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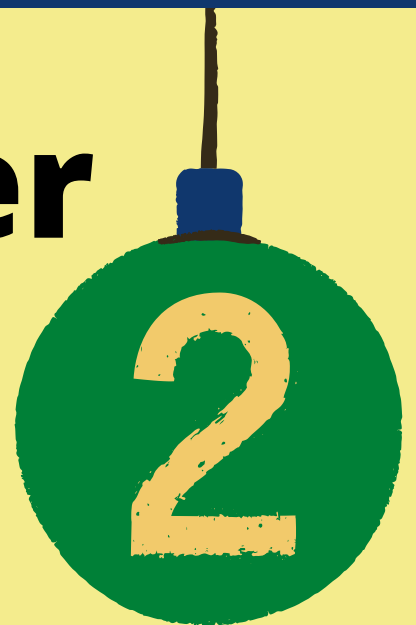
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MESSAGE

Life is ever-changing
Never be afraid of change,
But welcome it as a stepping stone
To loftier heights

Dear students,

As I begin to write a few words for yet another edition of newsletter, I find that my mind is filled with compatible thoughts. We all live under the same sky, but we all don't have the same horizon. Every child is potentially the light of the world. And so, we inspire to enlighten 'you'. We at VIS light a fire within the child so that he /she can fly with the wings of fire and seek new heights.

Martin Luther King once said, "I have a dream!" and I wish I had the eloquence to communicate that dream to you. My dream for you is that, you be the Champions of the world.

At VIS, I can hear the chatter of eager minds, the noise of excitement and the sound of melodious voices harmonizing. The perpetual energy, movement and enthusiasm permeate the atmosphere of VIS. We are a school with a difference. We value individualism, creativity and innovation and strive to nurture them in you. At the same time, we encourage you to take risks and explore your passions in pursuit of your personal life journey.

Your presence here, have made this school a unique and vibrant one, with a clear sense of its own identity, a place where you want to be, are proud of and which launches you into a myriad of futures locally and globally.

Never think hard about the past, it brings tears. Don't think more about the future, it brings fear. Live this moment with a smile, it brings cheer. Every test in our life makes us bitter or better, every problem comes to make or break us, choice is ours whether we become victims or victorious.

I pray to the Almighty that this school marches ahead remaining true to the ethos and principles and carrying forward the torch of success. May it become one of the most sought-after schools in the world that teaches its students not just how to make a living but also how to live.

God Bless.

Shri. V. P. Tandon
Chairman



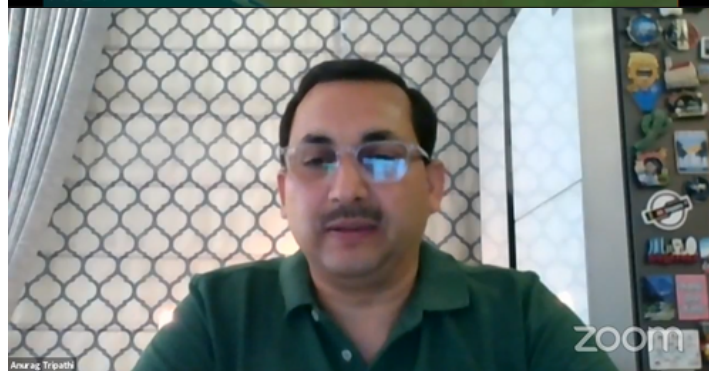
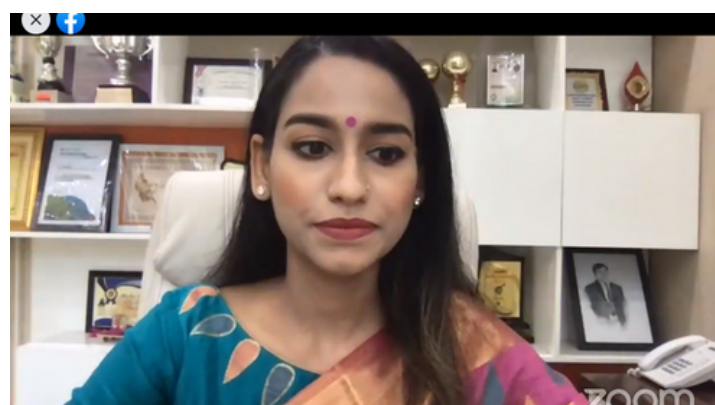
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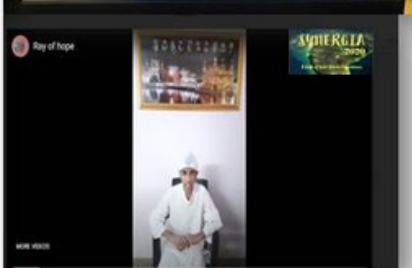
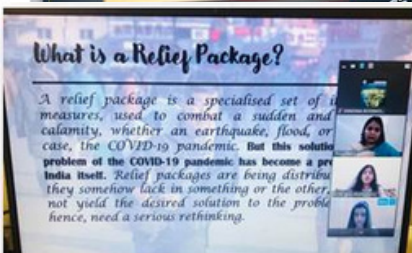
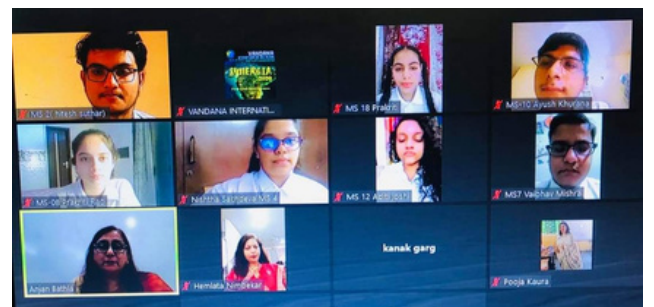
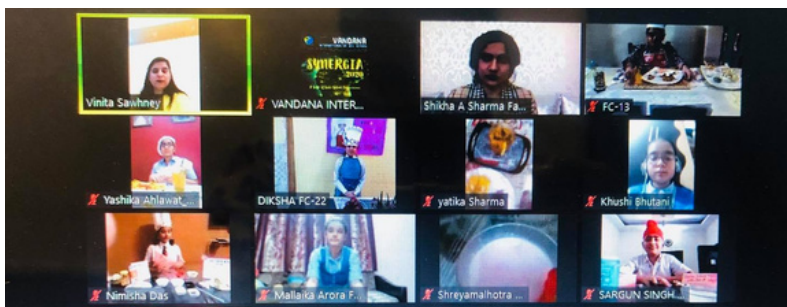
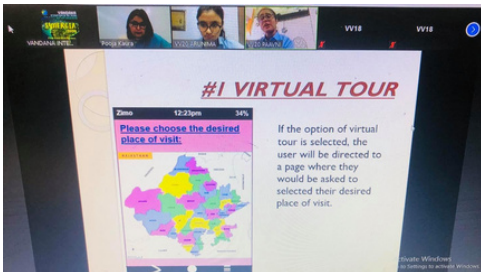


Synergia- A saga of Inter-School Competitions.

Our school has been organizing this competition since 2016 and is proud to involve around 50 schools with more than 600 students exhibiting their talents in various areas.

Synergia 2020 - with the theme India Against Corona, on a digital platform in which 50 venerated schools and 600 students from New Delhi and NCR showcased their talent and intrinsic coveted skills. The event was held for a week from 29th July 20 and was culminated on 8th August 2020 with 'Prize Distribution Ceremony'. Mr Harsh Tandon, Vice Chairman, Vandana International Sr Sec School extended cordial welcome to the Chief Guest Mr ANURAG TRIPATHI, Hon'ble Secretary, CBSE who addressed the parents and students on the topic 'Collaboration is the key to present day learning and success in the future'. It was an enriching Live-session on Face Book attended by more than 9k students and their parents who gained an insight about the latest education policies and trends which will allow students to attain skills and knowledge that can supplement or complement their main field of study. The event was witnessed by noteworthy invitees DR R K Sharma (Founder Chairman, Coordination Committee of Public Schools), Dr. D K Pandey (Principal, N C Jindal Public School) and Dr. C B Mishra (Director, Principal, Prudence Group of Schools) who graced the occasion with their benign presence along with Mr V P Tandon, Chairman, Vandana, Kamal, Gurugram and Trinity group of Institutions, New Delhi & NCR. Mrs Vandana Tandon, Vice Chairperson also joined the event to appreciate and bless the winners for their best performances. The School Academic Director Mrs Akansha Tandon announced that CAMBRIDGE FOUNDATION SR SEC SCHOOL, RAJOURI GARDEN is achiever of 'Rolling Trophy' with the highest scores in Synergia 2020 and she also congratulated all the winners for their exemplary performance.





PROUD MOMENTS

ACHIEVEMENTS

- We are delighted to share with you the overwhelming result of our Vandanite, **Manan Goel** of class VIII B who has made us incredibly proud by winning Accolades in an inter-school competition 'Fantasia' hosted by Adarsh Public School. Well done!!!



- We are ecstatic to share that Vandanites have brought laurels at Euphony 2020-Virtual Interschool Competition hosted by The Indian Heights School. **Akshita Panwar** of class VIII A won the third position in 'One Nation One Voice' competition. Moment of Pride and Jubilation for the entire VIS team!!



“Success lies in the joy of achievement and the thrill of creative effort.”

It is a moment of immense pleasure and pride as the student of Vandana International School, Dwarka, in their pursuit of striving towards excellence marked dexterity and brought laurels to the school through remarkable prowess.

Our student Anmol of class7 won a special commendation in the online event “Fun with Scratch” organized by Adarsh Public School, contemplating the theme “Covid Ready Schools.”

Heartiest Congratulations to dear Anmol, mentors and parents!!

A proud moment for all!!!

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Vandanites shine again in Interschool Competitions!!

Naman Bansal of class 7 won the second position in "Quizzards" competition hosted by Mount Carmel School, Dwarka. Congratulations Naman!!! We are proud of your achievement.



We echo Dylan Thomas who said, 'A good poem is a contribution to reality. The world is never the same once a good poem has been added to it. A good poem helps to change the shape of the universe, helps to expand everyone's knowledge and the world around him/her'

We feel that Poetry is the essence of language. It's an art form that has withstood the test of time. Therefore, we feel the need to expose students to the dynamic entity that is poetry.

It is a moment of pride and happiness for the Vandana School Fraternity, as the young Vandanite Ayush Luthra of grade 7 proved his mettle at an Online Inter School Competition 'RHYME- IT AROUND 'hosted by MBS International School. Kudos to our young poet!



Learning is experience. Everything else is just information. Paramount International School organized an Inter School Competition "Arcadia" wherein our student Mohit Sagar, class VIII donned his chef cap for the competition Master Chef(Cooking with care) and bagged I position. It added a feather to our cap.

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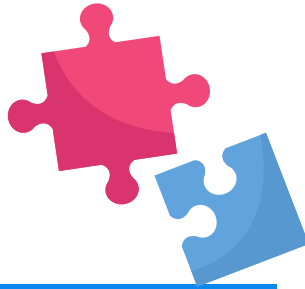
Accolades to both the winners and their Mentors.

Heartiest Congratulations dear students!!

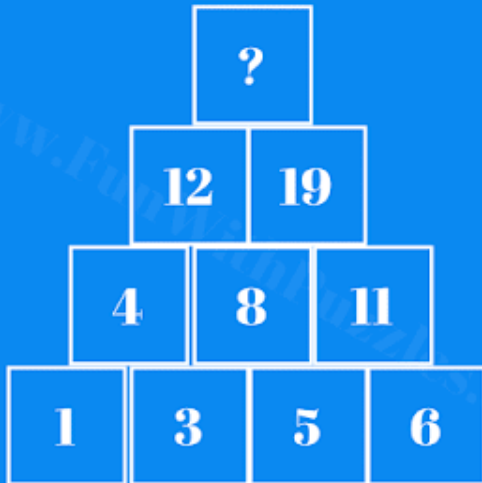
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FUN TIME



MATH PYRAMID BRAIN TEASER



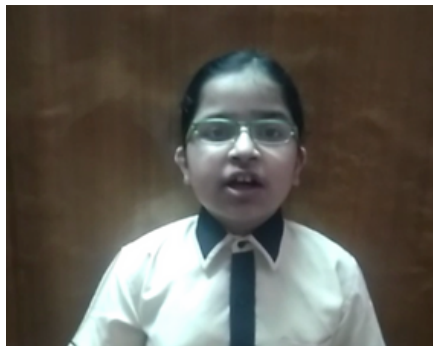
Share if you Can Find the Missing Number?

..... Spot the Twins

Can you spot the two identical pictures?

HINDI DIWAS

हिंदी केवल एक भाषा ही नहीं बल्कि भावनाओं का उमड़ता हुआ सैलाब है। 14 सितंबर 1949 को संविधान सभा द्वारा आजाद भारत की मुख्य भाषा के रूप में हिंदी को पहचान दी गई थी। साल 1952 में पहली बार हिंदी दिवस का आयोजन हुआ था। हिंदी विश्व में चौथी सबसे अधिक बोली जाने वाली भाषा है। भारत में 77% लोग हिंदी बोलते हैं। राष्ट्रभाषा हिंदी को सम्मानित करने के लिए वंदना इंटरनेशनल स्कूल के छात्रों ने हिंदी दिवस पर कार्यक्रम प्रस्तुत किया।



RITISHA VII A



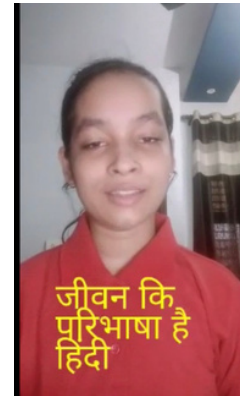
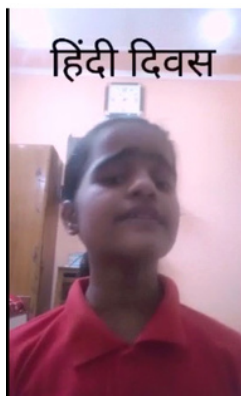
CHARVI POONIA



VANSHIKA 7B

"हिंदी मेरी भाषा है
हिंदी मेरी आशा है,
भारत की प्यारी हिंदी
भारत की फुलवारी हिंदी"

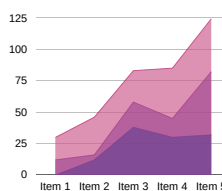
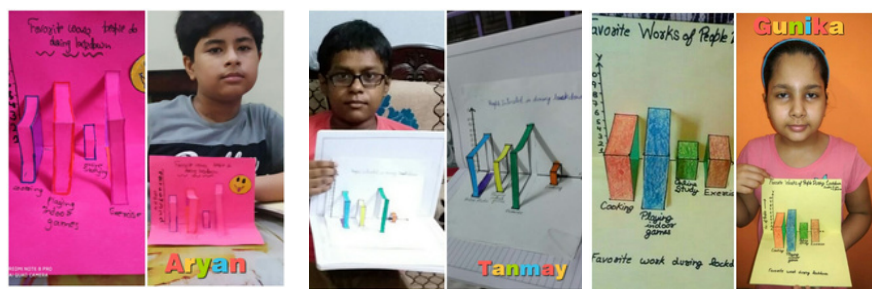
इसी विचारधारा के साथ वंदना इंटरनेशनल स्कूल की कक्षा आठवीं के विद्यार्थियों द्वारा 'हिंदी दिवस' पर एक प्रस्तुति प्रकट की गई। इसमें विद्यार्थियों ने हिंदी के प्रति अपने प्रेम व सम्मान को प्रकट करते हुए हिंदी पर अपने विचार, कविता तथा स्लोगन प्रस्तुत किए।



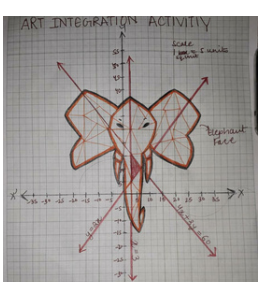
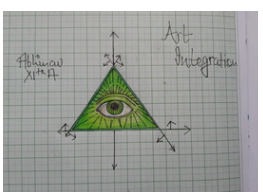
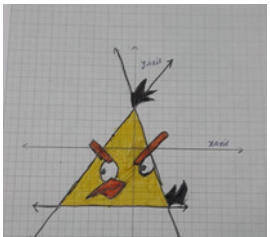
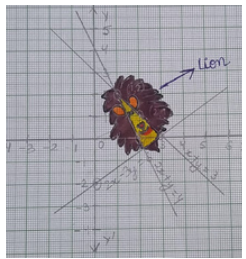
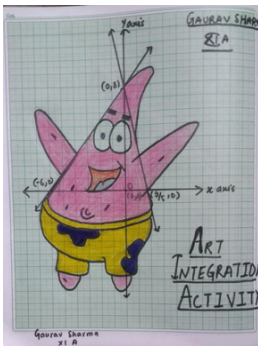
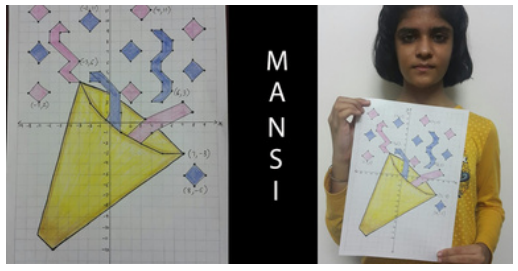
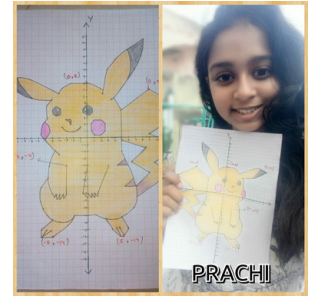
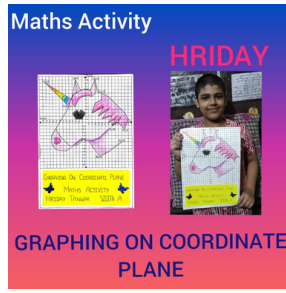
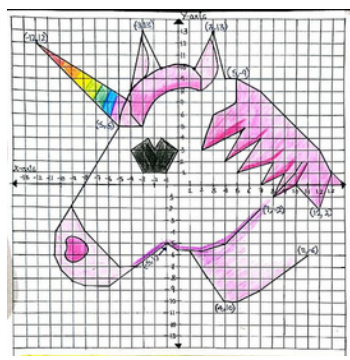
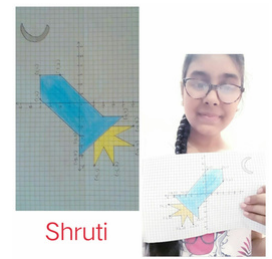
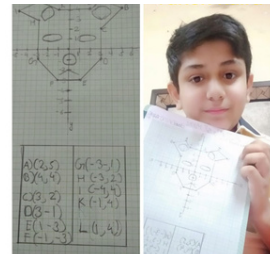
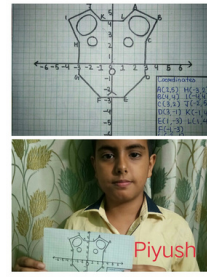
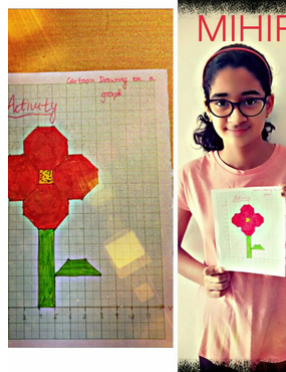
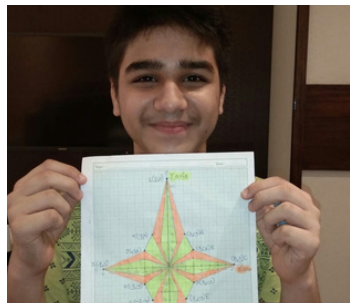
MATHEMATICS

A survey on "favourite work area of people around" was conducted on 8th August 2020 by students of class 7. This survey served as a great tool to develop the skills of data handling, organisation, analysis and interpretation.

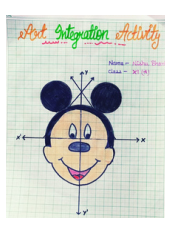
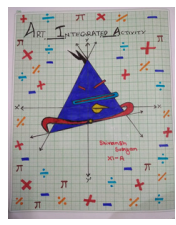
The result of this survey was presented in form of beautiful 3D Bar Graphs.



To bring out the hidden talent in our enthusiastic Vandhanites and to gauge their awareness and creativity quotient, the students of class 8 were engaged in an inter-class activity on the topic 'Coordinate plane and plotting points' titled "Graphing on Cartesian Plane." It was overwhelming to see the level of creativity executed by the committed artists as they toiled to create masterpieces.



Mathematics and art are two of the most dynamic subjects and what's even more interesting and dynamic is the integration of art into mathematics. Art integration is not only an activity to be put into files, for students, it opens a window in the world of doors. Arts integration provides an engaging and effective way to achieve standards in both math/geometry and visual arts, and with the same motive, the students of class 11 were asked to make creative visuals on a simple graph paper. With great participation, the enthusiasm was bound to mingle in the air of creativity. With the right guidance of teachers, the students presented wide ranging art integrated mathematical work. Sir William Bennet has rightly said that arts are an important part of education, these are the keys that unlock profound human understanding and accomplishment.



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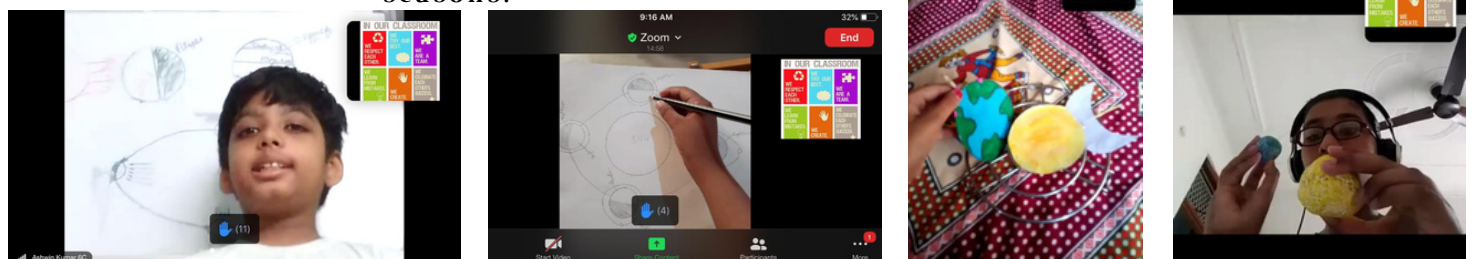
The ABC's of Soil Science

Students of class VIII of Vandana international school participated enthusiastically in the Soil Profile activity with an objective of exploring and learning about different layers of soil. The experiment was an ideal opportunity not only to promote learning by doing but also to instill the value of social responsibility in the students towards protecting the soil from erosion.



“Curiosity is the wick in the candle of learning.”

To engage the student, learn in a unique way during the lockdown period, the teachers of Social Science department took the initiative of involving the students of grade 6 in thoughtful experiments to discover and demonstrate the two important motions of Earth i.e. Rotation and Revolution. Also based on understanding of the concept of rotation and revolution, students challenged their classmates related to occurrence of day and night along with formation of seasons.



SIKKIM PROJECT

Sikkim
A Journey to Heaven

Content page

- Introduction
- People and Culture
- Food Items
- Art Forms
- Eminent Personalities
- Festivals and Fairs
- Tourism
- Economic loss due to Pandemic

LOCATION

- Sikkim is a state in north-eastern India. It borders Tibet in the north and northeast.
- Bhutan in the east.
- Nepal in west.
- West Bengal in south.
- Sikkim is also close to India's Assam corridor near Bangladesh.

SIKKIM

FEATURES

Sikkim is a small hilly state in the Eastern Himalayas with formidable physical features. It is bounded by vast stretches of the Tibetan Plateau in the North, the Chumbi Valley of Tibet and the Kingdom of Bhutan in East.

The state of Sikkim has a total area of 7096sq. km and is stretched over 112 km from North to South and 64 km from East to West. It lies in the North Eastern Himalayas between 27°00'46" to 28°07'45" North Latitude and 88°00'58" to 88°55'25" East Longitude.

FAMOUS PERSONALITIES OF SIKKIM

Baichung Bhutia

Born in a small village in Sikkim to farmer parents, Baichung's sheer talent took him to the greatest of successes. From being the second Indian footballer to professionally play in Europe to wear the captain's jersey for the Indian football team, he has done it all.

Karma Paljor

Karma Paljor is an award-winning Indian journalist and television news anchor. His career as a media professional began in 2001 and since then he's been associated with some famous news channels and last channel he was with is CNN-News18. He has received several awards for his role as a reporter and for his coverage of natural disasters since then.

SIKKIM
a window of Himalaya

Content

- INTRODUCTION: location, feature, climate, population
- PEOPLE: traditional attire, occupation
- EDUCATION
- ART FORMS
- EMINENT PERSONALITIES
- FESTIVALS FAIRS
- TOURISM
- ECONOMIC LOSS DUE TO PANDEMIC

TRADITIONAL ATTIRE

Bhutia tribe- bakhu/kho

The main costume donned by bhutias is the bakhu or Aho wore by men and women. alho, bakhu is very similar to the Tibetan chuba, except that it is sleeveless. It is a loose cloak-like grab which is tied at the neck and lightened around the waist by a belt made of silk or cotton. The bakhu has found modification over a year.

Thokro-dum

The Thokro-Dum is the primary outfit for the Lepcha community members. Usually the Lepcha bread makes sport this. It consists of a white pyjama stretching up to the clavicles, almost resembling a karate player's outfit. Venkhashe, a Lepcha shirt and shambo, an embroidered cap are paired with it.

Art Integrated Learning: The students of class X, participated in the 'Sikkim Project' under the Shrestha Bharat Programme. It is the Art Integrated Project Work and Students of Vandana International Sr. Sec. School enthusiastically participated. Students Prepared PPT and through that they showcased various aspects of Sikkim. This allowed them to learn about the STATE, their culture, food, people etc.

FOOD

- the dietary culture of the various ethnic groups of people consisting of Nepalese, bhutias and lepchas.
- Rice is the staple food, meat and dairy products are also consumed depending on availability.
- The various traditional foods and beverages, which constitute of about 20% of the basic diet for long centuries are consumed.
- Famous dishes are MOMOS, THUKPA, KINEMA, GUNDRUK & SINKI, SAEL ROTI.

CLIMATE

- The state has five seasons: winter, summer, spring, autumn, and monsoon season.
- Most of the inhabited regions of Sikkim experience a temperate climate, with temperatures seldom exceeding 28 °C (82 °F) in summer autumn, and monsoon season.
- The average annual temperature for most of Sikkim is around 18 °C (64 °F).
- in north-western Sikkim, the peaks are frozen year round
- THE CLIMATE OF SIKKIM IS EXTREMELY VARIED DUE TO VARIATION IN ALTITUDE.
- The record for the longest period of continuous rain in Sikkim is 11 days.

POPULATION

- Sikkim is a state in northeast India, bordered by Bhutan, Tibet and Nepal.
- With a land area of 7,096 km² and a population of almost 6.19 lakhs according to the census of 2012.
- Sikkim is a state with less population in India.

Religion	Percentage
Hindu	57.76%
Muslim	1.62%
Christian	5.91%
Sikh	0.31%
Buddhist	27.93%
Jain	0.09%
Other Religions	2.04%
Not Stated	0.30%

TRADITION and OCCUPATION

The people of Sikkim are warm, simple and friendly with a nature gently. The mountains, rivers, forests etc, that are the spirit of Nature, generally considered as God by them. Tamang Selo is a traditional Sikkim's folk dance patron by the Tamang community of the state.

- Agriculture is the primary occupation of the inhabitants of the state.
- The major crops of the state include rice, maize, tea, soybean, ginger, orange, pears, potato and taro.

China

Nepal

Bhutan

India

West Bengal

Yumesongdong

Yumthang

Lachen

Lachung

Kanchenjanga

Teesta

Lambi

Chungthang

Natula Pass

Yuksom

Dhupidanda

Mangan

Karagong

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Jorethang

Namchi

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Naya Bazaar

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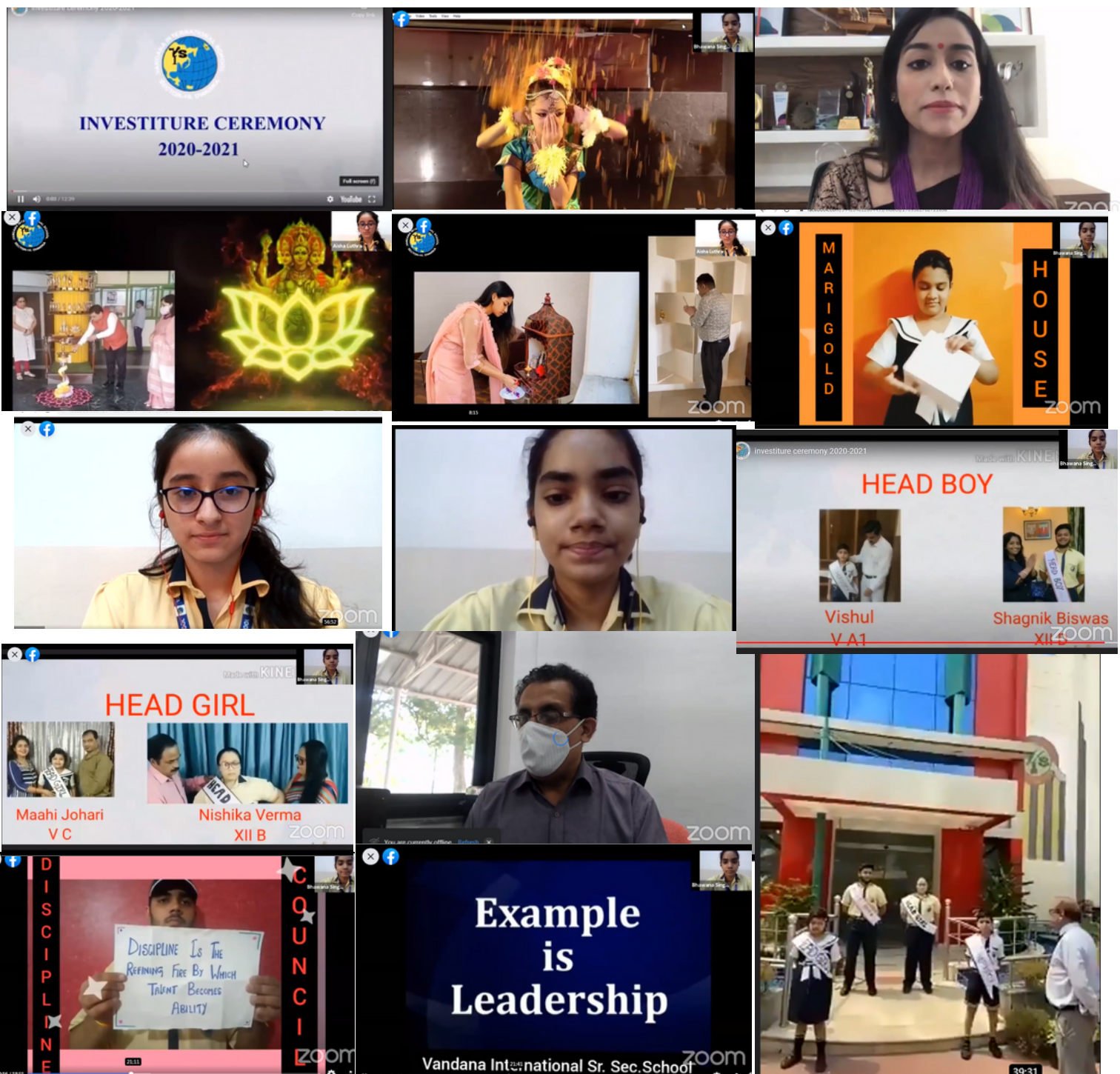
Teesta Bazaar

Kalimpong

Darjeeling

INVESTITURE CEREMONY

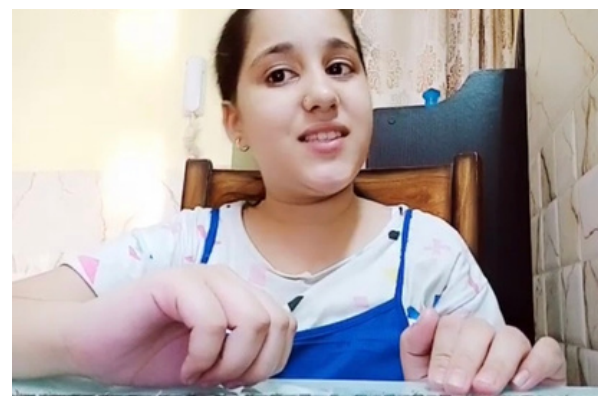
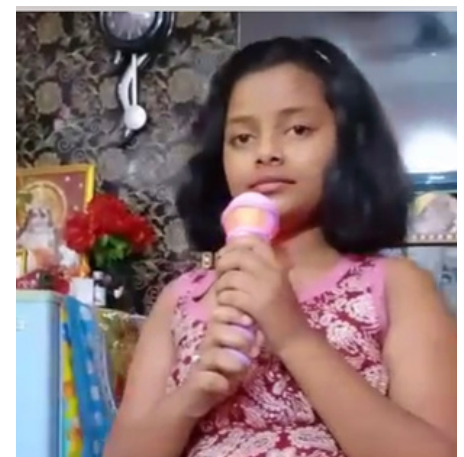
Investiture ceremony is one of the most important ceremony of the school. A traditional feature of VIS, eagerly awaited by all the students of the school. Years after years, it reminds us of trust and confidence that we repose in our newly elected cabinet. Donning the mantle of responsibility, that all pledge to dispense their duties to the best of their abilities and abide by rules and regulations of the school. Our generation has witnessed a great break-through and this pandemic that grounded us, taught us great lessons which we would have not learnt from any school or university. Our school conducted Virtual Investiture Ceremony -2020 of class VI to XII. Ms Akansha Tandon, Academic Director shared her vision through her message. It was an equally different ceremony in which students were invested with sashes and badges, in the safety of their homes by their proud parents-our co-partners .





TEACHERS' DAY

गुरुर्ब्रह्मा गुरुर्विष्णुः गुरुर्देवो महेश्वरः । गुरुः साक्षात् परं ब्रह्म तस्मै श्री गुरवे नमः ॥
 5th September, a day to bow down and show gratitude. Teachers' Day has always been a special day for all the teachers, as well as students for globally in the whole world. Every year teachers hands are filled with cards, roses, gifts and ears are filled with the melodious "happy teachers day "song by children. But the unforeseen circumstances did not become a barrier to thank every teacher who sow the seeds of goodness in young minds . Children's love came pouring in the form of innovative e-cards, e-mails, videos, presentations, song, collages and poem recitation. This shows that VANDANA INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL not only just impart knowledge to its students but teaches them holistic as well as cultural values.



"Teaching is an instinctual art, mindful of potential, craving of realizations, a pausing, seamless process". Teachers' Day celebrates the unique role that adults play in the lives of young minds and help shape the future of a country. The significance of this day is ever-evolving, including taking lessons from life and making your experiences the teachers you needed to shape you into who you become. Like every year, this year also VANDANA INTERNATIONAL SR. SEC SCHOOL organised a Virtual Teachers' Day with the theme BOLLYWOOD DREAMS for the amazing staff members. The organization organised various fun games, talent hunt and other fun activities for their teachers. They also gave tags to all the teachers to appreciate their work and talent in this field. It was a full filled event where teachers showcase their talent with full zeal and zest.

Inviting all the amazing staff members
of
Vandana International Sr. Sec School
to
BOLLYWOOD DREAMS
Virtual Teachers' Day Celebration
Be ready in a Bollywood theme attire
and get set for the fun filled event.
Date: 5th September'2020



ORIENTATION PROGRAMME

Our school made sincere efforts, to familiarize the parents to look after and guide their children in a proper manner by organising Virtual Orientation Programme -a warm up session for the students of class VI to XII, before they are ready to hit the ground for their final performance for a successful career. It provided the parents with the clear idea of what the students are learning currently in virtual classes and for having a regular update of the subjects being taught so that the parents will be able to keep track of the progress being made by the students as it would add value to the students learning .

Ms. Akansha Tandon welcomed the parents and shared the school vision, the curriculum, school systems, teaching methodologies and the parameters of assessment. She emphasised on effective communication between the teachers and parents and also sought their support and suggestions so that the best could be done for the overall development of the students. She also gave tips on how to nurture a child with love and care to build a strong foundation for a glorious future.

The respective faculty members gave detailed information about the experiential learning, parameters and stressed upon innovative teaching and learning methodologies followed in the school during virtual classes .

The program was culminated with piece of advice to all the students for facing the challenging situation of pandemic and to find it an immensely rewarding experience:

- *To take the responsibility of their learning,
- *Make best use of their time in virtual classrooms,
- *Embrace the difference .

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Pioneer in Education for 16 years

Welcomes you all to
Orientation Program

MR. V.P. TANDON MS. VANDANA TANDON MR. HARSH TANDON MS. AKANSHA TANDON

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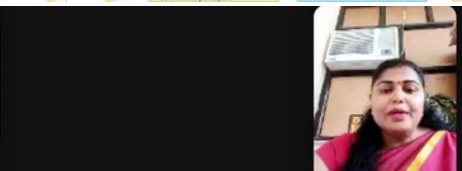
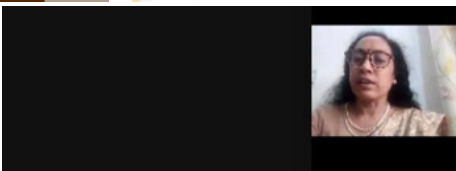
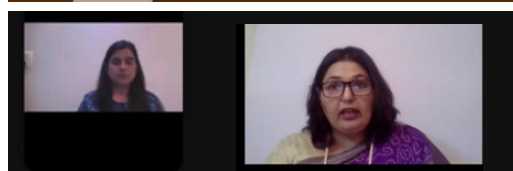
CLASS XII CBSE EXAMINATION 2019-2020
SCHOOL TOPPERS

JAVITA PAL		
GAVIKA TANEJA	2	97.25%
SIDDHARTH CHAUDHARY	1	98%
	3	96.25%

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Rules for Virtual Classes

- Be on time**
 - Be prepared
 - Check your tech before class
- Mute yourself**
 - Be sure to mute your microphone when joining class
- Participation**
 - Be focused
 - Pay attention
 - Be an active participant
- Presentation**
 - Check your surroundings
 - Can we see you?
- Headphones**
 - Use headphones if you have them
- Chat responsibly**
 - 2 - I have a question
 - 1 - I have an idea / comment



KINEMASTER

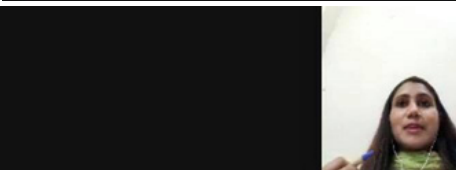
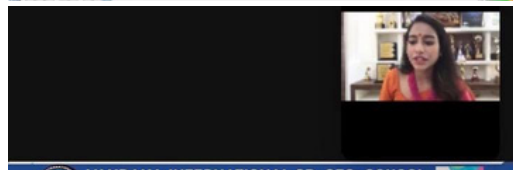
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PRACTICAL APPLICATION DEPICTED BY STUDENTS

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What is experiential learning?

Experiential learning is a teaching strategy that links the field, laboratory and classroom experiences with real life situations and applications.



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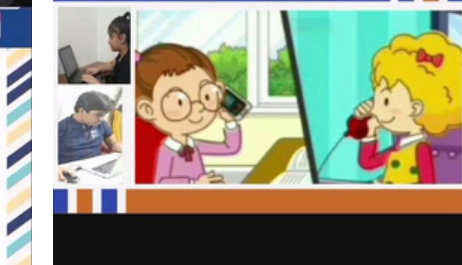
SYNERGIA

4th Annual Inter School Competitions hosted by Vandana International Sr. Sec. School

- 14 Competitions
- 50 Participating Schools
- More than 600 Students participated

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Examples Of Different Subject Enrichment Activities: Storytelling, Elocution and Drama.



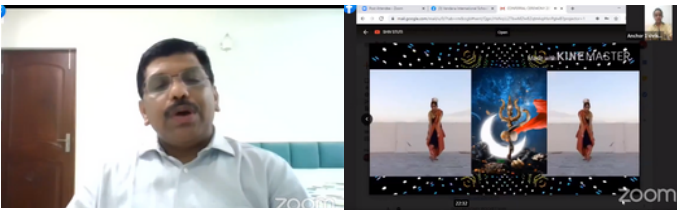


SCHOLAR BADGE CEREMONY



When a new day begins,
dare to smile gratefully.
When there is darkness,
dare to be the first to shine a light.
When something seems difficult,
dare to do it anyway

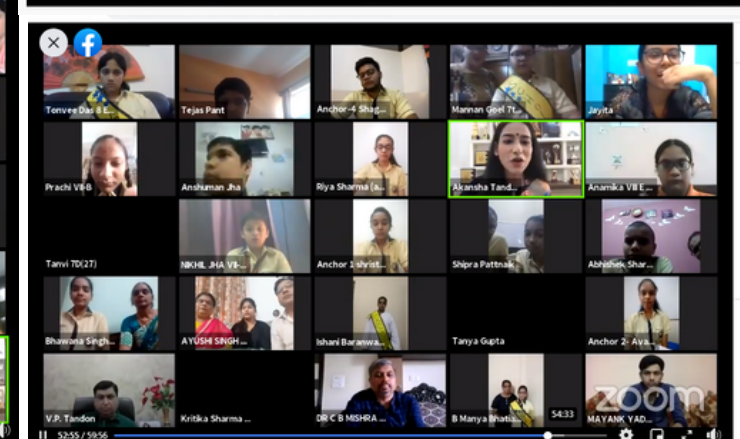
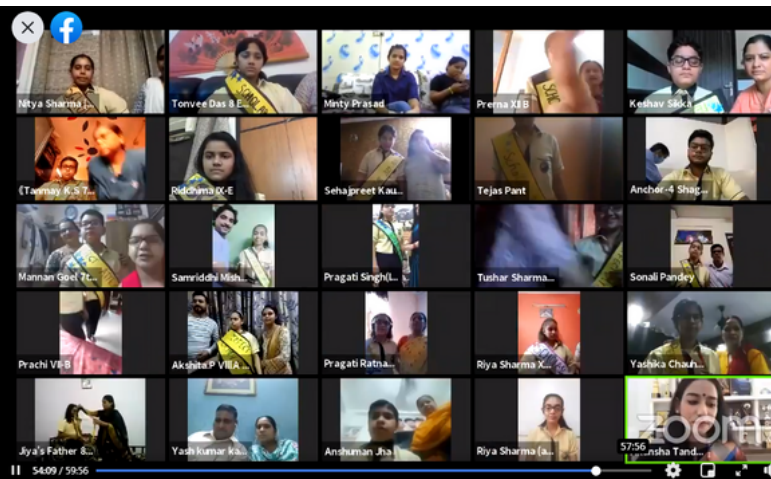
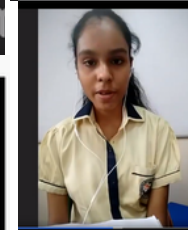
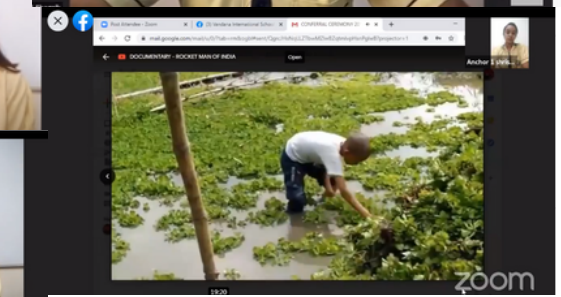
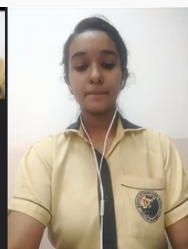
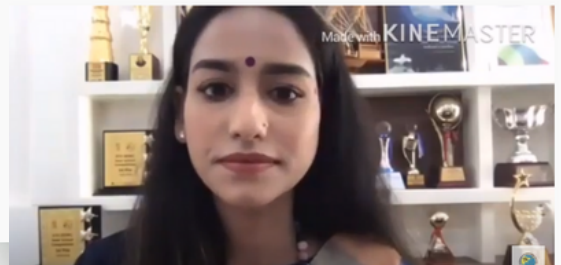
VIS celebrated the Scholar Badge ceremony with the joy and elation . The special occasion graced and celebrated with all the students of Grade 6 to 12 of the session 2019-20 here at digital platform, witnessed the management and the entire faculty of VIS, in the presence of proud parents.



Honorable Dr JOSEPH EMMANUEL, DIRECTOR, CBSE, INDIA kindly consented to be the chief guest of this virtual Conferral Ceremony 2019-20 was welcomed by School's Academic Director Ms Akansha Tandon who shared the academic result of 2019-20 with great pride.



The team work of our school with parents mentions a great bond .Under these circumstances Covid 19 ,We urged the parents to extend their hand to bestow sashes to our scholars . We witnessed the grand conferral ceremony in the gallery and all of us felt overwhelmed. This grand moment is a remarkable imprint which is going to be cherished for a long period by one and all.





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