

## Awards and Achievements

As a mark of excellence and recognition for outstanding performance and contribution in the field of Education, Jyoti Arora, principal, Mount Abu Public School, Rohini and governing body member of CBSE has been awarded the National Teachers' Award 2020. She has been a pioneer in introducing the Global Citizens Curriculum for the students with an aim to embody global competence and empower 21st-century learners. Her efforts and perseverance in involving the school community, parents and teachers in the development of the school paid off and she was the one among 47 awardees to receive the award from the President, Ram Nath Kovind.



The principal of DAV Public School, Pushpanjali Enclave, Rashmi Raj Biswal was awarded with CBSE Principals award 2019. An accreditation which consolidates the contribution made in all sectors of Education including fulfilling responsibilities towards social commitment and emotional wellbeing of students. It is her passion and commitment in the field of Education that has ushered in this achievement to her credit.



Hemal Handoo Bhat, principal, Hansraj Model School, Punjabi Bagh has been conferred with the "CBSE Award for Principals, 2020" for her contribution and service in the field of education. She expressed her gratitude for being able to have a persistent and constructive impact on her students. She dedicated her award to the perseverance and commitment of her team, and expressed her joy for being successful in creating a culture of inclusivity and trust.



The "CBSE National Principal award 2019" was conferred on Rashmi Malik, principal, Salwan Public School, Gurgaon who has conceptualized, motivated and propelled the ways and means of teaching with innovation, inspiration, and involvement that would make effective use of the resources to create leaders of tomorrow. The recipient of the award, Rashmi Malik said that this reward from the CBSE and the recognition from the Ministry of Education would catalyze to further dedicate her and her team to their chosen noble commitment to foster effective and innovative education and bolster the young learning minds to become the potential wealth and strength of our nation.



## 'SAVE IT TO CHERISH OR LEAVE IT TO PERISH'



The Shiram Millennium School, Faridabad organised their second edition of Shri Paryavaran Utsav -Gajotsava. This year the theme was 'In Support of Elephant Conservation'. As part of the virtual event Vivek Menon, Founder and CEO, Wildlife Trust of India, addressed students and spoke at length about the need to secure elephant corridors and elephant habitat. The Director, Uttara Singh spoke about the critical need to conserve this keystone species. Through the week leading to the event, the entire school engaged in a number of activities to build awareness about elephant conservation. This event was special as the school also organised their first ever pan-India online Interschool Competitions the results of which were announced on the day.

## TEACHERS AFFECT ETERNITY;

no one can tell how their influence can change the life of an individual

The teaching-learning process has gone through a sea change over the past few decades. The teacher is no longer an instructor but a facilitator who designs learning opportunities that allow students to participate. A teacher's role has changed from being a sage on the stage to becoming a mentor to the learning process. Today we have entered what is called a creative age, in which the key factor is propelling us forward in the use of creativity.

In consonance with this new cognitive demand, the most formidable role that teachers ought to play today is to promote ownership of learning to students whereby they develop the skills of analysis and synthesis, creation and innovation.

In the past, the teacher would teach to score well in exams.

However, today the teacher's role is beyond "teaching". Her work today is intense and demanding as they need to continually incorpo-



rate new technology and new assessment techniques in their teaching strategies. Today they act as project managers, planning managers, psychologists, counselors, curriculum designers and many more.

To make students future-ready is to teach them how to collaborate and communicate effectively so that they learn from each other and all the sources available, anywhere, and anytime.

I believe there is a Hero in every teacher and that true heroism is in painting the young minds into the happy colours of the rainbow, celebrate their achievements, correcting their faults and leading them to the new horizons and most importantly to ensure that they learn to value every life with dignity and it is then only that any teacher can

say that he or she has evolved from a teacher to a facilitator.

ALKA KAPUR, Principal,  
Modern Public School,  
Shalimar Bagh

## TOKEN OF LOVE FOR COVID WARRIORS



Shanti Gyan Vidyapeeth School, Goyla-Dwarka motivated students to thanks, COVID warriors, by making and gifting objects like flowers, self-made masks, and much more. The children themselves gave these token of respect and love to the COVID warriors.

School managing director Rohit Santosh Khurana lauded the idea and efforts of the students. He guided students and staff persons to increase their immunity by eating healthy food.

## Creating an engaging online learning experience

Sri Venkateshwar International School, Dwarka started the online classes for the new X and XII. Bridge Course for class XI was started to keep the students engaged and to give them an idea of the subject stream chosen. All others started with PTM.

Teachers' Training continued after classes and Podcasts, PPTs, Videos, Worksheets, e-textbooks, digital assessments became supportive pedagogical tools. Theatre, Music, Dance, Art & Craft, Physical Fitness, Life Skills, Yoga broke the monotony of classes. International Yoga Day, Mother's Day and Father's Day Celebrations involved the whole family.

The parental feedback boosted morale further. Literary, STEM, and Enterprise Club students organised Online Debating at the National level and Quarantech at the International level respectively. Academic Council students have announced the Scholastic Achievement Test.

## Stay motivated and positive as we strive on the path of self-reliance

Mater Dei School, Tilak Nagar conducted a series of activities through the digital platform. School principal, Sr Stella Joseph gave an opportunity to all the students to explore and translate the concepts of self-reliance, sustainable development, communal harmony and gratitude towards Covid Warriors.

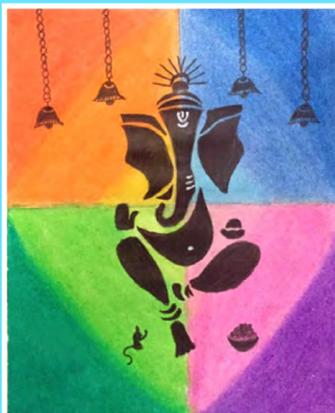
Students from class VI to X were given the theme Atamnirbhar Bharat - which envisions the emergence of a robust and strong India committed to the welfare of all. Students of XI and XII worked on the topic 'Salute to the COVID-

10 Warriors and paid tribute to the people who are working tirelessly at the forefront of India's war on COVID-19 Pandemic. The students exhibited their creativity in the form of Poetry writing, Article writing and Poster making. The best works were forwarded to the School Magazine.

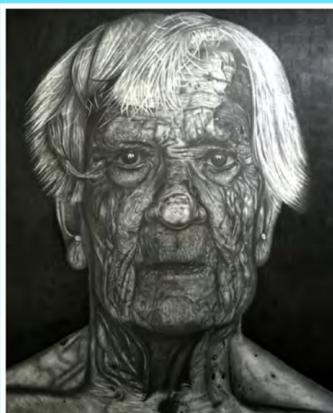
Sadbhavana Divas- the Birth Anniversary of late PM, Rajiv Gandhi was observed. The students were led into Oath taking by the teachers in each online class. School principal, Sr Stella took the oath with the helpers and wished them well.



## Student Corner



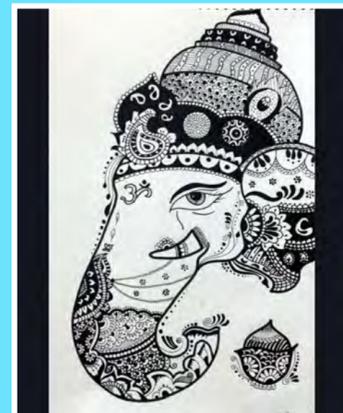
GUNRAJ SINGH BAWAJA, VII, Manav Sthali Global School, Double Storey, Rajendra Nagar



AVTAR SINGH, XI, Guru Nanak Public School, Punjabi Bagh



DIPEN MISRA, VI, Jagannath International School, Pitampura



MONISHAA, VII, Queen Mary's School, Model Town Northend