

ASN Insight

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From Principal's Desk



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"Reach higher for stars lie hidden in you. Dream deep for every dream precedes the goal"

Rabindranath Tagore.

Confidence, an urge to never give up and an undying belief in ones abilities are the main elements to turn ones dream into realities. We at ASN provide learning environment and opportunities to the students to recognize their aptitudes and inner abilities through a wealth of programs which help them carve a home for themselves in any global grid.

Well planned and with an optimum blend of modern pedagogies, the learners inherit the skill to learn through enquiry and reason, to develop vital personal and social values which transform them into an adaptive, responsive and humane individual. We value igniting the spark of creativity and curiosity in our learners.

I extend my heartiest congratulations to all the achievers who had brought accolades and laurels to school in the field of scholastic and co- scholastic activities.

My greatest appreciation always has been working with my team of dynamic teachers who always are thriving with innovative teaching strategies to make teaching learning an enriching experience that make ASN a "Great Place To Grow".

I strongly believe that parental involvement in a child's education process along with a healthy and regular interaction with the teacher and the taught ensures a healthy and happy learning. This partnership is highly valued at ASN.

I welcome and value your contribution to excellence in education and look forward to working with you and your children towards moulding them into responsible global citizens of tomorrow.

As we welcome the New Year, let's introspect how far we could accomplish our dreams and goals set in this year and determine how best it can be fulfilled in the year ahead.

Wishing you all a Happy New Year. May you all have a wonderful year ahead.

Swarnima Luthra
Principal

Theme based Special Assemblies

THEME- CLEAN INDIA- A NATIONAL PASSION

Class III-D presented a special assembly on the topic 'Clean India- A National Passion' on 21st October, 2019. Cleanliness is considered next to godliness and without doubt, it has become the need of the hour. We all need to spread awareness and ensure that nobody turns a blind eye towards this fruitful cause of making our country clean. The students presented a skit on the same theme wherein they highlighted how the people of a village in Meghalaya have adopted cleanliness as a way of life. Following their footsteps will surely help people in other villages and urban areas to live in a cleaner and healthier surroundings. The students urged everyone present to carry this message far and near and take responsibility of their actions. The assembly came to an end with a mesmerizing dance performance.



Lets make Clean India Our Voice



Remembering the Saviour –Lala Lajpat Rai

The students of Class IV-D presented a special assembly on the topic “Remembering the Saviour- Lala Lajpat Rai”. Lala Lajpat Rai was a prominent leader who played an important role in India’s struggle for freedom. His potent vocalism against the British rule and patriotism was depicted through a skit. It also reminded everyone of the hardships and struggles for the freedom of our country. The assembly culminated with a patriotic song sung by the students to pay a tribute to the fearless warrior, ‘Lala Lajpat Rai’.

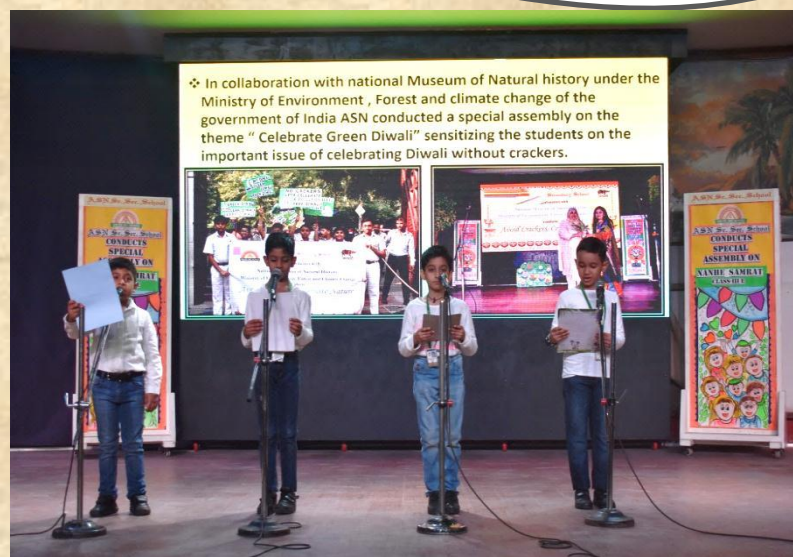


Footprints of a great leader



Theme – “Nanhe Samrat”

The spirited students of class III-E presented a special assembly on the theme “Nanhe -Samrat” on Children’s Day. It commenced with the inspiring thoughts in English and Hindi which delivered the message that every child is a different kind of flower and they together make this world a beautiful garden. Thereafter, a poem titled “Childhood” was beautifully recited by some students. A thought-provoking skit was presented to sensitize one and all present that children should not be educated to be rich but to be happy, so that when they grow up, they will know the value of things and not just the price. The celebration culminated with a brilliant dance performance and a melodious song.



The miracle of children never ceases to be miraculous

SPECIAL ASSEMBLY ON DAUGHTERS OF INDIA

The young and enthusiastic students of Class IV-A conducted a special assembly on the theme, ‘Daughters of India’ on the occasion of Daughters’ Day. The students presented a play titled, ‘Daughters Extraordinaire’ in which they apprised the audience of the famous women achievers along with some unknown faces who stunned the whole world with their indomitable spirit and exemplary work. The daughters of India walked the ramp, sharing their success mantra and inspiring others that nothing is impossible. The assembly culminated with a mesmerizing dance performance which was a tribute to womanhood.



The students of Grade V C presented class assembly on the theme 'Environment Redeemer'. They expounded upon thoughts on environment. Various amazing facts about the environment redeemers of India were presented in a creative manner. The whole class encaptured the attention of the audience through their skit and song performance. The students took pledge to keep the environment clean.



The path to sustainable environment begins with us

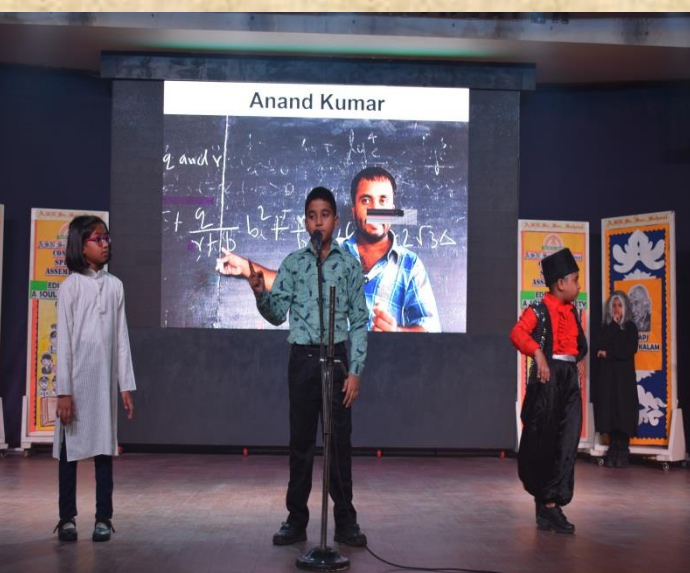
It is said, "Sports do not build character. They reveal it". With the aim to sensitize the students about the importance of sportsmanship and team spirit, Class IV B conducted a special assembly on the theme 'Best in field'(sports). The children presented a Talk show portraying the journey of unsung heroes in the field of sports. Through the talk show the children gave a message that hard work and determination are the essence of life.

Winners make it happen



The Purpose of education is the expansion of knowledge

An assembly on the theme – ‘Education – Soul of a Society’ was presented by class V E. The assembly commenced with enlightening thoughts in English and Hindi. Thereafter, a poem titled ‘Education – The Key to Life’ was beautifully recited by some students which emphasized that education is fundamental for the progress of a nation. This was followed by a skit which had glimpses of some of the finest educators from different eras who left their evergreen marks in the education field and gave the message as to how we can enlighten the lives of others with the help of education. The students also gave a brilliant dance performance and the program came to an end with words of appreciation by the incharge Ms. Madhvi Kedia who applauded the efforts of the students for their mesmerizing performance.



Astronomy explores everything beyond humanity

The curious minds of class V-D presented a special assembly on the theme “Astronomy Trek”. It commenced with the thoughts in English and Hindi which urged the students that determination is the key to success. If one stays focused on a ‘keep going’ attitude, success follows eventually. The skit titled “Astronomy Trek” showcased the work of great Indian astronomers whose observations of the phenomena acted as a catalyst for the growth of astronomy in the subcontinent, one of the greatest legacies passed on by India to the western world. A tribute to Kalpana Chawla, the first Indian Woman Astronomer was paid by the students through a poem which provided an insight into her life.



Special Assembly on the theme 'Be Safe Be Alive' was conducted by the students of Class III C through which they made a sincere effort to sensitise students, teachers and parents about the serious repercussions of violating the road safety rules. They presented a skit which highlighted some safety rules to be followed on road. Incharge Ms. Madhvi encouraged everyone present to be sensible road users to protect their own life and of others.

Be Aware and Beware



ASN Sr. Sec. School, Mayur Vihar – I, observed the 77th anniversary of the 'Quit India Movement' on 9th August 2019. This was the day when the Father of our Nation Mahatma Gandhi gave the famous clarion call of 'Do or Die' to all Indians with the sole aim of making India free from the shackles of the British rule. A special assembly was conducted by the students of Class IV-E to commemorate this historic day when this movement was launched on 8th August 1942 at the Bombay session of the All India Congress Committee. The proceedings began with a short video highlighting the importance of the 'Quit India Movement' which united the Indian people against the British rule. Thereafter, an intriguing play provided glimpses of the Revolt of 1857 and how the failure of the Cripps' Mission led to the demand of complete independence from Britain. This proved to be an enriching experience for the young students as they learnt that our freedom is hard won and we all should protect it at any cost. Parents were overwhelmed to see their children perform splendidly on the stage.

A drive for progressive India



The students of Class III B presented the assembly on the topic 'Humanity : Be a millionaire of kindness'. The whole class participated in the assembly. A PPT was also shown through which the message was given that little deeds of kindness can change one's life. The students presented a skit reflecting the message that when we share acts of kindness, we make our world colourful and worthliving.



A compassionate act is the best form of kindness

Think of giving and sharing not as a duty but as a privilege. With this idea, the students of class III-A presented a special assembly on the theme, 'It's all about giving'. The assembly commenced with motivational thoughts which gave the message that we get real happiness by giving joy to others which was followed by ASN news update. Thereafter, the students recited a poem titled 'Sharing is Caring'. Later, the students presented a thought provoking skit which depicted that each one of us can be somebody's Santa and spread happiness as Santa does. The students also sang beautiful Christmas carols. A short video was played which was an initiative taken up specially by the students in which they gave some of their favourite things to the needy ones which emphasised that giving is not just about making a donation, it's about making a difference. The programme culminated with a scintillating dance performance. Incharge Ms. Madhvi Kedia congratulated the students for putting up a great show.



Activities

Painting Competition

Painting competition was organized for the students of upper primary wing as part of the '**Road Safety Awareness Week**' programme. The students participated enthusiastically and painted real life images which showcased their concern about road safety as every year many innocent people lose their lives in road carnage.



Recitation Competition

Upper Primary Wing conducted a Recitation Competition on 25 November 2019 on the theme - 'Waste Management'. The young, confident students of classes III, IV and V recited message giving poems on the themes like No Littering, Put Waste at The Right Place and Beat Plastic Pollution. The young, budding participants sensitized students about the importance of waste management. They urged everyone present on the occasion to practice waste management in their daily living and do their part each day to create a sustainable future for generations to come through their impressive poems. The judges, incharge of lower primary wing Ms. Renuka and the incharge of nursery wing Ms. Anjali, appreciated the confident performance of the young reciters on the stage and declared the winners from each class at the end of the competition.



Be a part of solution not a part of pollution

RAKHI MAKING COMPETITION

Upper Primary Wing conducted Rakhi Making Competition on 8th August 2019. This competition was organized to make the students understand and experience the beautiful bond of love and warmth between brothers and sisters. The students enthusiastically took part in it. The winners of the competition were awarded with certificates of appreciation.



Tri -Craft

The young ASNites, inundated with patriotic fervor, indulged themselves in Independence Day celebration and 'Creative Craft' activities to celebrate the 73rd Independence Day. The school premises bore a festive look as the tricolor articles prepared by the students adorned the walls of the corridor.



Hindi Diwas Celebration

Like every Year, this year too, the school celebrated 'Hindi Diwas' on 14th September to highlight the importance of Hindi in our lives and as the official language of India. The students sang songs depicting the glory of Hindi language. The students of Class III & IV enacted some of the dohas emphasizing the importance of moral values and ethics in life whereas, Class V presented a street play on 'Save the Environment' highlighting the need for timely action. Principal Ms. Swarnima Luthra congratulated the staff and students for conduction of such enriching activities and motivated the students to use Hindi as much as possible.



Kalpna ke Pankh

The students penned down their thoughts and imagination for Hindi Creative Writing Competition.



AUTHOR INTERACTION AT ASN

ASN Literary Club in association with Scholastic India Pvt. Ltd. organized an interactive session with Ms. Khyrunnisa A., a prize-winning author of children's fiction. She has written two books of short stories- 'The Lizard of Oz and Other Stories' in 2019 and 'Lost in Ooty and Other Stories' in 2010. She read out excerpts from her new book, 'The Lizard of Oz and Other Stories' and told the students how the animal characters were different from their characteristics. At the end, the young, avid readers asked her questions about her journey as an author and what all does it take to be an author. Principal Ms. Swarnima Luthra presented a memento to Ms.Khyrunnisa as a token of appreciation and gratitude. She motivated the budding writers to read extensively and keep penning their thoughts.



A combination of knowledge and skills is the key to learning

SKYPE SESSION

The students of Upper Primary Wing of ASN Sr. Sec. School had an interactive and informative skype session with Ms. Jyoti Lamba, an MIEE on 6th November 2019. The topics covered were 'Pollution' and 'Say No to Plastic'. The students participated in the session with zeal and they promised to follow the rules to save our environment. They were suggested to visit atleast five families and aware them about ways to deal with milk polythene, using cloth for packing their lunch, not to use straws, plastic bottles, cups, plates etc. to avoid the wastage and the harmful effects of using polythene.



Progress is possible only if we change



National Integration Day

National Integration Day was celebrated in upper primary wing on 31st October 2019. Slogan writing and poster making activities were conducted on the theme 'Unity in Diversity'. Attractive posters along with catchy slogans were prepared by the children. The students were sensitized about 'We all are one' and our country is a Secular state where all religions get equal respect.

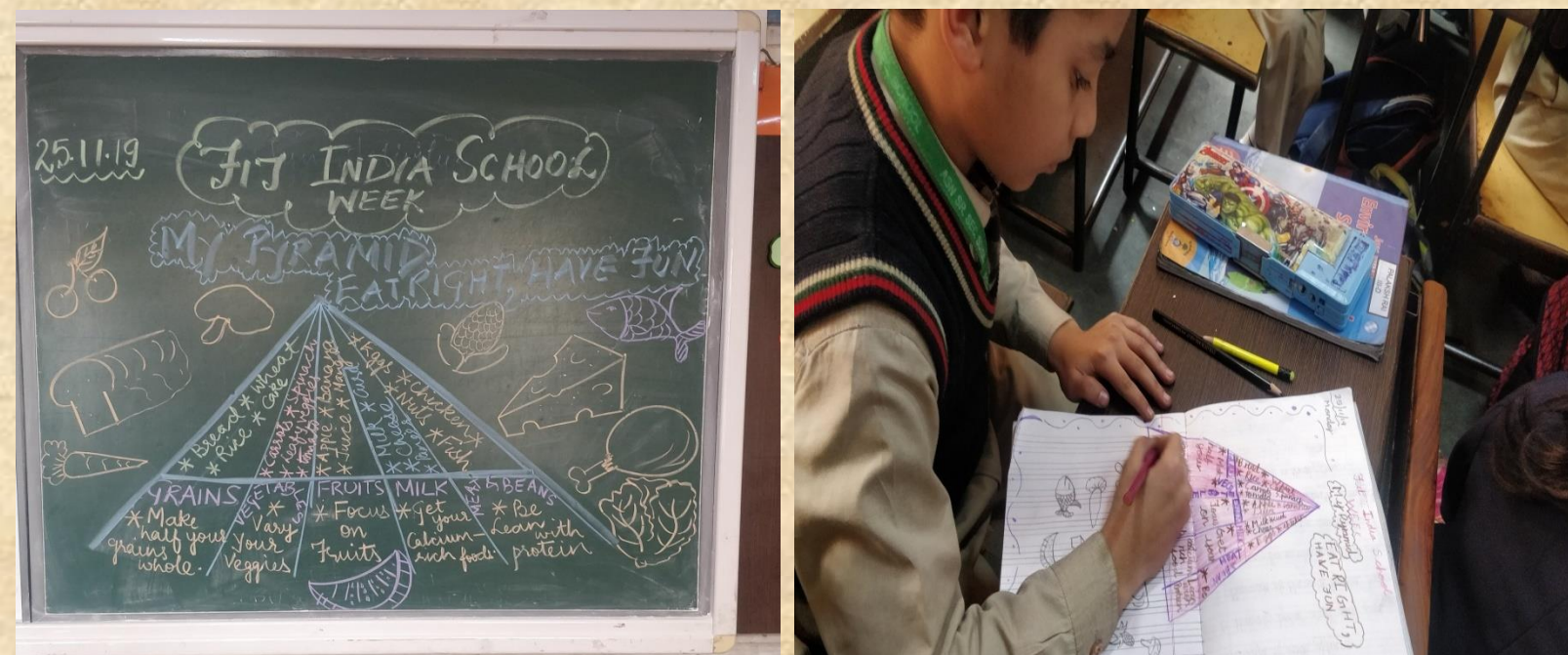
Integrity is the basis of national spirit



FIT INDIA WEEK

A discussion was held on the topic, 'Nutritious Food for Good Health' followed by an activity in which the students highlighted some important ways of keeping fit and healthy.

Fit Today Fit Tomorrow



7th ASN YAMUNA WEALTH INTERSCHOOL COMPETITION – **‘Gandhi Ek Soch’**

Book Cover Designing



Tech expressions



Pictorial Slogan



Story Writing

Celebrating the Himalayas

Whizkid, a PPT making competition was held in the Upper Primary Wing on 3rd October 2019 in which the students of Class V prepared appealing and informative PowerPoint presentation on the theme '**Celebrating the Himalayas**'.



Young Techs at work



*Exhibition 2019
(world Heritage Sites of India, Great Leaders and UNSDGs)*



Science Symposium

The students of Class V participated Science Symposium on the topic 'Biodiversity' in the School Conference Hall. The students carried out an extensive research work on the given topic and the presentation was appreciated by all present.



Creativity blossoms with purposeful learning

Q-Fiesta

An inter-house Quiz Contest "Q-Fiesta"- the game of intellect, mind and fun was held in the school premises. There were 36 participants in total participating in three different rounds- Language round, Quantitative round and Qualitative round. The performance of all the teams was praiseworthy.

