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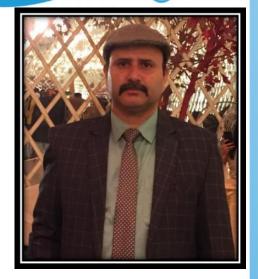
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From Principal's Desk

"It is better to be man of value than man of success".

Shivalik is one of the leading and most sought after senior secondary schools in Tapa (Punjab) imparting quality education at an affordable cost. Our vision is to "Educate, Enlighten, and Empower has been tested on the more than 15 years and has proved to be effective and successful time and again. Accepted and appreciated by the community. As we complete 15 years of service, what comes to our mind is that "Success comes to those who work hard and stays with those, who don't rest on the laurels of the past". We live today in a world that is so very different from the one we grew up in the one we were educated in. The world today a changing at such an accelerated rate and we as educators need to pause and reflect on this entire system of Education.



Are our schools well equipped to prepare our children to face the challenges that the future holds? Questions such as these are factors that motivate us to go through a continuous process of reflection and hence we at Shivalik Public School work at implementing a well-balanced curriculum to ensure that the children who walk into the portals of our School will not just love their school years but truly be prepared to face life's challenges.

Aristotle once said that, "Educating the mind without educating the heart is no education at all". Even as we impart education to match the advancement in technology and globalization, we march our children ahead with SPS ethos of moral values and principles. We endeavor constantly to instill these qualities in our child. We pride ourselves to help them grow and develop insensitive and responsible citizens of the future.

We fortunately have a committed and supportive management, dedicated teachers, caring and cooperative parents, which blend harmoniously to create a child-centric school, at Shivalik Public School it is natural to find in this ambience, the intensive use of a variety of thinking activities, strategies and group dynamics so that the classrooms become alive.

> The greatest happiness is to transform your feelings to action. "With warm wishes and God's blessings".

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Ajay Sharma Principal

Editor's Message

"May your actions inspire others to dream more, learn more, do more and become more!"

Enjoy every moment you have, because in life there are no rewinds, only flashbacks. This edition of *Shivalik Times* unfolds the exhilarating flashbacks of multifarious scholastic and non-scholastic activities, events and achievements of the School. It pages are filled with poignant testimonies of the fact that Shivalikians carry on moving steadily ahead in its pursuit of excellence and it will also apprise all its stakeholders about the progressive journey of our institution.

The biggest challenge faced by the educational institutions today, is the onerous responsibility of grooming our children into well – rounded individuals who can face the challenges of the modern globalized world.



Shivalik Public School has left no stone unturned to achieve its goal of holistic development of its pupils and to prepare them to face the vicissitudes of life. It equips them with the right personality traits, values and skills to spread their wings in all the directions and live to the fullest.

The school newsletter **"Shivalik Times"** is an elaborate testimony to our painstaking efforts to nature the unique spark of creativity in every student. It is really very much heartening to observe that Shivalikians have tried their best to provide a rich variety of sumptuous intellectual nourishment from its cuisine of pursuit for wisdom and all – round development of human resources through the readers the myriad hues of victorious moments and glorious achievements of the school.

I am confident enough that the Shivalikians will make themselves stronger day by day adding a new leaf to the grandeur of the school.

"Pearls don't lie on the seashore. If you want one, you must dive for it." Wish you a happy reading......

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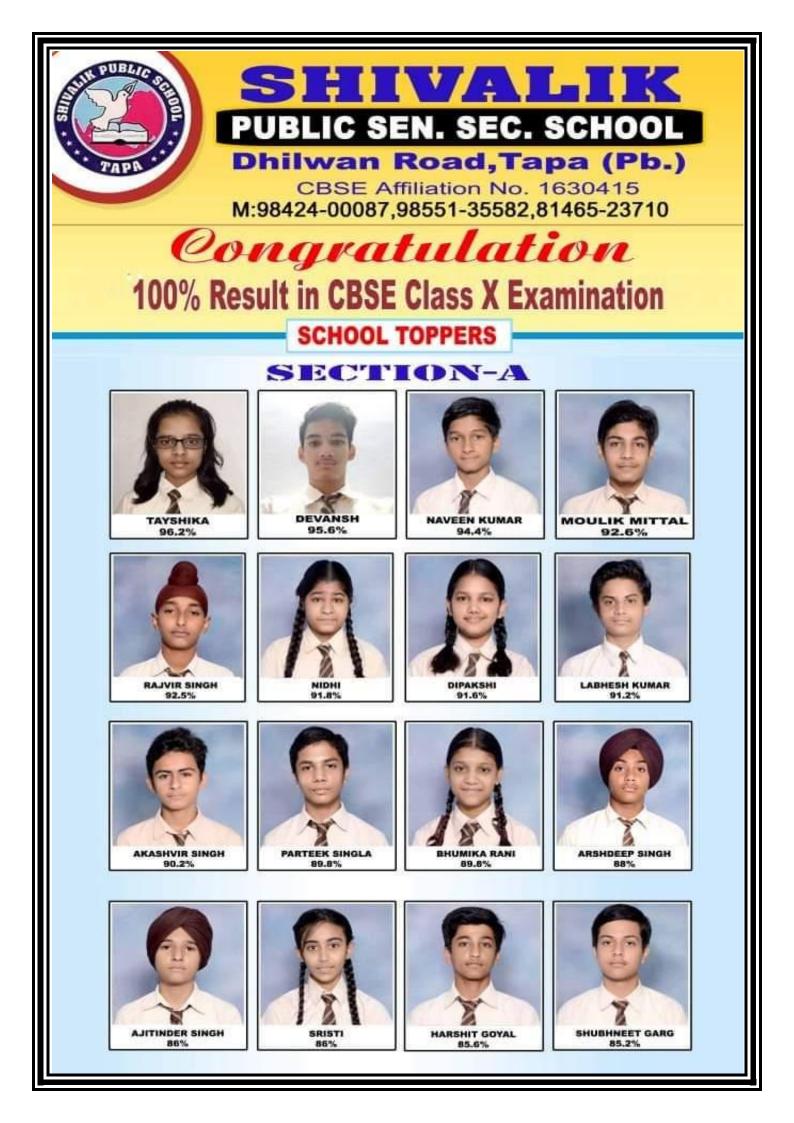
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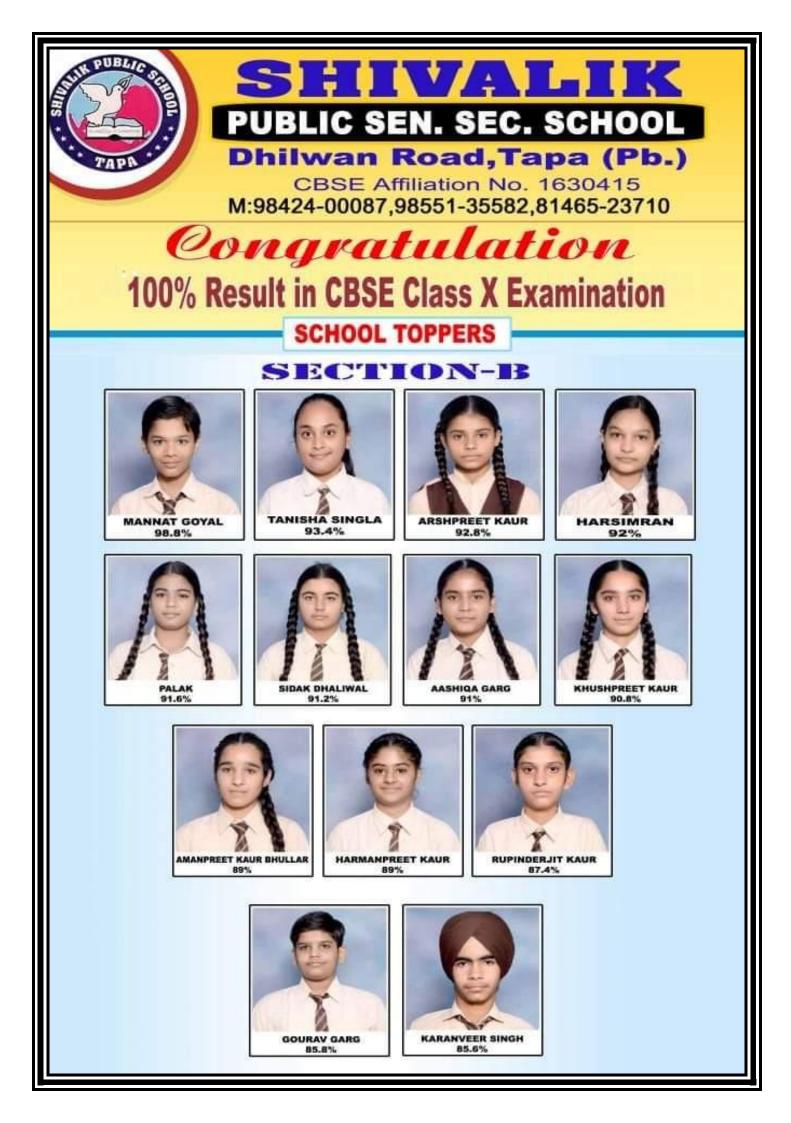


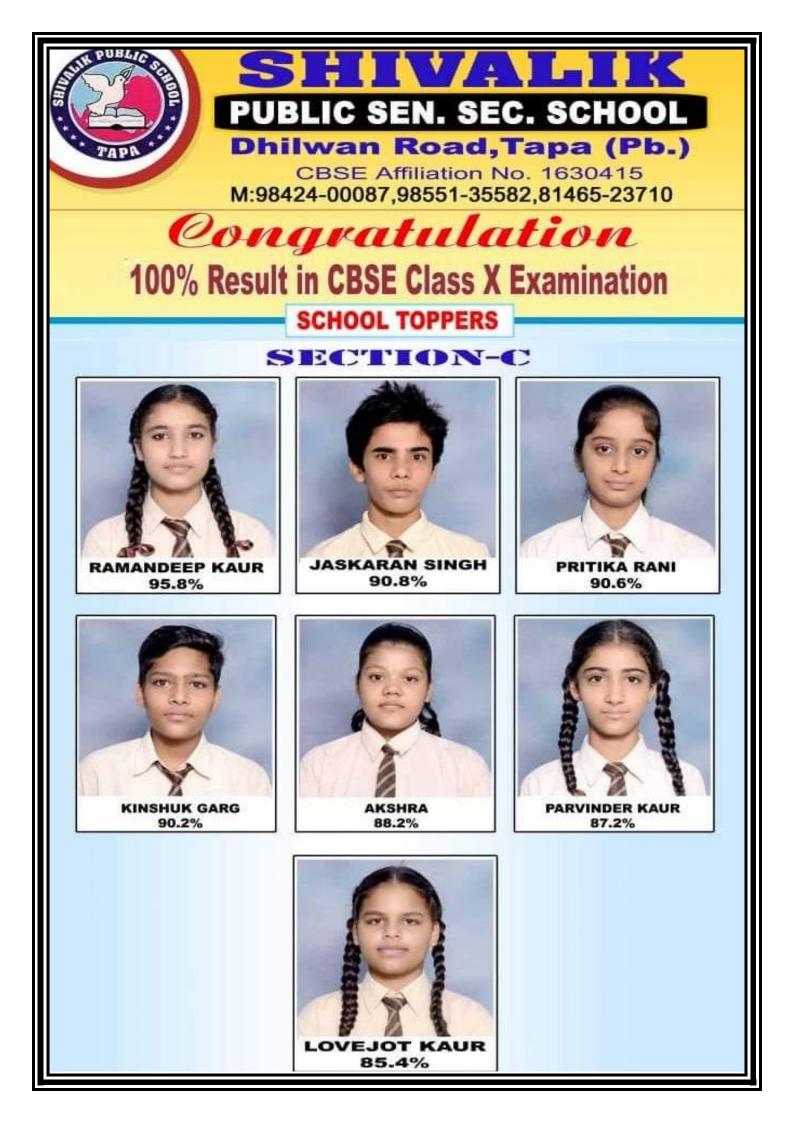
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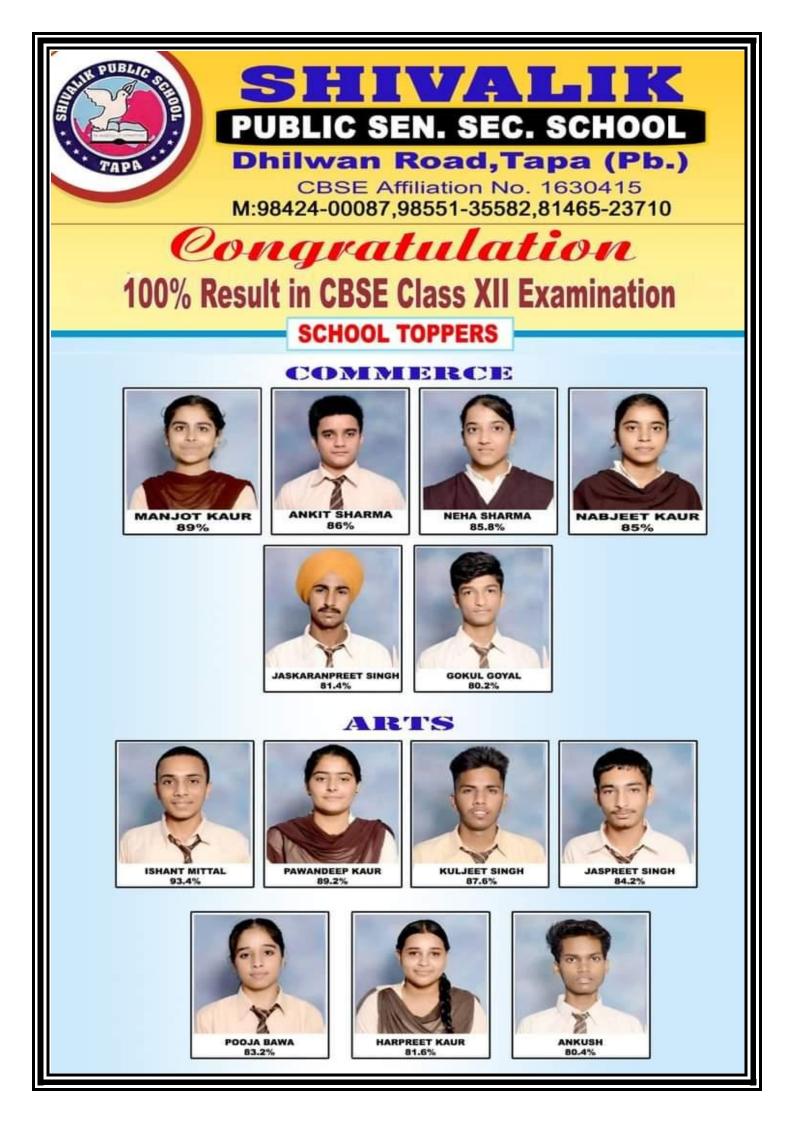
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An academic term (or simply term) is a portion of an academic year, the time during which an educational institution holds classes. The schedules adopted vary widely.

"Let us remember: one book, one pen, one child and one teacher can change the world." – **Malala Yousafzai**

The new Educational session (2022-23) starts with a new enthusiasm and zeal in both the students and the teachers. Students are so excited for their new class and new books.

"Pariksha Pe Charcha 2022"

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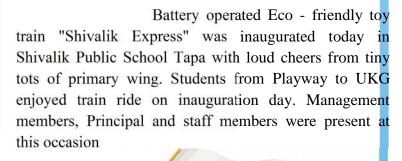
Special arrangements for live screening of fifth edition of "Pariksha Pe Charcha 2022" were made for students from classes 9th to 12th of Shivalik Public School Tapa. Students who will be appearing in CBSE board exams this year got opportunity to hear words of advice from Prime minister of India.



Inaugration of "Shivalik Express"







Celebration of Hindu New Year

Special morning assembly was conducted today at Shivalik Public School, Tapa to celebrate "Hindu New Year" Vikram Samvat 2079 along with beginning of Navratras. School Principal addressed students and made them aware about relevance of this auspicious day.

Baisakhi Celebration

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This festival is celebrated with gusto and gaiety by the hard working farmers of Punjab after harvest. Baisakhi denotes the Punjabi New Year and the beginning of the harvest season. On the day of Baisakhi the 'Khalsa' (The Pure Ones) took birth and Sikhs were given a code of conduct to maintain. The incident was guided by the last living Guru, Guru Gobind Singh Ji.

Baisakhi was celebrated with fervour and gaiety in Shivalik Public School, Tapa. The festival of harvest was celebrated to acquaint students with cultural heritage.

Special morning assembly was conducted during which number of activities were organized to make them enthusiastic about the festival. Saraswati Vandana was performed on this auspicious day. Prizes and certificates were distributed to position holders of different activities conducted during the month of April.



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Earth Day was celebrated at Shivalik Public School Tapa to remind the students of their duties towards 'Mother Nature. As a part of environmental education, initiative was taken to engage the whole school community in making a difference. Earth Day was celebrated through educational and action-oriented activities.

Students participated in different activities on nature conservation. Different competition were conducted for students. Special Assembly was conducted in the school to tell students about the importance of mother nature and protecting it for coming generations.

RED Day Celebration

Play-way method of learning is a complete package that enables overall development of the child by developing in terms of feelings, intellect and skills parameters. It not only focuses on subjective development but the emotional development of the child as well. In this method of learning, playing acts as the driving force as the entire learning method revolves around activity-based learning. It encourages expression and creative skills among children.

"Red Day" celebrations by Play-way and Nursery class students of Shivalik Public School Tapa. During this celebration students and teachers of Play-way and Nursery classes wearing Red dresses and doing the activities like dancing colouring etc. At the last Mr. Red and Ms. Red selected from the students.



Seminar on "Positive Parenting"

Seminar on "Positive Parenting" was conducted by School Principal Mr. Ajay Sharma for parents and guardians of students from class Play-way to LKG. Different aspects of parenting were discussed with parents. Different guiding points for proper psychological and mental development of child were discussed. It proved to be highly enlightening session for parents.







With an aim to go beyond academics, industrial visits provide students a practical perspective on the world of work. It provides students with an opportunity to learn practically through interaction, working methods and employment practices. It gives them exposure to current work practices as opposed to possibly theoretical knowledge. Keeping this in view students of classes 12th Science and commerce of Shivalik Public School, Tapa visited Milkfed Verka plant at Bathinda and got opportunity to visit various departments to understand different steps involved in processing of milk.



Mother Day Celebration

Mother's day is a special day, for all children and mothers as, it celebrates the bond of love and affection that is everlasting. Mothers are the emotional backbone of the family, who have the magic touch to heal all wounds and make all things beautiful.

Students of Shivalik Public School, Tapa celebrated Mother's Day to honour and appreciate all mothers. Host of performances were planned to honor and appreciate all mothers. The venue was aptly decorated in keeping with the theme. Attractive boards displaying the creativity of children were also displayed. Mother's day cards, messages and hotographs all adorned the venue.





Yoga is a group of physical, mental, and spiritual practices or disciplines which originated in ancient India and aim to control and still the mind, recognizing a detached witness consciousness untouched by the mind and mundane suffering.

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"Yoga for Humanity" is the theme for International Day of Yoga 2022. The day, observed on June 21, focuses on the importance of yoga in our lives. A number of events are organized around the world to mark the day.





The Investiture Ceremony is a solemn occasion where all the young students are prepared to don the mantle of leadership and discharge the responsibilities entrusted upon them by the school. Investiture ceremony was organized in Shivalik Public School, Tapa this occasion was graced by the benign presence of School management members.

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Principal Mr. Ajay Sharma welcomed the gathering and motivated the students to strive harder with a unified zeal for the betterment of the institution. He also stressed on setting priorities and aiming high. School Head boy, Head girl, captains and the prefects administered the oath with a promise that they would carry out their duties with integrity, faith and excellence.

Head Boy:- Jasmail Singh (12 Arts),
Head Girl:- Parneet Kaur (12th Science),
Vice Head Boy:- Divyansh (12th Commerce),
Vice head girl:- Simranjot (12th Arts).

House Captains:

Satluj House:-Bhagat Singh House: Tagore House: Shivaji House :

Satluj House: Bhagat Singh House: Tagore House: Shivaji House: Kulbir Singh (10th B), Tejkaran Singh (10th B), Sukhpreet Singh (10th B), Akash (10th A), **House Prefect:** Vansh (9th C),

Aayush (9th C), Amanpreet Singh (9th B), Aman Rawtale (9th C), Nancy (10th B) Navi (10th B) Gurpreet Kaur (10th A) Ananya Sharma (10th B)

Jasleen Kaur (9th A) Noordeep Kaur (9th A) Diksha (9th A) Davinder Kaur (9th C)





Junior House Captain:

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Satluj House: Bhagat Singh House: Tagore House: Shivaji House: Satnam Singh (8th A), Gurnoor Singh (8th B), Karan Bansal (8th B), Aayush (8th B),

Sports Captain:

Gurkirat Kaur (8th B) Diksha (8th B) Deepali (8th A) Siya (8th A)

Bimalpreet Singh (8th A), Simranjeet Kaur (12th Science)

Activity Incharge :

Palwinder Kaur (6th B), Smriti (9th C)

Discipline Incharge:

Kiran (10th B)



Drawing Competition

Drawing competition based on theme "Only one Earth" was conducted in Shivalik Public School, Tapa. Large number of students participated enthusiastically in presenting their views, opinions and ideas of saving our home planet, through colours.

Children were given opportunity to inspire their imagination, such as Water Conservation, Tree Plantation, Say No to Plastic, Save the Planet Earth, Environmental Pollution, and many more. The students made beautiful paintings.

Among the dignitaries present on occasion were Dr. Rajeev Gupta (Environment Engineer), Mr. Simarpreet Singh (Assistant environment engineer), Sh. C. Markanday, (Senior Journalist and Punjabi writer), Mr. Naresh Kumar (Senior assistant), Gurjeet Singh (Senior field attendant) along with school management members.

School Principal Mr. Ajay Sharma addressed students on this occasion and insisted to think and act timely to preserve our mother planet earth. Best drawings were selected by panel of judges and will be sent for further selection at state level.

Class 5th to 8th:



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Pool party was organized at Shivalik Public School Tapa for students of Classes Play-way and Nursery. The kids had a gala time, tapping their little hands and feet, bubbling and splashing water all around. Little angels filled the poolside with their giggles and laughter. Various water toys added flavour to their enjoyment. The motive behind organizing the party was to develop their motor skills, improve their eye-hand coordination and develop their gross motor skills through running, dodging, hopping and sprinkling. CBSE announced the result for board classes (10th and 12th) for the session (2021-22) and it was the proud movement the Shivalikians that all the result of Shivalik Public School was 100%. All the students scored excellent marks in their board examination. Facilitation ceremony for the topper students was conducted at Shivalik Public School Tapa (Barnala) to recognize achievement of students in CBSE class XII and X examination.

CBSE Results

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Inter - School Sports Event

Inter school sports event was conducted between **Shivalik Public School, Tapa** and **St. Roop Convent School, Patiala** with great zeal, excitement and in frolicsome atmosphere. Students competed for 10 categories.

****Cricket under-1**** - Shivalik boys won match by 51 runs.

Cricket under-17 Shivalik boys won by 134 runs.

****Kabbadi under -17**** Shivalik boys won by 29 points.

Badminton under -17 - Shivalik boys won the match

Badminton under -14 - Shivalik Boys won their match.

****Badminton under-14**** - Shivalik Girls won their match.

Basketball under-17 - Shivalik Boys won their match.

Basketball under - 17 girls- Shivalik Girls won their match

****Basketball under -14 girls**-** St. Roop convent school won their match.

****Chess under-14**-** Shivalik boys won their match.



Teeyan is the regional name of the festival of Teej which is celebrated throughout Punjab which is dedicated to the onset of the monsoon and focuses on daughters and sisters.

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The festival of Teej was celebrated with great enthusiasm in Shivalik Public School, Tapa. Female Staff members and students of class 3rd reached the school in cultural outfits to make the programme special. On the occasion, female teaching and non teaching staff along with students enjoyed gidha, bhangra and modeling.

Rakhi Celebration



Rakhi is short for Raksha Bandhan or Raksha Bandhana. Rakhi is a festival celebrating the bond between siblings and families, often called Brother and Sister Day. Translated from the original Sanskrit, "Raksha Bandhan" meaning translates to "bond of protection."

It's celebrated on the day of the full moon of Shravana, a Hindu month typically falling in July and August. Despite the vast differences between regions, Raksha Bandhan is celebrated all across the subcontinent and across all walks of life.

Rakhi celebrations were done at Shivalik Public School with lots of zeal and enthusiasm. Students take part in different activities related to celebration like Rakhi making with clay, Rakhi decoration etc.



Celebration

Independence Day



This 15th of August, India celebrated 75 years of Independence. We as Indians pay respect to all the leaders who fought bravely for our nation's freedom in the past. Independence Day is celebrated annually on 15 August as a public holiday in India commemorating the nation's independence from the United Kingdom on 15 August 1947, the day when the provisions of the Indian Independence Act, which transferred legislative sovereignty to the Indian Constituent Assembly, came into effect.

Shivalik Public school also takes the part in this celebration under the slogan "Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav". Students take parts in various activities. National flag was hoists in the school campus by school Principal and the SMC of school.



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Krishna Janmashtami was celebrated with great pomp and festivity by the tiny-tots of primary section at Shivalik Public School, Tapa. Dressed as Radha and Krishna, the cute little ones added a traditional touch to the entire celebrations when they danced to the beat of Janmashtami songs, filling the air with festive spirit. joy and The most significant event of the programme was " Dahi Handi", organized separately for boys and girls. The very delicious 'Gopal Kala' prepared by the teachers and students was distributed among all students and staff members of the school.



Zonal Level Tournament



Government for boys and girls was organized under the patronage of Director Youth Services & Sports and under supervision of District Youth Services and Sports Officer Barnala concluded at Shivalik Public School, Tapa and Kassi ground Tapa. Students of Shivalik Public School, Tapa gave stellar and marvellous performance by winning almost all categories. Details of which are given below:-

Game Tug of war Boy U-17= 1st U-19 =2nd U 14 = 3rd *Tug of war girls* U 19 = 1st U 17 = 1st

Game kabbadi

U 19 boys = 1st

Game Cricket U 17 = 1st boys U 14 = 1st boys U 19 = 1st Girls *Kho - Kho* U 17 = Boys 2nd U 17 = Girls 1st U 14 = Girls 1st *Badminton* U 17 Boys = 1st



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Facilitation Ceremony



On the occasion of Rakhi festival various activities were conducted in the Shivalik Public School. Students were taken part in these activities with full of zeal and enthusiasm. Students were facilitated for Rakhi making competition, Thali decoration and GK Quiz competition. Panels of judges were selected the winners.









Workshop on NTSE



Workshop on NTSE awareness and mental ability was conducted at Shivalik Public School, Tapa to prepare students of class 10th for NTSE exam. Guest faculty for workshop were from Doon centre of excellence. Among the guests were Mr. Sandeep Bhasksr , Mr. Vinod Joshi and Mr. Nishant all mental ability expert. Principal Mr. Ajay Sharma urged all students to work hard for coming NTSE exam and thanked all guest faculty members for their valuable mental ability tricks.

Webinar on NEP-2020

The NEP 2020 is an ambitious policy that offers a sea change to the Education ecosystem of the nation right from primary education to higher education. Keeping this in mind Webinar on "National Education Policy" was conducted for teaching staff members of Shivalik Public School, Tapa to prepare them for changes in curriculum framework. Keynote speaker for webinar was Mr. Ali Zama a renowned trainer, leadership mentor and counsellor.

Principal Mr. Ajay Sharma proposed vote of thanks to keynote speaker and addressed teaching staff members that the new National Education Policy-2020 (NEP-2020) envisions to bring about significant reforms in higher education to cater to the changing landscape of knowledge and create global standards of education.



Students and staff of Shivalik Public School, Tapa participated enthusiastically in "Mission Haryali 2022" an initiative by "Apna Punjab Foundation". Students, teachers, Principal and school management members planted saplings in and around school campus. This plantation drive was supported by "Nature lovers organization Tapa" by providing plant saplings. Certificates were distributed to all participants on behalf of "Apna Punjab Foundation".

Mission Harva

Seminar on Fire Safety and First Aid

With an objective to create awareness about fire safety and first aid, a fire safety and first aid awareness programme and training session was conducted at Shivalik Public School, Tapa on September 22, 2022. The programme aimed at making the supporting staff of the school mindful about fire hazards and the safety measures which can be taken during fire and medical emergency. Certificates were distributed after successful completion of training to all participants.



th-Anniversary of S. Bhagat Singh

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Birth anniversary of Shaheed Bhagat Singh was celebrated with great devotion and patriotic fervour at Shivalik Public School, Tapa. A heartfelt tribute was paid by entire staff members to the son of soil who sacrificed his life at a very tender age.



Mathematical Modeling



Mathematical modeling refers to the process of creating a mathematical representation of a real-world scenario to make a prediction or provide insight. There is a distinction between applying a formula and the actual creation of a mathematical relationship.

Real-world, messy problems can be approached with mathematics, resulting in a range of possible solutions to help guide decision making. Both students and teachers are sometimes uncomfortable with the notion of math modeling because it is so open-ended. So much unknown information seems prohibitive.

And what factors are most relevant? But it is this openended nature of real-world problems that leads to building and applying problem solving skills, creativity, innovation, and mathematics.

Mathematical modeling can be thought of as an iterative process made up of the following components.

Identify the Problem because modeling problems are open-ended, the modeler must be specific in defining what it is they would like to find out.

Make Assumptions and Identify Variables Since it is impossible to account for all the important factors in a given situation, the modeler must make choices about what to incorporate in their representation of the real-world. Making assumptions helps reveal the variables that will be considered and also reduce the number of them by deciding not to include everything. Within this process, relationships between variables will emerge based on observations, physical laws, or simplifications.

Do the Math Eventually, a relationship between input and output will allow for a solution to be found.

Analyze and Assess the Solution When considering the results and insights gained from the model, one asks if the answer makes sense.

Iterate Usually, the model can be refined and the process can be repeated to improve the model's performance.

Implement the Model and Report Results A clear report on the model and its implementation makes the model understandable to others.

Mahima Sharma

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Making mental Heath a priority among children

It is no longer a disputed notion that mental health ought to be valued, promoted, and protected right from childhood. While every child is struggling to deal with the pressure of excelling in their career and meeting the expectations of their parents, mental health has become more erucial in the post-pandemic era where the world, children being no exception, is prone to mental illness, loneliness, depression, anxiety, sleeplessness, heart attacks, and suicides owing to various reasons. Schools can, indeed, play an important role in ensuring mental well-being.

To begin with, it is important to raise awareness among the children as to how a distressed and anxious mind can affect their success. Our body, mind, and spirit depend on our mental stability. Students should be taught about mental health and meditation like physical education.

Staff across campus, including athletic coaches and academic advisers, can also monitor students' sudden change in behavior—including a drop in attendance, failure to submit assignments or a disheveled appearance—which may indicate that a student is struggling. Counseling sessions by a psychological Counselor, workshops, and seminars can be encouraged.

Further, students should be taught not to worry about anticipated judgment from peers, to trust their own journey and that self-care is most important. There is a difference between reel life and real life. One should just try to be the best version of themselves and "be imperfectly perfect" should be the attitude worn Teachers can play the role of a mentor, and guide and should instill a feeling in the child that they are there to hear them out without being judgmental.

Mrs. Rani

Importance of Education

Education is one of the key components for an individual's success. It has the ability to shape one's life in the right direction. Education is a process of imparting or acquiring knowledge, and developing the powers of reasoning and judgment. It prepares growing children intellectually for a life with more mature understanding and sensitivity to issues surrounding them. It improves not only the personal life of the people but also their community. Thus, one cannot neglect the significance of Education in life and society.

The importance of education in life is immense. It facilitates quality learning for people throughout their life. It inculcates knowledge, belief, skill, values and moral habits. It improves the way of living and raises the social and economic status of individuals.

Well said by Nelson Mandela, "Education is the most powerful weapon to change the world." Mrs. Rishu







WORK IS WORSHIP

It is rightly saying that "God helps those who help themselves", one can help himself or herself by working. Work is the prime objective of life. No work is demeaning or low, all works are great works even if it is small one.

Even if we ourselves don't get any benefit of work, if it benefits another human on earth, it is worth doing, it deserves applause. We are humans, helping others is the first and foremost duty of ours.

We need to help others if possible that are why work is called divine. It is rightly said that an idle man's brain is the devil's workshop". Man must work to stay away from devil deeds. An unoccupied mind is devil's home, but an occupied mind is the door way to success and prosperity.

Mrs. Mamta

Power of Positivity

Don't allow the negative things in your life to discount the positive ones..!

Don't let a bad day or a month or a year make you feel like you have a bad life. Instead of focusing on everything that's going wrong, start holding onto all of the things that are going right. You may be struggling, but there is still so much to keep fighting for — there is still so much more to life than this pain.

And if you keep picking yourself back up and pushing forward, no matter how difficult things are, you will discover it. Maybe not tomorrow or next week or a year from now, but someday soon, things will get better.

Someday soon, you will find freedom from this darkness. And when you do, you'll look back on these days and wonder how you could have doubted your resilience. One thing learnt from life is that getting 'upset' will never sort out any issue but 'getting up to set the things' will help a lot in life.

Mrs. Seema

Great start your life....Great day..







Why Teachers are important?

Loud shouter, Deep thinker Rain hater, Coffee drinker Spell checker, Sum ticker Line giver, Nit picker

Ready listener, Trouble career Hometime lover

Teachers are important because they change lives, inspire dreams, and push the limits of human potential. A teacher's job is to nurture, teach, and raise children to become useful to society. Teachers' role in the classroom, society, and the world at large has taken a different turn from what it was back in the day.



Over time, teachers were given a specific curriculum to follow and instructions on how to teach the curriculum. Today, the teachers' role has gone beyond teaching. Their role now involves counselling students, mentoring students, and teaching them how to use and apply knowledge in their lives. Teachers are now looking for ways to impact students on a different level and even inspire them to be more and do more.

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Mrs. Baljinder Kaur

सोच समझ कर बोलना, वाणी म रस घोल। देख कोर्किला को सखे, मीठो वाणी बोल।। कौए जैसा रंग है, जीवन चक्र समान। बस बोलो के फक से, कोयल का है मान।। बोल सुरोले ह सखे, मैना पाखी मोर। ककश बोलो बोलते, मनुज बहुत से ढोर।। कंठ सुरोले गायको, सजे गीत संगीत। कटु वाणी वक्ता करे, झगड़े झंझट मीत।। मीठा वाणी

बोलों का सुख है बड़ा, बोलो तोल सतोल।

घाव भरे तलवार का, मृदु वाणी अनमोल।।

मुंह से निकलो बात का, इस जग म है मोल ।

ज्ञानी जन कहते सदा, सोच समझ कर बोल 🛮



Mrs. Poonam Jain

PUNCTUALITY



MAN naturally loves delay, And to procrastinate; Business put off from day to day is always done too late. Let every hour be in its place Firm fixed, nor loosely shift, And well enjoy the vacant space, As though a birthday gift. when the hour arrives, be there, Where're that "there" may be; Uncleanly hands or ruffled hair Let no one ever see. If dinner at "half-past" be placed, At "half-past" then be dressed. If at a "quarter-past" make haste To be down with the rest. Better to be before your time, Than ever to be behind; To open the door while strikes the chime, That shows a punctual mind.

Punctuality, or being on time, is something most of us have to learn and practice and If you are a student, it is important that you always be punctual. Punctuality teaches students the value of time. It helps them to manage time efficiently and achieve their goals in life. Punctuality is a skill that can help a student's college career as well as future job prospects.

What is the Importance of Punctuality in Children and Students' Life?

As a student, you must know the following reasons why punctuality in school is important for students from all domains. Let us begin.

Integrity

You must realize that not reaching a particular place or not completing a specific assignment at a pre-designated time is a sign of indiscipline. Ensure that you perform a task as per the time it is discussed. This shows your respect towards the other person and portrays you as a man of integrity.

Reliability

It is apparent that people with high dependency are liable to gain more faith than others. The punctual students are seen as highly responsible and reliable individuals. They are assigned more tasks by professors as they have a great ability to manage multiple tasks at one point.

Self-confidence

Punctuality is such a trait that it embeds the quality of self-confidence in students from a very young age and makes them dependable. It shows that people are comfortable laying their trust in you and have great expectations from you and your work. This boosts a student's self-confidence and evokes the feeling of performing well in all aspects.

Mrs. Anita

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<u>म बोझ नहां हूँ</u>

शाम हो गई,

अब तो घुमाने चलो नापापा

चलते चलते थक गई, कंधे पर बिठा लो ना पापा। अंधेरे से डर लगता है. सीने से लगा लो ना पापा। मम्मी तो सो गई. आप हो थपको देकर सुला दो ना पापा। स्कूल तो पूरो हो गई, अब कॉलेज जाने दो ना पापा। पाल पोस कर बडा किया. अपने से जुदा मत करो ना पापा। अब डोलो म बिठा हो दिया तो, आँसू तो मत बताओ ना पापा। आपको मुस्कुराहट अच्छो है, एक बार तो मुस्कुरा दो ना पापा। आपने मेरो हर बात मानी है. एक बात और मान लो ना पापा । इस धरती पर बोझ नहां हूं म, इस द्निया को समझा दो ना पापा।



धन्यवाद रिशवानी

<u>प्रदूषण</u>

हमने प्रकृति से नाता तोड़ा है, हवाओं म भी खूब जहर छोड़ा है इसका ठोकरा दूसरों के सिर पर फोड़ा है स्धर जाओ दुनिया वालां अभी थोड़ा है हवाओं म भी सबसे ज्यादा जहर. गाड़ियों के धुए ने घोला है शहर का हर पांचवा आदमी, सांस का मरोज है लेकिन हमने फैक्ट्री पर फैक्ट्री खोला है शायद इर्सालए करोना फैला है शहरों म हम पेड़ काटते ज्यादा, और लगाते बहुत कम ह लेकिन इन पढ़े लिखे लोगां को कैसे समझाएं इसी बात का तो गम है ऐसी तरक्को का क्या फायदा. अपने बच्चां को हम स्वच्छ हवा ना दे सक कोरोना का जब कहर बढा, सांस लगी टूटने तब हम अपनों को ऑक्सीजन रूपी दवा ना दे सके. तरक्को और दौलत के नशे म हम चुर ह, प्रकृति से हम कोसां दूर ह बीमारियों ने सब को घेरा है. हाय |सफलता का एक कैसा सवेरा है नहां चाहिए हम जीवन म ऐसी सफलता, जिसका हम अनंद ना ले सक रखो अपने स्वास्थ्य का ख्याल. करो प्रकृति से प्यार।

Importance of Education in Life

Reading, writing, and understanding is the first value that we receive from Education. Most information is done by writing. Without writing skill we will miss out on a lot of information. Consequently, Education makes people literate. Above all, Education is extremely important for employment. Proper education gives us a great opportunity to make a decent living.

We understood the values of education when we see people with a high paying job. Uneducated people have a huge disadvantage when it comes to jobs due to a lack of education. Better Communication is yet another role in Education. It enhances and improves the speech of a person.



Educated individuals can express their views efficiently and in a clear manner. Education means studying in order to obtain a deeper knowledge and understanding of a variety of subjects to be applied to daily life. Education is not limited to just knowledge from books, but can also be obtained through practical experiences outside of the classroom.

Seema Rani

रिशक्षा

अधकार को दूर कर जो प्रकाश फैला दे। बुझी हुई आश मे विश्वास जो जगा दे।।

जब लगे नामुर्माकन कोई भी चीज। उसे मुर्माकन बनाने का राह जो दिखा दे वो है शिक्षा।।

हो जो कोई असभ्य, उसे सभ्यता का पाठ पढ़ा दे। अज्ञानी के मन म, जो ज्ञान का दोप जला दे।।

हर दद का दवा जो बता दे.. वो है शिक्षा। वस्तु का सहा उपयोगिता जो समझाए।।

दुगम माग को सरल जो बनाए। चकाचौंध और वास्तविकता म अन्तर जो दिखाए।।

जो ना होगा शिक्षित समाज हमारा। मुश्किल हो जाएगा सबका गुजारा।।

इसानियत और पशुता के बीच का अन्तर है शिक्षा। शाति, सुकून और खुशियां का जन्तर है शिक्षा।। भेदभाव, छुआछुत और अर्धावश्वास दुर भगाने का मन्तर है शिक्षा। जहाँ भी जलो शिक्षा का चिंगारो, नकारात्मकता वहा से

हारो।।

जिस समाज म हां शिक्षित सभी नर-नारो। सफलता-समृद्धि खुद बने उनके पुजारो।।

इर्सालए आओ शिक्षा का महत्व समझे हम। आओ पूरे मानव समाज को शिक्षित कर हम।।



Mrs. Nishu

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Successes and Challenges of the INDIAN Education System

With a population of over 1.2 billion, India's education system is expected to be one of the largest and most complex in the world, only comparable in Sheer size to its neighbor the Republic of China. Half of the population is below the age of 25, and the 2011 census indicated an adult literacy rate of 74% which is a remarkable Compared to the 12% figure, registered at the end of the British Raj. All of this translates to a staggering 1.4 million Schools across India, 230 million enrolments in school and Collages, and over 25 million new college graduates every year.



India's higher education produces yearly, many skilled individuals in the engineering and IT field. With that tremendous amount of man power, and with experts predicting a steadily increase in growth of the working- age population and thus, bound to become one of the leading economics of the next decades. However, all these forecasts of perceivable bright future might be masking deep rated problems still present within India's Education system.

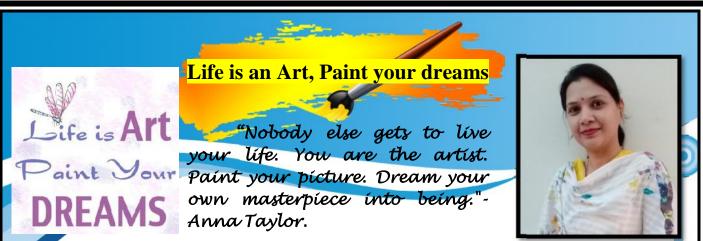
According to the study from Cheney, Ruzzi and Mureldharan for the National Centre on Education and Economy (NCEE) the Indian education has elitists tendencies for a long time, going back as far as the 18^{th} Century, with a high caste group (Brahmin) having persist in the Modern education system with a three-bered System branching off in three different groups for high, middle and lower classes respectively. Nonetheless numerous efforts have been made in past decades to increase in Availability of education throughout the Nation. One of such efforts was the Indian Education Commission formed in 1964, better known as the Kothari Commission at was at that moment that multiple guidelines and policies were established to modernize and Standardize the structure of education System with recommendation still relevant to this date, such as 10+2+3 pattern is used to nationdise.

One of the major issues in today's Indian education system is the fact that around 70% of the population. Resides in rural areas, people living in these areas have fewer resources to court in compared to their Counterparts in bigger cities. The drive in more infrastructural constraints for the poorer, a higher student ratio and an increasing gap of quality of education between different social strata. Solving all these issues is not an easy task, providing standardize high level education very costly, and not only in India but also worldwide. And in add to this India is one of most culturally, diverse countries in the world with over 100 languages and a thousand dialects only increasing the challenger the Education system has to face.

• Given that we live in globally competitive environment in this day and age, it's essential that the Indian education system Continues to improve the Standard to match those of the more economically advanced Countries. The path is not easy, but the potential exist can be exploited

Mrs. Anu Dixit

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You have one life. You are the artist. Don't just make life work, you make it a masterpiece. When you are the artist of your life, it reminds you constantly that your life is your responsibility. Give it all you've got.

You can't truly express yourself, until you've found your voice: the tone, style, tenor, pitch, personality you use to express yourself without fear or reservation. The greatest and most important adventure of our lives is discovering who we really are and spending time doing what brings out the best in us. **"So believe in your dreams, believe in yourself."**

Mrs. Jyoti Goyal

The Beauty of the concept of Mathematics



We heard them say, "Nothing is perfect". Well there are two things in this world that are perfect. One is Mother Nature, the other is mathematics. When I say perfect, I mean it cannot get better than this.

How do I wake this conclusion? Mother nature is a complex web of life and the lifeless. The very state of it being so perfect is the reason for life and also for death. Mathematics on other hand, is manmade, to understand nature and beyond. Now, there is a debate over whether mathematics was invented or discovered, but either way it is still perfect.

Everyday there are new discoveries that are made in nature and in maths as well. We are getting just more aware of the truth, which exists independently or our acknowledgement. Maths is founded on simple yet powerful elements-numbers. Numbers, just like the elements of nature, share a complex relationship with every other element is that set.

This relationship is universally valid. The equation, $(a+b)^2=a^2+b^2+2ab$, stands true on earth, on Jupiter and even if the sun goes down. Because, math doesn't exist in this physical dimension. It exists entirely in the human mind, it's a mental concept and I think this is the most beautiful concept ever made by the human mind. Math and human beings are co-dependent to aid each other's growth

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What is the largest number your mind can conceive? What is the size of the Universe? The answer to both these questions is one and the same. The answer is not infinity, it is zero. Yes! The size of Universe is zero and so is the largest number!

This beautiful conception was made in ancient India at a time when the rest of the World was busy figuring out whether the Earth is flat or round. It's really astonishing and makes me proud of the intellectual wisdom of ancient India, making such a ground breaking revelation that changed the human thought process once for all!

Ms. Riya

Impact of Social Media

Social media is a tool that is becoming quite popular these days because of its user-friendly features. Social media platforms like Facebook, Instagram, Twitter and more are giving people a chance to connect with each other across distances. In other words, the whole world is at our fingertips all thanks to social media. The youth is especially one of the most dominant users of social media. All this makes you wonder that something so powerful and with such a massive reach cannot be all good. Like how there are always two sides to a coin, the same goes for social media. Subsequently, different people have different opinions on this debatable topic. So, in this essay on Social Media, we will see the advantages and disadvantages of social media.



Advantages of Social Media

When we look at the positive aspect of social media, we find numerous advantages. The most important being a great device for education. All the information one requires is just a click away. Students can educate themselves on various topics using social media.

- Moreover, live lectures are now possible because of social media. You can attend a lecture happening in America while sitting in India.
- Furthermore, as more and more people are distancing themselves from newspapers, they are depending on social media for news. You are always updated on the latest happenings of the world through it. A person becomes more socially aware of the issues of the world.
- In addition, it strengthens bonds with your loved ones. Distance is not a barrier anymore because of social media. For instance, you can easily communicate with your friends and relatives overseas.
- Most importantly, it also provides a great platform for young budding artists to showcase their talent for free. You can get great opportunities for employment through social media too.
- Another advantage definitely benefits companies who wish to promote their brands. Social media has become a hub for advertising and offers you great opportunities for connecting with the customer.

Disadvantages of Social Media

Despite having such unique advantages, social media is considered to be one of the most harmful elements of society. If the use of social media is not monitored, it can lead to grave consequences.

It is harmful because it invades your privacy like never before. The over sharing happening on social media makes children a target for predators and hackers. It also leads to cyber bullying which affects any person significantly.

Ms. Parminder Kaur

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Importance of leadership skills in student's life

Leadership is not about titles or positions; it is about one life influencing another. Student leadership means student takes active role in their school community and develop positive skills in the process. It is important to students to experience leadership opportunities during their schooling, to learn art of building relationships within teams, defining identities and achieving tasks efficiently. It also provides an opportunity to learn to identify and display effective communication skills and impersonal skills. Leadership skills improve student's outcomes, behaviour and attitude. Leadership is a skill for life as it is art of motivating, directing, influencing and guiding others. It provides vital skills to students that can carry over to adulthood. All students should have regular opportunities to be involved in leadership and strengthen their skills.

> Parneet Kaur (Head Girl)

Class – 12th Science

The Lion and the mouse

Once upon a time, there lived a lion who ruled the forest. One Day after eating his meal, the lion felt asleep under a tree. A little mouse was also playing nearby. A little mouse began running up and down upon him, this soon wakened the lion caught the mouse in his huge paw and said, "You little mouse, How dare you wake me? I will kill you". The mouse was frightened. He requested the lion, "Pardon, King please do not kill me let me go. I will help you in future". The lion laughed at this and said, "You are too small to help me anyway, you can go."

A few days later the lion was walking in the jungle. He found himself caught in a hunter's net. He roared loudly but he failed. The lion was pleading for help. Help me, Help me. The mouse whose life was saved by the lion heard the roar and come to the lion and said "Don't worry my friend, I save you." The mouse gathered all his friends and told them. We all have to help my friend and set him free. The mouse and his friend cut through the net and set the lion free. The lion escaped and thanked the mouse and from that day, they became the best friends.

Moral – A friend in a need is a friend indeed.



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पेड़ लगाओ, पेड़ बचाओ, जीवन हरा-भरा बनाओ। वन म हरियालो लाओ, अपने जीवन को स्वच्छ बनाओं आओ हम मिलकर कसम खाएँ अपनी धरती को हरित बनाएँ। पेड़ लगाकर जग महकाएँ, ओओ हम सब मिलकर पेड़ लगाएँ Manjot Kaur Class – 2nd A



Nature Is Everywhere

Nature is everywhere Nature is everywhere you go. Everything that lives and grows is nature. Animals big and small. Nature is plants that grow tall Nature is beautiful in every way Wonderful, exciting and needs your care So listen learn and do your part to keep nature beautiful. **Ekam Khurmi**

Class – 2nd A

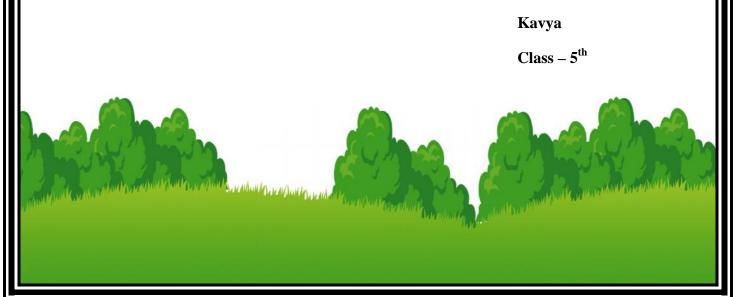
Awareness about our Environment

Broken Bottles and charred pieces of glass wadded up newspapers tossed on the grass Pouring of concrete and tearing out trees. This is the environment that surrounds me?

Poisons and insecticides sprayed on our food oceans filling with thick oil crude. All sea life destined to a show awful doom. These are the things we are to consume?

Mills humping out iron expelling yellow fumes Airlines emitting caustic gases from fuels weapons of destruction tasted at desolate sites. And this is the air that's to sustain life?

There has to be something that someone can do like raise the awareness to those around you that if we don't heed the problem at hand. It's your life that is at stake, the destruction of man.



Three Magic Words

Speaking softly and using polite words is a quality that is appreciated by all, especially when young children do it, everybody is pleased and appreciative of them. This social acceptance is as much important for the psychological development of a child as it is for the parents to reassure they are doing a wonderful job raising their children. Part of polite speech is the 'magic words' or the 'golden words' that all children must learn.

Words have a lot of power in establishing goodwill and ourselves as well-meaning individuals in any social setting. If you have ever observed the most popular or the most liked or the most charismatic people in your lives, they are quite excellent in their use of language and words. The magic words such as Thank You, Please, May I, Excuse me can put an instant smile on anyone's face. These words build a positive perception of you in the mid of the other person.

When children use these words they are liked by everyone and are invited to engage in social activities. It increases their socialization and builds their interpersonal skills which are absolutely essential for their growth and development into healthy respected adults. The golden words also elicit a positive response from the other person which would result in a better conversation or interaction over-all.

Simranpreet Kaur Class – 4th A

Nature is our best Friend

We live on the most beautiful planet, Earth which has very clean and attractive nature full of greenery. Nature is our best friend which provides us all the resources to live here. It gives us water to drink, pure air to breathe, food to eat, land to stay, animals, plants for our other uses, etc for our betterment. We should fully enjoy the nature without disturbing its ecological balance. We should care our nature, make it peaceful, keep it clean and prevent it from the destruction so that we can enjoy our nature forever. The nature is everything around us which surrounds us with beautiful environment. We see and enjoy it every moment. We observe natural changes in it, hear it and feel it everywhere. We should take full advantage of the nature and go out of home for the morning walk daily to breathe pure air and enjoy morning beauty of nature. All though the day it changes it beauty like in the morning when sun rises everything looks bright orange and then yellowish. In the evening when sun sets it again becomes dark orange and then light dark. Nature is a most precious gift given by the God to us to enjoy but not to harm.

Ayush

Class – 9th C

Once upon a time there lived a poor girl in village. One day, she was going to a village market to sell milk. The pot which she was carrying on her head was full of milk on her way to market, she began to make plans for using her money.

An Ambitious girl

At first, she thought that she would buy chickens in this way, she would get many eggs. Many chickens could be produced from the eggs. Then she would sell all of them and buy some goats after a few years, there would be many be many goats. After a few years, there would be many goats. She would sell those goats too to buy some cows. After a few years, there would be many cows. She would to sell those cows and buy expensive jewellery and beautiful clothes with the money. She would look beautiful in those clothes and jewellery. She lives a rich life. While she was thinking all these things, she tripped on a stone and fell down. All the milk spilt on the ground she became e very sad.

Moral:- Don't build a castle in the air.

Thank You Teacher!

Thank you teacher you are so kind, You gave me joy and Peace of mind. You helped me dreamy gave me hope, You taught me so I would not mope. You gave me strength so I can see,

A future that Belongs to me. A future that Looks really bright, Thanks for showing Me the light.



Never Give up! If I made a mistake, then I would have to retake, and do it once again, even feel the pain. But there also lays a prize, and that made me realize that, even if I was to fail, it would be a learning trail. If I hope for medals and a cup, I can't just rely on luck I must do hard work, to show the world my worth. That's the essence of never giving up

Ekamnoor Kaur

Class – 5th C

Maninder Singh Class – 5th B

Kartik Class – 5th B

How NEP 2020 Will Change the Entire Indian Education System

NEP stands for "National Education Policy 2020" - A Policy which brings wonders in the Education Fundamentals. It creates a drastic transformation in the life of many school and college students by introducing creativity, learning, experiments, visualization and art in the education sector.

This 5+3+3+4 structure implies the different age group of a child to perform the school lifespan. This concept derives the exact age/stage on how a child should be provided a best quality education

Implementing 5+3+3+4 structure (Prior / Pre Education and Higher Education)

This structure implies the different age group of a child to perform the school lifespan. This concept derives the exact age/stage on how a child should be provided a best quality education. The age group is mentioned as -

• Between 3 to 8 year old

• Between 11 to 14 year old

• Between 8 to 11 year old

• Between 14 to 18 year old

It consists of a child's 12 years of life dedicated to education along with 3 years for prior education.

Framing Mother Tongue / Regional Language as a means of instructions

It is a very respectful gesture to implement mother tongue in the New Education System. With this concept, the education system is aiming to not only promote the mother language but also giving importance to the different regional languages. Students are now capable of learning concepts in various languages till class 5th. It also helps students to understand the importance and roots of their mother tongue.

Various options for the students at the Undergraduate level

For the Undergraduate level, students can opt for their desired courses either for 1, 2, 3 or 4 years. They can aim at completing their desired courses in 1 year getting a certification over a period of time, Diploma for completing any 2 year course and then degree courses of 3 or 4 years. It will also help the students to choose the best course on the basis of their capabilities.

Other changes implemented through the NEP 2020

End number of Entrance examinations held for the students in order to get entry at different recognized universities.

- Producing different ways of Learning like online classes.
- Introducing digital education in an online platform.
- Teachers to be promoted or transferred on the basis of a merit-list.
- Transforming learning into a fun and entertaining concept.

Conclusion of NEP 2020

- 1. Implementation of skills, understanding and new learning methods in every child.
- 2. More focus on practical learning rather than theoretical learning.
- 3. Every student can get quality education no matter caste, gender or any disability.
- 4. Different learning techniques and experiments used by the teachers.
- 5. Freedom of choosing any subjects/streams with no boundations.
- 6. Giving importance to the Indian Languages and Ethics.
- 7. Equality in Caste, Gender and Category.
- 8. Overall Development of the Education System.

Ananya Sharma

Class: 10th B

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