

# RESPLENDENCE



*Summer Fields School*

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*"The highest education is that which does not merely give us information but makes our life in harmony with all existence." - Rabindranath Tagore*

## From the Principal's Desk



Greeting! As we conclude this academic session and the examinations come to an end, I want to extend my heartfelt congratulations to all our students for their hard work and dedication. The effort you have put into your studies are truly commendable, and I hope you take pride in all that you have accomplished.

As we receive the results of our examinations, I want to take a moment to remind the students that marks are not the sole measure of success. While academic performance is important, it does not define a student's potential, abilities, or future. True success lies in continuous learning, resilience, and the willingness to improve.

I also take this opportunity to express my gratitude to our teachers for their guidance and unwavering support, and to our parents for being pillars of encouragement throughout this journey. Your combined efforts have played a vital role in shaping our students' success.

Looking ahead, we are excited about the new academic session, filled with fresh opportunities for learning and achievement. Let us continue striving for excellence and embracing every challenge with confidence.

Shalini Agarwal  
Principal

## LEARN, GROW AND ACHIEVE: HANDS ON STYLE !

The hands-on activities help the students to enhance their knowledge and acquire new skills. These frolic activities make learning not only engaging and fun but also help the students grasp and learn certain complex concepts easily. Furthermore, they aid in retention, self-confidence and communication amongst young learners and encourage them to work as a team. To achieve these objectives, a plethora of class activities were conducted for grade I-V such as My House Activity, Fun with Shapes Activity, Different Landforms Activity, Election Activity, Frolic Time activity etc. Here are the glimpses



## SHAPE YOUR FUTURE, CAST YOUR VOTE!

The young learners of Class IV showed an enthusiastic involvement in the Class Monitor Election Activity done in the class. The aim of the activity was to provide students a valuable insight in the democratic process. The activity also promoted civic engagement amongst students. The students nominated candidates, delivered campaign speeches, and voted for their preferred candidate followed by counting and declaration of the winner.

The activity encouraged participation, critical thinking and decision-making skills and making of an informed citizen.



## STORYTELLING

*"Story telling is an emotion. The stories have the power to breakdown walls, build bridges and to change the world."*

A storytelling session was organized for classes I and II on 19th February, 2025. The session aimed to foster creativity, imagination, and language development among young children through the art of storytelling.

Ms. Indu Punj aimed at creating awareness amongst young minds through her creative and personal stories. These enabled children not only to enjoy her sessions but also to learn through them. The session fostered contextual learning by illustrating complex concepts such as importance of education, relevance of reading, physical activities and emotional regulations through relatable scenarios which created self-awareness in students. Props and puppets were used to make story more interactive. Voice modulation and facial expressions helped to bring story to life thus making it even more enjoyable for the students.



## ASSEMBLIES

The students of Class I-E and I-G presented a Special Assembly on 24th February 2025 on the topic "Thanksgiving". The assembly was a heartwarming celebration of gratitude, unity, and community. It served as a reminder of the importance of kindness, generosity, and appreciation. We look forward to continuing this tradition in the years to come. Through this assembly, the students paid tribute to their teachers and acknowledged the crucial role the teachers play in the lives of each student. The students also thanked the helpers in the school who keep the school premises neat and clean and help with doing various tasks every day. They presented handmade cards to all the teachers. The parents, present, were beaming with joy.



## PROMOTING MENTAL HEALTH AMONGST STUDENTS

Summer Fields School, in collaboration with CBSE, organized a workshop on Student Mental Health and Parental Awareness of the evolving education system. Facilitated by Ms. Rekha Pachauri and Ms. Sonika Chauhan, the session emphasized stress-free education, emotional and behavioural challenges in children, and effective support strategies. It highlighted the significance of parental awareness regarding NEP 2020 and NCF 2023, key features of NEP, and reforms in India's assessment system. The workshop also covered PARAKH's role in assessments, aiming to enhance student well-being and academic success through informed teaching and parenting practices.



## Summer Fields School Excels in SOF

The students of Summer Fields School have achieved outstanding results in the SOF Olympiads, displaying their academic excellence. These prestigious competitions demand strong problem-solving, critical thinking, and analytical skills, and our students have demonstrated remarkable dedication.



Many students have qualified for the second round of the SOF exam, securing international ranks, medals, and certificates of distinction. Their Olympiad performance has been equally impressive. This success reflects the school's commitment to academic excellence and the dedication of both students and teachers. The school congratulates all achievers and wishes them continued success in their academic journey.

We are proud of our students!



## हिंदी ओलंपियाड 2025

विद्यालय के प्रांगण में हिंदी विकास मंच द्वारा आयोजित हिंदी ओलंपियाड में कक्षा तीसरी, चौथी व पांचवी के छात्रों ने उत्साहपूर्ण भाग लिया। प्रतियोगिता में अधिकांश प्रतियोगियों ने सराहनीय प्रदर्शन किया व भाषा में उत्कृष्ट प्रदर्शन दिखाते हुए 28 पदक प्राप्त कर विद्यालय का गौरव बढ़ाया। छात्रों में प्रतियोगी परीक्षाओं के प्रति उत्साह व आत्मविश्वास वृद्धि में यह आयोजन सहायक व सकारात्मक अनुभव रहा। विद्यालय द्वारा मातृ भाषा हिंदी के विकास एवं संवर्धन हेतु ऐसी प्रतियोगिताओं का आयोजन एक प्रशंसनीय कदम है।



## हिंदी सप्ताह पत्र का सफर एवं अभिनय मंचन

कक्षा तीसरी से पाँचवी तक के छात्रों ने हिंदी सप्ताह की विविध गतिविधियों में बड़े उत्साह पूर्वक ढंग से प्रतिभागिता दिखाई। कक्षा तीसरी के छात्रों ने कविता गायन के माध्यम से सुंदर प्रस्तुति दी, कक्षा चौथी के छात्रों ने रचनात्मक लेखन में अपने विचार कौशल का अति उत्तम प्रदर्शन किया और इसी प्रकार कक्षा पाँचवी में पोस्टर मेकिंग और नारा लेखन गतिविधि के माध्यम से चित्रात्मक अभिव्यक्ति एवं नारा लेखन के द्वारा विचार कौशल एक-से बढ़कर-एक प्रदर्शित किया।



कक्षा की अन्य विशिष्ट गतिविधियों में कक्षा तीसरी के छात्रों ने पत्र का सफर: पोस्टकार्ड से मेल तक द्वारा

जाना कि पत्र लेखन में किस प्रकार से आज इंटरनेट के द्वारा बदलाव आया किंतु भाषा एवं भाव वही रहे और वहीं दूसरी तरफ कक्षा पाँचवी के छात्रों ने 'एक थे मुफ्त लाल' पाठ के माध्यम से एक-दूसरे को पर्यावरण के संरक्षण हेतु प्रेरित किया।

कक्षा की गतिविधियों का उद्देश्य सुबह अपनी मातृभाषा के प्रति रुचि जागृत करना भाषा क्वेश्चन में विभिन्न भाषा का संवर्धन करना रहा है।



### Adding crowning glories to SFS

#### Shirsho Dutta Achieves Second Black Belt at Just 12 Years Old!

We are proud to share that Shirsho Dutta received the second Black Belt from World Seigo-Kai Karate-Do Japan on 09 February 2025. Having earned his first Black Belt at just eight years old, he has now achieved this remarkable milestone at the age of twelve-well ahead of the typical certification age of fourteen.

We are proud of his dedication and perseverance, and we wish him success in his future endeavours.



## MVPP - OUTSTANDING PERFORMANCE BY SUMMERITES

Mukhyamantri Vigyan Pratibha Pariksha (MVPP) Examination, conducted by the Science Branch of the Directorate of Education, Government of NCT of Delhi was held on 17th November 2024. The objective of this examination was to identify exceptionally brilliant students of Class IX and recognize their scientific aptitude by awarding a scholarship and a certificate.

Summer Fields School, Kailash Colony fosters a rich blend of holistic and futuristic education, giving an opportunity to the luminous minds to exemplify their skills and get recognized & rewarded for their accomplishment.

21 students took the exam in which Ishi Agrawal (Rank 11), Alshaaf Iqbal (Rank 43), Aditya Roshan Sharma (Rank 46) and Siddhi Sharma (Rank 48) qualified successfully with under 50 Rank.

We are proud of our MVPP rank holders and we wish them success in their future endeavours.



Ishi Agrawal



Alshaaf Iqbal



Aditya Roshan Sharma



Siddhi Sharma

## Stellar Performance at INTACH Filmit India Project

HECS and INTACH, in collaboration with the India International Centre (IIC), hosted the FILMIT India Festival at CD Deshmukh Auditorium on 4th February 2025. The event brought together 36 schools from Delhi-NCR and esteemed guests, including filmmaker Bappa Ray, photographer Serena Chopra, and BBC documentary filmmaker Himanshi Saini, a former FILMIT participant.

We take immense joy in sharing that Charitakshi Nuniwal's of class VII-E secured the BEST CINEMATOGRAPHY award for the film Village (Echoes of Identity) in the INTACH Filmit India Project competition.

We are truly proud of her achievement and wish her greater success.



## Triumph at Inter-School Art Competition!

We are thrilled to announce that Mayank Parida of class VI E secured the Second Position the Inter-School Art Competition held on January 24, 2025 at Summer Fields International School, Multiple schools participated in the competition, showcasing the artistic talents of their students. The participants were divided into two groups, ensuring fair and engaging competition.



## SFS Celebrates Young Author Ayesha and Her Book Camping Chaos!

“It is a proud moment for SFS as a budding author, Ayesha of Class VII F, has written a storybook entitled ‘Camping Chaos.’ This story, based on two friends, revolves around their discovery of a scary secret about their sports teacher during a school camping trip. As they work to stop this, they embark on an amazing adventure, learning valuable lessons about courage and the importance of helping others.”



We would like to express our sincere gratitude to Principal ma'am Ms. Shalini Agarwal and to all the teachers for their unwavering support and encouragement to motivate students in showcasing their talent.

## Inspire MANAK Awards 2024-25: Celebrating Scientific Innovation!

The **INSPIRE** scheme, a flagship program by the **Department of Science & Technology (DST), Government of India**, fosters scientific curiosity and innovation among students.

We are proud to announce that **Divyansh Sharma** (Class 6) and **Vedant Bhardwaj** (Class 9) have been selected for the **prestigious Inspire MANAK Awards 2024-25** for their innovative science projects.



Congratulations to both!

## "Unlocking Creativity: Writer's Workshop with Dr. Mukta Sharma"

Summer Fields School, Kailash Colony proudly hosted a Writer's Workshop on 7th February 2025, conducted by Dr. Mukta Sharma. The workshop aimed to inspire students from Classes VI to VIII to unlock their creative potential and hone their writing skills. Dr. Sharma began by emphasizing the importance of writing as a tool for communication, self-expression, and critical thinking. She encouraged students to read extensively, as reading helps generate ideas and broadens perspectives and the key to become a good writer.



Dr. Sharma encouraged students to explore diverse reading genres to enhance their writing. Interactive sessions included brainstorming, mini-lessons, practice time, and the authors' chair for feedback.

The session was both informative and inspiring, leaving students motivated to read more, explore different genres, and continue their journey as budding writers.



## NATIONAL SCIENCE DAY CELEBRATION

National Science Day was celebrated with great enthusiasm at the National Science Centre on 28<sup>th</sup> February 2025. A team of eight students from grade 9 accompanied by a science teacher 'Mr. Saurabh Mangla' attended the program at National Science Centre, New Delhi. The event aimed to promote scientific awareness and inspire students to explore various fields of science and technology.

The event included Popular Science Lecture by Dr. Anurag Gaur (HOD, Physics, NSUT New Delhi) provided an insight on Nanotechnology for Energy and Environment, highlighting recent scientific advancements and their societal impact. This was followed by a Science Show, an interactive session featuring fascinating chemical reactions and experiments, sparking curiosity and enthusiasm for science through hands-on learning.

The celebration of National Science Day at the National Science Centre was a grand success. The educational programs provided students with valuable knowledge and inspiration to pursue scientific endeavors. We extend our gratitude to the organizers for hosting such an enlightening event.



## FELICITATION CEREMONY OF THE 42<sup>nd</sup> ARYABHATTA INTERSCHOOL COMPETITION-2024

Summer Fields School, Kailash Colony felicitated the blossoming Mathematicians who excelled in the prestigious 42nd Aryabhata Inter School Mathematics Competition held on 3rd February 2025. This year witnessed the participation of 419 schools from Delhi, UP and Haryana with an overwhelming entries of more than 3000 budding mathematicians, who geared themselves to delve into and grapple with questionnaires that were a veritable conflux of quizzical questions.

The Chief Guest, Veditha Reddy, Director Education graced the occasion with her benign presence. The Principal, Ms. Shalini Agarwal welcomed the distinguished guests and congratulated all the winners from various schools.

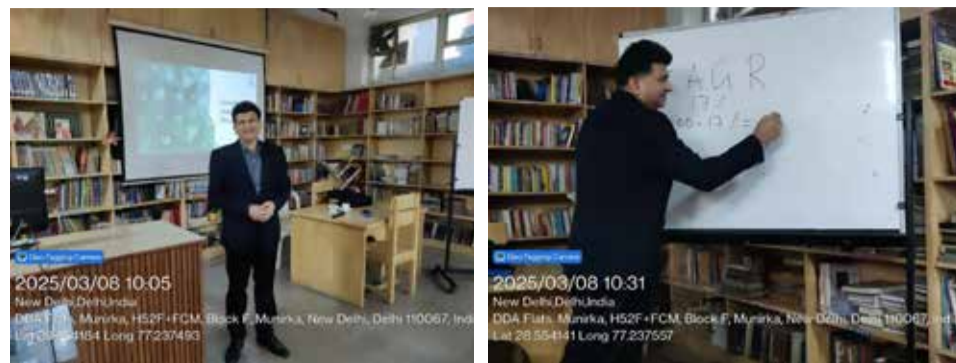
It was a moment of immense pride for the school as the first position and the third position were bagged by Anurag Biswas and Yash Kapoor of class XI respectively.

Our prodigies from class V were Shivangshu Ganguli who got the third position and Vasudev Bibin who got the consolation prize.

The event exuberated with the cultural extravaganza. Our Chief Guest was impressed with the scintillating performances and the rank holders. The event was undoubtedly a memorable one and a grand success.



Overall, the session proved beneficial for the attendees as they clarified their doubts regarding investments and basic financial management techniques.



## Literary Triumph!

We are thrilled to celebrate Ms. Taruna Pundeer's remarkable achievement as she launches her poetry collection 'Sang Tumhare' at the World Book Fair! Her work, a beautiful blend of Love, Compassion, and Truth, delves into the depths of human emotions and societal reflections, making it a must-read masterpiece.



## CBSE WORKSHOP ON FINANCIAL LITERACY

Summer Fields School, hosted a comprehensive CBSE workshop on Financial Literacy, skilfully conducted by Mr. Ram Kumar Gupta. The workshop aimed at empowering teachers with essential knowledge on financial planning and literacy.

Mr. Gupta delved into various facets of financial literacy, enlightening participants on prudent ways of saving, strategic financial planning across different life stages, and the invaluable benefits of investing in life insurance and health policies.

The resource person Mr. Ram Kumar Gupta threw some light on the basics of banking and financial securities, she also emphasized on the importance of savings for better prospects, how to be extra vigilant about financial scams which is a direct threat to us.



## HAWAN CEREMONY AT SUMMER FIELDS SCHOOL

Summer Fields School, performed an auspicious Yajna ceremony in the school campus on the morning of 8th February, 2025 to pray for the students of their outgoing class XII batch of 2024-2025 and to seek the prime blessings of the Almighty. Honourable Chairman Sir, the Principal Mrs. Shalini Agarwal, the teachers, students of class



XII and their parents marked their presence on this auspicious day. 'Aahutis' were put in the Hawan Kund while chanting the sacred mantras. Religious hymns sung by the Principal and all the staff members created an ambience of spirituality and sanctity in the school.



All prayed to almighty for the students' excellent results in their forthcoming board examination. The Hawan ceremony was performed religiously under the divine fervor and spirituality. Prasad was also distributed at the end. The hawan was followed by distribution of Admit Cards by respective class teachers amidst positivity, enthusiasm and good vibes. It reiterated the school's commitment to holistic education, nurturing not only academic excellence but also emotional and spiritual well-being.



The day was packed with fun activities, including exploring diverse plant species and heritage gardens, which left everyone in awe of the nursery's historical significance. During lunch hour variety of delicacies were enjoyed amidst lively conversations and laughter. The picturesque setting also made for a perfect group photo session, capturing cherished memories.

The picnic was a resounding success, offering a much-needed break while strengthening bonds among colleagues. The day was filled with joy, teamwork, and shared moments, reinforcing the spirit of togetherness among the staff.



### *Staff Picnic to Sundar Nursery: A Day of Relaxation and Bonding*

On 13th February 2025, the staff of Summer Fields School enjoyed a delightful picnic at Sundar Nursery, New Delhi. The outing provided a refreshing break from routine, fostering camaraderie and relaxation in a serene environment.



The group departed from the school at 8:30 a.m., filled with excitement for the day ahead. Upon arrival, they were greeted by lush greenery and tranquil surroundings, setting the perfect tone for a rejuvenating experience.



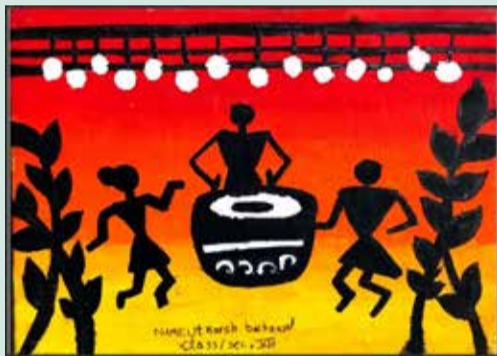
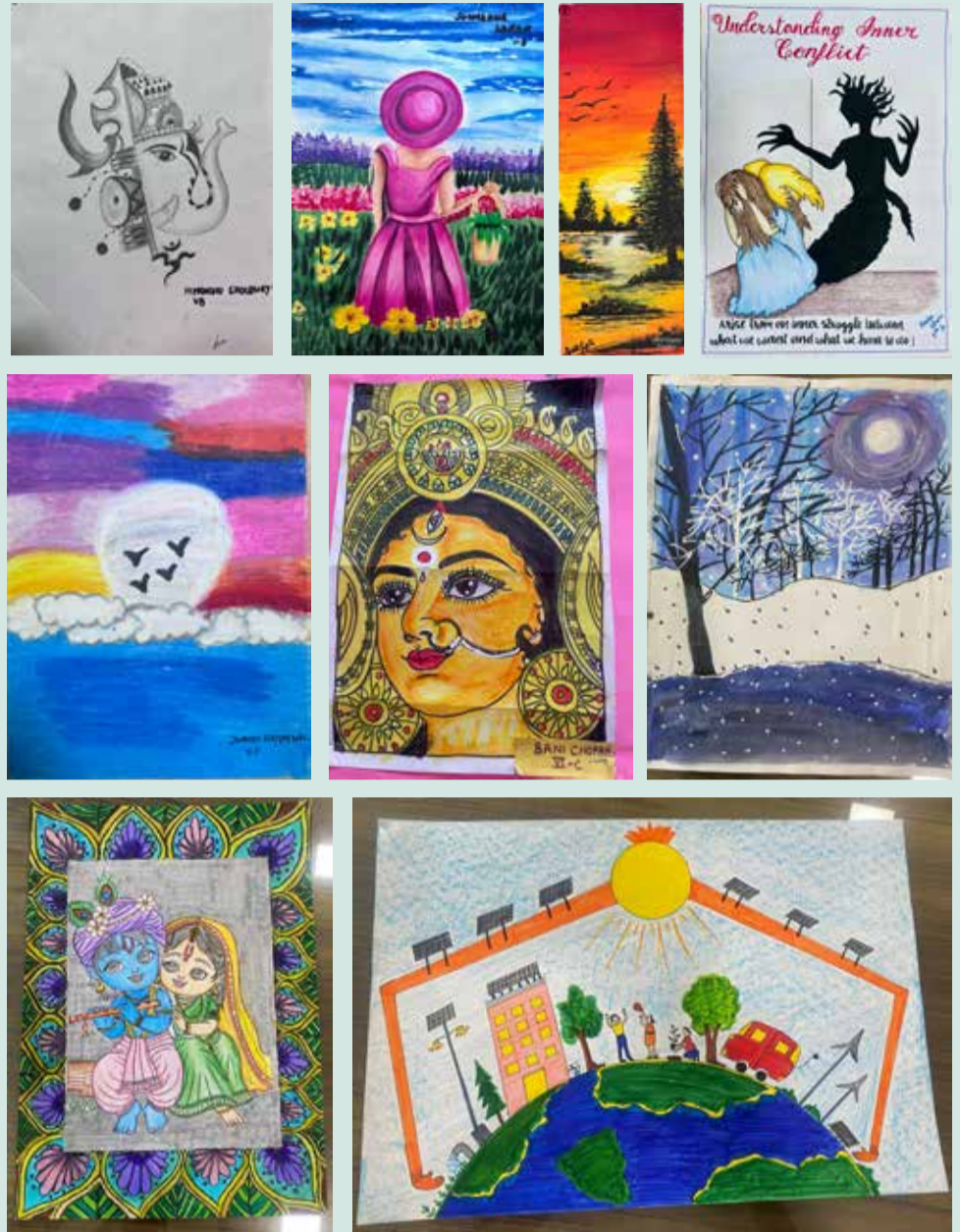
**‘INKWELL INSPIRATIONS’**

*“The true sign of intelligence is not knowledge but imagination.”*

~ Albert Einstein

Welcome to the Creative Corner, where artistic expression knows no bounds! This vibrant section of our newsletter highlights the imaginative masterpieces creatively inked by our talented students. Each edition features an exciting collection of innovative, imaginative, and thought-provoking creations designed to spark your creativity and inspire self-expression.

Unbridled by convention, the talent here boldly explores new frontiers of self-expression, connecting with others through their art and writings by sharing unique perspectives.



Thank You

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