NEWS @ ASN

DEAR READER

GREETINGS FROM ASN FAMILY!

LIFE ISN'T ABOUT WAITING FOR THE STORM TO PASS……. IT'S ABOUT LEARNING HOW TO DANCE IN THE RAIN.
THE WORLD WE LIVE IN TODAY HAS DRASTICALLY CHANGED FROM THE WORLD WE KNEW FEW MONTHS BACK. THE PANDEMIC COVID- 19 DISRUPTION HAS UNBUNDLED THE SCHOOL SYSTEM GLOBALLY, RESULTING IN THE ADAPTATION OF ONLINE, VIRTUAL CLASSES WHICH WAS QUITE CHALLENGING FOR PARENTS AS WELL AS TEACHERS.

AS THE MONTHS HAVE PASSED BY, THE ONCE WIDELY HELD HOPES THAT CORONAVIRUS WOULD BE A DISTANT MEMORY BY THE END OF 2020 HAVE LARGELY FADED AWAY IN FAVOUR OF MORE REALISTIC FORECASTS AND THE PEOPLE ALL OVER THE WORLD HAVE ADAPTED TO THE 'NEW NORMAL'.

WE AT ASN HAVE BEEN SUCCESSFUL IN 'KEEP ON KEEPING ON' DURING THIS PANDEMIC WITH OUR ENDEAVOURS TO EDUCATING OUR LEARNERS UNINTERRUPTED USING TECHNOLOGY TO ITS FULL ADVANTAGE.

ASN BELIEVES THAT A CHILD'S LEARNING INVOLVES AND REVOLVES AROUND AN EFFECTIVE PARTNERSHIP BETWEEN HOME AND SCHOOL. THE STRONGER THE PARTNERSHIP, THE MORE THE BENEFIT. THIS STRONG PARTNERSHIP HAS MADE THE RAPID SHIFT FROM REAL CLASSROOMS TO VIRTUAL CLASSROOMS EVEN MORE SUCCESSFUL. I APPRECIATE AND VALUE YOUR SUPPORT AND LOOK FORWARD TO IT EVEN IN TIMES TO COME.

TO KEEP THE FLAME OF LEARNING BRIGHT, CONFERENCES, WEBINARS, DISCUSSIONS, COMPETITIONS, PTMS, ASSEMBLIES, CELEBRATION OF FESTIVALS AND IMPORTANT DAYS, CULTURAL, LITERARY AND ART ACTIVITIES, HAVE ALL BEEN CONDUCTED CATERING TO THE MENTAL, SOCIAL AND EMOTIONAL WELL-BEING OF THE LEARNERS ALONG WITH ACADEMICS.

WE TAKE PRIDE IN SHARING WITH YOU THE MULTIFARIOUS ACTIVITIES THAT HAVE BEEN CONDUCTED IN THE RESPECTIVE WINGS OF THE SCHOOL THROUGH THIS NEWSLETTER. I EXTEND MY HEARTIEST CONGRATULATIONS TO MY STUDENTS, PARENTS AND DEDICATED STAFF FOR MAKING THE TEACHING LEARNING PROCESS UNDETERRED EVEN IN THIS GRIM SITUATION.

THE UNPRECEDENTED CORONA VIRUS IMPACT HAS CAUSED A LOT OF TURMOIL AND MADE US HEAD TOWARDS AN INEVITABLE RESTRUCTURING OF OUR LIFE. I FIRMLY BELIEVE THAT THE SCHOOL, PARENTS AND TEACHERS IN SOLIDARITY CAN TRANSFORM THIS TEMPLE OF LEARNING INTO A UNIVERSE WHICH PULSATES WITH THE DREAMS AND ASPIRATIONS OF EACH STUDENT THAT WILL MAKE A GREAT DIFFERENCE TO THE WORLD!

"COMING TOGETHER IS A BEGINNING. KEEPING TOGETHER IS PROGRESS. WORKING TOGETHER IS SUCCESS."- HENRY FORD

BE HEALTHY AND STAY SAFE!
BEST WISHES!
SWARNIMA LUTHRA
PRINCIPAL





DEAR PARENTS,

IT IS RIGHTLY SAID THAT EVERY PROBLEM GIVES US AN OPPORTUNITY TO IMPROVE AND UPGRADE OURSELVES. KEEPING THIS IN VIEW, WE DECIDED TO TRANSFORM THIS TOUGH PHASE OF THE COVID-19 LOCKDOWN INTO A CONDUCIVE ONE, AND ENDEAVOURED TO PLAN THIS SESSION WITH ONLINE CLASSES. I SINCERELY THANK OUR COOPERATIVE PARENTS, HARDWORKING STUDENTS AND FACULTY MEMBERS FOR THEIR INCESSANT SUPPORT THROUGH THIS TESTING TIME, WHICH HAS ENABLED US TO IMPART QUALITY EDUCATION USING INNOVATIVE AND VIRTUAL METHODS OF TEACHING.

IT GIVES ME IMMENSE PLEASURE TO PRESENT THE E-NEWSLETTER FOR APRIL-JUNE 2020, COMPRISING OF ALL THE ONLINE ACTIVITIES, WORKSHOPS, EVENTS, WEBINARS, EXAMS, CLASSES AND PTM HELD WITHIN THE AFOREMENTIONED PERIOD. I FEEL PROUD AND OVERJOYED TO UNVEIL THE WHOLE ONLINE EXPERIENCE SWADDLED IN THE FORM OF THIS NEWSLETTER.

THESE TIMES THOUGH CHALLENGING, HAVE ALSO BEEN TIMES FOR GROWTH, CHANGE AND HEALING. WE ARE COMMITTED TO TAKING THE LESSONS WE LEARNT FROM THIS PANDEMIC WITH US AND WE ARE LOOKING FORWARD TO WELCOMING OUR BELOVED STUDENTS IN PERSON IN A SAFE SCHOOL ENVIRONMENT. TILL THEN, STAY SAFE AND STAY HEALTHY.



"IN EVERY DIFFICULTY LIES AN OPPORTUNITY*

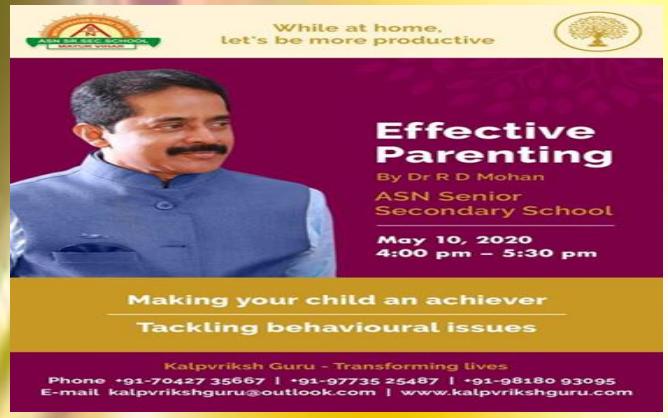
WEBINARS

Engaging children during lock-down



Besides the academics, it's very important for the children to find a source of interest to keep themselves engaged during lock-down. Therefore, a webinar was organised for the students and parents on 9th May, to suggest them ways to engage the children in productive activities; rather than wasting their precious time.

Live session on effective parenting*



On 10th May, a LIVE session, on effective parenting, was conducted for the parents to stay emotionally and mentally connected to their kids during this testing time. It's easy for the students to get diverted from their goals; it's easy parents duty to keep them focused and positive always.

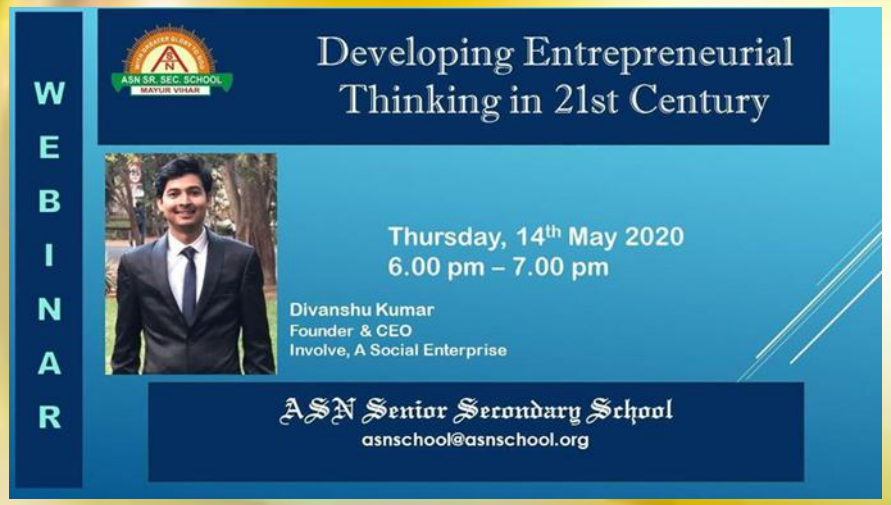
Significance of artificial intelligence and other technologies



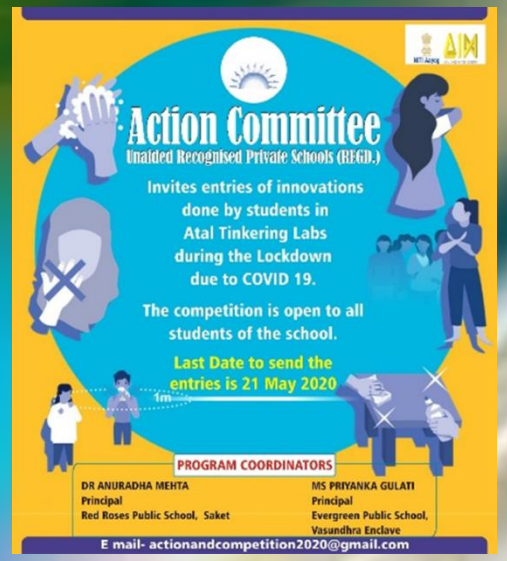
In today's scenario, it's very important to use the artificial intelligence and technology wisely. Considering this, a webinar was conducted on 11th May, for the students to update them of the new technologies and their intelligent use.

Developing entrepreneurial thinking in 21st century

On 14th May, a webinar was organized by the school for the students to develop entrepreneurial thinking and become street-smart which is the need of the hour.



STEMROBO SUMMER CAMP



In the view of corona pandemic, the school arranged stemrobo summer camp for the students to hone their sceintific apptitude and utilize their free time in a productive way

THREATS AND PROTECTION FROM CYBER CRIME



In the perspective of growing trend of social media, the school, with Shri Pavan Duggal (eminent cyber law expert) as the resource person, organised a webinar for the staff and students on the 23rd May to make them aware of the online threats and their precautions. The webinar was hosted by Mr. Pawan Kumar (East District Legal Services Authority) and moderated by Mr. Raghav Arora (Assistant Editor Lawyersclub India) & Mr. Gaurav Goyal (MCIArb Partner).

LEARN AND ACQUIRE FROM RING OF FIRE



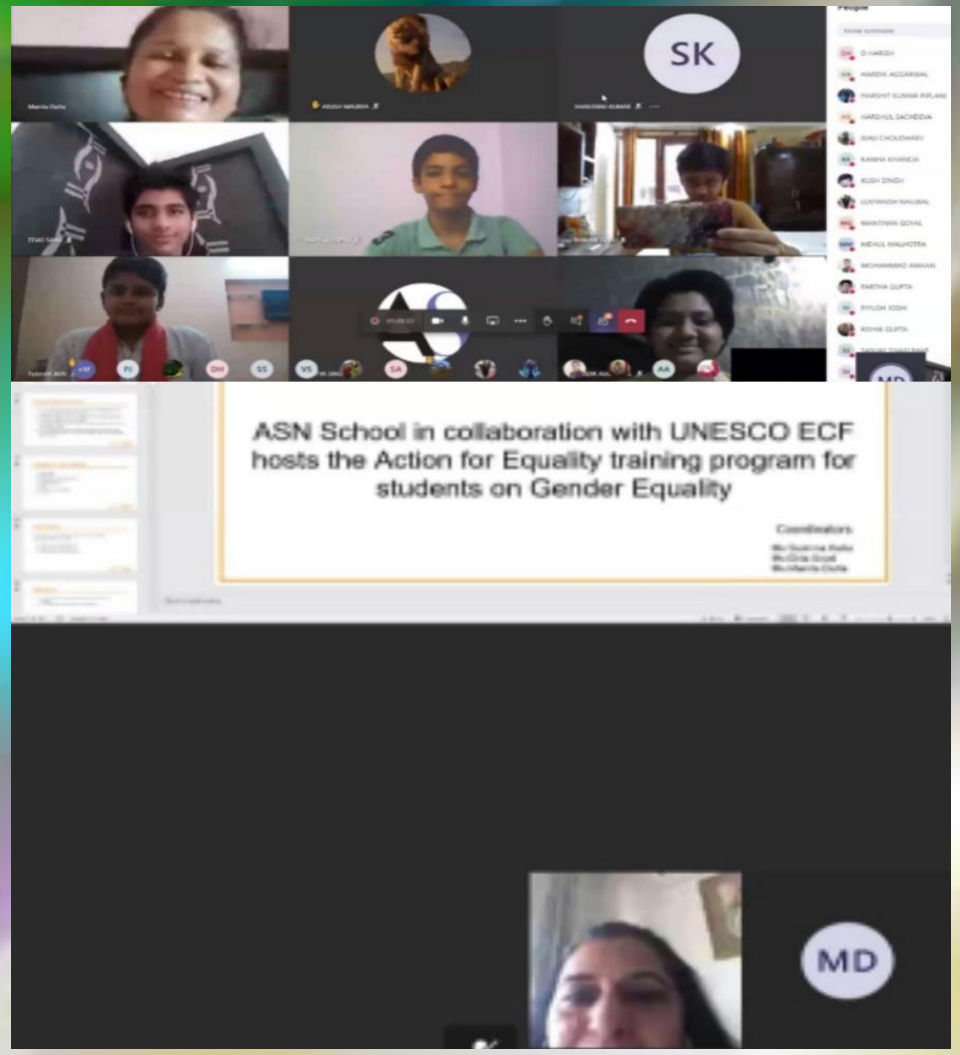
21st June this year proved to be quite an eventful day; with Yoga Day, Father's Day and ANNULAR SOLAR ECLIPSE. For making it even more interesting and amazing, The students were invited for the "Virtual Eclipse Observation of the Phenomenal “Annular Solar Eclipse”. ASN school in collaboration with Space India shared the link of live streaming with the parents and the students to give them a golden opportunity to witness such an amazing sight virtually

NATIONAL MUSEUM OF NATURAL HISTORY SUMMER VACATION PROGRAMME

NMNH (ministry of environment, forest and climate change) organized an online summer Vacation programme for the students from 20 June to 20 July, to make them concerned and responsible towards our environment



Gender equality: Human Fight For Women Right



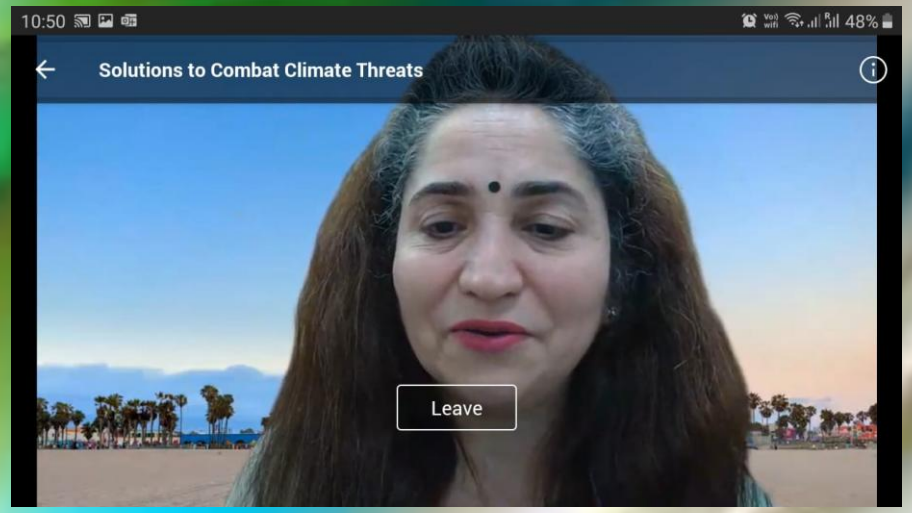
ASN SR. SEC. SCHOOL has always been in news for its novel and exceptional ideas & activities; and this time, it has come up with an extraordinarily superb project on "Gender Equality", in collaboration with UNESCO_ECF, involving a remarkable number of schools from Delhi as well as other states. This project aims to provide equitable roles to men and women in the society and its development.This platform is provided to stir the discussion amongst the intellectuals, on reshaping masculinity and learning best practices on how to engage men and boys in gender equality. Each theme-based Webinar (10 in total) is planned thoughtfully where the students are required to discuss their thoughts pertaining to the matter; and present a group-wise activity also by the end of the session; out of which, the best entries will be submitted to UNESCO subsequently.

Churn your brain and learn the game

ASN School, in collaboration with Learning Links Foundation which is associated with Atal Innovation Mission, NITI Aayog & Dell Technologies) organised different Webinars from 7th August to13th August for an online ‘Gaming Platform’ developed by Learning Links for the students to unleash their creativity, problem solving aptitude and analytical skills and create their own games. The online, open-source portal is set to impact the student community from grade 4 onwards. The School will be organized a 1 Hour online session for the students to take them through the nuances of the working of this ‘Gaming Platform’ as per the given schedule.



ACT TO COMBAT CLIMATE THREAT



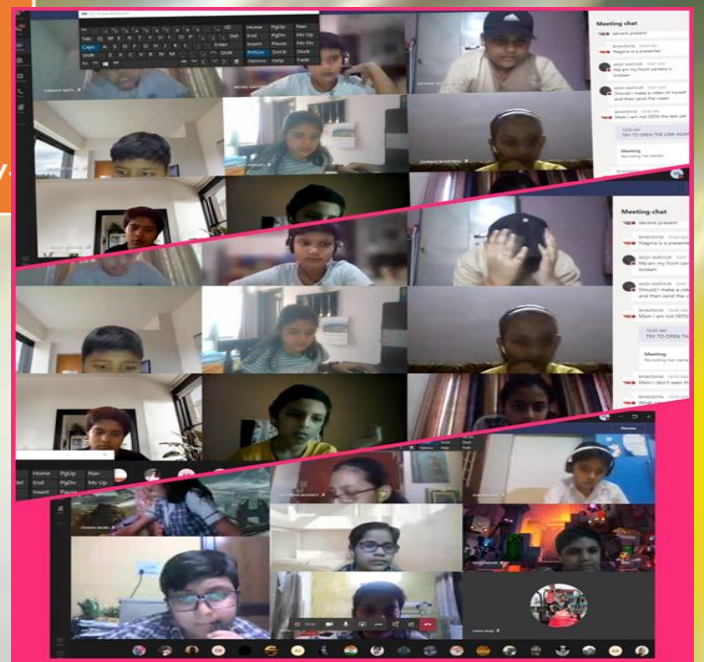


Solving the climate crisis is within our grasp, but we need our youth to stand up and act". Ms Swarnima Luthra, Principal, ASN SR.SRC. School Mayur Vihar -1, Delhi, India conducted a live webinar on 10th OCT, 2020 on the theme," SOLUTIONS TO COMBAT CLIMATE THREATS " for around 600 students and teachers to educate and empower young minds to become leaders and active participants in the sustainable development movement .

Activities

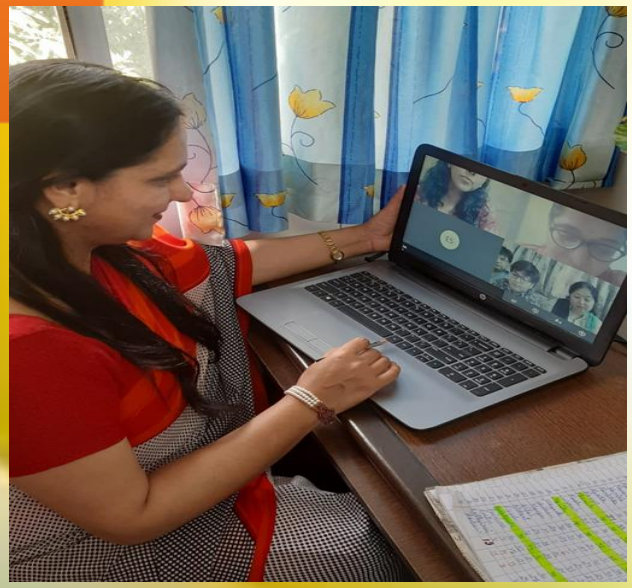
ONLINE EXAMS- KNOW YOUR PROGRESS

Keeping in view the present pandemic scenario and inability to have proper evaluation process, the School decided to conduct an online "Know Your Progress" assessment for the students to make them and their parents aware of their performance. It was conducted from 18 May to 23rd May.



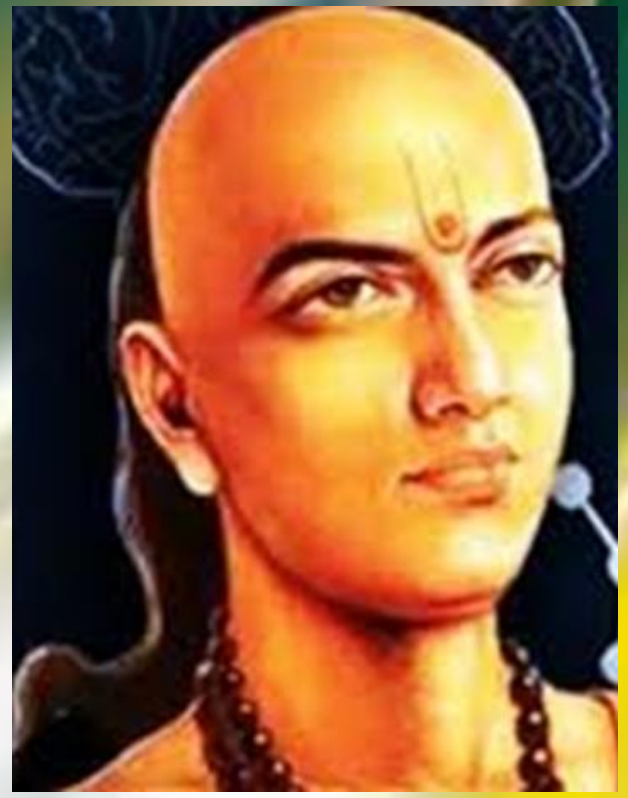
ONLINE PTM / VIRTUAL MEETING

Keeping the risk - factor of Corona into consideration, the school deicided to conduct an online PTM, on 30th May 2020, for discussing the performance of the students in online classes and assessments. It was a very effective way to encourage student towards online classes and apprise their parents of their improvement



ARYABHATTA CHALLENGE

Since Maths is considered to be one of the most dreadful subjects, the School decided to shoo the students' fear away with the Aryabhatta challenge which started from 12th June and was daily posted throughout the vacation. The response submitted by the students, were quite promising and motivating.



LANGUAGE ENHANCEMENT CLASSES

For the upgradation and betterment of the students' fluency and command over English language, the School wisely framed the online language enhancement classes from 1st to 10 June. It comprised of many interesting and conducive activities and lessons

Mothers – Our Angels



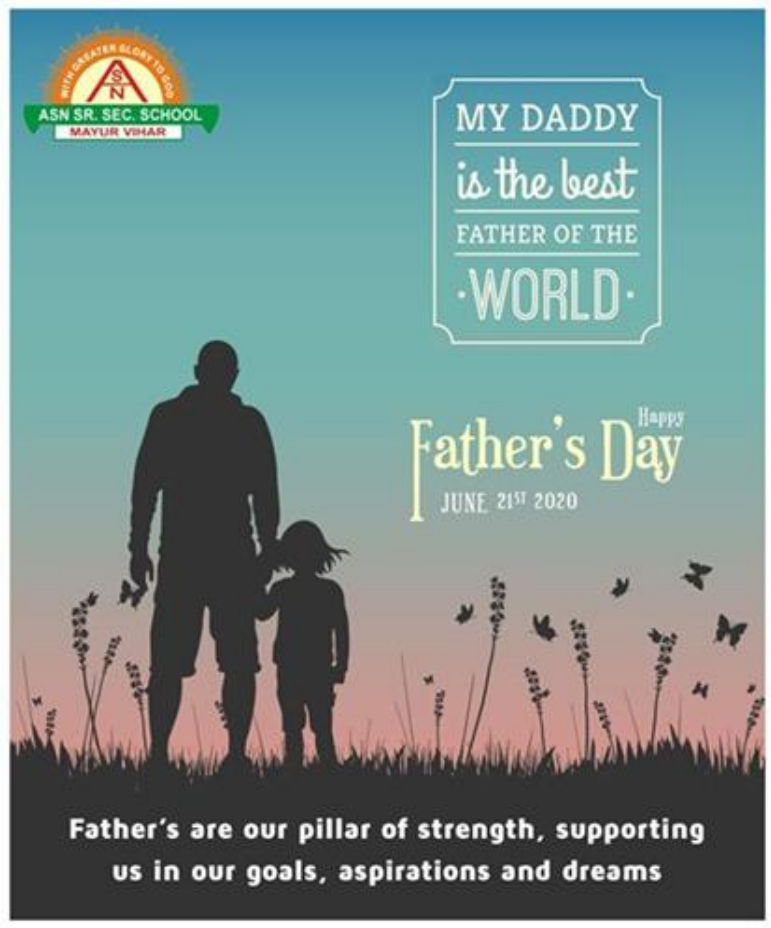
On the 10 of May 2020, the angelic presence of mothers in our lives, was celebrated by the students by way of e-cards, beautiful videos, delicacies and gifts.



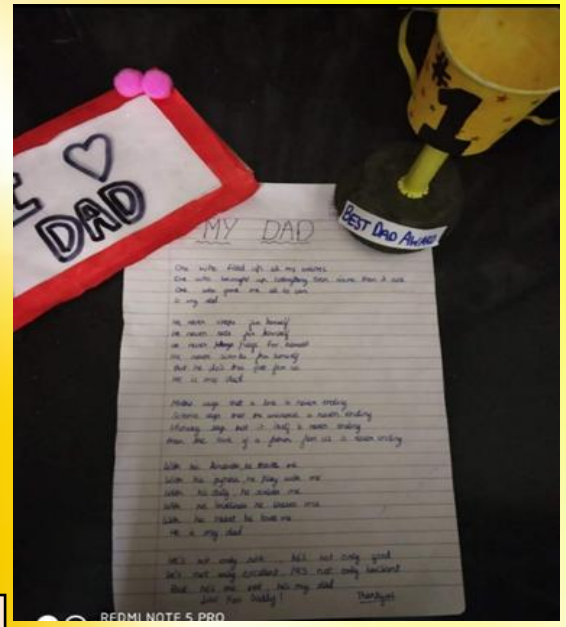




Fathers- the " *pillars* " of a family"



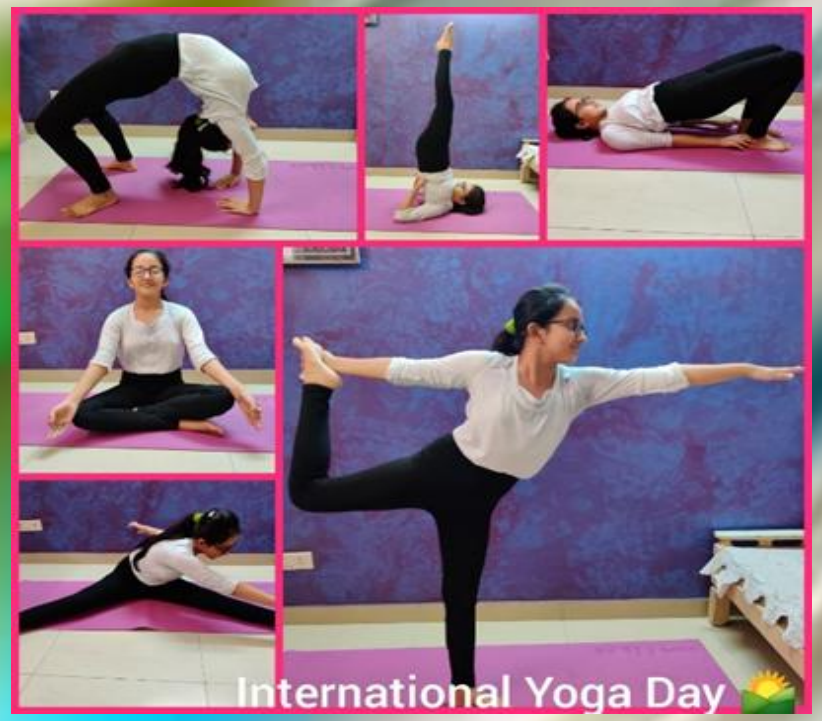




Paying a well-deserved respect to the our childhood superheroes, the School planned for a small activity for the students on 21st June in which they were asked to make an e-album, have a rendezvous or write a short poem for their fathers. The final outcome of the activity was unbelievable. The students not only did these activities, they also presented dance/ singing/ instrumental performances, but also became mini-chefs for their fathers that day.



International Yoga Day









Befriended YOGA to defeat ROGA

Ministry of Ayush, on "International Yoga Day" on June 21, 2020, urged the students to watch the video link (message by hon'ble Prime Minister) and do Yoga at home to remain healthy and immune to the diseases in this pandemic. On the occasion of yoga day, Mr. Pankaj from IQF also took a yoga session for the students and teachers. Everyone participated in that session with great enthusiasm and performed yoga asanas with their families to prevent everyone from the diseases all around.

FIT INDIA HIT INDIA





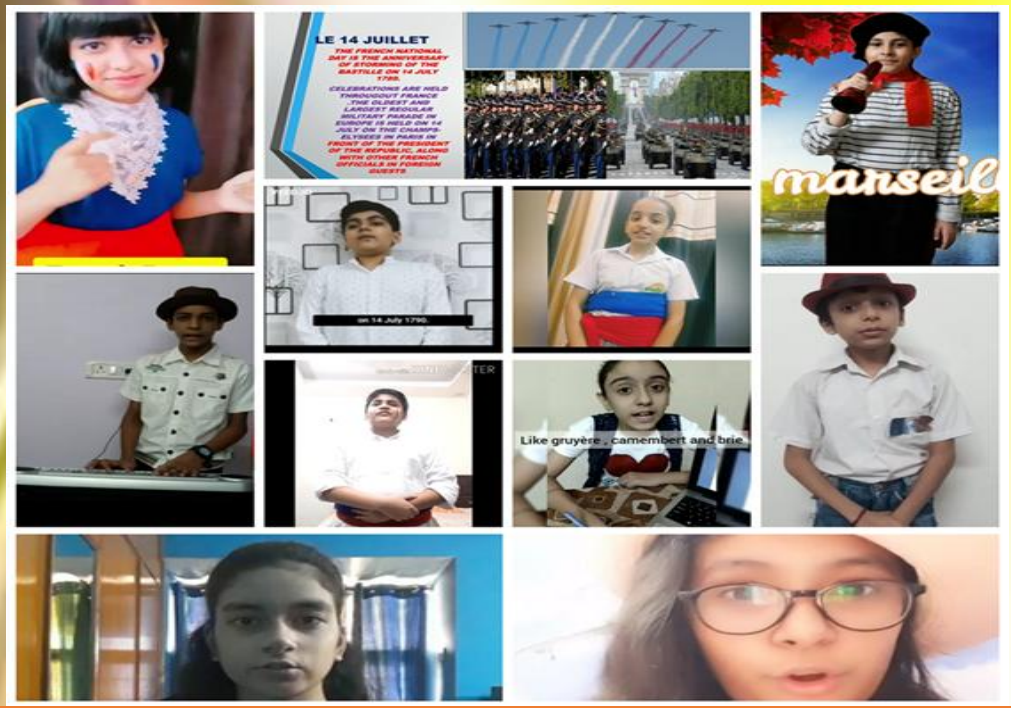
The School organised a Fit India Hit India activity for the students on the 18th of April. The aim was to encourage them to watch the attached video of physical fitness and follow the regime to have a healthy lifestyle; especially during this pandemic.

Masti Se Mastishk Tak



The school , in association with Vidyarthu Vigyaan Mantan conducted a mind mapping competition on 10th of June, 2020, to develop students 'Ability to Visualize and Interconnected Concept and Enhance Self – Study'

BASTILLE DAY (FRENCH DAY)



ASN Sechool Mayur Vihar, Phase-1 celebrated online BASTILLE DAY on the 14th of July with full fervour and excitement. Lots of children prepared the presentation wished each other "BONNE FETE NATIONALE" and created beautiful videos reflecting India's adaptive culture in different hues and shades.

MANN KI BAAT; ANCHOR KE SAATH



For the students' Hindi improvement, a wonderful news anchoring activity was planned in which they had to present their views on Corona-pandemic in the form of an interview

EXPRESS YOUR TENSION WITH A SLOGAN



On the 5th of June, the School, apart from the plantation drive, organised a slogan writing activity too, in which students had to express their views/worries and suggestions pertaining to the nature by way of beautiful and catchy slogans. The result was truly beyond expectations; simply incredible

AVISMARANIYA e-KAVYA-GOSHTHI

A vibrant and colourful e-KAVYA-GOSHTHI was organised on the 9th of August which witnessed an extremely enthusiastic & powerful participation and performance by the children of the classes VI-VIII. The chief guest for the event Mr. Sunahri Lal, moved everyone with his inspiring poetries, besides praising the children and staff for their brilliant collective efforts. The principal, Mrs. Swarnima Luthra was also appreciative of the whole event.



CHAMPION LEVEL WINNERS

WWF

WWF

ASN Senior Secondary School in collaboration with World Wide Fund for Nature _WWF conducted an online Tide Turner Plastic Challenge in partnership with UN environment programme to engage students in conversation and advocacy around reducing the use of single use plastic from our day to day life in the month of June 2020.This challenge had three levels -Entry level, Leader level and Champion level. 130 students from class 8 have successfully completed the challenges at level 1 and level 2. The emerging Champions from the Tide Turner plastic challenge are follows:

Arya Bhardwaj 8-A



Archita Malhotra 8-B



Pratyusha Mohanty 8-B



Mohammad Amaan 8-B



Khanak Kakkar 8-B



Anya Rawat 8-B



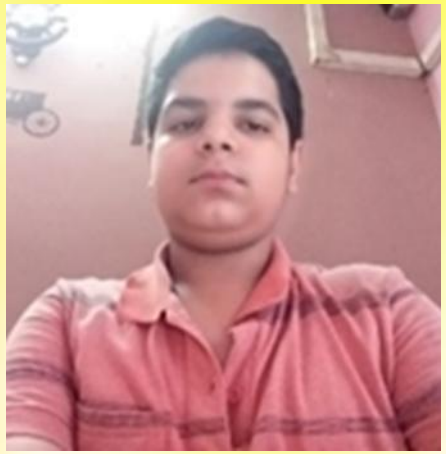
Tanisha 8-B



Sanjay SivaKumar 8-C



Harshit Saluja 8-C



Devanshi Jain 8-C



Tejas Srivastava 8-C



Aarav Anand 8-C



Eshna Aggarwal 8-E



Hardik Agarwal 8-E



Pari Mittal 8-E



Ananya Sharma 8-E



Kavya Joshi 8-F



Partha Gupta 8-F



Arnav Baranwal 8-F



Diya Vohra 8-F



Avni Chauhan 8-A



Aarav Yadav 8-F



Saanvi Kashyap 8-F



Shristi Singh 8-B



Leader Level Winners In WWF

Rishit Gupta
8-A



Tushar Jain
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Ishita Aggarwal
8-F



Harshit Kumar Piplani
8-C



Glimpses of the Activities Conducted in WWF







EXPLORE AND SHARE















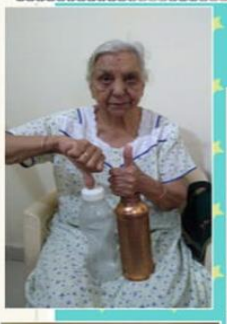
There are some things, which we use in our daily life, contain plastic but we are not aware of.

Khanak

PLASTIC PERSUASION

While going through this activity I got a chance to interact with several people who have replaced plastic in their daily life with either steel, copper or glassware. The awareness about toxic nature of plastic has changed the mind set of this generation and they have come forward by introducing new changes. I found one family who was using picnic pack made of wood. I found that mostly plastic water bottles are outdated these days, some are using Bottles made up of steel and others are using copper bottles. Plastic Straws have been replaced by steel pipes and glass lunch boxes have taken place of plastic lunch boxes. Also the plastic Grocery bags have been replaced by either paper bags or cloth bags.











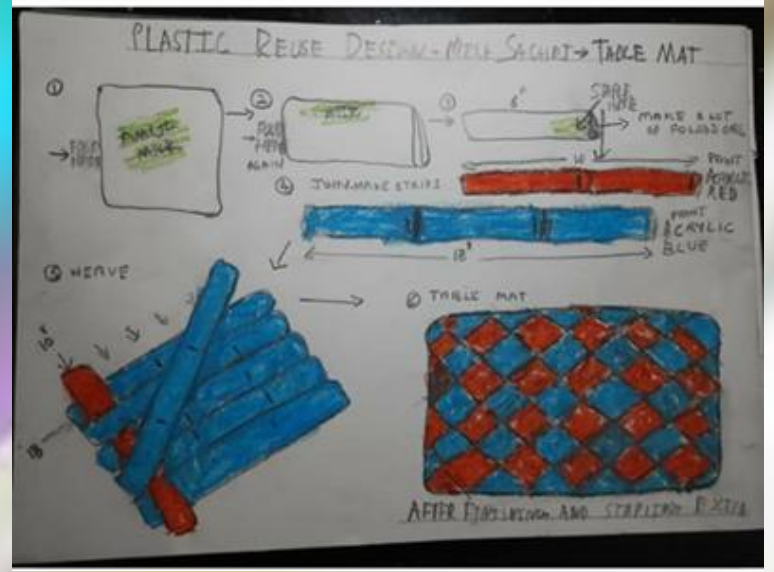
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Hello,

I have made a design to reuse old plastic milk sachets to make a colourful table mat. It requires folding the sachets and making them into thin strips. Then these are joined and made into longer strips. These are then coloured. Different coloured strips are then weaved to make this mat.
Milk sachets are one of the major plastic pollutants. Often then are just discarded. If we can reuse them, we can make the earth that much plastic free. Pls let me know what you think of this idea or give your own idea for reusing milk sachets. Thank you

Sanjay



Kamali Rathinam
Good job, recycling helps to preserve the environment. I would also like to suggest to use colors that do not wash off. Since it's a table mat it might get dirty, so you may need to clean it occasionally.
4 h Love Reply 2

Aparanjeetha Sivakumar Kamali Rathinam...

Chandrasekaran Swaminathan
Cool. Way to go Sanjay!!
3 h Love Reply 1

Meenakshi Priya Umesh
Cool! Why dont you put a picture of the finished product? Would love to see how it looks
2 h Love Reply 1

Aparanjeetha Sivakumar Meenakshi Priya...

Srividhya Krishna
Very useful idea Sanjay !!
1 h Like Reply

Priya Kumar
Awesome ❤️ Very good work Sanjay and very creative mat . Please spread your idea . Iam sure you will get lot of positive responses.Also, If we can somehow patch up milk sachets,it could be used for covering up vehicles and shipments to protect them from sun and rain like tarpaulin sheets .
1 h Love Reply 1

Aparanjeetha Sivakumar Priya Kumar sup...

Nandakumar Rajagopal
Plastic milk sachet could be collected back by the corporation by offering attractive discounts in milk sold. Thus collected sachets could be made into a compressed brick. These bricks would

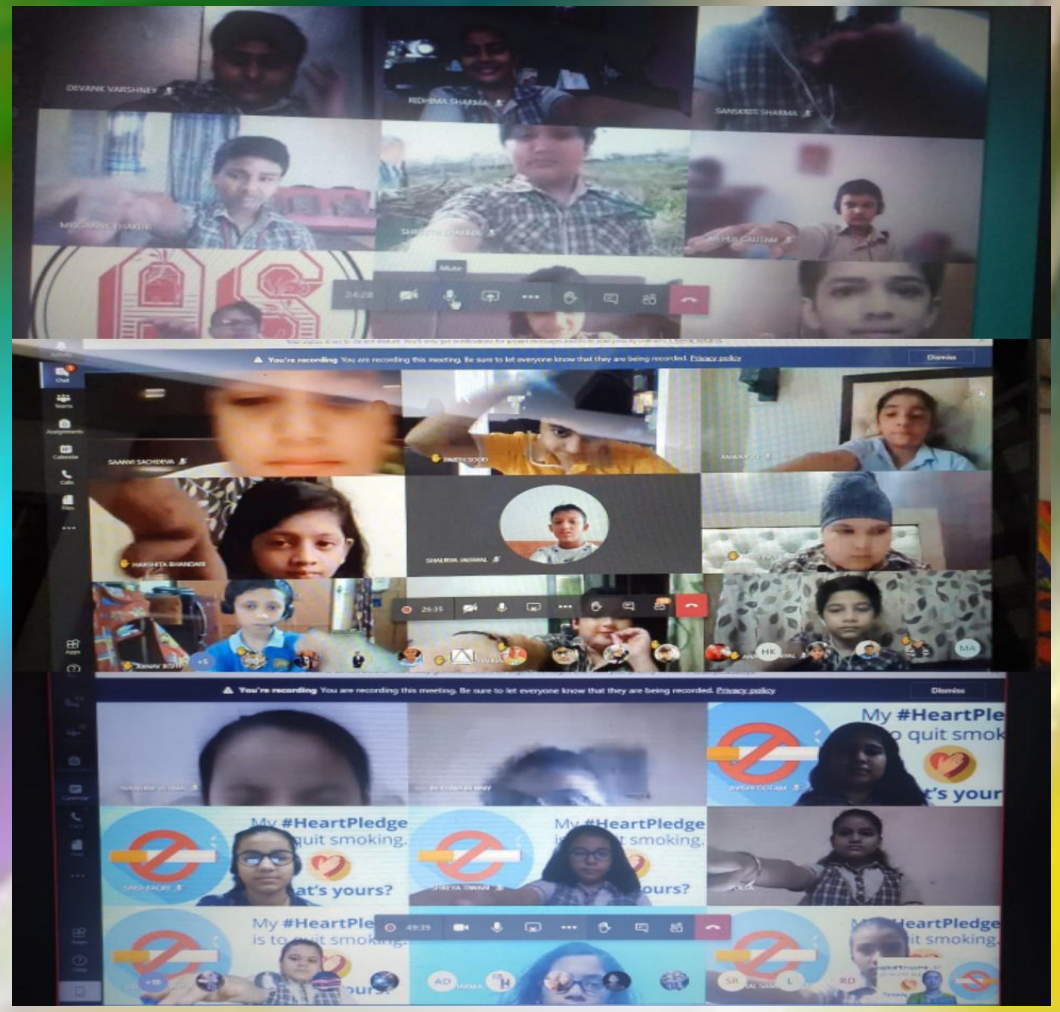
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RK MISSION FOR AN ENLIGHTENED VISION

Considering the ongoing pandemic threat, it's quite evident that it'll definitely take long before we all can come back to normalcy. But the main challenge right now is to inculcate good moral values in the children and keep them mentally rejuvenated; even during this time. The school, therefore, has begun RK MISSION online classes for the students to refresh and navigate their brains towards the right path.

No Tobacco Day



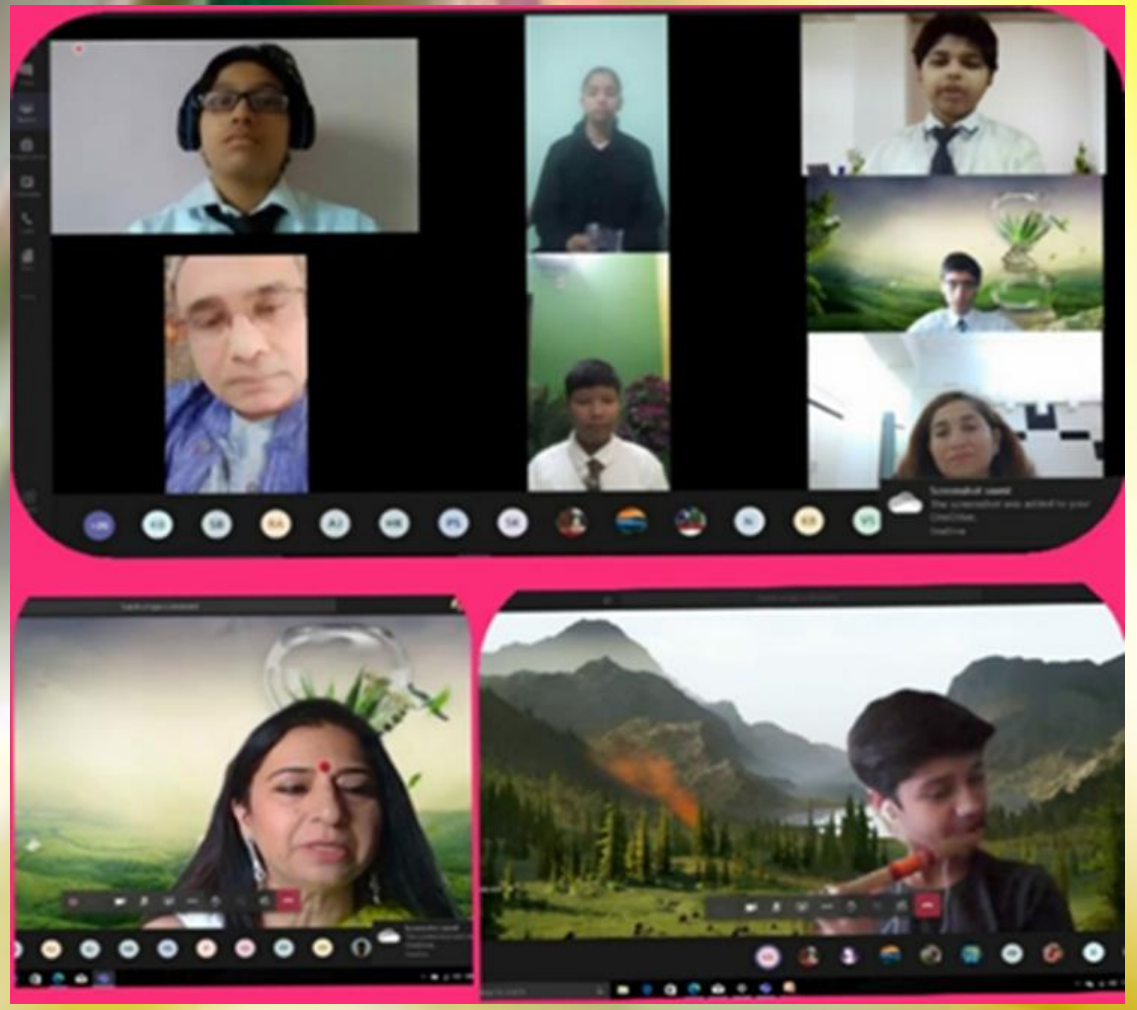
ASN Senior Secondary School, Mayur Vihar 1 observed, 'No Tobacco Day' on the 31st July 2020 with the aim to sensitize children about the health hazards of tobacco.

Children took an 'Online Pledge' on this occasion and made *posters with slogans* to spread awareness about the ill effects of using tobacco. Through these activities they were encouraged to fight against tobacco and claim right to healthy lifestyle.

ASSEMBLIES

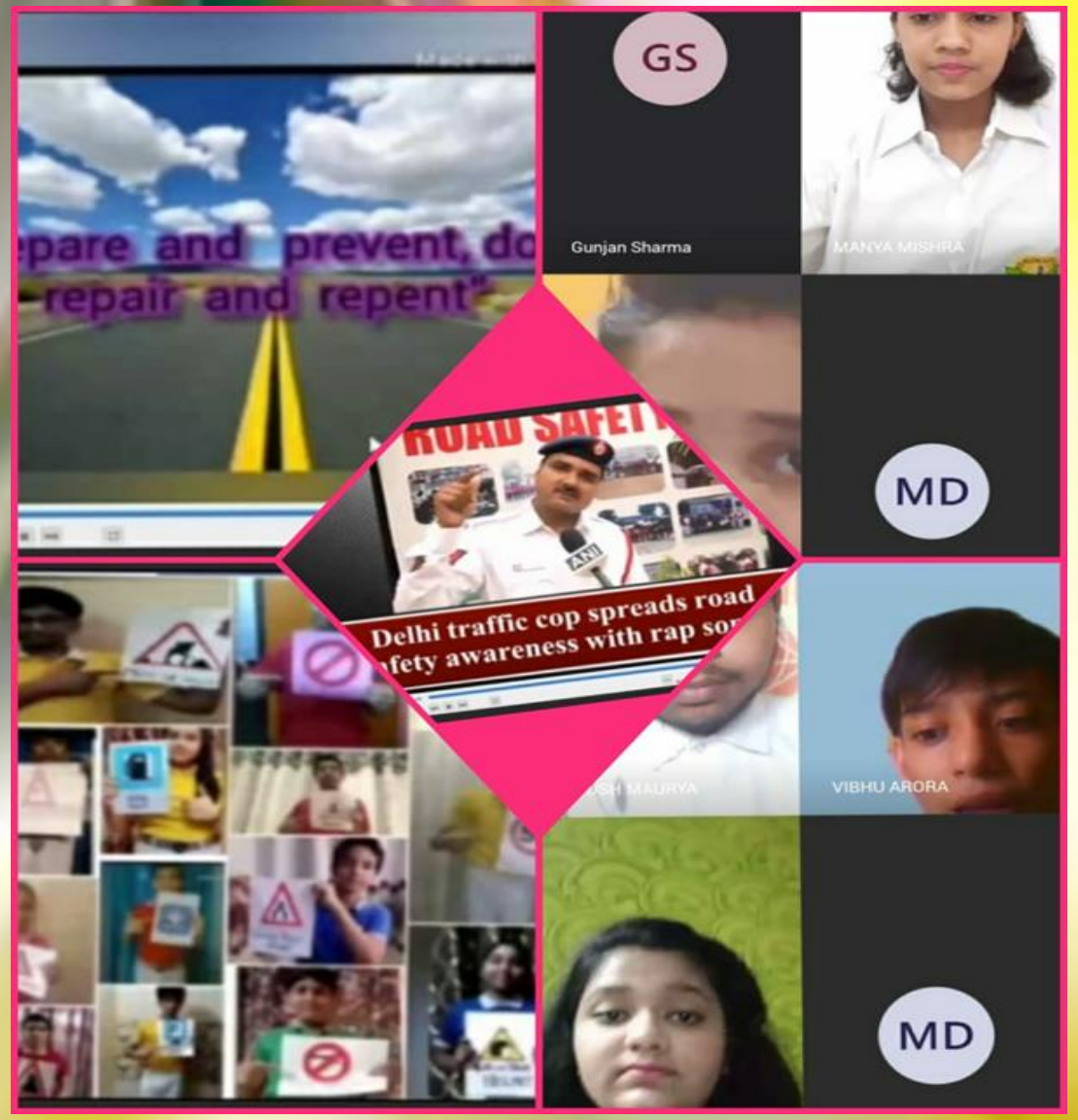
First Online Assembly of the Session

On the occasion of World Environment Day i.e. June 6 middle wing students presented the first ever online assembly of “Nature: Reloading.” the assembly was presided over the renowned speaker Mr. Rajeev Chandran (UNIC – Officer Incharge).



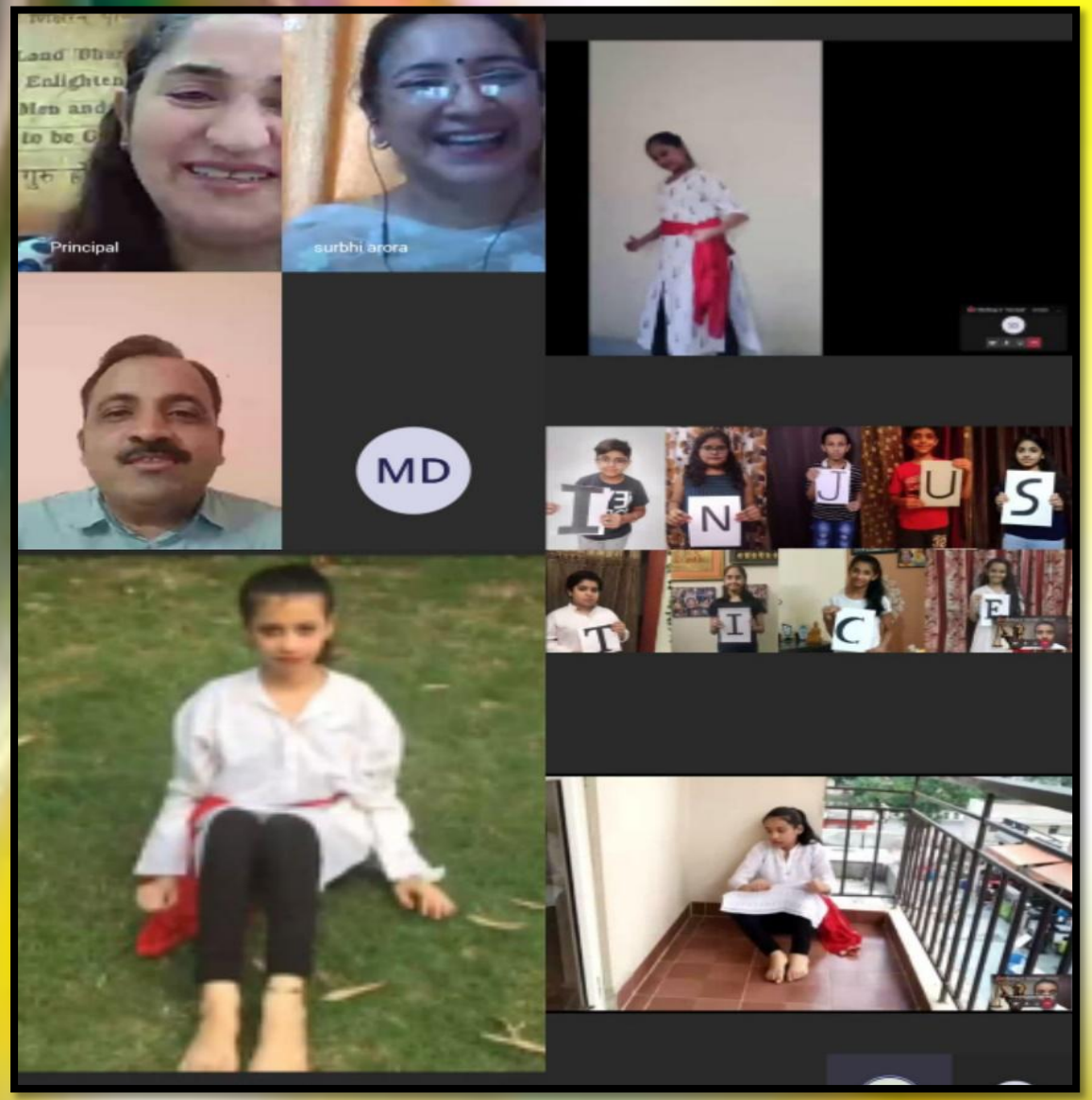
Satark Rahe , Savdhan Rahe

On the 11th of July, a mesmerizing online assembly on the topic "SATARK RAHE; SAVDHAN RAHE" was conducted to sensitise everyone about the precautions and rules for road safety. Despite being in lock-down, the persisting and zealous attitude of students and staff made this assembly an informative and a remarkable one.

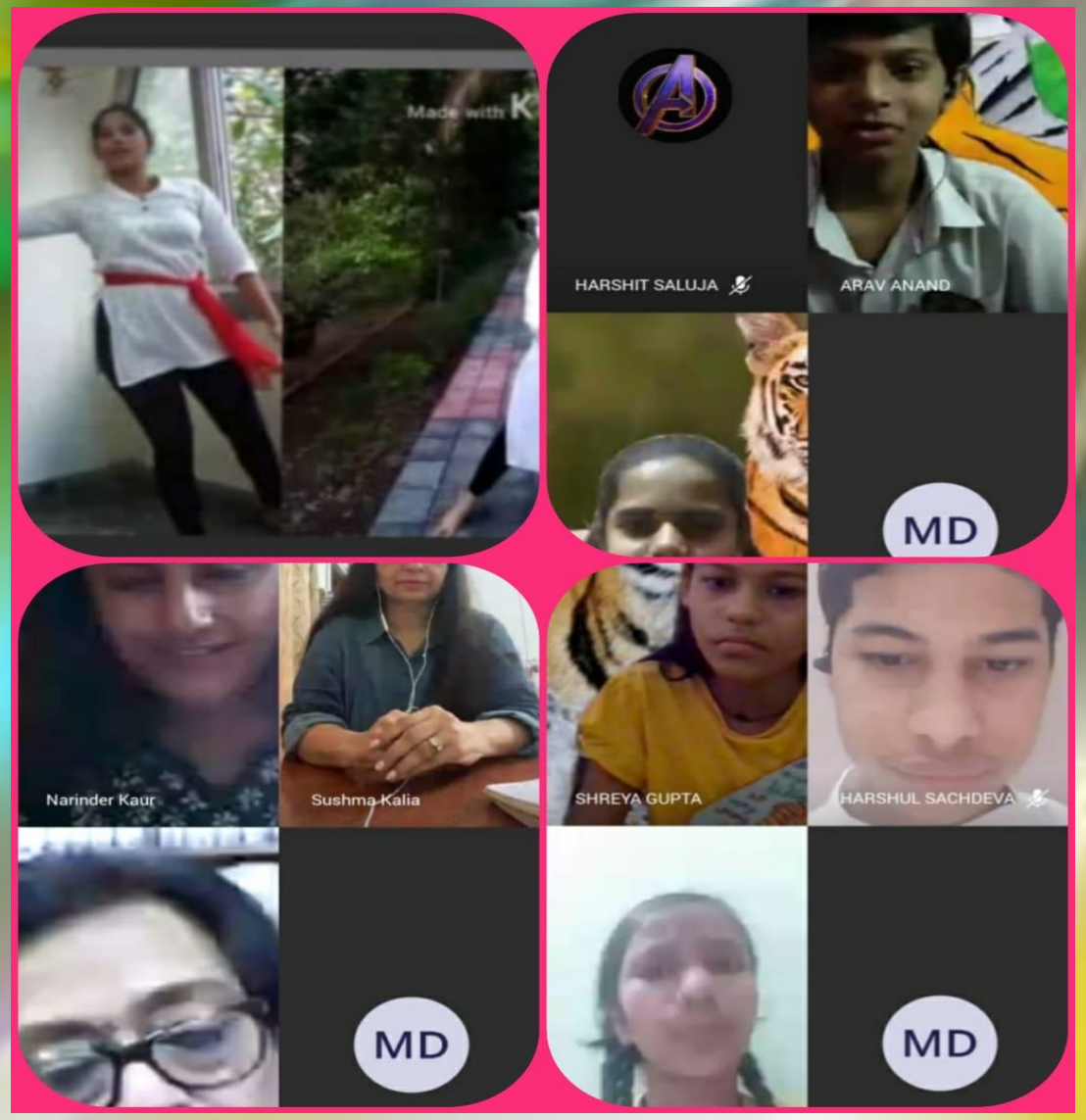


JUSTICE IS THE BEST SERVICE

An informative and enlightening online assembly on the topic "Justice delayed is justice denied" was conducted on the 18th of July in the presidence of Mr. Pawan Kumar (secretary, East District Legal Services Authority). He, in his speech, congratulated the young students and staff for presenting such an outstanding assembly even in this lock-down. He added that justice is the need of the hour; it's the right of every individual and he/she should stand for it always.



SAVE THE TIGER

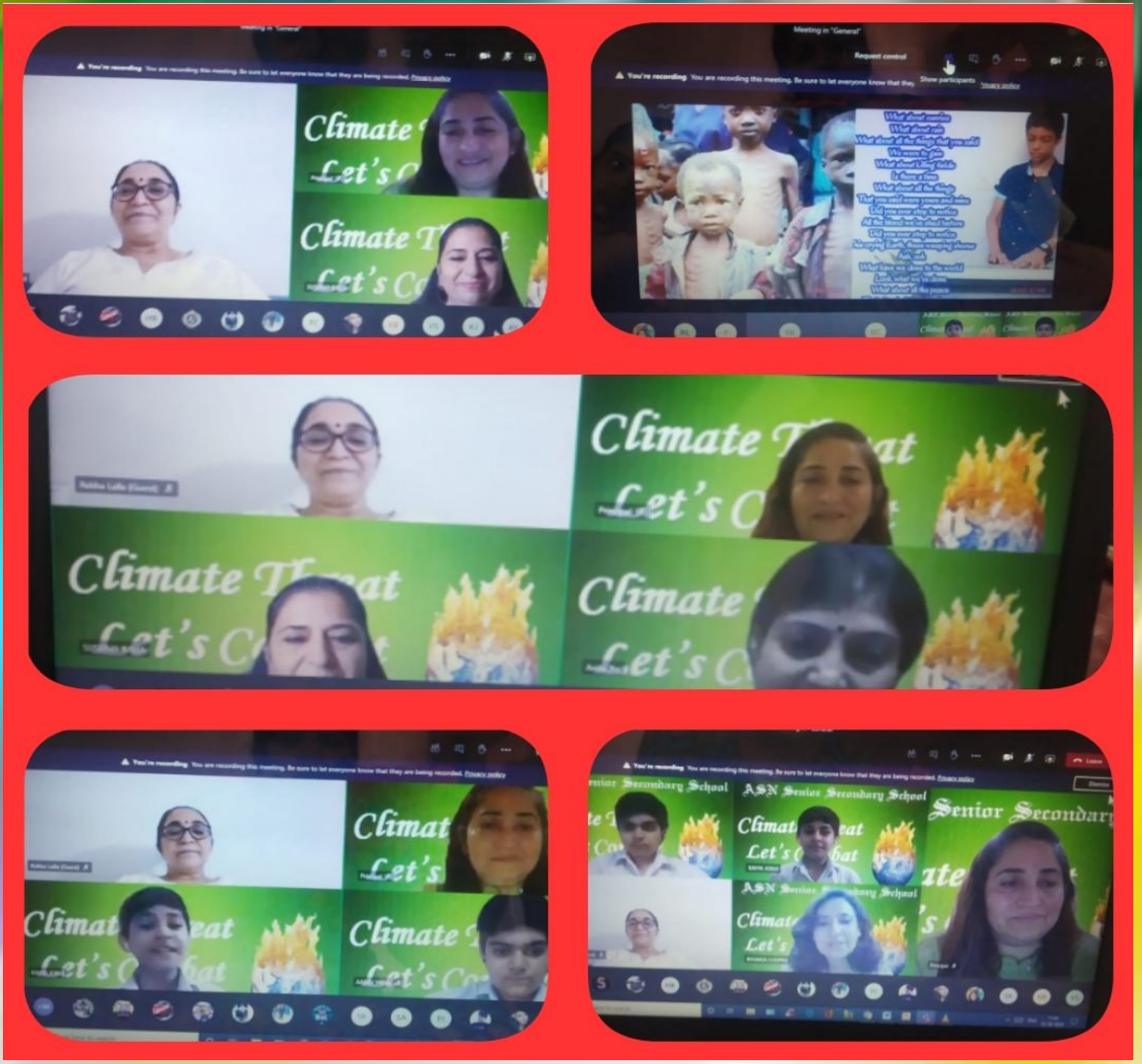


In collaboration with Tiger Trust, ASN Sr. Sec. School conducted an engaging and thought-provoking e-assembly on the topic " *Don't strip the stripes* " on the 25th of July 2020.

The event, with its thought-stirring skit, dance and animation videos, was really gripping and riveting. The photos of the cards, slogan-posters and articles were shared by the children to show that the *lock-down* hasn't dampened their spirit of SAVING TIGER.

The event was graced with the benign presence of Ms. Anjana Gosain (trustee of Tiger Trust).

GLOBAL WARMING IS STILL HARMING



The School conducted a special e-Assembly on the theme “climate threat: let’s combat". The program had an auspicious start with Shiv Vandana followed by amazing fact, instrumental musical rendition, a poem and a enlightening talk show. Students then presented a mesmerizing dance-drama titled 'Panchatatva Ki Pukaar' .The highlight of the day was the dance performance followed by the exhibition of creative work by the students. The Chief Guest of the day was Ms. Rekha Lalla (environmentalist). She applauded the students for putting their efforts in such a fabulous manner and appreciated the teachers and the school for guiding them in the right direction. Being an Environmentalist, she enlightened us with her informative speech. She commended effort of the school in taking such sensational issues and asking the young minds to ponder upon them

SANSKRIT: Our Value; Our Pride

An inimitable and phenomenal “Sanskrit Saptaaham" was observed and celebrated online on the 6th of August 2020 by the school.

The event was an absolute pleasure as it honed the speaking and presentation skills of the students; besides familiarising them with India's deeply rooted culture & values.

The chief guest for the assembly was Dr. Prasoon Kumar Mishra.



74th Independence Day

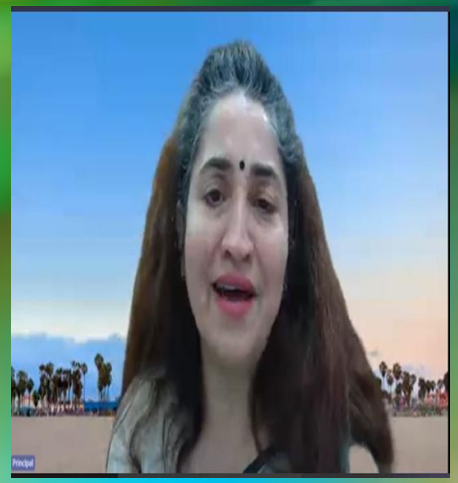
On the occasion of 74th Independence Day, the principal, Mrs. Swarnima Luthra and chairman Mr. K. L. Luthra hoisted the Indian flag in the School premises which was witnessed by the whole school through e-platform.

Colonel Shiraj Verma (the guest of honour) graced the occasion with his august presence.

The principal of the school, Mrs. Swarnima Luthra, praised the efforts of the staff and students in presenting such a spectacular e-assembly. She encouraged the children to value their freedom and skim all the possible opportunities to the optimum



ADD QUALITY TO LIFE WITH GENDER EQUALITY

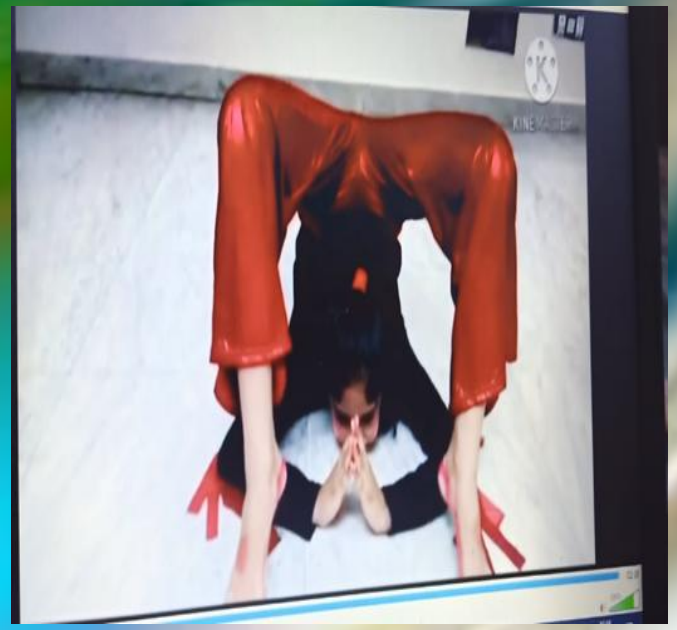






"There is no force equal to a woman determined to rise; raise and praise that woman and be wise."The Middle Wing of the school, on the occasion of "International Day of Girl Child" presented an e-assembly on the theme Gender-Equality. The show encompassed thestruggles and accomplishments done by women till date.The sole motive of this assembly was to encourage and demand equal treatment of girls and boys in today's developing society. Besides, it also focused on kindling the liberal thoughts pertaining to the rights and place of women today.

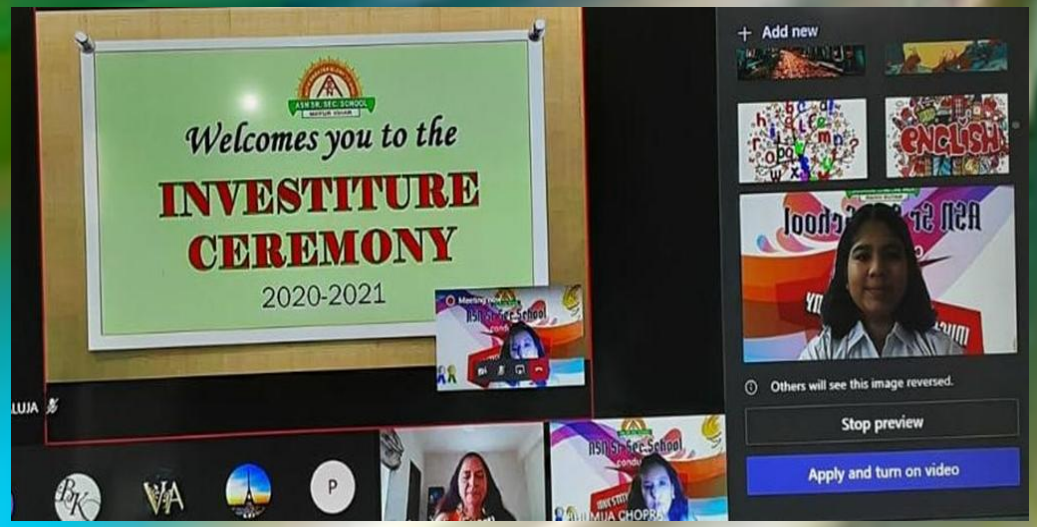
UNITY IS IMPORTANT IN COMMUNITY





ASN Senior Secondary School celebrated National Unity Day by way of a special e-assembly through which a well-deserved tribute was given to the Iron Man-Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel for his contribution to this nation on his 145th Birth Anniversary.

ELECTING SCHOOL AMBASSADORS THROUGH e-INVESTITURE





ASN Senior Secondary School, Mayur Vihar-1 recently conducted an online Investiture Ceremony for the Junior Prefectorial Council for the session 2020-2021. It was a solemn occasion where the young, suitable students were entrusted with the authorities and responsibilities vested in them by the school.They were motivated by the principal and teachers to shoulder their responsibilities dutifully and follow the pathof honesty, integrity and loyalty.

LOVE OF GRANDPARENTS IS GENUINELY TRANSPARENT





ASN Senior Secondary School, Mayur Vihar-1 celebrated International day for Elderly by conducting a special assembly on the theme Anubhav. The program witnessed a large participation from the students and elders. The grandparents were cordially invited for this event. The event showcased the importance of spending quality time and taking good care of our elders.The main purpose of the event was to make modern generation realise that “Our elders are true blessings from God”. They are the guiding force behind our success. They should always be loved and respected.

Achievements During Lockdown



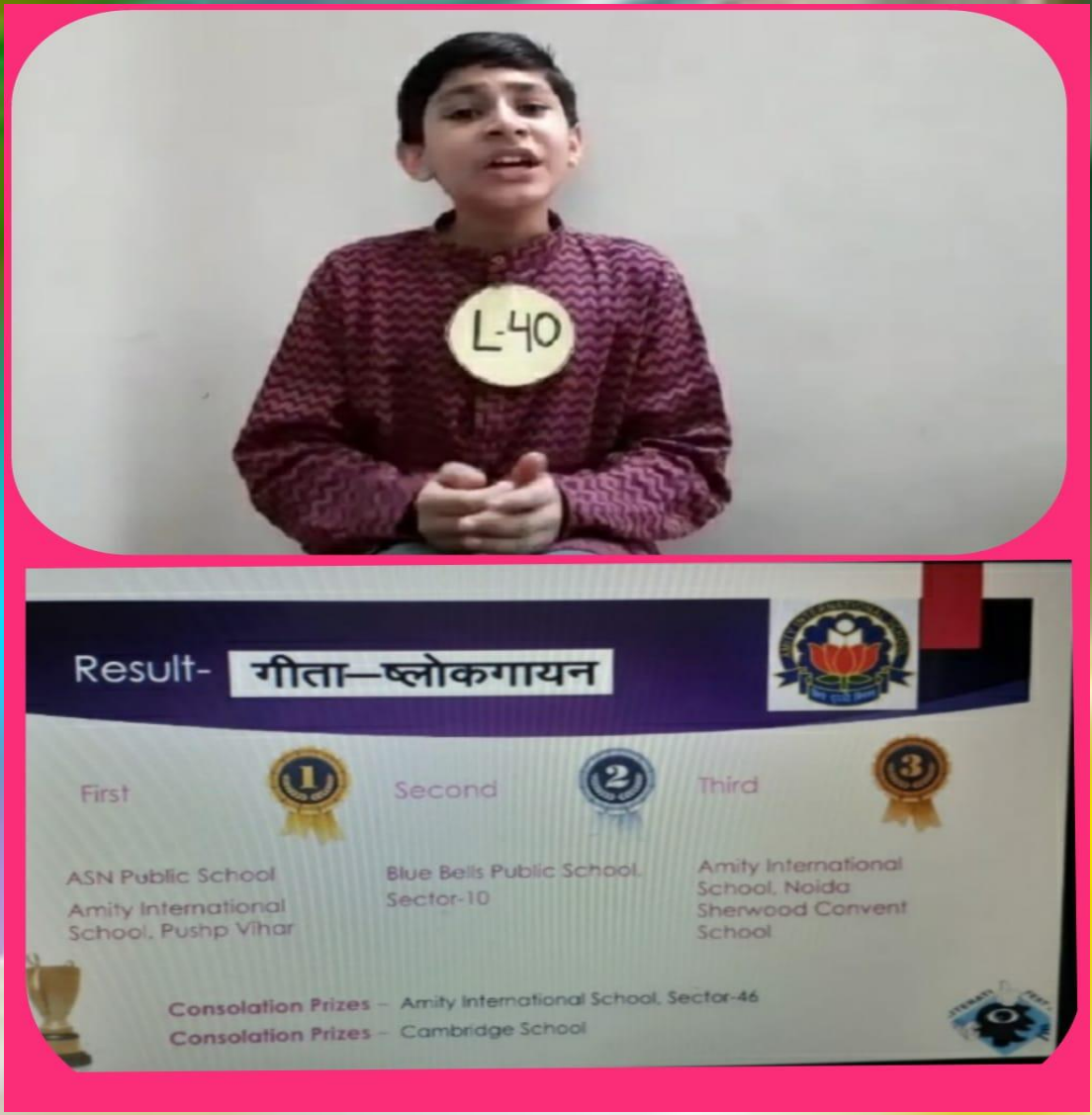
SHOW-STEALER OF THE SESSION SO FAR

Sanjay Shivkumar (8C) proved that "we are what we repeatedly do. Excellence, therefore, is a habit." He substantiated his mettle in science and language through wise participations and achievements in different activities throughout this period.

Sanjay hasn't set an example of unparalleled learning aptitude but also gave a message to everyone not to lose heart in difficult situations; rather emerge out as a real conquerer. A few of his achievements are:

- ❖He got selected in S&T home contest and bagged 4th position at National level.
- ❖He got first prize in essay writing competition on "COVID 19: A Boon or a bane", organised by Tiger Trust.
- ❖He completed the championship level in Tide turners WWF challenge. He worked on the Plastic items commonly used in 5 families for WWF activity.
- ❖He participated in slogan-writing contest on the topic "solutions are in nature" by NMNH.
- ❖His shloka-chanting video was featured on Shankara TV.
- ❖He has been the HIGHLIGHT of this period and we wish him all the best for future too

LITERATI WIN IN AMITY



Kavya Joshi (8F) has bagged first position in the Sanskrit Karma Yoga Shloka Gaayan amongst 40 schools in the literati event organized by Amity School Gurgaon.

The result got announced in the online closing ceremony of the school.