

SCHOOL IS COOL

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It's not just a place where you get to learn Einstein's Theory of Relativity. It's also a place where you can think beyond the classroom. Hence we say, **SCHOOL IS COOL**

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Foster inquisitive attitude through Arts

The NCF 2005 has recommended Art as a subject at all stages covering all four major spheres, i.e. music, dance, visual arts, and theatre. Art Education is not only relevant for developing creativity and appreciation of art among students but is also necessary for inculcating art-based inquiry skills in the students.

Art Integrated Learning (AIL) is a teaching-learning model which is based on learning 'through the arts' and 'with the arts'. Through this method, art is used as a medium for teaching and learning and as a means of helping students understand concepts in any academic area. Students use a variety of artistic mediums to link disparate topics while engaging in creative exploration.

Toddlers in the pre-primary stage are incredibly curious and vivacious. Young children find creative pursuits like painting, sketching, making clay objects, and making



music to be interesting and captivating. "All education should be through the arts at this stage," The goal of involving kids in the visual and performing arts is to make learning fun and interesting, to help kids become aware of their surroundings through careful observation and unrestricted exploration, to foster environmental sensitivity, to enable kids to express themselves freely emotionally, to communicate and be creative, and to help kids express themselves freely and naturally.

Art education at the primary stage needs to link with all subjects such that it becomes a tool for teaching-learning concepts. A child's sense of wonder, inventiveness, and curiosity can all be strengthened by art. They ought to have an advantageous impact on cognitive, socioemotional, motor, language, and general literacy skills. The basic goal of AIL is to assist kids in becoming joyful and enthusiastic learners. Learn how to live in a welcoming environment and explore scientific and mathematical ideas in their surroundings. Recognise the links between disciplines, and develop your observational skills, curiosity, investigation, and freedom of expression. Develop expressive communication and critical thinking skills, and foster an inquisitive attitude towards learning and knowledge.

JYOTSANA YADAV, Assembly Incharge DAPS I, Delhi Cantt

Ryanites shine at Hindi Olympiad

Students of Ryan International School, Sohna Road won laurels at the Hindi Olympiad organised by Hindi Vikas Manch, Vidhan Singh (gold medal), Sara (silver medal), Sunil (silver medal), Mayank Dagar (silver medal), Akshat Tyagi (silver medal) from primary classes and J Manya (bronze medal) from class VII, Anurag Dwivedi from class VIII won gold medal, Agampreet won silver medal and Moksh Bansal (gold), Shrivats (gold),



Varun Vashisht (Silver) from class X won medals and brought laurels to the school. School principal Sajita Iyer congratulated the students for their excellent performance.

KR Mangalam World School hosts history festival

The Delhi History Festival, organised by KR Mangalam World School, G K II, in collaboration with Mahatma Swami Singh Trust, Jaipur. The festival commenced with the inauguration of the exhibition 'The students melodiously presented the welcome song 'Hamari Sanskriti Hamari Pehchaan'. The stage transformed into a vibrant showcase of cultural performances, academic prowess, and artistic expressions, captivating the audience with the essence of India's diverse heritage. Numerous schools showcased exhibits providing insights into Delhi's evolution, featuring artifacts, photographs, and documents spanning various epochs of its history. Students actively participated in interactive workshops exploring diverse topics related to ancient monuments, encouraging reflection on the importance of safeguarding cultural legacies. Distinguished dignitaries graced the event with their presence, contributing unique perspectives and expertise. Chief guest Sanjay Kumar, IAS, secretary

of the Department of School Education and Literacy, Ministry of Education, engaged the young learners with profound insights into the city's historical evolution and encouraged efforts to conserve historical sites. School director principal Dr Jyoti Gupta, emphasised the school's commitment to broadening students' horizons through historical education, fostering a deeper connection with the past. The festival also witnessed the launch of notable publications and an innovative appointment of revolutionising historical engagement, offering immersive experiences and interactive features for exploring Delhi's heritage.



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Table tennis enthusiasts from Manav Sthali gets recognition

Table Tennis enthusiasts from Manav Sthali School, Rajinder Nagar were awarded scholarships from Directorate of Education & Sports. The players made the school proud by achieving highest cash prize scholarship of INR 1 Lakh 40 Thousand. Each of the nine students of the school received the scholarship amount making it a total prize money of INR 12, 60,000. This feat was achieved by Sudhanshu Malni (XI), Sampann Bansal (XII), Sammarth

Singh (XII), Yuvraj Singh (XII), Atshani Gupta (XII), Vanshika Mudgal (XI), Ankana Kalra (XI), Vansh Prashar (IX), and Gunjan (XI).



Saraswati Bal Mandir holds annual award ceremony



Saraswati Bal Mandir Sr See School, Paschim Vihar organised an annual award ceremony in the school premises. Chief guest Karnal Singh and guest of honour Raj Kumar Arya, Shikha Gupta Bhardwaj (councillor Ward No 58), all the scholarship donors and members of the management committee Savitri Chawla, Dalam Chand, Vijay Choudhary, Mrs Mithlesh were introduced and welcomed by school principal Mamta Sharma. Cash scholarships were given which included shining stars, 5 percent increase in percentage from the previous class, Maths topper, Hindi topper, all rounder, scholar badge were given to the students. The programme was concluded by school manager Savitri Chawla with a vote of thanks.

ShreeRam World School celebrates a decade of excellence

ShreeRam World School, Dwarka recently commemorated the milestone of 10 years. Filled with reverence, reflection, and celebration, students of class X presented a special assembly 'Magic of New Beginnings'. A mesmerising dance embodying the trans-



formative influence of the school on the students left everyone spellbound. The highlight of the assembly was a heartfelt, self-composed poem that eloquently articulated the importance of the school in nurturing young minds and fostering excellence. Head of school Sudha Sadangi, reflected on the school's journey and offered profound insights into the essence of new beginnings.

Basketball battle held at Sanford World School

Sanford World School, Greater Noida organised an U19 boys inter-school basketball tournament. The tournament was held under the guidance of coaches Juganveer, Rahul, and Manish. The event witnessed fierce competition between several school teams, with players displaying exceptional skills on the court. After intense matches, Mayoor School, Noida emerged as the winner of the tournament whereas GD Goenka Global School and

Indus Valley Public School stood second and third respectively. School principal Indu Kohli, in a congratulatory address, commended the winning team for their outstanding performance and



dedication. She also extended words of encouragement to all participating teams, urging them to continue striving for excellence both on and off the court. School headmistress Harshita emphasised the importance of sports in holistic development and encouraged students to embrace the values of discipline and perseverance through sporting activities.

The Earth hears it all

It's not the roots we cut
But it's just the souls we hurt
It seems like nothing at all
At the end we will all fall

With the first breath we did claim
That it's the nature, and that's the name
With the only last breath we soon
Will see that they were the one's we pained

Turn back before it all seems so wrong
And the tables flip and we are the one's
To suffer through the pain they did
That once and for all nobody feared

The oceans low, the skies high
The ground beneath and air up right



The Earth hears it all you know it
When it's the last one, we shall face it

Not knowing the wonders of nature
We are blinded by our own rage
Of not being the one's in control
We let it all out on whom the one's we live

NIMISHA VERMA, class XI, Ryan International School, Greater Noida

NOTE: It is the day to embrace the green with Earth Day. We have recommended an activity for all

NIEians for this day. Do read our special stories today and engage in fun activities to learn more!

Student's Corner



AKSHANSH BINDAL, class VIII - E, Maharaja Agrasen Public School, Ashok Vihar

Universe in Pages

"From shelves to shelves,
From piles to piles,
Every book I read,
Takes me with it, miles to miles.
With every page, a new frontier;
A journey far, a story near;
From oceans to mountains,
From oases to lakes,
I travel the universe,
While sitting on my chair;
From battle to peace,
From cries to smiles,
I feel every emotion,
And swallow the magic potion,
From fiction to philosophy,
From sciences to mythologies,

From biographies to geographies,
I find my own inspiration,
In this world full of dependency and salvation,
To fashion and styles,
From rock solids to fragiles,
Everything is here,
In this universe of fantasies,
Books have everything to share,
I'm from India,

Here we oath on our sacred books,
We worship them, and follow their paths and overbooks."

ANANYA, class XII Shaheed Bishan Singh Memorial School, Mansarovar Garden



Free Time- Me Time

In this realm of free time, I find my peace
Where 'me time' unfolds and I've got a lot to seize
No obligations or worries to bind me tight
Just me time that brings me delight

A Canvas of freedom where I can be creative
To things which I may or may not be naive
To indulge in my passions to give my ideas light
Unfolding my creativity, shining super bright

Hollow
Towards my hobbies, which never end
I lose myself in books, their deeds I borrow
A peaceful sanctuary where my heart blends

So, let free time be cherished, a whole new moment to unfold
A precious gift to ourself, which relaxes our mind
Nurturing my spirit, finding comfort and grace
Sometimes it's good to keep first Me, myself and I

ANANDITA MAHAJAN, class XI-D, Summer Fields Colony, Kailash Colony