me, is what makes me beautiful.*  
*I remember myself looking in the mirror and being disappointed with myself just because I thought I didn't fit it.*  
*To every person out there, you're amazing.*  
*Embrace yourself, your emotions, your body, your everything.*  
*If you wanna be happier,*  
*The first step is self love. Love every part of you.*  
*Put in your mental, physical and emotional well being first.*  
*Self love motivates you to make healthy choices in life.*  
*Self love is a luxury rather than a necessity.*  
*Be you, regardless of who tells you what to be, or what not to be. Be you.*  
*Let the world know about self love, make people aware.*  
*You should be okay with not being perfect, because that's perfect.*

**Punya VIII A**

## HOW GENDER INEQUALITY AFFECTS WOMEN'S MENTAL HEALTH

*“The psychology of women hitherto actually represents a deposit of the desires and disappointments of men” – Karen Homey*

**A** range of studies indicate that women are affected by mental health problems and that their vulnerability is closely associated with work, marital status and the roles assigned by the society (WHO).

There is a lot of pressure to agree to the gender norms and roles which put a limit to the autonomy and choice of women in our society. Those who do not conform with the gender role expectations are faced with a lot of criticism and judgement contributing to mental distress among women in either way.

Since birth women are taught to be pleasant, nice and suppress all the emotions to 'perform' the better part of femininity. Expectations of women to behave positively all the time may lead to them appearing healthy from outside and pushing it so much that they may have a massive breakdown. Society's demand of emotional labour from women increases the risk of mental health issues but also aggravates the distress from an existing disorder.

A WHO report on the link between patriarchy and mental health in India says that a lot of women have the common symptoms of mental disorders such as depression and anxiety, as well as, severe mental health disorders such as schizophrenia and bipolar disorders.

**Ishaan Bansal X D**

# A KNACK IS ALL THAT ONE NEEDS!

*A talent you possess  
Is one you need to address  
No matter how small  
Continue to brawl  
An extended slumber  
Will be your blunder  
Unspoken sighs  
Will weight your mind  
Do you want life to be album of remorseful times?  
If not, pursue to fight  
I do not write  
I narrate my insight  
Ahead a path of criticism lies  
They might delay  
But cannot constrain your tries  
If heard longer you might begin to believe the lies  
But do not forget  
Light only shines where darkness resides  
You befriend the darkness  
And blaze your light  
Slowly but steadily you crawl towards light  
When you reach, bid darkness good bye  
For she was the companion who polished your eyes  
Shelled you through ambiguity  
Training your feet to attain a valiant stride.*

**Lakshita Aggarwal - XI A**

# अभ्युदय

सूक्तयः - सा विद्या या विमुक्तये ॥

अर्थ - विद्या वही है जो मुक्ति का मार्ग प्रशस्त करती है , अर्थात् जो मुक्ति दिलाए सही मार्ग पर ले जाए ।

अनुवादित तनु

(आठवीं डी)

देशभक्ति

समर्पण देश को मेरे ये अंतिम श्वास हैं ,  
रहेगा आज़ाद ये हमेशा ही विश्वास है,  
जवानों भूल न जाना ये जो एहसास है,  
धरती ही हमारी माँ , हमारी लाज है ,  
समर्पण देश को मेरे ये अंतिम श्वास हैं ॥  
न भूलना कभी देश के उन फ़रिश्तों को,  
झूल गए जो फाँसी पर तोड़ के सब रिश्तों को ,  
इन्हीं से तुम्हारा अडिग विश्वास है ,  
समर्पण देश को मेरे ये अंतिम श्वास हैं ॥  
देश रक्षा के लिए हम सीमा पर तैनात हैं ,  
हमारे रहते हुए क्या डरने की बात है ,  
हो चाहे कोई आतंकी या घुसपैठिया ,  
हमारे सामने उसकी क्या औकात है?  
समर्पण देश को मेरे ये अंतिम श्वास हैं ॥  
हिम्मत कहाँ किसी में जो हमें छेड़ पाएगा ,  
कोशिश भी की तो जवाब मुँह तोड़ पाएगा,  
हमारे सीने में मिट्टी नहीं , फ़ौलाद है ,  
समर्पण देश को मेरे ये अंतिम श्वास हैं ॥

मनन सीकरी (बारहवीं सी)

## मज़दूर

मज़दूर है साहब हम तो इस दुनिया में ,  
हमारी किसी को यहाँ कोई कद्र नहीं है।  
पल पल मरते रहते हैं , हम इस दुनिया में ,  
हमें दफनाने के लिए कोई कब्र नहीं है।  
निर्माण करते हैं हम दुनिया में,  
हमारे सिर पर कोई छत नहीं ।  
मज़दूर है साहब हम तो इस दुनिया में ,  
हमारी किसी को यहाँ कोई कद्र नहीं है॥  
पर अब यह चलन नहीं रहेगा ,  
अब हम में से कोई भी किसी का दमन नहीं सहेगा ।  
मज़दूर तो साहब मज़दूर है ,  
काम भी पूरा करेगा हक भी पूरा लेगा ।  
तुम्हारी इस दुनिया को सबकी जन्नत भी बना देगा ।  
हम मज़दूर है साहब , हम मज़दूर है  
हम नया ज़माना बनाएंगें  
आसमान की बुलंदियों पर छा जाएंगे ॥

माधव तिवारी ( बारहवीं सी )





# नया दौर

सुबह के छह बज रहे थे , आज नींद देर से खुली थी पर आज निश्चित थी कि आज तो छुट्टी है कोई बात नहीं, कोई जल्दी नहीं, कोई चिंता नहीं। उठकर हाथ – मुँह धोकर चाय बनाई और चाय का कप हाथ में लेकर बालकनी में खड़ी हो गई। सामने अद्भुत नज़ारा था। सामने पार्क में हरे – भरे बलखाते पेड़ और उन पर कलरव करते तरह – तरह के सैंकड़ों पक्षी। चाय पीते- पीते सोचा चलो, नीचे उतरकर सामने पार्क में टहल आया जाए। अभी पार्क में इक्का – दुक्का लोग ही थे। धीरे – धीरे लोग आते जा रहे थे और पार्क भरता जा रहा था। अब पक्षियों की चहचहाहट भी गूँजने लगी थी। बड़ा ही सुंदर नज़ारा सामने उपस्थित था। कहीं बच्चे झूले झूल रहे थे तो कहीं दौड़ लगा रहे थे, कहीं बैडमिंटन खेल रहे थे तो कहीं उनकी अठखेलियाँ हो रही थीं। कितने मासूम- कितने प्यारे बच्चे थे जैसे चिंता – फिक्र से कोसों दूर। न जाने कितनी देर तक मैं उन्हें निहारती रही और जैसे खो गई यादों की दुनिया में ..... जहाँ मेरा स्कूल है और वह अनगिनत बच्चे हैं, उनके ठहाके हैं, उनके अपने खेल हैं, उनकी अपनी बातें हैं उनके अपने किस्से हैं, उनके अपने कमरे हैं। उनके अपने कमरे? अचानक जैसे इस सोच को झटका लगा – कहाँ हैं बच्चे? कहाँ हैं उनके ठहाके? कहाँ हैं उनके खेल? कहाँ है उनकी बातें? कहाँ हैं उनके किस्से? हाँ उनके कमरे तो अभी भी हैं पर उनके अंदर सूनापन भरा हुआ है। सोचते हुए आहाँखे भर आई, मन कराह उठा, आखिर कब तक ऐसा ही समय रहेगा? आखिर कभी तो सूखे पत्ते हरे होंगे। माना कि कल अँधेरा था, माना कि कल बीमारी अपना खूँखार खेल रही थी, माना कि कल ज़िंदगी थम गई थी, माना कि कल साँसों पर पहरा था, माना कि कल अँधेरा बड़ा गहरा था पर अब खेल कब तक चलता? अच्छा समय आया, उस बीमारी को मार भागने के लिए वैक्सीन बनी और इलाज मिल गया। इलाज मिल गया बड़ों को और फिर बच्चों को। देखते ही देखते बीमारी दुम दबाकर भागने लगी और कल की कालिमा आज स्वर्णिम आभा बन गई। आज फिर संसार खुशियों से भर गया। भर गया मेरा स्कूल भी खुशियों से, बच्चों की मुस्कान से, बच्चों के किलोल से। आज फिर हर तरफ शोर है, फिर हर तरफ कामयाबी पाने की दौड़ है। आज हर स्कूल का हर प्रांगण गुलज़ार है, आज हर घर का आँगन बच्चों को पढ़ाने को तैयार है।

..... मुझे लगा जैसे मैं स्कूल के लिए लेट हो रही हूँ, अरे बच्चे स्कूल में और मैं यहाँ! तभी मेरी तंद्रा टूटी और अपने को पार्क में बच्चों के बीच घिरा पाया जो शायद मुझसे अपनी शटलकॉक माँग रहे थे जो मेरे बेंच के नीचे आ गिरी थी।

सच अब सब कुछ बदलने लगा था। खुशियाँ फिर धीरे – धीरे बरसने लगीं थीं। खुशबूदार ताज़ी हवा बह उठी थी। नया दौर आ गया था।

हिन्दी विभाग अध्यक्ष – अंजू मोहन

## पहेली वर्ग

एक परिंदा ऐसा देखा ,तालाब किनारे रहता।  
मुँह से अग्नि उगलता और पूँछ से द्रव कोपीता?  
(दीपक) राशि मल्होत्रा 7 बी

ऐसी कौन – सी चीज़ है ,  
जिसे आगे से भगवान ने बनाया है ,  
और पीछे से इंसान ने ?  
(बैल गाड़ी ) नव्या खण्डेलवाल ,आठवीं सी

## पानी तेरे कितने नाम :

पानी आकाश से गिरे तो - बारिश,आकाश की ओर उठे तो -  
भाप  
अगर जम कर गिरे तो - ओले, अगर गिरकर जमे तो - बर्फ  
फूल पर होतो - ओस , बहने लगे तो - नदी  
सीमाएं तोड़ दे तो - प्रलय, शरीर से निकले तो - पसीना  
जमा हो जाए तो - झील, आँखों से निकले तो - आंसू  
भगवान के चरणों को छूकर निकले तो- चणामृत

तरनजीत कौर ग्रेवाल , छठी ब

## विद्यार्थियों की उपलब्धियां

यह सच है कि विद्यार्थियों के सर्वांगीण विकास के लिए पाठ्यक्रम, पाठ्यपुस्तकों के साथ – साथ सह पाठ्यक्रम गतिविधियों का समाविष्ट होना भी आवश्यक है | इसी आवश्यकता को ध्यान में रखते हुए कोविड – संकट के समय में भी विद्यालय ने अनेक विद्यालयेतर कार्यक्रमों में भाग लेकर अपनी गौरवपूर्ण उपस्थिति दर्ज कारवाई | इन कार्यक्रमों और आयोजित गतिविधियों में हिंदी विभाग ने विजयी परंपरा को जीवंत बनाए रखा ; नीचे क्रमबद्ध गतिविधियों की सूची संलग्न है :

विद्यालय का नाम / विभाग	प्रतियोगिता का नाम	प्रतिभागी विद्यार्थी व कक्षा	स्थान
द सृजन स्कूल ( The Srijan School)	गुफ्तगू	अर्जुन सिंह सातवीं बी , अरना बनर्जी सातवीं ई	प्रथम
द सृजन स्कूल ( The Srijan School)	Siciotisement Advertisement with the cause	मोक्षी बारहवीं सी	प्रथम
द सृजन स्कूल ( The Srijan School)	कहो कहानी , .वार्ली की जुबानी	परनल जैन नवीं ए किशन भारद्वाज ग्यारहवीं ए	
द सृजन स्कूल ( The Srijan School)	संस्कृतसमाचारवाचनम्	युभाषना जैन, नमन आठवीं- ई	
डी.ए. वी पब्लिक स्कूल ( रोहिणी)	ईशः स्तुती ( भजन गायन)	एनेश धीर छठी -ए	
हिन्दी विकास मंच	हिन्दी ओलंपियाड	ध्रुव चांदनी छठी – सी युभाषना जैन आठवीं- ई चैतन्य शर्मा दसवीं –ए हर्षिता (छठी -ए) नयन , छवि सचदेवा , लक्ष्य त्यागी , अंशिका (छठी – बी )	रजत रजत कांस्य
शिक्षा मंत्रालय , स्कूली शिक्षा और साक्षरता विभाग	वीरगाथा प्रोजेक्ट	जिया दिलावरी ग्यारहवीं	



# Editorial Board

Dear Readers,

We hope you enjoyed flipping through the pages of this e-news letter of Prabhu Dayal Public School. It was a sincere attempt to showcase the positive attitude, hardwork and sustained efforts exhibited by our students and teachers. Here, I would like to extend our gratitude to the esteemed members of the management for supporting us in this venture. And above all, our Principal, Mrs. S R Panda for her amazing leadership! We are so grateful to you, Ma'am, for planning and executing everything in such a thoughtful, mature and wise manner.

## Teacher-in-charge:-

- Ms. Ritu Verma
- Ms. Aanchal Kaila
- Ms. Risha Singh

