

Newsletter 2020



# SOUNDARYA **CENTRAL SCHOOL**

# **NEWSLETTER**

# **Soaring Falcon**



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Soundarya Central School and team witnessed an extraordinary and challenging year 2020.Life as a school has taken such a dramatic new direction and demanded a level of flexibility that certainly kept us on our toes. We as a team faced the challenges and wish to applaud the whole school community for coping, adapting and rolling with the constant unfolding changes. Nothing stopped us from reaching our success and this is the time to acknowledge each and everyone for their restless struggle and hard work to gain success in a new era of online teaching.

"An investment in knowledge pays the best interest" — Benjamin Franklin

## OUR VISION

OUR MISSION

- To achieve excellent standards in education
- To create talented and committed human beings.
  - To provide a strong academic foundation for the success and progress of students.

To impart quality and value-based education so that students are equipped with multidimensional skills and problem-solving ability to collaborate with distinct pupil on a global level.

### OUR MOTTO



#### MESSAGES

#### Mrs. Renuka Devi- Principal

Soaring Falcon, our school newsletter gives a platform to our students to kindle their imagination, showcase creativity and talent, display their skills, channelize interest and nurture curiosity.

I wholeheartedly congratulate the staff and students who choose a different medium of expression to present their views and ideas. As long as our ideas are expressed and thoughts kindled, we can be sure of learning.

At Soundarya Central School, we lay down emphasis on the holistic development of a child's personality. We are living in a constantly changing world which is volatile, uncertain, complex and ambiguous. To handle this erratic situation, we are equipping our children with 4C's which are critical thinking, creativity, communication, collaboration with others, which will empower them to conquer the world.

A student's journey to success is nurtured by the untiring and dedicated efforts of our staff members who work passionately with an unwavering trust towards excellence.

We are grateful to our management who motivate us to become passionate educators. I would like to express heartfelt gratitude to all parents for their constant support. I appreciate every student who has shared the joy of participating in all activities along with their commitment to academics. That little extra we do is icing on the cake.

Soaring Falcon will ensure our learners give and get a little more of learning.



" The mind is not a vessel to be filled but a fire to be kindled "-Fluto

#### Mrs. Veena Sunil - Primary Coordinator

Let our breathes be filled with umpteen solution rather than worries and disasters of past. There is no force that can stop an achiever to cease his/her endeavors towards success. The universe belongs to those who sway away the cobweb of fears and frets, untiringly moving ahead. Why do not we consider the pandemic as a self cure by our mother Earth, rather than making it as a big dilemma in life? It is true that the pandemic has taught us much, lessons of unitedness, self care, selfless services and much more. Learning at any age cannot be stopped only because of a minion reason. A true learner will never let himself or herself to be conquered by the big issue called learning gap. Soundarya Central School has always been a guardian angel for the true learners. The whole teaching fraternity and the management team have put their efforts wholeheartedly to bring up the strong potential in the student community and teaching learning process . The online mode of education was well adapted by teachers, parents and students, in the twinkling of an eve. Studies were not distracted by the pandemic. Moreover students were given chance to participate in various competitions through online.

Soundarya Central School has ever be-



come a strong supporting hand during the pandemic. Assurance of assistance in education will be our goal and we will surely strive to fulfill it in the upcoming days too.

It was significantly a challenging year for the education sector. In this difficult and anxious times, we have managed to mentor our students, set learning targets, devised methods to evaluate and provide a feedback so that continuous learning process remained uninterrupted. We will continue to engage the students in the offline classes for the maximum benefit. Our parent's representatives in secondary have taken a central role in communication, collaboration and feedback and ensured the progress of their ward. we are grateful for every one's understanding and support.



#### Mr. Ranganayakulu -Senior Secondary Coordinator.

The world today is changing at such an accelerated rate and we as educators need to pause and reflect on the entire system of education. I am very happy to note that our school is well equipped to students to face the challenges even during Covid- 19 pandemic situation.

During this academic session our senior secondary (Grade XI & XII) students did a tremendous job to log in to Google meet sessions from home overcoming technology issues and dealing with many other new challenges. A big thank you to our elearning parents for providing amazing support at home and helping your children through this new online learning adventure.

To make online instructional programme more effective and joyful our staff members are well equipped with e-content material, video lessons, power point presentations and other instructional material. I am confident that our students will come out more resilient and confident that ever before once this year is over and they will gain a sense of gratitude for the normal school experiences.

A committed and supportive Management, encouraging Principal and dedicated staff and the efforts of our students will definitely go a long way. I am very sure through collaborative efforts the

School can achieve more and more to benefit the students who are the future learners of tomorrow.



"Success comes to those who works hard and stays with those who do not rest on the laurels of the past"

#### VIRTUAL LEARNING @ SCS

#### Learning during pandemic

Student's life is so important and if there is a gap in the learning it is going to be a great challenge. The pandemic was a cause for global shutdown of several activities, including educational activities. The facilitators of Soundarya, have taken the initiative to fill up the gap and did it well by giving some online activities and worksheets, to enhance their learning. Interactive educational programmes with art integration and communicative activities were held timely to help the students to retain the learning.



The students of the future will demand the learning support that is appropriate for their situation or context. Nothing more, nothing less

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## EVENTS @ SCS

#### ORIENTATION PROGRAMME FOR PARENTS

The parent teacher collaboration, during the adverse conditions of the pandemic, is the only one solution for a good start. Educating parents about the new platform, will in turn help educating the children for classes . Online platform being new and not every one's cup of tea. The positive attitudes and togetherness of the parents made our work comparatively

easy. Platform of google classroom was introduced and given proper training for children as



#### WORLD ENVIRONMENT DAY



WED celebrations, virtually? Yes, there is nothing greater than being able to create awareness in the blooming buds as they are going to be the future. Educating the new generation is a bliss and we are proud that we do it in every moment, even in the virtual platform. Student's innovative thoughts were also shared. Numerous activities like slogan

writing, collage speech were planned according to the grades and all the activities were well executed in online mode.

With countries under lockdown due to the coronavirus outbreak, one positive which seems to have come out of this whole situation is that our environment has become better

#### YOGA DAY

The chaotic time has brought a lot of changes in our lives. Fatigue and the reduction in the rate of activities, made the life completely changed. Awareness on Yoga and its positive impact on the mental health of children were discussed. Few yoga posters for mental health and improving physical health was shown in the online platform. The session was beneficial and students enjoyed doing yoga online.



Yoga is a light which once lit will never dim, the better your practice the brighter your flame

#### INDEPENDENCE DAY

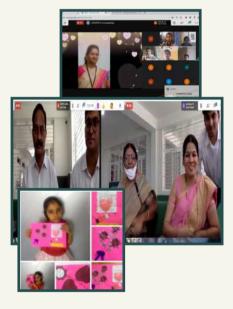
'Independence' - a word which every mind sings in union, for which every minute particle earnestly waits. The melodious music sung by the unsung heroes of the past. Are we independent?

Yes. We are, Taking the dependency of the online platform our students celebrated Independence day. The limitations became their strength, which made them to explore new modes of expressing their talents. The

### great struggle of two months of online training, made them tech savvy, and started exploring the usage of technology to express themselves. The result was tremendous students presented PowerPoint presentations, music mix ups and dance videos etc. The celebration brought the great feel of patriotism among children.

Vande Matram!!!!





#### TEACHERS DAY

The parents are first teacher's and the teachers are second parents' who shape the future of students. To move on with current pandemic situation, the Soundaryan has family taken Teachers Day Celebration virtually through google meet on September 5th 2020 with lots of zeal and enthusiasm. A video compilation of photos of teachers was played followed by dance performance and quiz. It was a novice experi- art of assisting ence that taught how a programme can be successfully compiled and completed in the situation of constant instability.

"Art of teaching is the discovery -Mark Van Dozen

#### READING WEEK

In order to inculcate reading habits among students, the primary wing of SCS had organized "Celebration of reading week" from Sep 9 -12 on virtual platform. Students were asked to bring a book read and highlight the synopsis, message conveyed

and what they liked about the book. All participated enthusiastically. Language teachers played an instrumental role in conducting the activity. It was an enlightening activity.

A book is a gift you can open again and again. -Garrison Keillor



#### GANDHI JAYANTHI

To imbibe the true meaning of the day follow glorious and trails of the noble soul towards evolving a peaceful and prosperous world, special virtual session was organized on the eve of Gandhi Jayanthi. The students paid creative homage to Gandhiji by wonderful

speeches, bhajans. PPT songs, quiz & dispresentation played posters. Students were motivated imbibe Gandhian to values.

Happiness is when what you think, what you say, and what you do are in harmony.



#### MANODARPAN-WORLD MENTAL HEALTH DAY

The covid-19 pandemic has led to the closure of schools, new system of online classes, restrictions on outdoor activities etc that led to stress and anxiety among students which calls for psychosocial



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Blissfully SCS hosted

with colourful events like dance quiz games and speech . Children awakened

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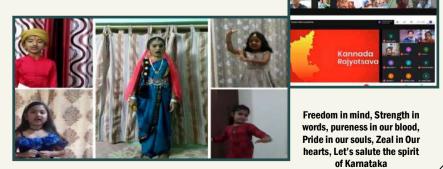
support. In this context, a mental health week was observed on the occasion of the World Mental Health Day on October 10,2020 by SCS. The CBSE had issued guidelines on helping students with mental health. Teachers took

initiative to provide psychosocial support to students, teachers and families for mental health and emotional well being.

> "What we achieve inwardly will change outer reality -Plutarch

KANNADA RAJYOTSAVA

> The day ended with nadageethe ,'jai bharata jananiya tanujate.



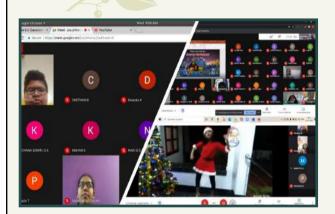
#### CHILDREN'S DAY

With much enthusiasm and excitement, students and teachers of SCS celebrated Children's day this year virtually. A plethora of activities like speech, quiz, online games were live streamed by teachers for students. Through this celebration, the students of SCS had a fun time from the comfort of their homes, took the advantages of technology and virtual platform had made their day unforgettable.



"Children are like buds in a garden and should be carefully and lovingly nurtured, as they are the future of the nation and the citizens of tomorrow." - Jawaharlal Nehru

#### CHRISTMAS CELEBRATION



Christmas! It's the most wonderful time of the year,! SCS celebrated Christmas as much more than just a day for opening presents, but as a day for opening hearts to holiness and godliness. The students of grade I-X organized a special assembly with enthralling dance, skit, songs adding to the festive atmosphere virtually. Through the celebration, the children learned that GOD has handed us precious gifts of hope, joy, and love and we must spread them to help the less beholden.

Jingle bells, jingle bells, Jingle all the way Oh, what a fun it is to ride ,In a one horse open sleigh

Prapti J.Deshpande is presenting

#### ROAD SAFETY WEEK

"Safety is not just a slogan, it's a way of life" Road safety week is a national event aimed at raising public awareness about traffic rules and ultimately to reduce road accidents. Soundarya Central School observed this special day with an aim "Sadak Suraksha-Jeevan Raksha" and celebrated Road Safety Week o n 11 th January. An awareness programme through presentation was conducted to sensitize the

students towards the importance of safety while driving and walking on the roads and finally to make them responsible road users.



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#### SANKRANTI

The celebration of the virtual Sankranti festival at SCS reached a crescendo as the students participated with great enthusiasm. Students dressed in vibrant attires added mesmerizing touch to the event. Celebrations bring awareness

and build cultural beliefs in children. The significance of the Sankranti festival was briefed through PPT. Students also presented songs and dances and wished all in a versatile way. Children enjoyed the festive celebrations.

Sankranti is a festival warmth of the bonfire and the sweetness of til laddu



### REPUBLIC DAY

One Nation,
One Vision,
One Sðentity
Jai Hind, Jai
Bharat

The 72nd Republic Day was celebrated in all its solemnity at Soundarya Central School. The event began at 08:15 a.m. with the hoisting of the Indian National flag followed by the National Anthem in the school premises.

Children from grade 1 to 12 witnessed the same virtually.

The celebration echoed with patriotic fervour as the Children from all grades danced to the tunes of patriotism, sang patriotic songs, presented tricolour artwork like paper craft, rangoli, drawing, paintings, recited self-written poems, delivered speeches about the significance of the day. The beautiful ceremony came to an end with great eclat and utmost completeness with the image of the fluttering tricolour in their minds and hearts.



## SIGNIFICANCE OF SPECIAL DAYS

#### NATIONAL DOCTOR'S DAY

On July 1, students of SCS celebrated world doctor's day in order to pay tribute to the frontline corona warriors. The programmes reflected their dedication to doctors, that shows how selfless helpers they are for the society. Different kinds of programmes were held to pay tribute to them, like, fancy dress, skits, Drama etc. The event was well planned and executed, to induce the feeling of altruism in the students. Caring nature without expecting any rewards in return was the main theme of the day.



"Only a doctor can teach how to love life."

#### INTERNATIONAL SOIL DAY

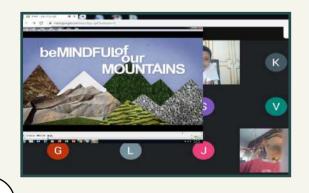
The theme of this year 2020 is "KEEP SOIL ALIVE, PROTECT SOIL BIODIVER-SITY".

Students of Grade 3 celebrated "World soil day" on Dec 5 as a special assembly through poems, PPT, speech on soil conservation, erosion of soil, importance of Earth layers' and how to protect and conserve fertility of the soil. Teacher presented videos on different types of soil. Students enjoyed the day and we all together sung a poem on Soil protection, at the end of the session.

"To be a successful farmer one must first know the nature of soil". -Xenophon

#### WORLD MOUNTAIN DAY

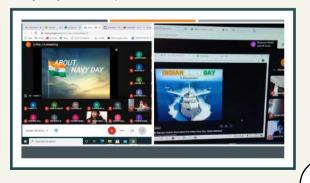
This year at SCS, International Mountain Day was celebrated on 11<sup>th</sup> December 2020 virtually. Students were educated about the importance of mountains in our lives and to our planet.



#### NAVY DAY

"Remembering the achievements of Indian Navy on the 49th Navy Day". SCS celebrated Navy day with a special

assembly saluting all the Navy men for their Bravery, Dedication and Patriotism.



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#### CONSTITUTION DAY

The constitution day on November 26, 2020 in remembrance of the Father of Indian Constitution, Dr.B.R. Ambedkar in all its solemnity was celebrated in SCS virtually. Activities were conducted across all sections to reiterate the great work of revered members of the Constituent Assem-

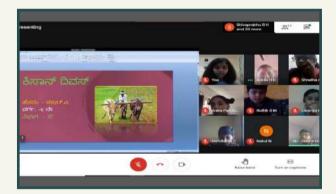
bly. Teachers explained about the need of Constitution, history and people behind constitution, Preamble of constitution through PPT. All reaffirmed their commitment to the Indian Constitution by taking the pledge.

"Constitutional morality is not a natural sentiment. It has to be cultivated"

#### FARMERS DAY

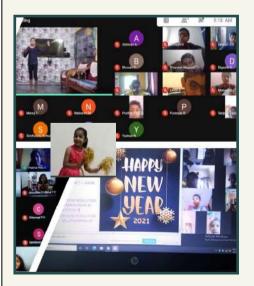
"In Winters chill or Summers heat, A Farmer works so the world can eat"

SCS celebrated National Farmers Day or Kisan Diwas to honour India's Farmer's and mark the birth anniversary of the Nation's fifth Prime Minister Chaudhary Charan Singh.A special assembly was conducted on 23/12/2020 to enlighten the children on the role of farmers and their contribution to the economy.



#### Jai Jawan Jai Kisan!!!!

#### NEW YEAR DAY



Though 2020 was a challenging year for everyone. Education never ceased. We saw a huge evolution in the educational field and knowledge continued to prosper enlightening everyone to a new world of contactless teaching. This New Year is a very special day for all people around the world to celebrate with fervour, spreading the message of prosperity and hope.

Where there is hope, there is faith. Where there is faith, miracles happen. SCS bid a befitting farewell to the year 2020 and welcomed the year 2021 by virtually organizing various fun and entertaining activities treating everyone with fantastic array of performances. The Educators and Students took part and rejoiced in the virtual New Year Celebration. School Principal Wished students for a prosperous year ahead and the program ended with students sharing their new year resolutions.

"Only in the darkness you can see the stars."

#### NATIONAL YOUTH DAY

SCS celebrated National youth day to commemorate the birthday of Swami Vivekananda, maker of modern India, with great joy and enthusiasm. The primary aim of the celebration is to sensitize the students about the philosophies, principles, and ideas of Swami Vivekananda. Students presented the PPT on Swami Vivekananda's life history and were also motivated to be good citizens of India. The inspiring stories of Swami Vivekananda's life was briefed to students that made the session more interesting and captivating.

Take risks in your life, If you win, you can lead! If you lose, you can guide "-Swami Vivekananda



#### MARTYR'S DAY

We at 'Soundarya Central School' celebrated Martyrs' day on 30<sup>th</sup> of January every year. It was celebrated to pay homage to the patriots who fought and sacrificed their lives for the freedom, welfare and progress of India. A special prayer was conducted by the students to spread brotherhood, restore peace among nations.

To pay tribute to our great leaders, students presented a power point presentation. The message of sharing and loving

each other was conveyed through various activities like songs, dance and skit. Students were conveyed with the message of '**Gandhian principles'** of Non-violence, peace harmony sacrifice and humanity. They were encouraged to develop Gandhian values in their lives and become a respectable citizen of India.



"The people who have really made history are the martyrs." — Aleister Crowley

#### WORLD CANCER DAY

In our global fight against cancer, February 4 is observed as World Cancer Day. The objective of the day is to raise awareness about cancer and to encourage its prevention, detection, and treatment. Grade 1 students of Soundarya central school participated in an awareness activity about cancer in their special assembly. Teachers spoke about the Importance of Food habits, diet and nutrition, physical activity and overweight issues. A short documentary of 'junk food causing cancer' by ICS Institute showcased to them. Today, on World Cancer day, students took a pledge that they will join this fight and will take an active role in their own way. Together we can achieve a lot.



#### NATIONAL SCIENCE DAY

National Science day was celebrated by the students of Soundarya Central School on 27th February 2021. This day is celebrated (on the 28th of February) to remember the great invention by the Indian Physicist Chandrashekhara Venkata Raman who discovered 'Raman's Effect'. Students of our school, held a special assembly (online) to mark this occasion. The day began with the Introduction and theme of this year 2020-2021 i.e., "Future of STI

(Science Technology and Innovation), Significance of the Day followed by speeches on Indian Scientists and their Inventions. Students from Std I to V participated in Fancy dress, 2-minute Experiments, and innovative projects such as (Making Robotic Arm). It was indeed a very knowledgeable day in which the main motive was to spread a message about the importance of science used in the daily life.



#### COVID AWARENESS PROGRAMME:

SCS keeps a close eye on the developing situation of a Corona virus (covid 19) and is taking the appropriate safety precautions to educate students and parents every week. commit to be vigilant and beer in mind at all times, the thit to myself and my colleagues. Non COVID-19.
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I promise to table all necessary precadions that prevent the spread of third deality virtue. I promise to follow and encourage others to follow the key COVID Appropriate Behaviour.
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To mean imply and flack cover, respectively when its public places.
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Together we will win this fight against COVID-19.

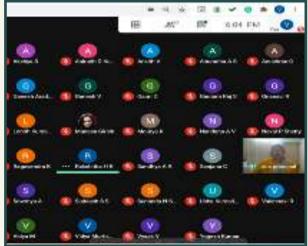


Wash your hands Cover your mouth Keep your distance

#### VIRTUAL PARENT MEET

SCS conducted the Virtual Parent Teacher Meet for grades 1 and 2 on December 5 and for grades 3 -5 on November 10 virtually through google meet. Teachers discussed about students' performance. Parents were extremely happy and appreciated the efforts made by the school in facilitating the virtual connect between teachers, students and parents. Suggestions from parents were considered and the meet went on smoothly. The entire interaction was meaningful as they resolved to work in tandem.

Connecting Home and School makes us a great community of Learners!!!

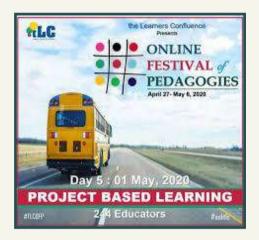


## TEACHERS ENRICHMENT PROGRAMS

#### FESTIVAL OF PEDAGOGIES

Soundarya Central School strives to facilitate holistic development for both students and teachers. Respect, tolerance, creativity and independent learning are a priorities at SCS. Our facilitators grab the best opportunities available for the growth of faculty by updating teachers' knowledge regularly. We

soundaryans were elated to be the part of training session based on Online Festival of pedagogies. The sessions were informative and outstanding. To boost and enlighten us, this training series was an incredible one. Teachers were bestowed with different learning methodologies which were scientifically designed.



#### FUN LEARNING ASSIGNMENTS



How's that? Learning could be fun too? It's possible when students are engaged with funfilled activities planned by the special trained educators. These holidays aren't gone vain as it was an awesome vacation for them. They have discovered science and math's facts by doing activities. Apart from that many other activities related to art and craft, activities to improve communicative skills were held. Weekly worksheets related to the contents were also sent to keep the connectivity of learning. The aim of educating the students under the adverse situations were done in a very skillfully.

"Feaching is the essential profession, the one that makes all other professions possible." -David Kaselkorn.

#### IN-SERVICE TRAINING

To boost up the efficiency and effectiveness of teachers online in-service training programme was organized in April month. Many teachers participated and shared their knowledge and skills in different methods of teaching. Training session included many topics like experiential learning, competency based learning ,Online teaching methods etc..

Department of Computer Science had trained our teachers on "online teaching platforms" like Google Classrooms, Google Meet, and other "online teaching tools" like Padlet, Mentimeter, Jamboard. Classroom Screen etc to make classes more interactive and collaborative.



## SNEAK PEEK- KINESTHETIC AND COGNITIVE LEARNING



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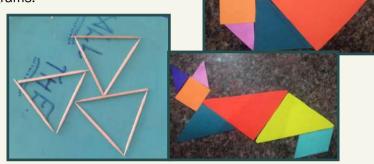
## CLASS ACTIVITIES

#### TANGRAMS

Tangram is a Chinese puzzle made by cutting a square of thin material into five triangles, a square, and a rhombus

which are capable of being recombined in many different figures.

Students of grade 3 made beautiful figures using tangram puzzles. It was a fun learning for them to know about the different patterns using tangrams.





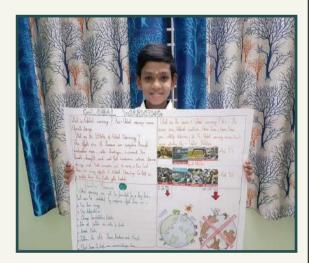
#### TALK SHOW

Our learners are working really hard under the guidance of their teachers to keep up the pace of learning. The teachers as well as the learners are adapting themselves to the new ways of learning. The Subject Enrichment Activities formed an integral part of the teachinglearning. Which is a part of our pedagogy. In Environmental Science, "Talk Show" was held during the second week of December. The topic was "Air and Water".

The unparalleled zeal with which our children participated in the Subject Enrichment Activity is a sight to behold.

In our classrooms we don't do easy. We make easy happen through hard work and learning Global warming is one of the largest threat today. It can be defined as the increase in the average temperature of the worlds atmosphere. Knowing the present scenario, our students highlighted it's causes, effects and ways to prevent it through their art.

#### POSTER MAKING



### PRESS CONFERENCE MEET

SCS has always tried to improve the opportunities for students to engage in school life amid the new circumstances by dedicating time to extra-curricular activities during the pandemic providing middle and high school students with a sense of normalcy and social connection amid uncertainty.

With this aim a google classroom "Press Conference" was created to showcase different skills of the students by conducting the activities like press conference, Quiz Competitions, Pick and speak, Rebuz quiz, Book review for Reading Week and so on. The students of grade sixth to ninth were the participants.

Icing on the cake was the Press Conference Competition for Grade 6 where some students took part as Nobel Peace Awardees and some as Press reporters. It was an awesome experience for students who performed extraordinarily well.

Students were preparing the questionnaire for the competitions in team. All the students performed their bit of role very actively and enthusiastically with great responsibility. Students were trained and guided by the teachers for the rules of the competitions, what books to be read, what to refer etc. Students were interested and very curious to read different books to win. It helped to improve the learning experiences of students, identify and develop their inner talents like creative and public speaking skills, leadership qualities, etc. This offered them an opportunity of thinking unusually and getting the innovative ideas of their own.

Teachers too had a pleasant time by being a part of it with the students.

#### **English Department**





The school conducted CBSE Expression series competition on 17 February with the theme STUDENTS' PERSPECTIVES ON TEACHING AND LEARNING for Grades VI to IX Students

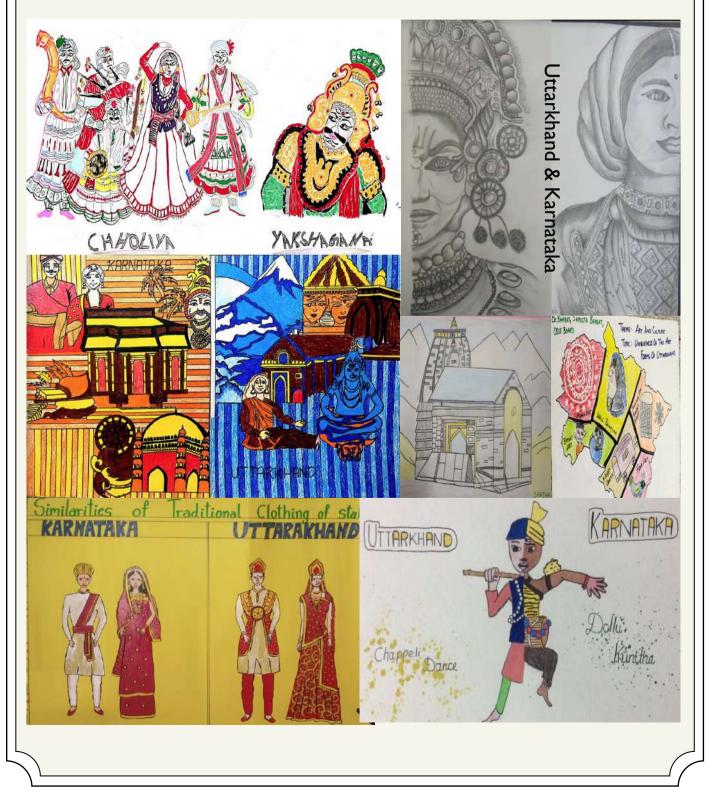
expressed their ideas through different mediums like Painting/ Drawing/ Slogan/ Poetry / Cartoon Strip/ Meme creatively.



## ART INTEGRATION PROJECTS

#### EK BHARAT, SHRESTA BHARAT,

.'Ek Bharat Shrestha Bharat' (EBSB) programme aims to actively enhance interaction between the people of diverse cultures living in different States and UTs in India and promote greater mutual understanding among them. As part of 'Ek Bharat Shrestha Bharat' activities students created beautiful Art Integrated projects.



## INTER SCHOOL COMPETITIONS

### AAROH

Dhanya S from grade VIII C participated in online Music competition "AAROH" organized by DPS Bangalore North and secured second place in western Music category and Mithra venugopalan reached finals and got appreciation from the audience in the classical music category.

#### PRESS CONFERENCE

Amogh Rao from VI A and Abhinav from Grade V participated in Press conference competition organized by DPS Bangalore South and got good experience.



#### RJ-FUNNY BONE" RADIO JOCKEY

Sinchana Satish and Aarav Sharma from grade V took part in "RJ-Funny Bone" Radio Jockey Competition organized by **Whitefield** 

#### Global School in September.



#### STATE LEVEL SPEECH COMPETITION

As part of Kannada Rajyotsava celebrations Rashtrottana Parishath Bangalore organized a Kannada speech competition with the theme "Kannada Nadu and Nudi", Sanjana from grade VIII participated in the event and was awarded with appreciation certificate.



of all achievement, not a hope, not a wish, but a keen pulsating desire which transcends everything."



#### **D E B A T E**

Druva Nag from Grade VIII B and Aneesh Sagar Naidu from VII A participated in debate competition organised by Harvest International school, Bangalore.





"Desire is the starting point

## SCS STARS

Mrs. Sreekala . her facilitator

was highly elated. Karthik R

Kashyap of Grade 9 received

applauds for his literary works.

We are happy to see the up-

coming talents of soundarya,

getting worldwide platform to

showcase their literary works.

#### A NEW VENTURE

Poems of the students are getting published in a worldwide platform, consisting of more than 85,000 readers. We are proud to announce the poems of Bhuvana P of grade 5 . Pulakitha have successfully uploaded her poems in "Motivational strips" an online forum and got appreciation from world wide writers. The readers were amazed to see the young talent of Soundarya Central School.



#### PROUD MOMENT FOR SCS

#### Mrs. Sreekala P Vijayan.-Transformation from writer to author.

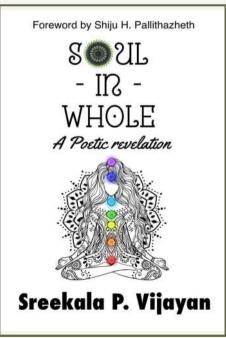
We are proud to bring Mrs.Sreekala P Vijayan into limelight, who has recently become an author of a book named "Soul In Whole". Sreekala P Vijayan is a prolific writer. Her poems resonates every person of its kind. Her ink is a complete blend of all varieties- art, environment. pleasure. love, hope and so on. Her works reveals her inner strength, addressing the narratives of human experiences. Sreekala can be aptly placed amidst the WOW (women of wonderful values) writers. Her poems are apt for intimate reading and relatable to the common human values seen around. They resonate amusement, wisdom, and precision.

This book titled 'Soul in Whole' relays back to readers, the little world that a poet saw. That little world has hope in the forms of love, relations. nature. and interactions. These varied blocks of literary acumen make the poet's little world - a massive global awakening. The content in all poems of this literary treasure is formed by bringing worldly sights together so that it provides the reader - assured amusement, thrills, and a heart soothing ambiance within.

#### Get it here!!!

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Amazon: https:// www.amazon.in/Soul-Whole-Sreekala-P-Vijayan/ dp/9390586046/ref



#### THERMOMETER CRICKET:

Temperature affects the rate of chirping in grasshoppers and crickets. The Snowy tree cricket has been called the "thermometer cricket" because it is possible to calculate the temperature in Fahrenheit by adding 40 to the number of chirps it makes in 15 seconds.

A few insects such as longhorned grasshopper have well -developed hearing organs. On both the front legs, just below the knee there are two slit-like opening through which sound enters the ear. The ears contain air sacs which act like sound boxes. Sensory cells on the air sacs respond to vibrations in the air. In the breeding season Bullfrogs make loud sound to attract female and drive other mates away. The sounds are made by air being passed to and from the mouth the lungs across the vocal cords. Some of the air enters air sacs in the floor of the mouth which inflate like a balloon and act as a sound box to make the sound louder.

-Pushpalatha N A

Science Teacher



### HABITS TO BECOME SUCCESSFUL STUDENTS

why some students perform well in studies while some find it difficult to score good marks even after working hard? The answer lies in the difference of habit between two students. Everyone has the potential and capability to do well, however it's only the habit that a student possesses makes all the difference. No matter how hard you study, it all comes down to your habit that ultimately decides your success in the exams. You habit constitutes 95% of your personal behavior, and you must try to build the following habits to become successful in life and academics:



**Get organized and make plans:** make sure to first make a plan, it will help you to study in a streamlined and organized way.

**Don't multitask while studying:** Keep the things simple and don't try to overdo and focus on one thing at a time either studying, playing with friends, parties or other miscellaneous work





**Divide and study**: try to break the entire syllabus into several parts, and make a study plan, this will not only help you study with full attention but also will keep you engaged in the topics.

Get adequate sleep: sleeping for at-least 7 hours can boost your memory and help you to focus on your studies in a much better way.





Take regular notes: Taking regular notes allows you to revise the topics in a hassle-free way. Start making notes when your teacher is explaining or when you sit to study.

Keep your study space organized: always keep your study room organized and clean. You need a perfect environment to study peacefully.





**Ask questions :** never be afraid of asking questions. If you are having any doubt, don't hesitate to ask questions from your friends, teachers. This will clear your doubts and help you in achieving the desired results.

The key to become an effective student is learning how to study smarter, not harder. This becomes more and more true as you advance in your education. An hour or two of studying a day is usually sufficient to make it through high school with satisfactory grades, So if you want to become a successful student, don't get discouraged, don't give up, just work to develop each of the study habits and you'll see your grades go up, your knowledge increase, and your ability to learn and assimilate information improve.

WE ARE WHAT WE REPEATEDLY DO. EXCELLENCE THEN, IS NOT AN ACT, BUT A HABIT -Seema H S (English Teacher)

## AUTOMOBILE TECH

It is a car which produces a whopping 600hp and 800nm from its mammoth sized engine which is a twin-turbo V8. Now that is a type of car which people need to drive in the hustling streets of urbanized cities like Bangalore. Audi has provided anti roll bars to minimize body roll in the car and has also provided adequate comfort to the passengers, especially its sporty rear differential and suspensions that differs from the regular version of the SUV. It is quicker and there are some minor details added to the RS version to make it look sportier.



With its elegant body on frame its also an Audi which makes it extremely capable of off-roading gives you all that you need in a big bulky piece of metal plus also the luxury that Audi offers in the base version and the big panoramic sunroof which gives a mindboggling view. With the familiar Audi logo finished in matte black colour this is a car with a lot of practicality and near everyday usage. So, this is a perfect performance car for India and its competitors in the same type of segments.

Agastya A-8C

#### THE LAUGHING

There was a little girl named Shyla. She was very poor and lived in very small house in the city named gigabar in the country California. She was sad because her friends were very rich but she wasn't. Her classmates were making fun of her. She did not revert as she was not understanding "why they are unhappy why they are making fun of her and they are also having lots and lots of money and their favorite gifts" she thought. One day she asked one of the students and one of the student said "we have everything but our parents doesn't spend time with us because they just do work all the time.", Shyla decided to make everyone happy and she and thought that " I am sad because I don't have any money or for-



tune or friends but they have everything still satisfied and they don't feel happy at all" also to show others that "we should be happy with what we have". She was waiting for an opportunity the big day arrived. She wanted to make it something special ,so she prepared a poem to inspire people. She was not sure whether they like it or not .She was nervous and scared but at the same time . She was and she made determined herself confident and took a deep breath in. She did it. As everyone know lastly what happens that's correct rest was history. She went to doorstep of her neighbor's and knocked the door and invited everyone for the party. She wasn't so sure that how many will come as they had a busy life. For her surprise everyone came to the party at night. They greeted her a very happy birthday and gave gift packets to her. Shyla ,after cutting the cake asked every one that can she give them a surprise. Shyla was there singing a poem which she had just prepared. Every one were looking at her astoundingly ,her parents were shocked by seeing that their child is so talented. She felt very happy her performance was also stunning. Everyone loved it. Are you all guys excited to hear her poem ,I am excited to hear, Come on. When you have everything Don't be sad or jealous because Its just a thing . Never make fun of others Because everyone are just like Brothers and Sisters The smiling or laughing is Not just а thing It just brings pleasant vibes.

-Sanjana Satish Grade 8

#### POEM ON INDIANS STRUGGLE FOR FREEDOM

I pledged my life for the nation, right when I was born Love to my country made me patriotic and oaths I have sworn. Come what may the situation, I'll fight a raging storm, My birth place ,my country is a comfortable dwell as like home. I idolise our soldiers, with life in every breath. They sacrificed lives and adorned their body with Indian flag and wreath.

The tricolour on their shoulders, fills passion in my blood. With goose bumps on my body, in front of them I stood. To brighten up it's future, I'll toil day and night, I am ready to dedicate myself, and ready to fight Diverse and rich in culture, my India is my pride, Values are held up with patriotism and I chant Jai hind at every stride



-Shreya grade 5

#### CATCHING THE RAIN

Prime Minister Shri Narendra Modi has launched the Jal Shakti Abhiyan: Catch the Rain Campaign on March 22, 2021 on the occasion of International Water Day for conserving water and stressed that every penny of MGNREGA funds be spent on rain water conservation till monsoon arrives.

Prime Minister Modi has said that India's development and self- reliance is dependent on water security and water connectivity. Launching the campaign virtually, he said that it is the responsibility of the present generation of the country to fulfill its responsibilities for the generations to come. He asserted that the government has made water governance a priority in its policies.

The Catch the Rain Campaign will be implemented across the country from March 22 to November 30, 2021. The main aim of the campaign is to take water conservation at the grass root level through people's participation and urge stakeholders to create rainwater harvesting structures suitable for the climate conditions, and subsoil strata, to ensure proper storage of rainwater.

Urging women to take control of Jal Jeevan mission he said "positive results" will be

achieved under their leadership. Just like

#### NEW YEAR

Here came our new year, That will take away all our fear.

Come on it's 2021 let's enjoy, Forgetting 2020 that made us so annoy.

I hope that this new year 2021 bring happiness in our life, And prevent all the strife.

Let's thank god for giving one more year to live, But this year without being miser let us start to give.



sweating in peace time is key for an army to win wars, water conservation during rains is the key to saving lives, Modi says.

The success of campaigns like 'Catch the Rain' is important as widespread installation of these systems is also revitalizing the natural properties of land, helping to improve the quality of groundwater, raising its level, and preventing wells and tube-wells from drying up. Additionally, efficient deployment of rainwater harvesting systems is limiting surface runoff of water, is reducing the soil erosion, and increasing its fertility.

> Nilanjana Dey XII- Commerce



Let us take care that this year nobody will be in deceive,

And let us set a goal and achieve.

Take a proper resolution, And build a way to the new evolution.

Enjoy! Because the life is beautiful, And make your life more meaningful.

Pulakitha K N 6 B

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#### LIFE WITH CORONA

We all lived a normal life Until the end of March Then came a virus taking Everyone to its charge

Although it looked like a crown Everyone gave it a frown It ceased everyone from going to town But in the family everyone was known

First month of lockdown Everyone wore a mask Before going out To their task



Second month of lockdown The cases were increasing The traveling of humans Started decreasing

The lockdown wasn't yet released throughout But everyone started coming out Paying no head to the Government's shout Thinking what's there to worry about

Happy were the students With classes online As they could play games Time to time

No net, slow net Were the excuses every time Which they couldn't give offline Technically students have become more smart PPTs, presentations, competitions what not not... Along with teachers we too rocked Though benches and blackboard we forgot

Happy birthdays weren't happy Increasing deaths were sad The cases again started increasing But the income of our parents started decreasing



Everyone roamed freely Wearing matching fashion mask Not onto their mouth but onto their chin and neck

We are amazing creating trend When whole world is at this bend

But due to this pandemic, The Earth healed itself. Before we humans could make a move And destroy the earth before it could help itself

Even after all this There was a positive side of this year That we spent time with our family Whom we talked to... once in a year

Finally, it ended The new year came Everyone thought 2021 would be better

But everyone was wrong Because covid wasn't gone !

-Shravya. V. Bhat







# ART WING

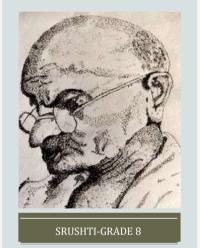


A true artist is not one who is inspired, but one who inspires others. — Salvador Dali

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