



# PRABHU DAYAL PUBLIC SCHOOL

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## EDITORIAL

It is a pleasure to bring out another issue of 'Blue Streak', the e-newsletter of PDPS. However, we should not only look at milestones but enjoy the journey, the process of learning of events that highlighted the school calendar and above all the enthusiasm and contribution of the students in making the past year so special. I am confident that the readers will enjoy leafing through the pages highlighting the activities and achievements of the school.

Our sincere thanks to all contributors, faculty and students. Our deepest gratitude to esteemed Principal, Mr. A K Sharma for his unflinching support in shaping this issue.  
Best Wishes!!

**Ms. Ritu Verma**  
(I/c Editorial team)



## **From the Desk of Principal**

### **PDPS 2.0**

PDPS 2.0 is the 21 st Century version of the Prabhu Dayal Public School. The school spread in 3 campuses and rich with 58 years legacy symbolizes the life long learning experiences gifted to all PDPians. PDPS 2.0 redefines Prabhu Dayal Public School as a strong learning community. It impinges on a strategic plan which gravitates towards educational renewal and re-establishment.

The legacy of our school system should not only focus on academic pursuits but on long term questions of educational purpose also. Students of our school on gradually becoming media literate to use tools online, function in a collaborative research base environment, analyzing, synthesizing, critiquing, evaluating, creating and exploring, new knowledge. We have planned to further enter into latest innovations to develop scientific thought process among the students. This will prove that the students are digital natives and teachers are digital immigrants.

At PDPS, students are prepared to succeed with courage, confidence, compassion, creativity and character so that their overall personality development make them smart enough to face emerging challenges in the society.

We are quite essentially a learning organization, re-inventing ourselves for new challenges. PDPS 2.0 will give PDPians a great opportunity to grab their education and run into the wide world with “Trust thyself” attitude and ready not to surrender.

**A.K. SHARMA**  
Principal

## SUCCESS STORIES .....

- Three students of our school who passed Secondary School Examination in 2017 have been awarded the Certificate of Merit by CBSE. The names of the students are :-

Mayank Surya, Smriti Gulyani and Vanshika Gupta (Class X)

- The board also awarded Certificate of Merit in each subject to the top 0.1% of the successful candidates in order to recognize their outstanding performance at Senior School Certificate Examination – Rashi Bachwani (Class XII)
- On 21st October 2017, PDPS kids participated in 9th Sanshink an Open Karate Championship at Talkatora Stadium, Delhi and achieved 2nd team trophy of the Championship with 6 gold, 4 silver, 10 bronze medals.

**Gold medals** – Diksha Arya, Mansi Sharma, Aanchal Sharma, Suvali Biswal, Om and Lavya

**Silver medals** – Sanchit Verma, Naina, Kartik and Basila Altaf

**Bronze medals** – Manu Jain, Harmanpreet, Drishti Sharma, Keshav, Rahul Rout, Akshita, Omkar, Aarti Lamba, Kavita

- Ayush Raj Verma (VIII) participated in 14th Baskara Award Maths Competition, 2017 and obtained 82.8% in Group -3 category.
- Gauri Sharma (VII C) participated in Delhi Open Taekwondo Championship conducted at Guru Harikrishan Public School, Punjabi Bagh and won Gold medal.

*Congratulations to all achievers !!!!*



## PRE SCHOOL

### SWACHH BHARAT: GREEN DELHI CLEAN DELHI (LET'S BE CLEAN)

To inculcate the habit of cleanliness among the students a Swachh Bara drive was organized in the nursery school. Students took pledge to keep their surroundings neat and clean.



### SOLO RECITATION

'Poetry is when an emotion has found its thought and the thought has found words.' English solo recitation competition was held in which the tiny tots recited the poem enthusiastically and expressed their thoughts.



### DADI / NANI KI KAHANYIAN

Stories provide vital nourishment to children specially when it comes from dadi / nani. Keeping in mind the importance of stories in child's life, dadi / nani ki kahaniyan activity was organized in nursery school.



### EXTEMPORE

To imbibe a true spirit of learning in children and to enhance communication skills in them, an extempore competition was held ; where the students came dressed up as their favourite helpers (eg. Doctor, pilot, teacher, soldier etc.)



## PRE SCHOOL

### CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR

'Christmas is the spirit of giving without a thought of getting'. Seeking in the spirit of xmas, the tiny tots of PDPS celebrated the festival with gaiety. The entire campus was festooned with colourful balloons and a brightly decorated Santa with his sleigh. Children made lovely cards to welcome NEW YEAR 2018.



### REPUBLIC DAY

'Freedom in mind, faith in our heart, memories in our souls. Lets salute the nation on Republic Day.

On this occasion the students gave an amazing dance performance and recited poems. Our Principal Sir, hoisted the National flag and encouraged the future leaders.



### BASANT PANCHAMI

The festival celebrated in honour of Goddess Saraswati, the Goddess of learning and knowledge. Our children came dressed up in yellow coloured clothes and offered prayers to Goddess Saraswati.

## PRE SCHOOL

### STORY TELLING

To nurture the confidence of students, story telling competition was held in the school in which the students narrated stories with great passion and devotion.



### FESTIVAL CELEBRATIONS

#### *Dussehra and Diwali*

The tiny tots involved themselves in craft work—making dandiya sticks on the festival of Dussehra. They were seen dressed in ethnic attire, made colourful rangolis and decorated classrooms to celebrate the festival of lights **DIWALI**.



### SPORTS DAY

The idiom 'All work and no play makes Jack a dull boy' holds true even for young learners. The Nursery school celebrated its annual Sports Meet on 9th Feb. 2018. During the fun filled day children participated in various races like – balloon race, balancing the ball, zig-zag race etc. Parents were also invited to cheer up their tiny tots.

Our Principal Mr. A K Sharma felicitated the winners by giving them medals and certificates.



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## LOHRI

The festival of Lohri holds a great significance as it marks the harvesting season and the end of winter season. The students all dressed in Punjabi attire showed their moves on beats of dhol.





## PRIMARY WING

*Learning gives creativity,*

*Creativity leads to thinking,*

*Thinking provides knowledge,*

*Knowledge makes you great.*

**A.P.J. Abdul Kalam**



### Proud Moment

It was a moment of great pride for each one of us when our school won 1st Prize in the 10th Sanshinkan Open Karate Championship.

### Another Laurel

Our students won the School Trophy “War of Warriors” on 7th February 2018 in Talkatora Stadium New Delhi ,Championship organised by Sanshinkan Delhi Warriors



# PRIMARY WING

## Dussehra Celebrations

Keeping the festive spirit alive a special assembly on the occasion of Dussehra was conducted on 29th September, 2017.

The students of primary school put an enthralling 'Musical Ramleela' to celebrate Dussehra accenting the message of 'triumph of good over evil'. Honourable Principal Sir explained to the students, the significance of the festival – how good always conquers evil and also about why and how Dussehra is celebrated across India.



## Dussehra Celebrations

“Yoga is the journey of the self, through the self, to the self.”



## Diwali Celebrations

Diwali, the festival of lights that enlightens the heart and brings joy was celebrated with fun-fare on 18th October 2017.

The graceful presentations by the students were spell bounding. They mesmerised the audience with their group song and the rhythmic dances. Teachers and students decorated their classes. Students made beautiful lamp shades, decorated diyas and rangolis for Diwali. Principal Mr. A. K. Sharma appreciated this endeavour of the students and the teachers. He conveyed how all festivals can be celebrated with a message of joy.



## Class II and III Show and Tell Competition

“Your ability to express yourself confidently wins you the respect of others.”

The school organised a Show and Tell competition for Classes II and III. The students chose different handmade objects and spoke in detail. Performing in competition helps to remove stage fright and acquire confidence.

### CLASS-III



### CLASS-II



## Christmas Celebrations

“It is Christmas every time you let god love others through you.”  
-Mother Teresa

A special assembly was organised in the school 22nd December, 2017 on the occasion of Christmas. To bring in the Christmas cheer, the young children danced to the Christmas tunes. The students also presented a play depicting the birth of Jesus Christ and enlivened the whole atmosphere with Christmas carols.



## Dental and Eye Check up

Keeping in mind the health of our students “An Eye & Dental Check up” was organised @ PDPS.



## Sports Day 27.12.2017

Prabhu Dayal Public School celebrated its Annual Sports Day on 27th December, 2017 with great zeal and fervour in the school play ground.

The programme commenced with hoisting of the flag and lighting of the torch of goodwill. The chill of winter did not dampen the spirit of our young athletes. The March past was a magnificent display of discipline, co-ordination and the impeccable synchronization of all the different squads of the various Houses. Students participated in various athletic events and races. The winners were honoured with medals and certificates.



## Maths Inter School Competition Winners

Students of Class IV and V have participated in “Expression 2017” an Inter-School Competition in Mata Jai Kaur Public School. They have secured II position. They made a 3D monument Taj Mahal using 2D shapes. Our students were appreciated for their creativity and innovative ideas.



## Story Telling Competition

“Story Telling is the most powerful way to put ideas into the world.”  
-Robert Makee

The school conducted an English Story Telling competition for KG Class students. Students participated with passion by narrating moral based stories. They also used colourful props to enhance their stories and each contestant performed to their best ability. The competition was a great success. Certificates were awarded to the winners for their effort.



## Republic Day Celebrations

The school celebrated Republic Day with great enthusiasm and vigour on January 25, 2018. The celebration started with hoisting of our flag by the special children in our school from Classes KG to Class IV followed by our National Anthem. Students gave patriotic performances.



## Workshop on Craft Work

An Art & Craft workshop was conducted in PDPS by NIE for the students of Classes III to V on 31st January 2018. It was a great learning experience of card making, coffee painting and doll making.



**Group Photographs of the students of Class V (Batch 2017-18) with their teachers - A memory to cherish for their whole life.**

**V-A**



**V-B**



**V-C**



**V-D**



## Maths Presentation Activity

Students of Class V had been given some topics from their syllabus to give presentation.



## Spell Bee Competition

Spell Bee Competition was conducted to enhance the spellings and literary skills of children. The contestants were asked to spell a broad selection of words, with a varying degrees of difficulty. The competition was an enjoyable, resulting in a lot of learning and fun.



## Drawing Competition

“Creativity is intelligence having fun.”-  
Albert Einstein

School conducted drawing competition for all primary classes in order to enrich the students' talents to make them keen observers. The drawings of the youngsters were fantastic and showed creativity.





## Maths Quiz

School organised Maths Quiz for classes III to V based on their cognitive skills and mental aptitude. The competition was a great success which helped the students to enhance abstract concepts and advance numeracy skills.



## Class IV G.K. Quiz

General knowledge quiz for the students of all the five sections of Class IV was organised to update their general awareness and current affairs knowledge.



## Children of Kindergarten showcasing their oratory skills.



The function of education is to teach one to think intensively and to think critically.

Intelligence plus character – that is the goal of true education.

**Dr. Martin Luther King Jr.**

## **From Children's Pen**

### Discipline

Discipline is what?

It is not just a thought .

It is the way you control your tongue and actions,

From which you get a good reaction.

It is the path which makes you healthy,

Any man can follow this whether poor or wealthy.

Discipline makes better youe elegance and personality,

Do not do it as a formality.

When you're in Discipline you feel good you do good

Like we enjoy the furniture from wood.

May you find discipline

In your heart, soul and mind.....

**Poorvi Gulati**

V-B

**Discipline is the refining  
fire by which talent  
becomes ability.**

## My Ambition

Life without aim is no life. I want to do many things in my life. I want to be a scientist or an astronaut. I also want to climb Mount Everest. I want to be a Karate champion too. But the first and the most important thing I want to be a good person. If I am not a good person, no one would like to work with me or live with me. If I am not a good citizen then no one will like me. I want to do something for my country, for many people by inventing new and helpful things for many needy people. I want to make the world a beautiful heaven. I want to see no poor people on the roads. I want to see happiness everywhere.

Naina

V-C



# INTERZONAL CULTURAL COMPETITIONS

S.N.	COMPETITION	NAME OF STUDENT	RESULT
1	DEBATE HINDI (JR)	ABHIMANY AND BHASKAR	II
2	EXTEMPORE ENGLISH (SR)	ASHAY RAJ	I
3	DECLAMATION HINDI	TWINKLE KHANNA	II
4	DECLAMATION ENGLISH (SR)	MANISH SINGHAL	I
5	ESSAY WRITING (SR)	MEGHA YADAV	II

## ZONAL SPORTS ACTIVITIES

### ZONAL HANDBALL

SENIOR GIRLS

BRONZE MEDAL

JUNIOR GIRLS

GOLD MEDAL

SUB JUNIOR GIRLS

SILVER MEDAL

## ZONAL ATHLETICS MEET

- SHOTPUT

### SENIOR GIRLS

MANISHA

XII C

SILVER MEDAL

SEJAL PAYAL

XII C

BRONZE MEDAL

### JUNIOR GIRLS

HARGUN KAUR

X C

SILVER MEDAL

KHUSHI GOEL

X C

BRONZE MEDAL

- DISCUS THROW

### SENIOR GIRLS

MANISHA

XII C

BRONZE MEDAL

### JUNIOR GIRLS

HARGUN KAUR

X C

SILVER MEDAL



### JUNIOR BOYS

YASH SINGH                      X C                      SILVER MEDAL

### LONG JUMP (JUNIOR BOYS)

ASTU SHERAWAT              X C                      GOLD MEDAL

### HIGH JUMP (SENIOR BOYS)

YATENDRA                      XII A                      SILVER MEDAL

### RELAY RACE (JUNIOR BOYS)

ASTU SHERAWAT              X C  
AYUSH                          IX E  
AARAV                          IX C  
VASU                              IX B                      BRONZE MEDAL

### **INTER CLASS CRICKET COMPETITION 2018**

#### CLASSWISE WINNERS ARE –

VI A

VII B

VIII A

IX E

X B

XI B

## INTER CLASS ACTIVITIES

S.N.	COMPETITION	NAME & CLASS OF STUDENTS	RESULT
1	COMPUTER QUIZ CLASS IX	LAKSHAY SHARMA IX C ASHU VERMA IX B SAKSHAM SHIL IX A	I II III
2	PAINTING COMPETITION CLASS VI	RESHMA VIC DIVYANKA CHANDHOK VID PAVANI SHARMA VI B	I II III
3	PAINTING COMPETITION CLASS VII	VARSHIKA SHARMA VII C GEETANSH VII E	I II
4	PAINTING COMPETITION CLASS VIII	KRITIKA VIII D KUSHAGARA VIII B MEHAK GOSSAIN VIII B	I II III
5	PAINTING COMPETITION CLASS IX	KASHISH RATURI IX C ISHIQUA DESWAL IX A NAMAN IX D	I II III
6	PAINTING COMPETITION CLASS X	NEHA DHIR X D MUSKAAN GOEL X D KRITI VERMA X A SIMRAN DABHWAL X A	I II III IV
7	MATHS QUIZ CLASS XI	TANISHA, VANSHIKA, HARSHIL, RISHANK XI D  SARTHAK IX C, PARTH, HEMANSH, RADHIKA XI E  AASIF, TUSHAR, DIPESH, DIVYA XI A  TANYA BAHAL, SMRITI, TUSHAR, ISHAN XI B	I  II  III  IV

## MEGA EVENTS OF PDPS

### RAINBOW

PDPS organized RAINBOW 2017 on 18th Nov., 2017 an annual cultural extravaganza with 100% participation of its Pre-School and Pre-Primary students. The tiny tots enthralled everyone with their amazing display of talents. The Chief Guest, Prof. R B Singh, Vice President, International Geographical Union was given a floral welcome. The skit 'Mann Mein Hai Hero' depicted that every child is a secret superstar in his own way. Teachers organized some fabulous games for parents and grandparents. Miss Bimla Bhatia, Manager and Mr. A K Sharma, Principal graced the occasion with their valuable presence.



## SPIRIT OF SPORTSMANSHIP

The much awaited Sports Day of our school was held on 27th Dec., 2017 amidst great mirth, verve and camaraderie. The Chief Guest, Sh. Y P Purang (President, Roopnagar Public School Society) was welcomed by Manager, Ms. Bimla Bhatia and Principal. The spectacular and synchronized March Past rendered the spectators awestruck. Students from classes I to XII competed in multifarious track and field events. Principal, Mr. A K Sharma felicitated the prize winners and appreciated the efforts of students and teachers.



## FAREWELL TO CLASS XII

“Great is the art of beginning but greater is the art of ending”

The farewell function for the outgoing batch of class XII was organized on Jan. 27. The day was a fiesta devoted to the years spent together with teachers and friends to reminisce joyous moments. The school Manager Miss Bimla Bhatia and the Principal graced the occasion. Scintillating dances and pulsating music rocked the ambience. The event culminated with the words of wisdom by Principal Sir.





## CLUB ACTIVITIES

### MATRIX – 2

A team of five students of classes VI – VIII and three teachers participated in various maths related competition held at CIC, Delhi University on Oct. 30, 2017 under the event – 'Matrix – 2'. A team of three teachers Ms. Preeti Jain, Ms. Swati Khanna and Ms. Jyoti Maurya stood first in 'Maths Wall Design.' They also bagged I position in Tarsia Puzzle. Akshay of class VIII, Sanchit Giri Goswami of class VII were declared II in Maths Quiz. Srishti Goel of class VIII stood II in 'Pentominoes'.



### FOSTERING SCIENTIFIC POTENTIALS

Maths and Science Club organized 'COSMOS' from 14th to 17th November 2017. A plethora of events and competitions were organized including role play, fancy dress, bulletin board decoration, mathematical rangoli making etc.

Science and Maths models were put up for display. COSMOS was inaugurated by chairman Dr. V K Tyagi. Principal Sir, appreciated the efforts and hardwork of students and teachers.

## ENCOURAGING THE YOUNG TECHIES

Computer club under the guidance of Ms. Vaishali Oberoi conducted different activities in the school. Students of class 8th and 9th participated in Powerpoint competition on topics like Pollution and Remedies, self defence, yoga, artificial intelligence etc. winners were felicitated with certificates of appreciation. The day culminated with the Principal's address who promoted the novel ways of learning. It was an altogether an enlightening experience for students.



## INSTILLING SECULAR SPIRIT

### DIWALI

A special assembly was organized on the occasion of Diwali. The function was jeweled with various performances like dance, orchestra, skit and speech. The children were imbued with values to enjoy a safe Diwali. A rangoli competition was also organized in the school premises.



## GURU PURAB

On 3rd Nov. 2017, the school celebrated the birth anniversary of Guru Nanak Devji. Students of class IX Akshit and Vansh enlightened everyone by their speech. 'Shabad Kirtan' by the school choir instilled a pious feeling amongst students.



## CHRISTMAS

With an aim to spread the message of Jesus Christ of love, benevolence and generosity; Christmas was celebrated in the school premises. Students of middle wing participated in a spectacular music and dance performance. It filled the air with festive spirit.



## REPUBLIC DAY

Mahanadi House organized special assembly for Republic Day. School Manager Miss Bimla Bhatia and Principal hoisted the national flag; followed by a colourful, vibrant cultural program. Sir, in his enlightening speech stressed on essence of Indian Culture i.e. acceptability and adaptability.



## OTHER EVENTS

### **FAREWELL TO MR. I.S. MATHUR**

DOJ  
16.11.1979

DOR  
30.11.2017



### HEALTH CARE PROGRAMME

DENTAL AND EYE CHECK UP  
was conducted on 12 and 13 December  
in the school premises.



### PARIKSHA PE CHARCHA

Exams are not the benchmark for success in life. It is important to view them in right perspective. Keeping this in mind, Hon'ble PM of India addressed students of our country about why appearing for exams without stress is important and how to do it. The students of our school witnessed the interaction through a webcast.



## TEEN CREATIONS

### THE STORY OF MY COUNTRY

Years ago, it was a blow  
When the country was approached by invaders,  
Many desired to rule her  
While some came as traders.  
They cut her wings, which  
Once enabled her to fly high in the sky,  
They exploited her dignity  
Leaving her high and dry.  
But there came the heroes time-to-time  
Who wanted to play just one game  
Driving all of them out of our motherland  
Was their ultimate aim.  
The contribution of such heroes was  
A model to behold.  
Whose selfless sacrifice did the job,  
Who bore all the pain for the country  
Without uttering a sob  
We call them 'heroes' as they are the real ones  
Who made impossible to look possible,  
By fighting out all odds  
And making the way to freedom feasible  
And here flutters the tricolor again  
Fearless and overjoyed to store,  
At thousands of people standing below it  
Saluting and looking up there.

**SHIVANI MUKHERJEE**  
**(XII C)**

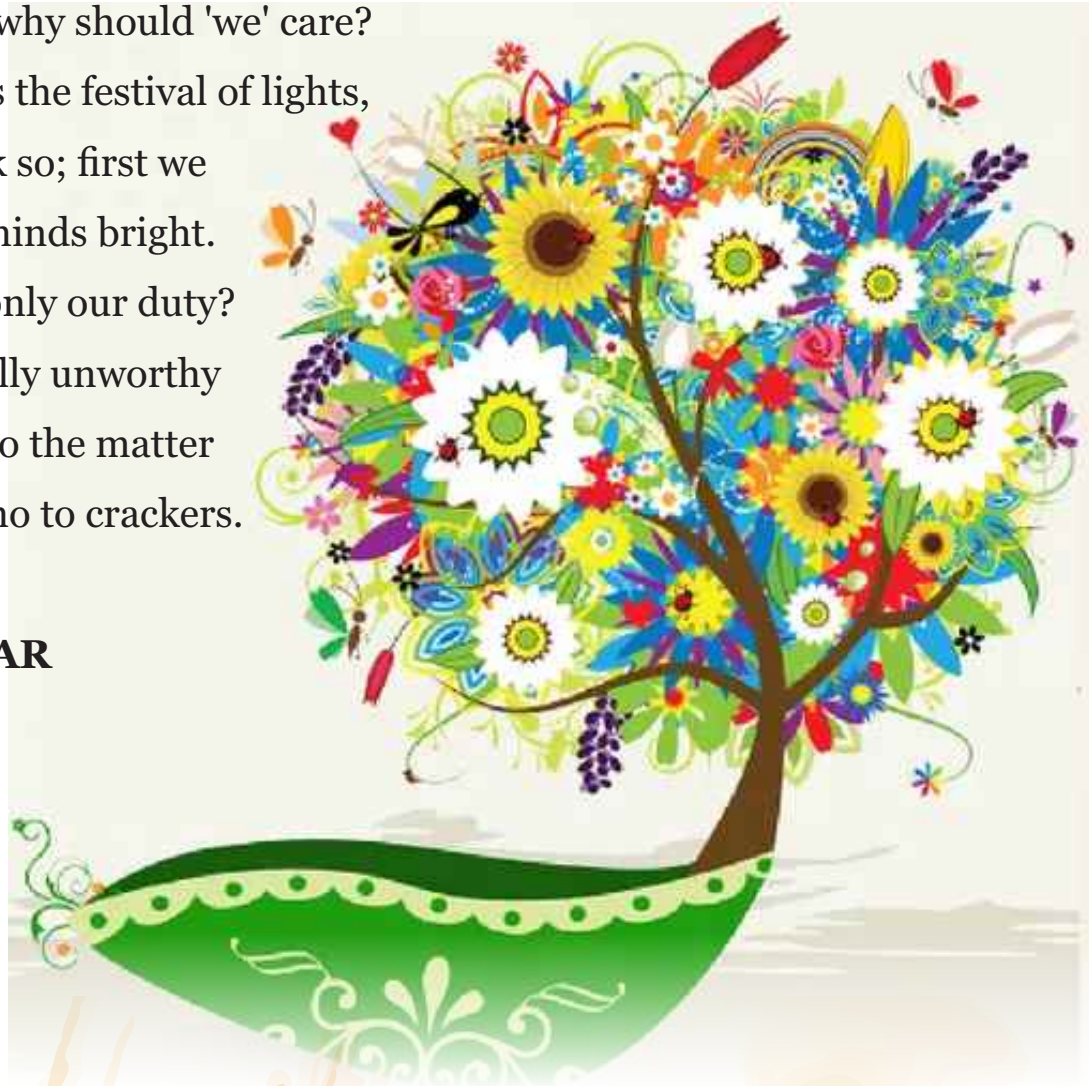
## TEEN CREATIONS

### CRACKERS, CRACKERS EVERYWHERE

Crackers, crack everywhere  
No place for infants care  
Neither our grandparents can sleep,  
While seeing pollution our earth weeps.  
We are polluting our air very well,  
At such a place patient can't live well.  
We can find breathing problem everywhere  
But our intention, why should 'we' care?  
No doubt, Diwali is the festival of lights,  
But don't you think so; first we  
Should make our minds bright.  
Is polluting earth only our duty?  
Or our birth is totally unworthy  
We should look into the matter  
And have to say... no to crackers.

**KASHISH KUMAR**

**IX – D)**



# TEEN CREATIONS

## THE LAST LECTURE

The chalk still has the fragrance of her hands,  
And it dusts her presence around,  
I could feel the slow separation,  
With each day counting down.  
Last attendance that my heart would adore,  
To experience her presence I had few days more.  
Her pink, her red, her orange, her favourite off white,  
Everything seemed away and out of sight.  
She cleaned the blackboard, my eyes got wet,  
The pain finally entered on the separation set.  
She left with rain, the petrichor herself.  
With teary eyes I bid adieu,  
Thanks won't be enough, there is too much due  
I can never explain my love for you  
You gave so much .....

Without realization, and leaving any clue  
A strange mixture ....  
When I talk about my last lecture ....

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