

Birla Public School, Kishangarh



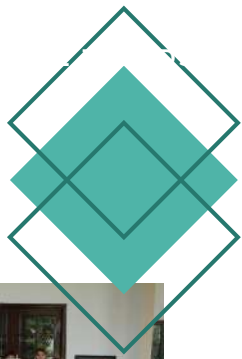
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Beyond the Sky

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Editorial Board



Dear Readers

"We are delighted to present the Second Quarterly Edition of 'Anahad.' Much like the first edition, this sequel paints a vibrant canvas, vividly portraying the kaleidoscope of events, achievements, sportsmanship, and boundless creativity that define our school.

Our journey winds through diverse landscapes, embarking first on an educational odyssey to Bhutan, where we immerse ourselves in spirituality and the philosophy of pantheism. From this ethereal realm, we embark on an exhilarating shift, venturing into the realm of internationally significant days. Here, we celebrate the majesty of International Tiger's Day, and tread the path of Earth Day, resonating with our commitment to our precious planet.

Pausing for reflection, we bask in the glory of our students' accomplishments in board examinations, a testament to their dedication and perseverance. This journey is also adorned with poignant tributes, as we pay homage to the valiant Kargil Martyrs and illuminate the stories of unsung tribal heroes.

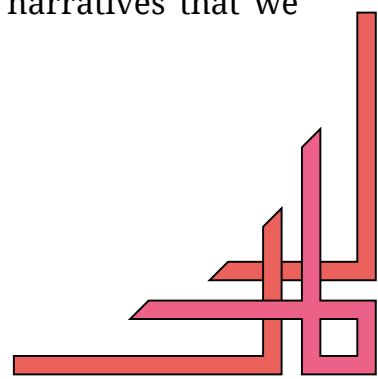
Recent times have witnessed our students engaging in enriching workshops, delving deeper into the very essence of their future prospects, and underlining their readiness to embrace what lies ahead.

As we reach the culmination of our expedition, we find ourselves at the threshold of a creative haven, where the musings of our budding authors resonate.

We hope that this labour of love resonates with you, weaving threads of appreciation for the profound journey we have drafted within these pages. Your voyage through the Second Quarterly Edition of 'Anahad' awaits, a symphony of experiences and narratives that we believe you'll embrace with open hearts.

With heartfelt gratitude,

Editorial Board"





Second Quarterly Edition of 2023

Points of Attraction GLIMPSES ...



**Culmination
Activity & PTM**



**Educational
Excursion to
Bhutan**



**International
Days**

Celebration

Sports

**Academic
Activities**



**Inter-House
Competitions**



Kargil Diwas



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Exploring the Enchanting Realm of Bhutan: A Journey of Culture and Conservation



In an endeavour to expand horizons and foster a profound understanding of diverse cultures and environmental conservation, Birla Public School, Kishangarh, orchestrated an awe-inspiring trip to the mystical land of Bhutan for the bright minds of Grade XII. Guided by their housemaster, superintendents, and a seasoned local guide, 32 enthusiastic students embarked on an unforgettable expedition.

Amidst the breathtaking landscapes and serene valleys of Bhutan, the students delved into an immersive experience that embraced both the heart of the nation's culture and its dedication to preserving the environment.

Throughout the journey, the young explorers seized the opportunity to partake in eco-tourism activities, promoting sustainable practices and gaining a profound appreciation for Bhutan's relentless efforts towards conservation.

Enraptured by the charm of Bhutanese hospitality, the students indulged in interactions with local monks and residents, imbibing the essence of Bhutanese culture, values, and beliefs. The wisdom of Buddhist philosophy and the art of meditation were unveiled to them, leaving a lasting impression on their minds.

From the vibrant colours of the iconic Paro Taktsang (Tiger's Nest) Monastery to the meditative ambience of Punakha Dzong, every destination they explored bestowed upon them a treasure trove of knowledge and memories.

The journey to Bhutan proved to be an odyssey of personal growth, fostering cultural sensitivity, and instilling an unwavering commitment to environmental conservation among the students of Birla Public School.



Earth Day celebration

"Celebrating Nature's Canvas: Earth Day Inspired Art Workshop"

An inspiring Art Workshop took place at Birla Public School, Kishangarh, in celebration of Earth Day. The workshop, designed for grades V to VIII students, aimed to showcase the breathtaking beauty of our planet and emphasized the importance of environmental conservation. Guided by a talented facilitator, our budding artists were encouraged to unleash their creativity, using a vibrant array of colors and shapes in their masterpieces. The event provided a wonderful opportunity for students to express themselves artistically while fostering a deeper awareness of crucial environmental issues.

"Raising Environmental Champions"

With an enthusiastic morning assembly, Birla Public School, Kishangarh, embraced the spirit of Earth Day on April 21st, 2023. Vibrant and engaging, students from grades VI to VIII presented a compelling skit focused on key environmental issues such as renewable energy, pollution reduction, sustainable development, waste management, and water conservation. Encouraging positive action, they urged their fellow students to take small yet impactful steps like turning off lights and air conditioners, when not needed, to reduce our carbon footprint. The celebration served as a powerful reminder of the importance of environmental stewardship and our collective responsibility to protect our precious planet.





Freshers Party

A Freshers Party was held at Birla Public School, Kishangarh to welcome the new students to the school community. Various musical and dance performances by both new and existing students captivated the audience. The new students also introduced themselves, receiving a warm welcome from their seniors and classmates. Mr Sourabh Kumar Guha, Principal, BPSK, delivered a welcome speech, encouraging the new students to get involved in the school community and assuring them of help and assistance whenever needed. After the party, a scrumptious dinner was served at the C.D.H. of the school.



The event was filled with laughter, joy, and memorable moments that brought new and existing students together, fostering a sense of camaraderie and belongingness.

INDUCTION PROGRAMME
Birla Public School Kishangarh organised an induction programme on 14 April 2023, designed to assist new boarders to acclimate to their surroundings, familiarize them with the culture and values of BPSK, build relationships with fellow boarders and faculty members, and encourage self-discovery. The programme aimed to provide new students with a sense of belongingness and a clear purpose within the school community.



Gold medals to Satyam Pandey, Alumnus, BPSK



It is a matter of great pleasure that our alumnus of Batch 2016-17, Mr. Satyam Pandey S/o Dr Vinay Kumar Pandey, was awarded three gold medals from Shree Om Birla, Speaker of the Lok Sabha for standing first in order of merit at the final year examination in the Bachelor of Technology (Civil) programme at Motilal Nehru National Institute of Technology, Allahabad, Prayagraj. He is currently employed as a Senior Engineer at Engineers India Limited - a Public Sector Undertaking, Government of India. Sincere congratulations on his outstanding accomplishment as it is highly deserved, and BPSK family is incredibly happy for his feat.

Exchange Programme by AFS India

Master Chandan Goyal was selected for a short-term programme – ‘Home Stay and Hungry Trip’ organised by AFS India. He got the opportunity to stay in Hungary from 6th May to 3rd June 2023, where he experienced Hungarian culture, family structure, and educational system. Birla Public School congratulates him on this achievement and wishes him all the best for his trip.

Francophonie Mela

Birla Public School, Kishangarh, participated in the Francophonie Mela organized by Alliance Française, Jaipur on April 7th, 2023. The students demonstrated their French language proficiency through activities such as French Tambola, Dicté dessin, and French Spell Bee. In addition, they had the opportunity to watch a French film and French cuisine.



OUTSTANDING BOARD RESULTS

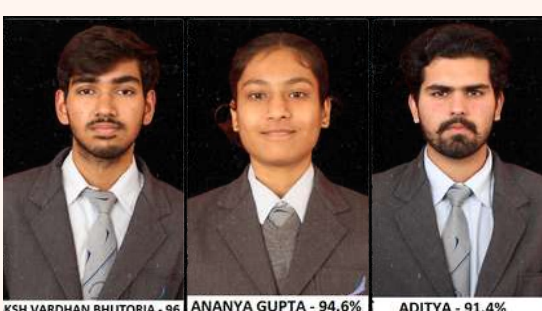
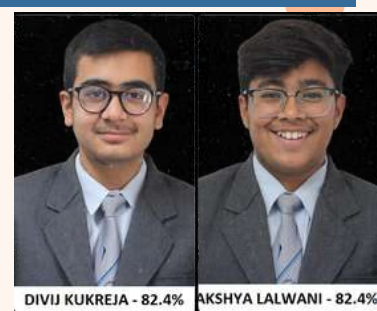
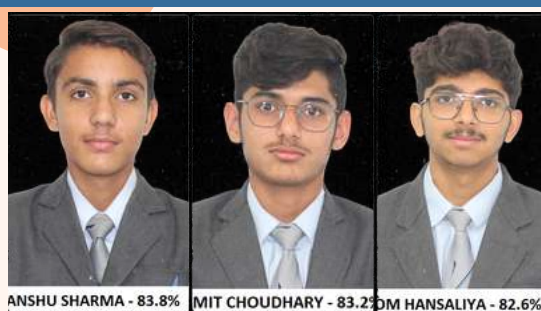
It is with immense pride that we announce the exceptional performance of Birla International School's students in the Class X and Class XII Board Examinations for the 2022-23 academic session. We are delighted to share that our school has achieved a remarkable 100% pass rate in both categories.

In Class X, our students have excelled, and we congratulate Aadi Jain for securing the top position with an impressive score of 93.2%. The excellence continues with Rohan Yadav (91.2%), Vedant Agarwal (87.6%), Anshu Sharma (83.8%), Sumit Choudhary (83.2%), Om Hansalia (82.6%), Divij Kukreja (82.4%), Lakshya Lalwani (82.4%), and Aditya Singhal (81.8%) displaying outstanding performance.

In Class XII, we celebrate Daksh Vardhan Bhutoria's remarkable achievement, securing the highest score of 96.6%. Ananya Gupta (94.6%), Aditya Bishnoi (91.4%), Anirudh Pratap Singh (90%), and Kumud Sharma (87.8%) have also showcased their dedication and excellence, contributing to the success story of the school.

These impressive results are a testament to the diligence and commitment of our students, as well as the unwavering support of our dedicated educators and staff. We applaud the collective efforts that have paved the way for this outstanding accomplishment.

As we celebrate these achievements, we also acknowledge the journey ahead for our students. With their strong foundation and remarkable achievements, we are confident they will continue to excel in their pursuits, making us proud at every step.





"Inter-House Chess Competition: Strategic Minds Unite

Strategies were set and minds engaged as Birla Public School, Kishangarh orchestrated an exhilarating Inter-House Chess Competition. The stage welcomed a total of 100 participants, thoughtfully divided into four categories: Category 1 (V-VI), Category 2 (VII-VIII), Category 3 (IX-X), and Category 4 (XI-XII).

This intellectual showdown was not merely a contest; it was a platform designed to nurture and amplify cognitive skills. The boards became battlegrounds for critical thinking, problem-solving, and a display of astute planning. As both boys and girls took their positions, the room buzzed with an electric atmosphere, charged by the anticipation of each move. Enthusiasm flourished alongside sportsmanship, turning the competition into a celebration of strategy, perseverance, and camaraderie. From the initial gambits to the final checkmates, the event showcased the students' dedication and prowess, leaving an indelible mark on the school's competitive spirit.

As the final moves were executed, one House emerged victorious, claiming the coveted trophy. Yet, every participant departed with a treasure of experience and the satisfaction of having played their best. To honour their commendable performances, certificates of merit adorned the hands of individual winners from each category.



INTER-HOUSE CHESS COMPETITION

SPORTS NEWS



The Inter-House Badminton Tournament, held from the 18th to the 20th of July 2023 at the MPH, marked a spirited gathering of sports enthusiasts. Organized by the Sports Department of BPSK, this event was designed to foster sportsmanship, teamwork, and healthy competition among students from different houses. From the 13th to the 16th of July, trials were conducted, with a total of 94 students vying to represent their houses. Four houses—Aravalli, Nilgiri, Shivalik, and Vindhyachal—participated with great enthusiasm. The houses formed teams encompassing both boys and girls, creating an atmosphere of inclusive competition.

The tournament followed an engaging Knockout format. Matches were played in best-of-three sets, each set comprising 21 points. The competition witnessed thrilling matches that showcased exceptional badminton skills and displayed the true spirit of sportsmanship. As the tournament concluded, the award ceremony unfolded, graced by the school principal, esteemed faculty members, and enthusiastic students. The occasion was marked by the presentation of medals and certificates to the victorious players, applauding their remarkable achievements. The principal's motivating speech emphasized the integral role of sports in holistic education and extended congratulations to all participants for their unwavering dedication and commendable effort.

Embracing the Majesty of Tigers



Birla Public School, Kishangarh, resonated with exhilaration as it marked International Tiger Day on the 29th of July. The day was an inspiring blend of enthusiastic celebrations and enlightening awareness activities, all focused on honouring the importance of tiger conservation.

The event commenced with a captivating touch – two concise documentaries about tigers, screened during the 7th lesson for students spanning classes V to XII. These documentaries, a window into the world of these majestic creatures, unveiled their lives, habitats, and the challenges they face in the wild.

To further deepen the engagement, a reflection worksheet was thoughtfully designed for students of classes V to VII. This worksheet served as a bridge to critical thinking, urging students to reflect upon the insights they gained from the documentaries.

Engaging the students creatively, classes VII and VIII embarked on crafting tiger face masks. This hands-on endeavour ignited their artistic talents while reinforcing the call for tiger conservation. Mr. Sourabh Kumar Guha, the Principal, addressed students from classes V to VIII. With unwavering passion, he underscored the gravity of Tiger Day and the urgent need to safeguard tiger populations. His narratives painted vivid pictures of tigers' significance, fostering empathy and respect for these wondrous creatures. The day culminated on a thoughtful note as students assembled in their hostels in the evening for a screening of the movie 'Two Tigers,' a poignant finale to a day rich with learning, creativity, and empathy.



Kargil Vijay Diwas: Birla Public School Pays Tribute

Kargil Vijay Diwas



Birla Public School, Kishangarh, commemorated Kargil Vijay Diwas with solemnity and respect, paying tribute to the martyrs through a wreath-laying ceremony and a heartfelt floral tribute.

Amidst this observance, documentaries were screened as a homage to the courage and sacrifices displayed by our armed forces during the Kargil War. These documentaries stood as poignant testaments to the unwavering dedication of our soldiers.

The school's observance of Kargil Vijay Diwas reflects our commitment to honouring the sacrifices of our heroes and fostering a profound appreciation for their services and sacrifices.



Strengthening Bonds: PTM and Culmination Day



In the spirit of fostering open lines of communication, Birla Public School, Kishangarh, conducted a highly productive Parent-Teacher Meeting (PTM) on 13 May 2023. This event served as a platform to strengthen the vital partnership between parents and teachers, ultimately benefiting the growth and development of our students.

During the PTM, a comprehensive evaluation of students' overall performance took place. This insightful assessment not only highlighted their accomplishments but also identified areas of potential growth. The collaborative effort between parents and teachers aimed to enhance the learning journey of every student, ensuring a well-rounded educational experience.

Teachers played a pivotal role by sharing valuable insights on academic progress, behavioural observations, and classroom engagement.

This exchange of information forms a dynamic feedback loop, where parents' perspectives are valued and integrated into the holistic development of our students.

Culmination and Project Day: Celebrating Literary Expression

Culmination Day



Coinciding with the PTM, the school hosted a remarkable Culmination and Project Day, dedicated to the celebration of literary excellence. Our students took the stage with skit performances that breathed life into beloved literary works, showcasing their creativity, communication prowess, and collaborative skills.

The performances were diverse and captivating. "The Pinocchio" by Grade V, a scene from "Mahabharat Act - Shanti Parv" by Grade VI, an adaptation of "The Malgudi Days" by Grade VII, a project on "Cellphone Zombie and Chat GPT" by Grade VIII Lotus, and "The Cop and the Anthem" by Grade VIII Daisy—all demonstrated the students' remarkable dedication and artistic flair.

The resonance of appreciation echoed through the auditorium as parents, teachers, and students alike were captivated by the enchanting portrayals. This event was a testament to the pivotal role that literature and artistic expression play in shaping our students' holistic development.

Both the PTM and the Culmination and Project Day underscored our commitment to creating a well-rounded educational environment that values collaboration, communication, and parental involvement. These events stand as beacons of our school's values and aspirations.

Honouring Dedication: International Labour Day



On the occasion of International Labour Day, the Social Responsibility Club of Birla Public School, Kishangarh, took the opportunity to express heartfelt appreciation for the unwavering dedication and invaluable contributions of workers in our society. Through the creation of thoughtful posters and banners, the club aimed to raise awareness about the significance of their work. As a gesture of profound respect, the students of BPSK joyfully served a special lunch to the school's labourers and support staff, and the staff members also took the opportunity to sincerely convey their gratitude and deep appreciation for the tireless commitment and support shown by these workers in performing their duties.

International Labour Day reverberates with meaning, reminding us that progress is nurtured by the sweat and dedication of countless individuals. In this shared spirit of recognition, we celebrate the profound impact of these workers and extend our heartfelt gratitude.



Birla Public School, Kishangarh, joined hands with Zee Media to present an impactful event, shedding light on India's diverse tribes and their often-overlooked contributions to the nation's history. The event aimed to raise awareness and appreciation for the legacy of these unsung heroes.

The event began with interactive questionnaires that delved into the historical significance of India, inviting participants to explore the tapestry of our nation's past. This introspective journey was followed by a thought-provoking video screening that cast a spotlight on Birsa Munda, a revered figure from the Munda tribe, and his pivotal role in India's independence movement. Adding a touch of creativity, students engaged in the "Painting the Unsung Tribal Heroes" activity. Through face painting, they paid homage to tribal leaders and warriors, showcasing their artistic skills while expressing profound respect. The event succeeded in fostering a deeper appreciation for India's vibrant cultural heritage and the invaluable contributions made by its tribes in shaping the nation's identity. It stood as a testament to Birla Public School's commitment to holistic education and fostering an inclusive understanding of our nation's past.

Nurturing Passions: Club Orientation and Follow-Up

Birla Public School, Kishangarh, took a stride towards nurturing students' passions with a dynamic Club Orientation Programme, followed by engaging club meetings. This initiative spanned grades V to XII, reflecting our dedication to holistic development and enriching the educational journey.

Amid an atmosphere brimming with curiosity, students gathered for the Club Orientation Programme, a stepping stone to discovering their interests. As varied clubs were unveiled – from arts and sciences to sports and community service – students were presented with a canvas of opportunities.

In the subsequent month, a dedicated follow-up programme resonated with enthusiasm. Students from grades V to XII reconvened for insightful club meetings, where their chosen domains came alive with discussions and plans. Each club became a hub of ideas, driven by students' unique perspectives and shared passions.

The essence of these meetings was collaboration. Students actively exchanged ideas, sculpting the upcoming club activities with their creativity and vision. This collaborative spirit embodies the values of our institution, where each voice contributes to the vibrant tapestry of our school life.

The Club Orientation Programme and its follow-up exemplify our commitment to not only education but also character-building, empowering students to shape their own experiences, and fostering a sense of ownership and belonging.

Career Awareness Programme: Nurturing Futures



A remarkable event unfolded at Birla Public School, Kishangarh on April 29th, 2023, as the school hosted a transformative Career Awareness Programme for the students of classes XI and XII. The engaging session was conducted by the renowned Mr. K. P. Singh, a distinguished public speaker, career counsellor, and legal educator.

With a standfast commitment to fostering our students' potential, the programme aimed to illuminate diverse career pathways and empower them to make well-informed choices about their future. Under the expert guidance of Mr. Singh, the students were presented with a captivating showcase of various career options, each accompanied by invaluable insights into the qualifications required for success in those fields.

Of particular significance was the spotlight on the legal profession, where students gained valuable knowledge and clarity about its rewarding avenues. The session inspired our young minds, igniting a flame of aspiration and purpose.

Exploring Global Avenues: Online Session by University of Hyogo, Japan



In the spirit of global collaboration, Birla Public School partnered with the University of Hyogo, Japan, through a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU). This partnership materialized in an engaging online seminar held on 11 July 2023. The session, designed for students in classes XI and XII, shed light on the promising career prospects in Global Business. With the spotlight on the Global Business Course (GBC), students were exposed to exciting pathways that the future holds.

Empowering Success: 'Science of Success' Session



In a bid to equip students with the tools for success, the school organized a session titled 'Science of Success.' The event, tailored for students from classes IX to XII, featured Mr Samiran Dutta, Head of Business Strategy at FIITJEE, as the guest speaker.

With wisdom to share, Mr. Dutta delved into topics such as goal planning, effective study habits, and the importance of self-discipline. The session not only offered practical insights but also analyzed competitive examination statistics, creating a positive learning environment and addressing students' queries.



Empowering Students through STARTUP YOU Workshop



Birla Public School, Kishangarh, hosted an interactive workshop in collaboration with STARTUP YOU, a life entrepreneurship programme. The workshop actively engaged students from classes VII-IX and XI, introducing them to the concepts of design thinking and ideation.



This partnership programme holds the objective of equipping students with fundamental life skills, including empathy, creativity, critical thinking, collaboration, risk-taking, and self-confidence. Moreover, the programme extends a valuable opportunity for virtual internships, allowing students to nurture their ideas and embark on an entrepreneurial journey.



This initiative reflects our commitment to fostering holistic growth and empowering our students with practical skills that transcend the classroom.



Workshops

Aeromodelling Workshop



Birla Public School, Kishangarh, took students on a hands-on journey into aviation through its Aeromodelling Workshop. The aim was to introduce students to designing and crafting model aircraft.

The workshop covered the basics of aerodynamics and guided students in constructing their own aircraft using materials like balsa wood, foam, and plastic. This practical approach gave students a firsthand understanding of flight mechanics and a chance to develop their own aircraft.

At the workshop's culmination, students witnessed a thrilling demonstration of various model aircraft types. This engaging showcase not only displayed the results of their efforts but also ignited a newfound interest in aeromodelling.

The Aeromodelling Workshop succeeded in providing students with both knowledge and practical experience, fostering an appreciation for the science behind flight.



Storytelling, an enchanting gateway to imagination, was brought to life at Birla Public School. Recognizing the magic stories hold, a series of storytelling sessions unfolded for students of Classes V to VIII, and the school's esteemed faculty. Guided by the adept Mr. Vikram Shridhar, a renowned storyteller, these sessions presented an opportunity for participants to immerse themselves in the world of stories. From the amalgamation of drama and music to enacting self-framed narratives, students embarked on captivating journeys. Tales featuring Alfonso and Mahatma Gandhi seamlessly wove history, mental health, and emotions, captivating the listeners. The sessions transcended entertainment, allowing students to explore their own storytelling talents. They discovered the art's techniques, delved into creating stories, and performed for an eager audience. Through these experiences, the ancient and invaluable art of storytelling was embraced, extending its reach across the globe. Not only students but also the staff of Birla Public School partook in the magic. Led by Mr. Vikram Shridhar, this session aimed to equip participants with techniques to engage and captivate audiences. Strategies for infusing creativity, emotion, humour, and imagery into narratives were shared. Mr. Shridhar's insights spanned various storytelling genres, adapting them to diverse audiences and contexts. As reflective discussions sparked laughter, participants expanded their storytelling repertoire. The session's culmination was a meditation exercise, fostering self-awareness, mindfulness, inner calm, and serenity.

Triumph at Le Grand Concours 2023



The students of Birla Public School, Kishangarh, enthusiastically participated in "Le Grand Concours 2023," organised by Sanskriti School, Ajmer, on the 14th of July. This event, a tribute to France's National Day, showcased our students' exceptional talents.

In a display of remarkable abilities, our team secured notable positions across multiple categories. The French Word Power Quiz saw our students claim the esteemed first place. The French Solo Song competition witnessed their splendid performance, earning them the second position. Additionally, their harmonious voices resonated in the French Group Song category, resulting in a third position.

The success achieved at Le Grand Concours 2023 reflects the dedication and diligence of our students. It stands as a testament to their unwavering commitment and the school's fostering of well-rounded skills.





Faculty Development Programme (2022-23)

BET's Annual Faculty Development Programme was conducted from 15th to 18th May 2023, encompassing four days of extensive learning and growth. The programme aimed to enhance teaching competency by deepening the understanding of NEP 2020 and its implications on pedagogical practices.

Distinguished resource persons, including Lt. Gen. Kulkarni (Retd.), Director of Mayo College; Ms. Suniti Sharma, Ex. Principal of MGD, Jaipur; Mr. Chetan, NEP 2020 core team member; Mr. Gaurava Yadav, Founder of Indian Principals' Network (IPN); and Dr. Ebenezer, Professor at Osmania University, led the common sessions. Additionally, Dr. Mukta Sharma, Ms. Veena Raizada, Mr. Gulshan Memoria, Mr. S. K. Bisen, Ms. Shalini Nair, and Dr. Amit Dua conducted subject-specific sessions, while in-house sessions were facilitated by internal resource persons.

The programme fostered active engagement from participants, who demonstrated their dedication to professional growth. It was a resounding success in bringing together educators to explore NEP 2020 and its practical implementation, thereby empowering them with valuable insights for the benefit of their students and educational institutions.

Techfest IIT Bombay Recognizes Birla Public School for Mental Aptitude Initiative

Birla Public School, Kishangarh, has garnered esteemed recognition from the Centre of Innovation and Excellence, Techfest IIT Bombay. This recognition is a testament to the school's active involvement in Logiqids - Mental Aptitude, a comprehensive year-long mental development initiative.

The programme, targeting students from classes V to IX, focuses on augmenting mental acumen and fostering logical reasoning abilities. With a focus on cultivating critical thinking and problem-solving skills, Logiqids stands as a beacon, guiding our students towards enhanced cognitive prowess.



Literary Week: Celebrating Communication and Expression

Birla Public School, Kishangarh, recently dedicated a week to literary activities as part of the 'Literary Week' programme. The aim was to enrich students' communication and public speaking skills through a variety of engaging activities. The programme featured diverse literary activities such as Poem Recitation, Role Play, Storytelling, and Group Discussions. Students from Classes VI to XII participated in daily Inter House Competitions, showcasing their talents and skills. The week commenced with Poem Recitation and Role Play, setting the stage for a series of activities that encouraged students to express themselves. The event reached its zenith with thought-provoking discussions on 'Smart Phones in School' by Grades XI and XII. The success of the event was evident in the active participation and dedication of the students. Their exceptional performances were acknowledged with well-deserved prizes. Literary Week encapsulated our commitment to nurturing holistic skills. By fostering effective communication and critical thinking, we empower our students to thrive both within and beyond the classroom.





BET Pentangular Season III: Nurturing Ingenuity and Excellence

Birla Education Trust, Pilani, orchestrated a triumphant spectacle with the BET Pentangular Season III on 21 July 2023. This event, meticulously organized, aimed to cultivate swift thinking skills and unleash creativity among students, setting the stage for a remarkable showcase of talents.

The competition encompassed a spectrum of activities, designed to engage and challenge participants. The Closed Category presented five diverse challenges – Poem Recitation, Story Telling, Extempore, Role Play, and Essay Writing. Meanwhile, the Open Category featured three intriguing activities – Group Discussion, Extempore, and Dictation.

Birla Public School, Kishangarh, emerged as a spirited participant in this intellectual fiesta. Sixty-eight students from our school actively took part, their vibrant performances shining through. Their commendable efforts bore fruit as they clinched numerous prizes across various categories.

The event wasn't just a competition; it was a platform that encouraged our students to push their boundaries, explore their talents, and exhibit their intellectual prowess.





CREATIVE CORNER

Creative corner

Who doesn't stop!

Time is the most important thing, they say
If you waste it, you lose it,
After all, who can get it back,
Time is unstoppable, uncontrollable and
inscrutable.



Time gives you two choices,
Either waste it or worth it.
If used with care, you will have a beautiful
flourishing future.
If wasted, you will repent for the rest life.

Time is a thing that everyone wants.
But who can get it back?
Use your time and worth it.
Because time doesn't give you another present.

Harshvardhan
Class 7 Daisy

Happiness means to you!

Happiness is that precious gift that nobody would like to lose. Whosoever has it, remains far from being sad. It is the feeling, emotion or state of mind that brings a smile to us. When sadness brings tears, happiness cajoles us to smile. Thus, a medicine for depression, stress and anxiety.

Sometimes, words may fail to recognise happiness, but it always lies in the best emotion. Maybe in helping others, saying just good words to others, making a person smile! And that makes happiness the best emotion. Spreading a smile gives us a smile too, bringing us joy. See the change in the same work you do without happiness and when you do it with happiness. It creates a mindset that makes us do magic and we begin to work with alacrity.

How nice it would be if we were the masters of our happiness! Some say it's real and some say it's bookish. I feel it is the responsibility of all to look after each other's happiness. If it happens, who will not say a place Heaven, Paradise, and a living dream! I think the life will be like a beautiful dream.

Happiness follows a heart full of respect, consideration for others, forgiveness, and most importantly love for all. Everyone has a right to happiness because we all are the same. May be rich or poor; may be educated or illiterate; maybe a doctor or farmer.

The biggest happiness in the world is that we have our family and friends. Happiness is the best cure for sadness and depression. But what if we have only friends and no enemy? Even no one has a heart that can give way to hatred.

Swastik Jaiswal
Class 8 Daisy





CREATIVE CORNER

You are here where you were.....

Sky, sky, you are blue.
You have a bun like yellow sun.
No wait, you change colours.
When you show your anger,
You scowl through your black clouds that I scare.

When night fills you, you turn into
Black colour with stars like lamp.
When it's morning, you have bright and clearly visible
colour,
You change your winter cool and spring seat.

I like summer weather because of colour of your face.
you are like swinging roof above my head.
You have so many colours like blue, black and orange.

Sky you look burning when you are orange,
At 6:00 am in the morning you look refreshed.
You have shiny sun on white clouds
Humans polluting you for their needs.
But you are there where you were.

Radheshyam Bhadu
Class VII





STORY TIME...



CREATIVE CORNER

A Chance of Life

Once upon a time, there was a 10-year-old boy who used to study in 6th grade. On his birthday, his father gifted him an expensive pen. He was very excited to show it to his friends on the next school day. During the class, he was writing in his notebook when his friend noticed the pen. The boy felt jealous, but he had to leave the pen on the bench when the break bell rang. After some time, his friend sneaked back into the class and stole the pen. When the boy returned from the break, he was very sad to find his pen missing.

The next day, he informed his class teacher about the stolen pen. His friend seemed nervous and scared. The class teacher announced that whoever had taken the pen should return it. They wouldn't be punished if they were honest. However, nobody responded or raised their hand. The class teacher then blindfolded everyone with a black cloth and began searching each person's pocket. Eventually, he found the pen in one of the pockets. He returned it to the boy.

After several months, during the final examinations, the boy's friend was scared. He wanted to score well in the exams. When he received an award for his good marks in 6th grade on the annual day, he approached his class teacher. He said, "If you had exposed me in front of the class, I might have been broken. Today, I've achieved success because of you. Your behaviour made me work hard." The class teacher responded,

"I just learned that you were the one who took the pen, and I had also blindfolded myself with the black cloth to treat everyone fairly without singling you out. My intention was to ensure unbiased teaching." This revelation moved the boy's friend emotionally, leading him to touch the teacher's feet and express his heartfelt gratitude. The boy's friend became emotional, touched the teacher's feet, and expressed his gratitude.

Moral of the story: We should give a second chance in life to those who have made mistakes, but we must also hold them accountable for their actions.

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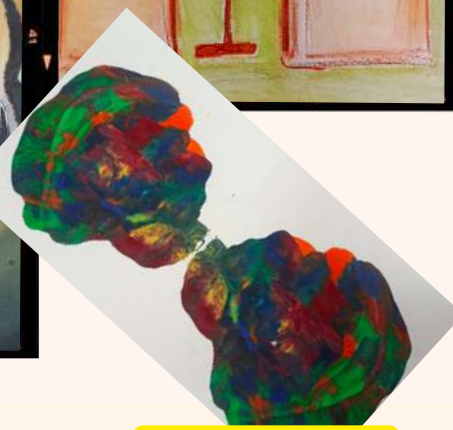
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