



The HCS EUNOIA

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Healing with green
in time will make
Ozone Layer fine



MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT



Greetings from all of us at Holy Child School.....

May this message bring to you all a sense of positivity, hope and good spirit to face the challenging times with strength, patience and mindfulness. As the Principal of this prestigious institution, I feel greatly honoured and privileged to be a part of an educational institution where every stakeholder is a dedicated learner and every single day is taken as an opportunity to rediscover and reform the potentialities to achieve the best. In our institution we all look at ourselves as a community of learners, where everyone takes immense pride in building a strong foundation for all the beautiful buds that bloom here.

Our institution makes certain that we consistently review our performances to ensure that we are following the most updated practices, staying in healthy competition with our own caliber, meeting all regulations and addressing the future needs of our students to the optimum. Our staff consistently follows current trends and in collaboration with administration and IT department creates a plan to incorporate the best of all the newly learnt knowledge and skills into our classrooms.

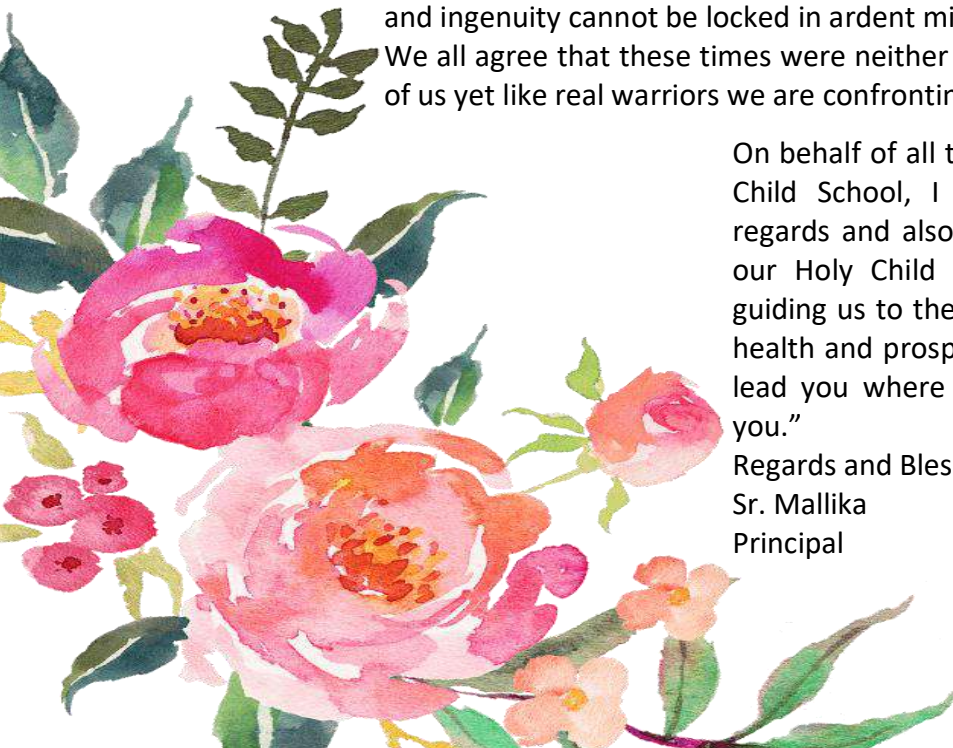
We at Holy Child School also offer many opportunities to explore the interests of our students so along with online classes we also offer online co-curricular activities, sports and a large variety of musical ventures that our students can participate in. The school campus though is not the same without our adorable children yet through online assemblies, celebrations, competitions and various activities we keep our students in unison with the usual school days. The growth of each student is our prime concern. The co-operative efforts of teachers, parents and students have always worked wonders for our institution.

The HCS Eunoia is yet another exemplary effort made by HCS to showcase the creative outlook and conceivability of our staff and students. Through this medium we are able to touch higher summits and reach places while staying at home as innovation and ingenuity cannot be locked in ardent minds.

We all agree that these times were neither predicted nor envisaged by any one of us yet like real warriors we are confronting the pandemic gracefully.

On behalf of all the Sisters and Management of Holy Child School, I extend my warm courtesies and regards and also pray that may Lord Almighty keep our Holy Child Family safe and secure and keep guiding us to the path that leads to happiness, good health and prosperity for “The will of God will never lead you where the Grace of God will not protect you.”

Regards and Blessings
Sr. Mallika
Principal



'Obstacles don't have to stop you. If you run into a wall, don't turn around and give up. Figure out how to climb it, go through it, or work around it.'

-Michael Jordan

It was life as usual at Holy Child Sr. Sec. School, Tagore garden as the events of the past three months recorded below would narrate. The school bid farewell to its outgoing Principal Sister Sherine on July 29 welcoming in her place Sister Mallika who was given a warm reception the same day. The School Manager Sister Deepika was also given a farewell at an Assembly conducted on July 31 and Sister Elsy was welcomed as the new Manager.

On 12 August, 2020 Holy Child Sr. Sec. School, Tagore Garden received the prestigious 'School Excellence Award' from International Chamber for Service Industry and the Think Unique group

The school celebrated Independence Day on August 15 by conducting a special Assembly with cultural programmes performed by students. A Folk Dance Competition was conducted online for primary classes on 22 August, 2020. A teachers' day Assembly was also held on September 5. The Novena prayers that began on August 27 culminated on September 7, when a special assembly was conducted to mark the School Day.

It was a moment of pride for our school as our Class 10 and 12 students performed brilliantly in the Board Examination results announced in July. Yet another feather to our cap was added when the British Council awarded Holy Child School with the prestigious 'International School Award'. Online classes through MS Teams continued in full swing every month with periodic tests and half yearly examinations conducted online in September. Parent-Teacher Meetings were virtually conducted along with mental health programmes and counselling sessions organized for parents and students. Teachers' staff meetings and webinars were also conducted online. Literary Week was observed at the school with students of Class 9 and 10 participating in Speed Reading Competition.

A plethora of activities had been organised for the kindergarten students apart from their regular curriculum during the lockdown due to Covid- 19 pandemic. These include:

- Tear and Paste Activity
- Q-Tip painting Activity
- Blue colour Activity
- Janmashtami Activity
- Independence Day Activity
- Rakhi Activity
- Rainy Season Celebration
- Green Day Activity



-Mrs. Simmi Abraham





Farewell

Sr. Sherine Thuruthel

There is a great poem by PB Shelley called Ozymandias that illustrates the story of a valiant ruler who built monuments and statues to praise his own valour and preserve his greatness. The statues, however, became victims to the tide of time and were submerged under vast endless sands. Unlike the ruler in this poem, there are certain people whose legacy continues to thrive in our hearts. Our dear Sr. Sherine is one such person. Her warmth and kind-hearted disposition have touched each and every soul whom she has encountered during her time as the principal of our esteemed institution.

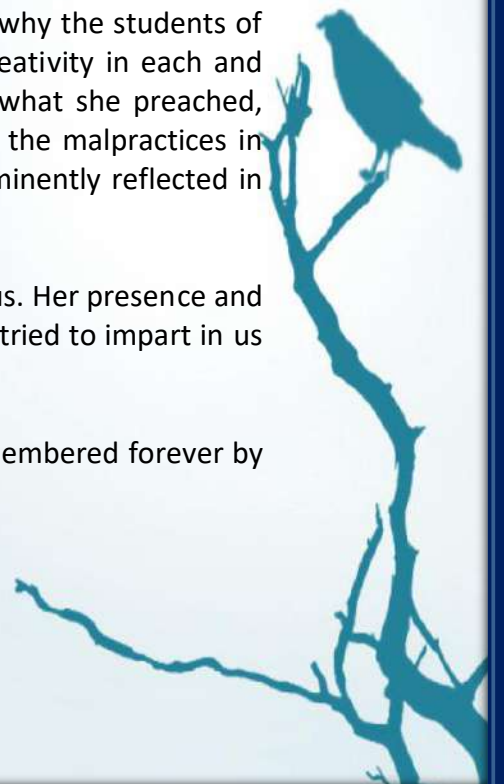
Her student-friendly approach and efforts to develop the institution with research and innovative ideas, has engraved her presence and her strong ideals in the hearts of the entire faculty. She strived to create a stress-free environment and always paid attention to the concerns of the staff as well as the students. Her speeches in the daily morning assembly were always filled with passion and echoed the importance of making a change. She worked hard to impart the best morals and ideals and her efforts have resonated in each and every mind.

Her stern approach to uphold the morals of HCS is the reason why the students of our school are admired for their diligence, punctuality and creativity in each and every sphere including academics. The qualities of practising what she preached, being a quick thinker and a passionate advocate for changing the malpractices in our society as well as preserving the earth we live in, were eminently reflected in her actions and decisions.

She has always been a guiding light and an inspiration to all of us. Her presence and words will remain ingrained in our hearts and the qualities she tried to impart in us will forever resonate through our actions.

Our dearest Principal Sr. Sherine, you will always be fondly remembered forever by the entire HCS family.

- Diksha Singh XII D



From lock to unlock



Look Towards God

When your heart is tired
And your soul is weak
Look towards God
He'll help you seek

That life has a reason
And life has a rhyme
Though we don't see it
All the time.

He'll take your hand
And guide your ways
To calm waters
And brighter days.

Your heart will heal
And the pain will fade
Trust in God
And all he made.

Look towards God
Have faith in him too
He'll always be there
To look after you.

PARNEET KAUR VIII-D

FROM LOCK TO UNLOCK

When 2019 started, it brought happiness,
but in the end, it left a huge amount of stress.

Doors of countries kept locking one by one,
as on our heads, Covid-19 kept it's gun.

By 2020, people began to get sick and there was this devastating epidemic.

Terror, panic and distress spread, each essence had a dread.

Sympathy was the thing mostly needed, every obstacle speeded.

In our house, government had to lock us,

to keep us safe from this virus.

But it took an unexpected turn, and our hopes started to burn.

Epidemic led to discrimination, severely affected were being put in isolation.

But as cases decreased, we felt relieved.

We tried to freshen up our brain, and our creativity didn't drain.

We followed every precaution, and finally, we got unlocked as the conditions did soften.

From lock to unlock we changed sides,

many warriors sacrificed their lives.

But someday in our future we will have good tides,

Because the ones with strong immunity will thrive.

OJASVI VIII D



FROM LOCK TO UNLOCK

An era of "Lock to Unlock",
A new life threatening experience,
made humans shocked.

Corona, a word on everyone's mind,
be it a man or a child.

It is spreading like a wind,
man does not have any hint.

Although it is just a virus, the whole population gets tired.

Humans have got some essentials,
like face masks and sanitizers.

We all are locked in our homes,
feeling safe with our dads and moms.

Schools and colleges are closed,
concept of online classes is proposed.

Humans can't shake hands with each other,
due to this coronavirus fear.

One thing should be clear, follow social distancing
and stay away from your dear.

New hope, a new vaccine is about to come,
soon this pandemic will be lost in the run.

KEIYONA MALHOTRA II D

“Life is not about how hard you can hit but how much you can get hit and still keep moving forward.”



Lockdown - Don't get Knocked down

This pandemic has resulted in so much loss, from the demise of lakhs of people to unemployment, anxiety and bringing the entire world to a standstill. I can't still believe that all this is for real, and we are in the middle of a pandemic, that neither my parents nor their parents saw. But, there's a golden light behind every dark cloud, and let me introduce you to it!

Stay Home, Stay Safe has not just ensured our safety against the pandemic, but also brought about nature's safety against us humans. Nature finally got time to renew itself. Trees suddenly turned greener and happier, animals and birds reclaimed roads and other spaces and the air became pleasant to breathe.

Even for many of us, the beginning of the lockdown seemed like the dream life we always wanted to live - not having to go to schools and to work, staying at home and studying and working from home etc. I was at cloud nine, as there was no getting up early, doing assignments and class work and going to school in scorching summer. But ever since my summer vacations ended, so did my enthusiasm and I've been longing to return to school.

As that wasn't possible, I began to find new ways to keep myself entertained. I stand in my balcony and watch pigeons and parrots, watch my favourite cartoons like Tom and Jerry and Shinchan, listen to songs and read books that I always wanted to read.

And that is my advice to all my friends. Though you may feel the desire to lie in bed all day and stick to your phone screen, don't waste your time like that. These months are like golden buffer time given to us so that we could take a break from our hectic life, rejuvenate ourselves and bounce back as stronger and successful individuals. I am sure that by the time you finish reading this article, you'll feel motivated. So, don't let that motivation go in vain. Get up from your bed. Learn the skills and arts you always wanted to. Help your parents with household work. Play with your siblings or pets. That's how we all could make the best out of these troubled times.

-RAGHAVI CHAKRAVARTY IX-B



TARLEEN KAUR II D



PURTI JAIN KG A



PRABHLEEN KAUR V B



How to remove Boredom while staying at home

As you know that we cannot go to school due to the Coronavirus, we all are getting bored in our houses. We have nothing to do. So, I will give you some tips to defeat boredom:

- **SPENDING TIME WITH FAMILY:** When we used to go to school, we would come back tired and with loads of homework. So we used to be busy doing all that homework. But in this lockdown we don't have much work to do and have a lot of free time. So we can spend this free time with our families.
- **LEARNING A NEW HOBBY:** When we used to go to school, we wouldn't have time to learn something new. So in this lockdown we can learn something which we weren't able to do previously like cooking, singing, learning to play an instrument etc. Though we can't join any institution but many videos are available on the Internet that can help us.
- **YOGA AND EXERCISE:** When schools were open, we had to get up early in the morning and get ready for school so we didn't get time to exercise and do yoga. This lockdown gave us a golden opportunity to keep ourselves fit with yoga and other exercises.

-LAKSHITA KHANNA VII B



HARGUN KAUR II B

How to remove boredom while staying at home

As everybody, especially kids are suggested to stay at home due to the Covid-19 pandemic, kids easily get bored as they find themselves at home and always want to find ways to get rid of boredom. Here are some ways. Firstly, you can do Art and Craft activities, by doing so you can bring out your creativity. Secondly, cooking without fire is a great way to overcome boredom, there are many recipes on the internet which can be made without any electricity or fire. Thirdly, reading online books. These are some of the ways by which I also remove my boredom.

-CHARVI NARANG V A

Riddles



Puzzles

What am I?

1. I have wheels but smaller than tricycle and you have fun on me- What am I?-
2. I have five fingers but I don't have arms, legs, flesh and face- What am I?-
3. I make your face look beautiful- What am I?-
4. I am like jelly and colourful too, but you can't eat me- What am I?-
5. I am a dough with different colours children make chapatti of me but mommies do not allow this and always keep a watch on me- What am I?-
6. Without me there is no Earth or people I am everywhere in desert also- What am I?-
7. I am thing in which you can see a twin of you- What am I?-
8. I am in shape of a square, I have four squares of different colours on me and you can play with me on your phones too- What am I?-

Answers : 1. Skates 2. Gloves 3. Make-up 4. Slime 5. Clay 6. Water 7. Mirror 8. Ludo
-AARADHYA SHARMA V A

Extra Regions Sudoku

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5	3	4	9	3	4	2	5
2	1	9	3	7	1	8	6
7	1	3	7	8	9	1	5
4	9	2	2	1	4	3	8

HITORI

Hitori is played with a grid of squares or cells, with each cell initially containing a number. The game is played by eliminating squares/numbers and this is done by blacking them out. The objective is to transform the grid to a state wherein all three following rules are true:

- no row or column can have more than one occurrence of any given number
- black cells cannot be adjacent, although they can be diagonal to one another.
- the remaining numbered cells must be all connected to each other, horizontally or vertically.

“Teachers encourage

minds to **think,**

hands to **create,**

and hearts to **love**”

Teacher’s Day is celebrated on 5th of September every year in India. On this day, we pay respect and thank our teachers. My teachers are very kind and helpful to me. They are very sweet and just like a mother to me. Students show their love by performing on stage for their teachers in my school. Teachers help us to achieve our dreams. They play a very important role in making us an obedient, disciplined and ideal student.

Thank You Teacher!

- GURNOOR KAUR IIA

Happy Teachers Day

I want to thank you
not just for being a good teacher
but for being
a caring second mother

I want to thank you
not just for being my teacher
but for being
a guide and a mentor.

I want to thank you
not just for helping me out
but for motivating me throughout
and melting away all my doubts!
KAVYA KHURANA I B



THE POWER OF BEING A TEACHER

In 1994 the President of India, Shri Shankar Dayal Sharma visited Muscat for an official trip – When the Air India flight landed, rather unusual incidents took place:

1. The Sultan of Oman never goes to the airport to receive dignitaries of any country – never. But he did something exceptional this time and went to the airport to receive the President of India.
2. When the flight landed, the Sultan of Oman climbed up the steps and received the President from his seat!
3. After alighting the flight there was a car with the chauffeur standing. But the Sultan signaled the driver to move and he himself drove the car with President as his passenger!

Later when the reporters questioned the Sultan why he broke so many protocols, the Sultan replied, “I did not go to the airport to receive Mr. Sharma because he was India’s President. I studied in India and learnt so many things, when I was studying in Pune, Mr. Sharma was my Professor – that is why I did this!”

-PARI BAJAJ VII-D

OUR MENTORS....

In India, Teacher’s Day is celebrated on 5th September. It is Celebrated to mark respect and gratitude towards all the teachers, gurus & mentors.



AARADHYA SARKAR 1-D

On this day, classes are replaced by entertainment and celebration. Students give cards and flowers to their teachers and both take an active part in various fun activities. A teacher plays an important role in the overall development of a child i.e. emotional, psychological, social, moral etc. Teaching is the most influential job in the world. Teacher imparts good values in children and turns them into responsible citizens. Happy teachers day....

-RADHICA CHUGH III C

A teacher is the best guide

A teacher is the best guide
Always standing with us by our side
Motivating us and giving us faith and power
Helping us to climb the heights of the tower
No one can ever take the place of a teacher
She is your best preacher
Teachers are a unique personality
meeting a good teacher in life is an essentiality
How to read how to write is what we learn
How to survive in difficult times even when the sun burns
That's the beginning of a life
That's what they say
They also know how to make cartoons into sculptures out of clay
They are the ones who never leave to pray
From ABCD to 1234 till learning the chemical reactions and the formulas
They are the ones who never lose hope
They always continuously believe in our capability and scope
Teachers not only have enormous knowledge
Also they have the world's greatest courage
They are the ones who help us gain back our potential
They teach even difficult things in a way so gentle
They help us to reach high heights of success
They are the ones who never leave to bless
They help us to reach the ideals of a star
They are like fragrance in a flower
They help the buds bloom
They make us strong physically and mentally

They help us to face every obstacle
They always tell us not to run back but only to tackle
Because of them the impossible things seem possible
They are the ones that help us pass through our troubles
Helping us to get good marks is their aim
Even if we do mistakes they never blame

How hard is it to bid goodbye to a teacher

To a person who is not less than a God and a wonderful creature
She teaches us as her own child
With Her kindness her hard work her patience and her nature so mild

A teacher is a Great mixture of everything so well compiled
What we become and what we are is all because of our parents and our teacher

Her art of teaching is an exceptional feature
If there were no teachers, there would be no profession
While Playing games And telling moral stories she nicely finishes her lesson

Why do we blame a teacher for anything

Because whatever you are it's because of their teaching
However far you go they'll always be with you with their blessings,
A very happy teachers day to all the teachers

Thank you for being the best guide and best well wisher

We cannot thank you enough for all that you have done
We assure you that we'll not leave any stone unturned.

- HARSHITA KAUR XII D



RIDDHIMA JAIN VIII D

शिक्षक है महान

शिक्षक है महान,
देते जो हमें ज्ञान।
शिक्षक का सम्मान करना
अपनी ही एक शान।

अध्यापक बने स्कूल में हमारे माता - पिता,
पढ़ाएं हमें, कोई कमी न रहने दे
इतने प्यार से पढ़ाएं की माँ कि याद न
दिलाए
एक - एक चीज़ हमें सिखाएं,
इतने प्यार से जो दिक्कत आएँ उसे
सुलझाएं।

गुण उनके न है एक,
गुण तो उनके है अनेक,
माता - पिता जैसे ईश्वर ने शिक्षक बनाएं
कभी - कभी हमारे शिक्षक गुस्सा भी हो
जाएं,
पर जब स्कूल खत्म हो,
तो हमें गले से लगाएं।

गरु हमारे महान देते जो हमें ज्ञान,
हम तो केवल इंसान है,
गरु हमारे है महान है ;
जो बनाता इंसान को इंसान,
एसे गुरु को हम करते प्रणाम ।।

- SANVI ARORA VII-D

GANDAGI MUKT MERA GAON



SAANVI KHANDELWAL VIII D



SIMRAN KAUR VIII B



NIHARIKA CHAWLA VII D



HARSHITA VII D



MANRIYA KAUR VII C



YANA JINDAL VI C



AAROHI BANERJEE VII D



PARNEET KAUR VIII D



NIHARIKA CHAWLA VII



HARSHALI KG B

Janmashtami or more popularly known as **Krishna Janmashtami** was only a festival for me, in which we as a family would pray together, being a holiday would spend some good time together and my mother would be making mouth watering dishes for all of us. But the meaning and significance of this auspicious day changed completely for me when my grandmother narrated the story of Shri Krishna in great detail. She told me that Janmashtami is the birthday of Lord Krishna and it is celebrated throughout the world with great zeal and enthusiasm by Krishna's devotees in the monsoon season. According to the Hindu calendar this religious festival is celebrated on the Ashtami of Krishna Paksh or the 8th day of the dark night in the month of Bhadon. My grandmother told me that Lord Krishna is the 8th incarnation of Lord Vishnu and He acted as cowherd, a legendary guru, an obedient and brilliant student, a great king, a protector, an ideal friend, a philosopher, and the most loved deity. After listening to all her stories I feel so attached with this festival and I want to celebrate this every year more meaningfully with my entire family. -MEHAK KAUR SAHDEV VIII B



PARNEET KAUR XI D



SRISHTIKA MITRA KG



ISHIKA TANWAR IX-B



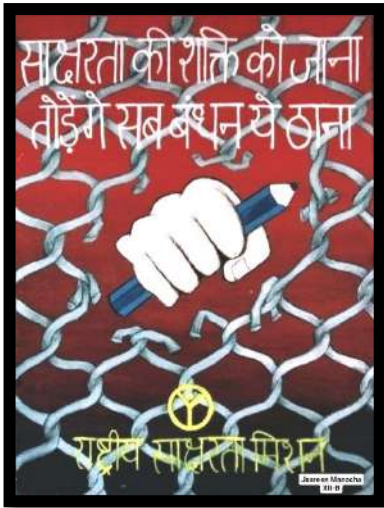
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YANA JINDAL VI C



NIRMAL CHOPRA VI D



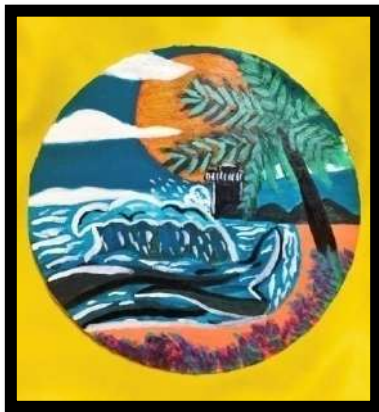
Jasreen Manocha XII B



Sargun Kaur XII B



Gurleen Kaur XI B



Ria Chawla XI B

Our in house artists have led us to a world of beauty, creativity, experience and love. So many emotions have risen in the minds of every reader. It is certainly commendable to see our creative minds evolving into excellence.



Banileen Kaur XI D



Meba Aliyah Swer XII B



Banileen Kaur XI D



Maanya Aggarwal XI A

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Raksha Bandhan

रक्षाबंधन का रंगीन त्योहार

भाई- बहन के प्यार के ऊपर बनाया ईश्वर ने यही एक त्योहार

रक्षाबंधन नाम देकर दिया भाई बहनों को यह उपहार,

“भाई वादा दो करोगे मेरी रक्षा सदैव तुम” वादा लेती है बहने प्यार भरी आवाज में

“हाँ बहन, देता हूँ वादा, तू भी वादा दे सदैव करेगी मुझे प्यार” बोलते है भाई अपनी बहनों से

बांधती है सुंदर-सुंदर राखीयां बहने अपने भाइयों को

वादे लेते है दोनो एक दूसरे से,

प्यार करते है दोनो बहुत एक दूसरे से।

भले ही पूरे वर्ष जितना मर्जी झगड़े दोनो भाई-बहन,

किन्तु जितना प्यार दोनो त्योहार के दिन करे, उतना तो स्वयं शिव भी गौरी से न करे ।

क्या लीला है ईश्वर की,

क्या रंगीन बनाया है संसार को,

क्या रिश्ता जोड़ा है भाई- बहन का,

क्या प्यार बनाया है दोनो का ।

SANVI ARORA VII-D



Deepti XII-A



Purti Jain KG A



Tanya Diwan IX C

Raksha-Bandhan upholds the principles of love, support and protection”

Raksha Bandhan, also known as Rakhi Festival, is an annual Hindu religious festival. Raksha Bandhan means 'Bond that protects" and is meant to celebrate the bond, love, affection, liking, affection, duty and protection that exists between brothers and sister.

The festival is celebrated throughout India and Nepal. It is part of the Hindu calendar, but overtime it has taken a secular form. Raksha Bandhan is also a Jain festival. On this day, Jain priests distribute bands or bracelets to devotees.

Raksha Bandhan festival is celebrated on the full moon day of Shravana Purnima. This day is also referred to as Shravana Purnima or Rakhi Purnima in the Hindu religious calendar. The festival occurs annually, in August - though the precise day in August varies from year to year.

This festival holds a great significance in my life as well. It has strengthened the bond that I share with my family and has united my family together. I tie rakhi on my brother's hand which is a symbol of love and protection. I expect my brother to make a promise to protect me in all circumstances. Being a sister this festival holds a special place in my heart. - SNEHA XI - C

Save girl child

The existence of human life on the Earth is impossible without the equal participation of both men and women. They are equally responsible for the survival of the human race on the Earth. They are also liable for the development and growth of a nation. However, the existence of the woman is far more important than men. Because without her we cannot think about our existence. So, we must take pain to save girl child.

It's a common practice in India where people abort or kill girl child on birth. But, they should be saved and given equal opportunity, and respect to go ahead in life. Apart from that, the fate of civilization lies in their hand as they are the root of our creation.

Today women are in fierce competition with the male population, especially in India. Girls are reaching heights in every department and proving gender imbalance to be wrong. International Day of the Girl Child is celebrated on 11th October each year.

After looking at the poor statistics concerning girls in our country, Prime Minister Narendra Modi gave the "Beti Bachao Beti Padhao" slogan. This is a very powerful project which brings forth health, safety, education of girls and the abolition of female foeticide. Also, this scheme focusses on the personal and professional development of girls.

"Swami Vivekanand ji Stated that the nation where women are not respected, that country can never progress!"

When you kill girls you kill many others like Friend, Wife, Sister, Mother, Daughter. Don't Be cold Girls are worth more than gold .

Everyone loves to have a MOTHER,
Loves to have a WIFE,
Loves to have a SISTER,
Then why not a 'DAUGHTER'.
Girls are the spirit of our nation. Save them !

- JOTNOOR KAUR VII-B



HAZEL CHADHA KG A



HERGUN KAUR I B

most recent movement—"BETI BACHAO BETI PADHAO". Crime against girls and women are a major impediment to India's growth and development.

A girl should not be killed, hated or disrespected. She deserves to be saved, loved and respected for the betterment of the country and society. She should be given fair chance to be involved in the development of the country as boys.

NAVYA ARORA V D

SAVE GIRL CHILD

Girls are the future of our country. It is rightly said that behind every successful man there is a woman. Girls are not less than boys; they are also there in every field and in fact way ahead in some domains. The existence of human race on Earth is impossible without the equal participation of both, boys as well as girls. But they have always have been a victim of female foeticide, rape, sexual harassment, dowry related deaths etc.

Girls should be saved as they are the reason behind the existence of human race. A girl is very attentive to their parents and devoted to their work. They have proven that they are responsible towards their work, their society and their country.

The Indian government is also taking steps to save girls and educate them like the



NYSHA BILLA IV A

“Painting is poetry that is seen rather than felt, and poetry is painting that is felt rather than seen.”- Leonardo da Vinci.



YASHIKA NAGI X-A



ANANYA TANDON X C



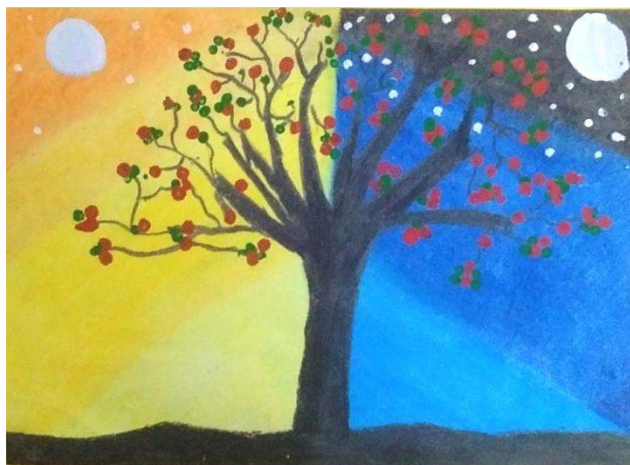
CHAHAT TANDON VII-D



MEHAK VOHRA XII B



MISHIKA DUTTA V B



NIHARIKA CHAWLA VII D



NIRMAL CHOPRA VI D



TVISHA SETH II C



KRISHVI AGGARWAL KG B

Beautiful Life After Independence

Two eyes see the world
 Two legs can walk the earth
 Two ears can hear so much
 One nose feels so right
 Two arms can hug so tight

DIVYANA ARORA KG D



INDEPENDENCE DAY CELEBRATIONS

“We want deeper sincerity of motive, a greater courage in speech and earnestness in action”.

Sarojini Naidu

In the words of Sarojini Naidu, people need to be firm in their motive, speak their hearts openly out without fear and love what he or she does and concentrate on the work at hand.

Holy Child celebrated Independence Day on 15th August with great enthusiasm and fervour. The online assembly and cultural programme brought the entire school together on a common platform; everyone enjoyed and appreciated the efforts of the staff and students. It once again filled every heart with patriotism and the zest to make a difference.

Assembly Pictures







MEHAK VOHRA XII B

A picture
is a poem
without
words



Priyanka Sharma XA



GUNIKA VASDEV X-A



ANN RIYA XI-D



GUNIKA VASDEV X-A



RIYA BHALL IXA



RADHIKA JASWAL XII-B





ANN RIYA XI D

COCOA

"Every time people begin the skin colour game
Calling you black, white, brown or any other shade
Hurl the remark back at their face
Because your skin is your pride, and
Racism their shame"

I was born in a faraway land
Where none of my people could take their stand.
The White people kept us in stuffy palms of their hand,
Frowning upon our cocoa skin colour
Always treating us like an inferior other.

In the faraway land, where none of my people could take their stand,
Heavy metal chains they tied around our neck and hands
For ages and ages
We were helpless birds chained up in colonisers' cages.

"You all are worthless creatures
We are the superior people
Look at your dirty dark skin
And look at ours, white and pure" - they grinned.

They saw our lands and our people
As unworthy of luxuries
But little do they know, our forests and our ecosystems
Are our real treasure.

They saw us as embers, trying to crush us under their feet
But now they begin to see, we're the fiery flame, whom no White outsider
can defeat.

Long live our indignantly
Our customs are our pride
Without us, how will the modern European civilisations thrive...
Because it is only when etched against the
Wonderful dark sky
Does faint moonlight shine.

-RAGHAVI CHAKRAVARTY IX-B

THE CHANGING WORLD

From bad to worse,
We were progressing,
The competitive world and phones
Had lessened our talking

We had forgotten to run
Catching buses and planes,
But suddenly in an instant
Our hard work went in vain

This virus seems minacious
When given a thought,
But being stuck in a house,
Smiles on our face and enjoyment it
has brought.

Leaving all the tension and work
We are relishing the time of tea and
biscuit crisp,
Leaving the stress of future
We are reminded that our present is
at risk

Lately, we were free
And kept animals in lock up,
But since this pandemic
They are free and we are stuck.

Engrossed in our work,
With laptops our days had end
Never perceiving that
Family time is just not perfect to
spend

In the earlier days
We were only engaged in our texts
and chats,
But this virus has made us play with
balls and bats.

After so many years
Our Earth has commenced healing
From global warming to fresh air
Let's just not keep her away from
breathing

Of course, after this rampant
There will exist a new world,
Let's just pledge that
We will not let our Earth again be
disfigured.

- AASHNA SUNEJA X-C

School Day

On September 8, the Church, the world over celebrates the birthday of Holy Child Mary. This was the reason Saint Bartolomea chose the evening of September 7, 1829 as the occasion to begin the first school dedicated to Infant Mary.

In 1957, the Society of the Sisters of Charity of Saints Bartolomea Capitanio and Vincenza Gerosa, also known as Sisters of 'Maria Bambina (Holy Child Mary)' started the Holy Child School, New Delhi.

On this day, our school, our teachers, our staff members and all the students dedicate our prayers in the loving memory of our foundresses and

revive the pledge taken by Saints Bartolomea Capitanio and Vincenza Gerosa dedicated themselves to the service of the youth. Saint Bartolomea held youth very dear to her heart and served to achieve their personal growth and development, in order to build them as agents of change for a just society.

She epitomised the virtues possessed by the Holy Mother of God who was born to Joachim and Hannah. Holy Child Mary was born as a result of their steadfast prayers. From a very young age, Mary's parents dedicated her to the Church. Mary grew up in the Church dedicating her life in service of God.

Let us resolve to follow the example of Holy Child Mary and our foundresses Saints Bartolomea Capitanio and Vincenza Gerosa for the betterment of our society and our nation.

LITERACY IS A BRIDGE FROM MISERY TO HOPE

The meaning of literacy is the ability to read and write. It is a solution to rise against poverty. It is not confined to textbooks but also exists in our environment. If we are not educated then we will have lack of confidence and can't enjoy the comfort of life. Countries with high literacy have better growth, low crime and diseases can be prevented faster through information and awareness. It helps in making better choices, strong communication and proper understanding. Literacy opens a world of opportunities and makes us responsible citizens.

-DIVYA NIJHAWAN III A



Jasreen Kaur I D

मेरा प्रिय होली चाइल्ड स्कूल

शिक्षा की पहचान स्कूल
सबसे प्यारा सबसे
न्यारा

हम सब इसके प्यारे बच्चे
अनुशासन के पूरे पक्के
शिक्षक इसके हमको प्यारे
सत्य अहिंसा के रखवाले
मेरा प्रिय होली चाइल्ड स्कूल
शिक्षा का वरदान स्कूल
मिलकर हम सब शीश
झुकाए

बुरी नजर से इसे बचाएं
राष्ट्र प्रेम का यह दीवाना
माँ जैसी ममता का बाना
गौरव से जीना सिखलाता
नैतिकता का शान यह स्कूल
मेरा प्रिय होली चाइल्ड स्कूल
-AANYA RAO



Prayer Assembly



ANANAYA TANWAR V A

Recipe Corner



Choco Lava Cake



Ingredients:

- * Oreo/any chocolate biscuits
- * Butter
- * Milk
- * A small piece of milk chocolate
- * Microwave/oven

Procedure:

- * Take some biscuits
- * Grind them into fine powder
- * Add butter and mix well
- * Add milk as per requirement
- * Mix till best consistency is achieved
- * Pour the batter in a cup or bowl and dip the piece of chocolate to cover it with batter as well.

Tips:

- * When you'll add milk, make sure that the batter should not have any lumps in it
- * If you want, you can use pure ghee instead of butter
- * If you want, add sugar to the batter as per your taste

- Vidhi V C

HOPE

My heart sinks, when I think,
Everything is changed in a blink.

A privilege with which I am blessed,
Gives me a hope, when I am stressed.

Being a teacher, working day and night
To save my country, I am in this fight.

When I see free flowing sanitizers, I am saddened to the core,
I wish I could see my children running in the corridors.

Being with my children on WhatsApp,
I don't know for how long we are going to live with this gap.

Praying this shall too pass away soon,
Once again we will see a bright moon.

I pray my HCS family is safe,
Back to normal, meet them again with a happy face.
-Mrs. Himani Chugh

AYURVEDA-THE WAY AHEAD

Ayurveda is attributed to Dhanvantari, the physician to the gods. The three 'DOSHAS' Vata, Pita and Kapha, helps in balancing our body. We should preferably wake up in the 'BRAHMA muhurta' i.e. 48 min before the sun rises. Yoga and Pranayam have miraculous results on our body. Spices like ginger, turmeric, cumin seeds and carom seeds help in digestion. Clove oil is helpful in toothache. Nuts like cashews, walnuts, raisins, almonds are high in antioxidants and help in preventing diseases. Today's spa workers are using ayurvedic aroma oils in different therapies. Ayurveda is the true natural approach to encourage our mind and soul.

-MAYRA PRUTHI V-B

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