

# BEYOND CLASSROOM

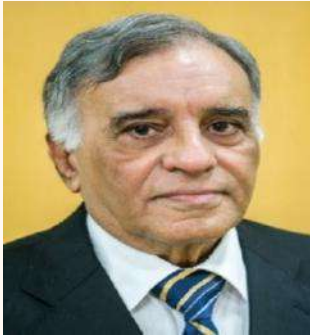


## THE BGES SCHOOL (ICSE)

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## **MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNING BODY**



"Empowering Minds: Education Unlocks Potential" - Education equips individuals with the knowledge and skills needed to realize their full potential and achieve their goals. Education is indeed a powerful tool that can have a profound impact on individuals and society as a whole.

We strongly believe that achieving academic excellence often begins with cultivating a strong and effective thought process. This involves developing critical thinking skills, curiosity, and the ability to approach challenges with an open mind.

The BGES School (ICSE) has made its mark as an academic institute of excellence and fun filled co-curricular activities. Co-curricular activities are an integral part of a well-rounded education and provide valuable opportunities for personal growth, skill development, and enjoyment outside of the traditional academic setting.

**Shri Rajnikant Dani**

**(President)**

"Building Tomorrow's Leaders Today" - Schools play a crucial role in nurturing and developing the future leaders, innovators, and change-makers of society.

At The BGES School (ICSE), we believe that education is not just about acquiring knowledge; it's about fostering a spirit of curiosity, critical thinking, and collaboration. Our institution is a vibrant hub of ideas, diversity, and creativity, where each of you brings something unique to the tapestry of learning.

Academic excellence requires a high level of commitment. This commitment involves dedicating time and effort to your studies, consistently engaging with the material, and striving for continuous improvement. Our institution set goals and maintain a strong work ethic for students even when faced with challenges or setbacks.



**Shri . Miraj D. Shah**

**(Senior Vice President)**





"Education Knows No Boundaries" - Regardless of age, gender, or background, education is a universal right that should be accessible to all.

At our institution, our dedicated team of educators and staff is committed to providing you with an enriching and inspiring educational experience. We have exciting events, workshops, and initiatives planned to help you uncover your passions and reach new heights.

Remember, each day is a chance to learn, grow, and make a positive impact. Together, let's create a dynamic and inclusive community where everyone has the opportunity to shine.

I am looking forward to seeing your achievements and contributions throughout the year. If you ever need guidance, support, or simply someone to talk to, know that my office is always open.

**Shri Pradip Sheth**

**(Hon Secretary)**

## **MESSAGE FROM THE PRINCIPAL**



"Educate a Mind, Transform a Life" - Education has the potential to transform lives by opening doors to opportunities that would otherwise remain closed.

The magazine reminds of the remarkable resilience and adaptability demonstrated by our students and educators. In the face of unprecedented challenges, you have shown the true spirit of unity and strength. Your commitment to learning, your creativity, and your unwavering enthusiasm have been truly inspiring.

This magazine captures the diverse range of talents, interests, and accomplishments of our students. From academic achievements to artistic endeavors, from athletic triumphs to community service initiatives, each page reflects the unique contributions that make our school a vibrant and dynamic place of learning.

I would like to extend my heartfelt gratitude to our dedicated teachers and support staff who work tirelessly to provide a nurturing environment for our students to thrive. Your passion for education and your tireless efforts to ignite the spark of curiosity within our students are truly commendable. To our students, I encourage you to continue embracing every opportunity that comes your way. Your journey in this school extends beyond the classroom, and I hope you will make the most of every moment to learn, grow, and contribute positively to your surroundings. Parents and guardians, your partnership with us in nurturing these young minds is invaluable. Your unwavering support, encouragement, and

involvement contribute significantly to the holistic development of our students.[As we turn the pages of this magazine, let it serve as a reminder of what can be achieved when we work together with a shared vision of excellence. Let it inspire us to continue striving for greatness and to believe in the boundless potential that resides within each of us. I extend my best wishes to all our students as you embrace the future with confidence and courage. May your journey be filled with knowledge, wisdom, and compassion.

For this excellent edition I would like to place on record my appreciation and thank you to Mrs. Sumouli Gangopadhyay and the complete editorial team. Keep it up.

**Brij Bhushan Singh**

**(Principal)**

## **MESSAGE FROM THE DEPUTY HEADMISTRESS**

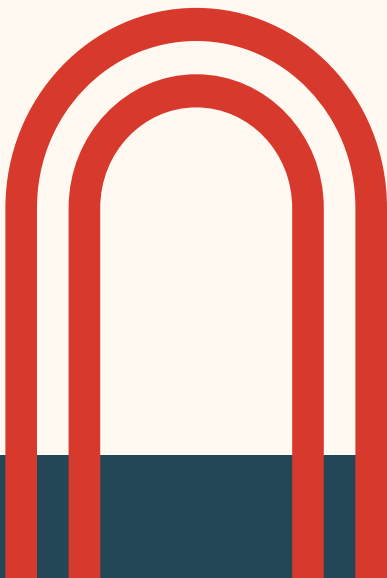


"Educational Excellence: Shaping a Better Society" - Striving for excellence in education contributes to the development of a well-informed and progressive society. Knowledge is one of the most things that will keep one at par with the ever growing world.

It is something that helps you reach the high Benchmarks to your career. The best use of knowledge one acquires is to pass it on and help the people around you when one doesn't put the knowledge to good use, then the knowledge is of complete waste. The knowledge to acquire must be put to good use.

**Mrs. Clara Gomes**

**(Deputy Headmistress)**



## THE EDITORIAL TEAM

Today we all live in a digital world where things are not far enough but just a click away. In the middle of such time as soon as we got the opportunity to lead the 'Beyond The Classroom' as the editorial team, we have not regretted a second of it. This work was not just editing but also increasing our knowledge about the school community and spread the thoughts of the students in various backgrounds. This issue is just not a book but a collection of the various ideas, creativity and the thoughts of the students of the school. This issue reflects the achievements as well as the talents of students in different activities for their bright future. We also thank and appreciate all the students who promoted their valuable time in reading and contributing to this issue. Also we would like to express special thanks to Mrs. Sumouli Gangopadhyay for guiding us while bringing forth this issue. We all hope you all will enjoy reading this magazine as much as we have enjoyed putting everything together and it's a promise that you will not regret spending your time in reading this magazine. Happy Reading!



FALAK SHAH 9A



SIDDHI SHAW 9B

## **LIFE IN AN AQUARIUM**

Swimming all around,  
With the little fins and tails.  
Seeing colourful corals and big magenta fishes,  
But Alas! All these are my grandmother's tales.

From living inside tiny loops,  
To discovering the deepness of such vast drops.  
How beautiful it would have been,  
To see the colourful fishes acting as smoothing eyedrops.

Just for once, I wish I could discover,  
Those drops of peace in a vast ocean.  
Where my mother and grandmother dwelled,  
Where I could feel my own existence.  
A life better than an aquarium.

These are nothing but imaginations,  
For a fish locked behind four walls of glass.  
The experience of moving independently,  
The experience of moving with huge mass.

But now it is a grief,  
To spend life in this artificial home.  
To be someone's pet, someone's toy,  
To have same things always in front and roam.

**Sakshi Kumari 10A 2983**

## **NATURE: A GREAT TEACHER**

Nature is like our mother. It is essential for us because it provides all the basic needs of life. Nature is a great teacher.



We can learn many lessons from her. The flower blooms only for a day, yet it keeps smiling till the end. This is a lesson for us. We should live our lives to the fullest, how short it may be. Water is soft, still it flows over hard rocks, the rocks give in. In the same way our problems may be difficult but if we persist, they too give in. Tiny ants organise themselves and carry away heavy insects. They teach us that we can do impossible tasks through teamwork. Similarly, the bare tree in winter comes back to its green magnificence once again in spring. We can learn from it that, problematic spells will never remain forever. Thus, Nature is the greatest gift of God to mankind. Every, object of Nature teaches us something about life.

**Nishant Himthani**

**7B**



## HONESTY IS THE BEST POLICY

Honesty, truly is the best policy. Honesty is the foundation of any well-working relationship. Whether it is with parents, friends, or anyone else, honesty is important. People who are honest lead a stress-free life and do not live in two different worlds. No relationship is successful without trust. Through honesty I have **secured** strong relationships with my friends and family and **have** become a better **and a matured** person. I want to conclude that to lead a successful life always be honest, as honesty is the best policy.



**Siddhi Shaw 9B**

## SPIRIT OF PATRIOTISM

Patriotism is defined as the love towards our country. The people who love their native land are called patriots. They are completely determined to serve and save their motherland. Patriots always love and respect their country as



they love their motherland, who gives them shelter. They cannot tolerate the interference of the other countries into their own national affairs. Patriots always pile the principle that there is nothing greater and more important than their own land. As we respect our mother, we should respect our country too. Those people who do not have patriotic feelings never show interest in the progress of their country.

Patriots are always ready to sacrifice themselves for their country. They devote their lives in serving, loving, respecting and saving their own motherland. A true patriot is respected even after his/her death. There is a famous saying “Live for nation, die for nation.” We must give up our selfish motives and form a strong feeling of patriotism.

Sakshi Purbey

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## FLASH FLOOD: THE DEVELOPMENTAL TRAGEDY



Flash floods occur within a very short span of excessive rainfall or rapidly rising water which can roll boulders, tear out trees, destroy buildings and bridges.

These days, we face the same situation in many places like the Himalayan states and

the Western Ghats in Maharashtra and Kerala. Flash floods have an impact and a huge effect not only on the people, but also on our environment.

In India, flash floods are often caused by cloudbursts, the intense rainfall for a short period of time which are accompanied by landslides, a sudden movement of rocks, boulders, debris down a slope. It is common in the mountainous terrains, it causes trigger landslides include heavy rainfall, earthquakes, snow melting and so on. Landslides are often caused by human activities, such as deforestation, excessive infrastructure development and overgrazing by cattle.

Flash floods occur without any warning and many of them ensue at night while people are sleeping adding to the risk. The people can be seriously injured or killed by these natural disasters. It can cause structural damage to the bridges and roadways. Flood water can contaminate ground water, making tap water unfit for consumption.

We may introduce a better flood warning device so it can give people more time to prepare and take action during the flash floods. It can also save more lives by releasing an early warning. One can construct a building or a house which is metres above the ground to prevent flood damage. Latest

technology should be applied where the flood can be determined before it actually happens and precaution can be taken immediately. 'Prevention is better than cure', it not only saves our lives but also our reserves .

## **Shree Hari Warrior**

### **8A**

A flower on a far hilltop, oh so serene,  
Waiting for the world to see its sheen,  
Its petals soft as silk, its colors bright,  
A sight to behold in pure delight.

It sways gently in the breeze, it doth entwine  
The sunshine and the dew, so fine and divine,  
In this secluded spot, it doth reside,  
Until some soul, with heart full of pride,  
Doth come to claim it, love it true,  
And pluck it from its hilltop anew.

For though it stands alone, apart,  
This flower on high, it hath a heart,  
That yearns for love, that longs to be,  
Adored and cherished, wild and free.  
So let it wait no more, my friend,  
Come forth and take this beauty's hand,  
Together we shall make it bloom,





On this far hilltop, all our own.

**Dev Mukherjee Mehta 10B**

## **TREE**

Tree, Oh! Tree,  
I need you here, with me  
You give me oxygen,  
You give me shelter,  
But what do I give you in  
return?

You inspire me to help  
others  
Like you help when one is  
in need,  
What will I be without  
you,  
Tree, Oh! Tree,  
I need you here, with me.

**Aaradhaya Kum 7A**



### ચંદ્રયાન ૩ (ઇસરો)

ભારતનું ઇસરો દ્વારા સંચાલિત ચંદ્રયાન કાર્યક્રમ અંતર્ગત ચંદ્રમા પર સંશોધનના અભિયાનનું ત્રીજું પગલું છે. ચંદ્રયાન-૨ની જેમ જ આ અભિયાનમાં પણ *વિક્રમ* નામનું ઉતરાણ એકમ અને *પ્રજ્ઞાન* નામનું રોવર સામેલ છે. તેનું સ્થાનાંતર એકમ (propulsion module) પરિભ્રમણીક એકમની ભૂમિકા ભજવશે. ચંદ્રયાન-૨ને ચંદ્રમા પર ઉતરવાની છેલ્લી ક્ષણોમાં માર્ગદર્શક સોફ્ટવેરમાં આવેલી ક્ષતિને કારણે ચંદ્રયાન-૨નું ઉતરાણ એકમ તુટી પડ્યા બાદ એવાં જ બીજા અભિયાનની પ્રસ્તાવના મૂકવામાં આવી.

ચંદ્રયાન-૩ને ૧૪ જુલાઈના રોજ ભારતીય પ્રમાણિત સમય પ્રમાણે બપોરે ૦૨:૩૫ પ્રક્ષિપ્ત કરવામાં આવ્યું. ઉતરાણ એકમ ચંદ્રના દક્ષિણ ધ્રુવ નજીકના પ્રદેશ પર ૨૩ ઓગસ્ટ ૨૦૨૩ના રોજ સાંજના ૬:૦૪ વાગે ઉતર્યું. રોવરનું પાવર્ડ ઉતરાણ ૨૩ ઓગસ્ટ ૨૦૨૩ના રોજ સાંજે ૦૫:૪૪ વાગે શરુ થયું અને રોવરનો ચંદ્રતલ (ચંદ્રની સપાટી)ને સ્પર્શ ૦૬:૦૪ વાગે થયો.

ઘણાં ભાગો સૂર્ય પ્રકાશ વિના સંપૂર્ણપણે અંધારા વાળા પ્રદેશમાં આવેલા છે. ,અને તાપમાન ૨૩૦ ડિગ્રી સેલ્સિયસથી નીચે જઈ શકે છે. આનાથી સાધનો ચલાવવામાં મુશ્કેલી થાય છે. આ ઉપરાંત તમામ જગ્યાએ મોટા ખાડાઓ છે. પરિણામે

ચંદ્રમાં ધ્રુવીય પ્રદેશો અન્વેષિત રહ્યા છે. અત્યંત ઠંડા તાપમાનનો અર્થ એ થઈ શકે છે કે આ પ્રદેશમાં ફસાયેલી કોઈ પણ વસ્તુ વધુ ફેરફાર કર્યા વિનાં સમયસર સ્થિર રહેશે. તેથી ચંદ્રના ઉત્તર અને દક્ષિણ ધ્રુવોના ખડકો અને માટી સૌરમંડળને સંકેતો આપી શકે છે . ઘણી મુશ્કેલીઓ વચ્ચે આજે ૨૩ ઓગસ્ટ ૨૦૨૩ના રોજ સાંજે ૦૬:૦૪ કલાકે ચંદ્રયાન ૩ સફળતાપૂર્વક ચંદ્ર પર ઉતર્યું.



અદિતિ શેઠ

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## ઘર

મારે એવું એક ઘર હોય! કે  
જ્યાં આશાના તોરણો સ્થિત હોય,  
ને શ્રદ્ધાનું કોડિયુ દીવિત હોય!!  
જ્યાં વિશ્વાસના પાયા ને ભીંત હોય,  
તે રૂવામાં ગુંજતું મધુર ગીત હોય!!  
જ્યાં દરેકના ચહેરાં પર સ્મિત હોય,  
ને પરસ્પર સૌને ખૂબ પ્રીત હોય!!  
જ્યાં ધર્મથી પ્રેરિત દરકે રીત હોય,  
ને વ્યવહારમાં સૌનું ચીત્ત હોય!!  
એવું એક ઘર મારું વિશ્વ હોય!!  
ને એવું એક વિશ્વ મારું ઘર હોય!!  
આરાધ્યા સાકરીયા દ્વએ



## ચન્દ્રયાન

ચન્દ્રયાન નું ગીત લઈને  
યાંદ તિરંગો રંગ બે રંગા  
નવી એક ઓળખ લઈને  
મારા ભારત ના વૈજ્ઞાનિક  
તમે ભવિષ્ય છો ભારત ના  
ઊંચા માથા લઈને ઊભા  
સાચા એક અભિમાન માટે.





## રક્ષાબંધન

હાથ માં બાંધ્યો રાખડી નો દોરો,  
બહેને લીધો ભાઈ થી વાદો,  
હર સમય માં સાથ નિભાવજે,  
મુસીબત ના સમયે ક્યારેય ભૂલી ન જજે

પ્રત્યક્ષા શાહ ટબી

## શું ઘરકાર્ય જરૂરી છે ભણવા માટે

ઘરકાર્ય એક એવું કાર્ય છે જે વિદ્યાર્થી ને ઘરે કરવા માટે દેવામાં આવે છે. જે વિષય શાળા માં પહેલા થી ભણાવવામાં આવે છે તે જ કાર્ય ઘર માં કરવાનું હોય તે ઘરકાર્ય કહેવાય. તે વિષયના સંબોધિત પ્રશ્નો ઉત્તર કે તે અધ્યાય નું વાંચન કરવા થી વિદ્યાર્થી ને તેનું વધારે જ્ઞાન મળે છે. ઘરકાર્ય કરવું ઘણું મહત્વપૂર્ણ છે. ઘર કાર્ય કરવાથી વિદ્યાર્થી નાં વાંચન અને લખવામાં ઘણો જ સુધારો થાય છે. જે વિદ્યાર્થી ઘર માં અભ્યાસ નથી કરતાં તે લોકો ને કક્ષા માં જે ભણાવવામાં આવે તે ભૂલી શકે છે. આમ તો વિદ્યાર્થીઓ ને વધારે ઘરકાર્ય દેવાનું જરૂરી નથી, કેમકે વધારે ઘરકાર્ય દેવાથી નાના વિદ્યાર્થીઓ પર ભાર પડે છે અને તે લોકો ને ભણવા પરથી રુચિ ઓછી થઈ જાય છે, પણ જો તે વ્યાજબી રીતે દેવા માં આવે તો તે વિદ્યાર્થી ને સારી રીતે શીખવામાં અને સારું પ્રદર્શન કરવામાં સહયોગી બને છે. ઘણી વાર વધારે ઘરકાર્ય મળવાથી વિદ્યાર્થી એમાંથી કંઈ પણ શીખતા નથી પણ શિક્ષક ના ડર થી પૂરું કરતાં હોય છે. જેના પરિણામ સ્વરૂપ તે હમેશા કક્ષા માં નબળો રહે છે એટલે વિદ્યાર્થીઓ ને



હમેશા સમજવું જોઈએ કે ઘરકાર્ય ફક્ત કરવા માટે નથી પણ સમજી ને તેમાં રુચિ લઈને કરવું જોઈએ જેથી તેમને એનો લાભ મળે.

વિદ્યાર્થીઓ ને સમજવું જરૂરી છે કે ઘરકાર્ય બહુજ મહત્વપૂર્ણ છે. અને તેના ઘણાં ફાયદા છે, તે લોકો ને પરીક્ષામાં સફળ થવું હોય તો ઘરકાર્ય એમાં મદદરૂપ બને છે. અને આપણે પહેલેથી બધા અધ્યાય નું વાંચન કરી લઈએ તો આપણે હમેશાં પરીક્ષા માટે તૈયાર રહીએ. માટે ઘરકાર્ય બહુ જ જરૂરી છે ભણવા માટે .

### કાવ્ય ઠક્કર ૪ એ

#### રીસેસ

કેવો સુંદર શબ્દ...

શાળામાં હતાં ત્યારે ....

સાંભળતા જ મન ખુશીથી ભરાઈ જતું,

અમુક સમયની મર્યાદિત રીસેસમાં

કેટલું એ જીવી લેતાં.....

ભણતરના ભારમાં હળવા થવાની એ રીસેસ,

કાશ જિંદગીની પણ આવી એક રીસેસ હોત.

બધી જવાબદારી માંથી આઝાદ થઈ

ને પોતાની ખુશીઓ માટે,

પોતાની જાત માટે જીવવાની,

પણ એક રીસેસ હોત...

#### જિયલ બોદાર ૨ બી

બધી ઝગમગાટ સોનાની નથી.

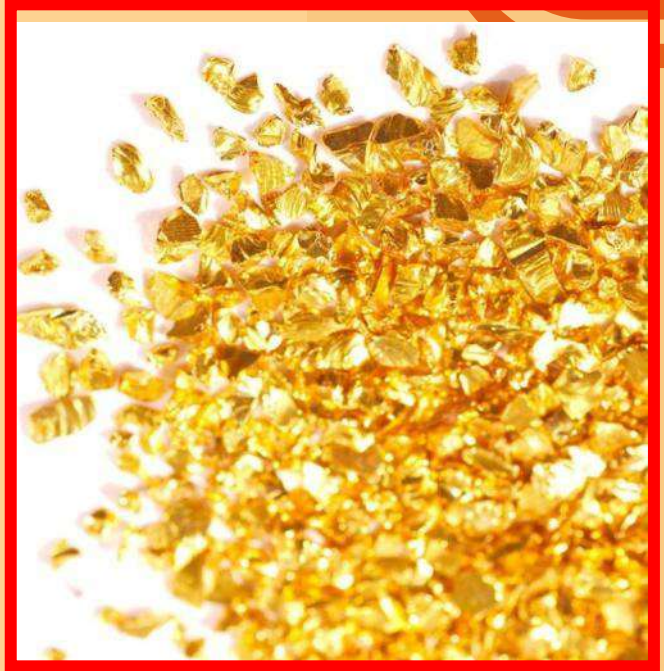


કહેવત 'બધું જે ચમકતું હોય તે સોનું નથી' એ એક વિધાન છે જે વ્યાખ્યાયિત કરે છે કે તમામ શારીરિક દેખાવ આનંદદાયક નથી પણ ગેરમાર્ગે દોરી શકે છે. તત્વ સોનું એ એક કિંમતી રસાયણ છે જે ચમક બહાર કાઢે છે. જો કે, ચમકદાર પાત્ર અન્ય પદાર્થો માટે પણ ધરાવે છે. તેથી, કહેવત વાક્યનો અર્થ એ છે કે બધી ચળકતી વસ્તુઓ મૂલ્યવાન નથી, અને કંઈક સુપરફિસિયલ આકર્ષક હોઈ શકે છે.

આજની દુનિયામાં, સૌંદર્ય બાહ્ય દેખાવના પરિમાણોને વ્યક્ત કરે છે જેમ કે ચહેરાના લક્ષણો, શરીરની તંદુરસ્તી, સૌંદર્ય ઉત્પાદનો અને ચમકદાર કપડાં. આ એવા ચિહ્નો છે જે સંવાદિતાને વ્યાખ્યાયિત કરે છે અને લોકોને આકર્ષિત કરે છે. જો કે, બાહ્ય સુંદર બનવાની રમત આંતરિક સુંદરતાના અસ્તિત્વને ભૂલી જાય છે.

કોઈ વસ્તુ કે વ્યક્તિનું વાસ્તવિક મૂલ્ય બાહ્ય દેખાવમાં રહેતું નથી. સુઘડ પોશાક પહેરેલી વ્યક્તિ હમેશા દિલથી સુંદર હોતી નથી પણ ક્યારેક ખોટી પણ હોઈ શકે છે. જો કે, ખરાબ પોશાક પહેરેલ વ્યક્તિનો દેખાવ કદરૂપો હોઈ શકે છે પરંતુ

તેના હૃદયમાં વાસ્તવિક સારા ગુણો હોઈ શકે છે. દાખલા તરીકે, ખરીદી કરતી વખતે, કહેવત વાક્ય અમને એવી વસ્તુઓ પસંદ કરવાનું યાદ અપાવે છે જે સૌથી વધુ મૂલ્ય ઉમેરે છે. મિત્રોની પસંદગી કરતી વખતે, કેટલાક લોકો એવા ન પણ હોય જેમ કે અમે તેમને માનતા હતા. તકોનો ઉપયોગ કરતી વખતે, સ્વપ્નની નોકરીઓ મુશ્કેલ અને તણાવપૂર્ણ હોઈ શકે છે. સપનાનો પીછો કરતી વખતે, તેઓ વાસ્તવિકતાથી અલગ હોઈ શકે છે. આમ, આકર્ષક દેખાવ ખોટા તરફ દોરી શકે છે.



**મહેક શિંગાડીયા**

**૭ બી**



## मुस्कराहट की कीमत

आजकल जिसे देखो किसी न किसी बात का रोना लिए फिरता है। दुनिया अपने दुख को छिपाकर एक नकली मुस्कान चेहरे पर बनाए रखती है। पर मेरा मानना है मुस्कान से ज्यादा ज़रूरी है वह मुस्कान जो दिल से निकली हो। जीवन में मुसीबतें आती रहती हैं, हमें संघर्ष से सामना करना पड़ सकता है, हमें निराशा का भी सामना करना पड़ सकता है, पर इन सब परिस्थितियों का सामना अगर हम चेहरे पर एक मुस्कान लिए हुए करें तो आधी जंग हम वैसे ही लड़ लेते हैं। मुस्कराहट ऐसा हथियार है, जो परायों को भी अपना बना लेती है। दूसरों की जिंदगी में अगर आप उजाला लाना चाहते हो तो उनके चेहरे पर मुस्कराहट की वजह बनो।

मुस्कराहट एक अमूल्य उपहार है जो न केवल आपके जीवन में सकारात्मक ऊर्जा भरता है बल्कि दूसरों को भी जीवन में आगे बढ़ने की प्रेरणा देता है। किसी ने खूब लिखा है-

किसी की मुस्कराहटों पे हो निसार,  
किसी का दर्द मिल सके तो ले उधार ,  
किसी के वास्ते हो तेरे दिल में प्यार  
जीना इसी का नाम है ।



- अंबिका सिंह ८ बी

## शिक्षा का महत्व

शिक्षा हम सभी के जीवन में आगे बढ़ने तथा सफलता पाने के लिए बहुत आवश्यक है। शिक्षा के बिना हम जीवन में सफल नहीं हो सकते। शिक्षा एक ऐसा हथियार है, जो संसार को बदल सकता है। शिक्षित होने से हम सामाजिक तथा मानसिक रूप से

जागरूक होते हैं। शिक्षा हमारे अंदर आत्मविश्वास बढ़ाती है, और हमें अच्छे-बुरे, सही-गलत का ज्ञान कराती है। शिक्षा के द्वारा बेरोजगारी को समाप्त किया जा सकता है। शिक्षा के द्वारा ही हम देश के एक बेहतर नागरिक बन सकते हैं। देश का विकास एवं समृद्धि शिक्षा के द्वारा ही संभव है।

शिक्षा के द्वारा समाज में फैली सभी बुराइयों को दूर किया जा सकता है। शिक्षा एक ऐसी पूँजी है जिसका उपयोग हम दुनिया के किसी भी क्षेत्र में कर सकते हैं। शिक्षा के बिना मानव जीवन पूर्ण रूप से अधूरा है।

शिक्षा प्रत्येक व्यक्ति का एक मौलिक अधिकार है, इसलिए हर किसी के जीवन के हर महत्वपूर्ण पहलू को समझने के लिए शिक्षा प्राप्त करनी चाहिए। सरकार हर वर्ग के लोगों में शिक्षा को बढ़ाने के लिए कई प्रयोग कर रही है, ताकि हर कोई ज्ञान प्राप्त कर सके और जीवन में सफल हो सके। शिक्षा आशा की रोशनी है जो एक व्यक्ति के जीवन को खुशियों से भर देती है।



रिद्धि धादुक ८ बी

**बहन**

बहन एक एहसास है,

जिसके पास है, वह खास है।

वह परिवार की मजबूत कड़ी है , मेरी बहन मुझसे बड़ी है।

दिखने में वह परी है , स्वभाव से भोली है। प्यार में माँ के साथ खड़ी है,

मेरी बहन मुझसे बड़ी है।  
वह मेरे लिए लड़ी है,  
मेरी गलती के लिए डांट उसे पड़ी है।  
मेरी सभी समस्याओं का हल लिए खड़ी है,  
मेरी बहन मुझसे बड़ी है।  
वह घर की शान है,  
सब की आन और मेरी पहचान  
है ,  
न जाने क्यों अब वह बस मेहमान  
है ,  
बस इस बात से मेरा मन परेशान  
है



-सोनाक्षी झा १ A

## किताब

किताब हमारे पास  
है रहती।

सही गलत का ज्ञान  
यह देती ।

किताबों में है ईश्वर  
का वास।

हम बच्चों का यह उपहार है खास। पुस्तकों का सम्मान जो करते।

अपने जीवन से अंधकार वे दूर करते।

किताब पढ़ने से मिलता है -ज्ञान।

इसे पढ़ने से बढ़ता है-सम्मान।

इसके ज्ञान से दूर होता है-अज्ञान।

इसके पढ़ने से मिलता है-मान।

किताबों की कहानियाँ ।

पढ़ अपना मनोरंजन हैं करते।

अपनी भाषाओं में शब्दों की मिठास हैं भरते ।



-विनायक दास ४ अ



## এসি আমাদের দৈনন্দিন জীবনের জন্য প্রয়োজনীয় যা ভালো নয়

এসি নিয়ে সবসময় খারাপ কথাই তো শুনছেন। তবে এসি বাড়তি বা অফসি থাকে। এই এসি অনেক ভালো দিকও রয়েছে। সেগুলি সম্পর্কে খুব কম মানুষই জানেন হয়তো।

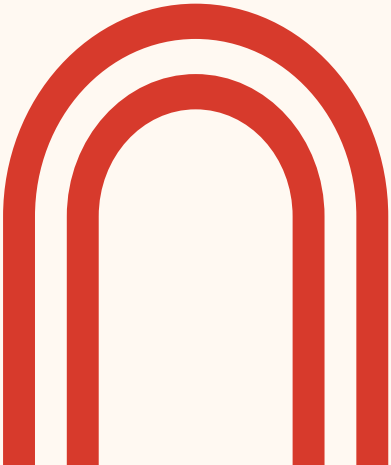
অনেকেই বলেন, এসি মানেই বলিগবলিগ ব্যবস্থা। তবে এখন যা আবহাওয়া তাতে এসি আর বলিগতি নয়, বরং প্রয়োজন হয়ে দাঁড়িয়েছে।

হাঁপানি এবং অ্যালার্জিকমাত্রে সাহায্য করতে পারে এসি। এখন অনেকে এসিতে ডাস্ট ফিল্টার লাগানো থাকে। এয়ার পিউরিফায়ারও থাকে। ফলে ঘরে বাতাস পরিষ্কার থাকে। এসি ফুলের পরাগ ও ধুলোবালি সরিয়ে হাঁপানির আক্রমণ এবং অ্যালার্জির ঝুঁকি কমাতে পারে।

## আমি একটি গাছ

আমায় চিনতে পারছ? কে বলতো? আমি? ঠিকি বলছে, আমি একটি গাছ।  
লোকের আমায় বলে ফুলের গাছ বলে। তাই আমিও নিজেকে বলেফুলের গাছ  
বলেই পরিচয় দিয়ে থাকি। যে মাঠে আমি আছি, সেখানে বাচ্ছারা খেলতে  
আসে, বড়রা প্রাতঃ বা সান্ধ্য ভ্রমণে আসে। আমি সব মন দিয়ে দেখি  
আমিও তাদের সঙ্গের কথা বলার চেষ্টা করি। আমি আমার ফুলের গন্ধ  
ছড়িয়ে সকলের সঙ্গের কথা বলি। ছোটরা তাদের ছোট ছোট হাতে  
আমাকে স্পর্শ করে আদর করে, আমার খুব আনন্দ হয়। কটে কটে  
আবার আমার ফুল ছুঁতে তাকে আমার খুব ব্যথা হয়, কষ্ট হয়। কিন্তু  
ছোটদের দেখে আমার সব কষ্ট দূর হয়ে যায়। এইভাবেই আমার দিন  
কাটছিল, কিন্তু হঠাৎ করে একদিন জানা গলে, এই মাঠে বড় বড় ফল্গাট  
হবে। তাই সমস্ত গাছ কটে ফেলতে হবে। ওরা যন্ত্রের মাধ্যমে  
আমাদের কটে ফেলল নরম ভাবে। আমরা মাটিতে পড়ে রইলাম। একটুও  
ভাবল না যে আমরাই প্রকৃতির ভারসাম্য, আমাদের থাকাও আবশ্যিক।

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## এক দিন মন্দারমণতি

আমার এই গল্পটা আমার খুব প্রিয়। তাহলে শুরু করি গল্পটা। মাস্ট ছিলি মার্চ ২০২৩। ফাইনাল পরীক্ষা শেষে হয়ে ছুটি চলছে। আমার বাবা কাজে জন্ম বাইরে থাকেন। তিনি প্রায় দু মাস বাদে ছুটিতে বাড়ি আসবেন। মা বলল বাবা আসবে। আমাদের খুব মজা, আনন্দ হল কারণ বাবা আসলে আমাদের খুব মজা হয় আর আনন্দে কাটবে। বাবা এল ২৩ শে মার্চ। এসেই একটা খুশি খবর দিলি যে আমরা বড়োতে যাব। আমি জিজ্ঞাসা করলাম, বাবা আমরা কোথায় যাব? কবে যাব? আরও অনেকে প্রশ্ন। বাবা বললেন, আমরা মন্দারমণি বড়োতে যাব। আমরা ২৪ শে মার্চ দুপুরে বাড়ি থেকে বেরিয়ে হাওড়া স্টেশনে গেলোম। হাওড়া থেকে ট্রেনে চপে কাঁথা গেলোম। ট্রেনে আমরা অনেকে কচু খতে খতে আর মজা করতে করতে গেলোম। কাঁথা পৌঁছে আমরা আরেকটা গাড়ি করে হোটলে পৌঁছালোম। হোটলেটা খুব সুন্দর ছিলি। সুইমিং পুল ছিলি যটো আমি আগে দেখিনি। হোটলেরে দাদারা খুব ভালো ছিলি। যাইহোক, আমরা সন্ধ্যার মতো রাত্রে খাবার খেয়ে ঘুমাতো গেলোম। পরদিন সকালে বাবা, মা, দাদা আর আমি মিলে গেলোম সমুদ্রের পাড়। এটাই ছিলি আমার প্রথম সমুদ্র দেখা। ভীষণ ভীষণ আনন্দ হচ্ছিলি। আমরা সবাই মিলে সমুদ্রের তটেয় সঙ্গে খেলো করলাম, ডাব খেলোম। ফিরে এসে আমি, দাদা আর বাবা মিলে সুইমিংপুলে খুব মজা করলাম। দেখতে দেখতে দিন শেষে গেলো। পরের দিন আমরা ফিরে এলাম। মনটাও একটু খারাপ হয়ে গেলো। কিন্তু ওই দুদিনের আনন্দের স্মৃতি চিরকাল আমার মনের মনকোঠায় সযত্নে তোলা থাকবে।

## আমাদের সবার নরিয়মষি ভোজী হওয়া উচতি

আমাদের প্রত্যেকেটি মানুষেরে নরিয়মষি আহার গ্রহণ করা উচতি। নরিয়মষি আহার গ্রহণ করলে অনেক অনেক প্রাণী হত্যা হতে বরিত থাকবে। নরিয়মষি খাদ্য বলতে মূলত আমরা উদ্ভদি জাতীয় খাদ্যকে বুঝি।

আধুনিকিতাবশতঃ নজি সংস্কৃতি, আচার বচির, ব্যবহার সবকছুকে জলাঞ্জলি দেওয়া ব্যক্তিদিরে মথিয়া ধারণা হল যে শাকাহারে উচতি মাত্রায় শক্তিবিরধক পুষ্টপিরাপ্তি হয় না। কনিতু এটি সঠিকি নয়।

আধুনিকি বজ্ঞেঞানকিদরে গবষণায় জানা যায় যে, নরিয়মষি খাদ্যে শুধু যে উচ্চ উপাদান প্রাপ্তি হয় তাই নয়, এর দ্বারা পর্যাপ্ত ভারসাম্য যুক্ত খাদ্য প্রাপ্তি হয় যা একজন নরিয়মষি ভোজী ব্যক্তিকে অনেক বশো সুস্থ এবং দীর্ঘকাল ধরে বঁচে থাকতে সাহায্য করে।

সাধারণত ডালে খাদ্যেরে আমষি উপাদানেরে মাত্রা কম থাকে না। গম, চাল, জোয়ার, বাজরা, ভুট্টা ইত্যাদিরি সঙ্গে উপযুক্ত পরিমাণে জল এবং সবুজ সবজি আহার করলে শুধু যে খাদ্যেরে আমষি উপাদানেরে পর্যোজন পূর্ণ হয় তাই নয়, এর দ্বারা পর্যাপ্ত ভারসাম্য যুক্ত খাদ্য প্রাপ্তি হয় যা নরিয়মষিশী ব্যক্তিকে আমষিহারী ব্যক্তিরি থেকে বশো সুস্থ এবং নীরোগ রাখে।

মাংসেরে নজিস্ব কোন স্বাদ নেই। তাতে তলে, ঝাল, মশলা ইত্যাদি দলিই তার স্বাদ বৃদ্ধি পায়। কনিতু ফল, সবজি, দুধ ইত্যাদিরি স্বতন্ত্র নজিস্ব স্বাদ রয়েছে। আর এগুলি গ্রহণ করা যায়। যদিও অস্বীকার করা যায় না যে মশলা পাততিও খাদ্যগুণ আছে।



পশুজগতের দিকে তাকালে আমরা দেখতে পাই যে, যাদের পশুদের  
আমরা হত্যা করি তারা সর্বাধিক শক্তিশালী, পরিশ্রমী এবং অধিক  
সহনশীল এবং বেশি দিন একনাগারে কাজ করতে পারে। যমেন - হাতি,  
ঘোড়া, বলদ, উট ইত্যাদি তারা প্রত্যেকেই তৃণভোজী।

অতিরিক্ত আমষিকৃত খাদ্য শরীরের পক্ষে ক্ষতিকারক। মানবদেহে  
বহির্ভিন্ন রোগ বাসা বাঁধে। যমেন - কর্কট রোগ, ওজন বৃদ্ধি, উচ্চ  
রক্তচাপ ইত্যাদি।

অবশেষে একটি কথাই বলা যায় যে নিরামষি খাদ্যভাসে আমরা  
প্রত্যেকেই সুস্থ থাকতে পারি এবং প্রাণী হত্যা না করে পরিবেশে  
তাদের বাঁচার অধিকারকে সম্মান জানাতে পারি। আর তার সঙ্গে  
পরিবেশের ভারসাম্য রক্ষা করতে পারি।

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# **REPORT FOR THE ACADEMIC YEAR 2023-24**

**FROM MAY 2023 TO SEPTEMBER 2023**

## **RABINDRA JAYANTI CELEBRATION**

The BGES School (ICSE) celebrated Rabindra Jayanti Programme on 12th May 2023 to commemorate the memory of the Nobel laureate, Rabindranath Tagore. The celebration of Rabindra Jayanti was performed live in the school premises with enthusiasm. A testimony to the enthusiastic response for the ibid celebrations was the spontaneous and fervent participation of 100 students.



## **RATH YATRA CELEBRATION**

On 20th June, our school organized a vibrant and joyous Rath Yatra celebration. The event was held outside the school premises, and parents were invited to witness the festivities. A beautifully decorated Rath, resembling Lord Jagannath's chariot, was prepared. Students of classes Nursery and KG enthusiastically pulled the Rath, under the guidance of their teachers, around the school premises. The procession was accompanied by devotional chants and music.



## **THE FRANK ANTHONY MEMORIAL ALL INDIA INTER-SCHOOL DEBATE CHAMPIONSHIP 2023 (CATEGORY II, STAGE I) POOL B24**

The aforementioned debate was held at The BGES School (ICSE), Kolkata on 10th July 2023. Ten schools participated with two participants from each school. The debate started as per the Council rules sharp at 1030 hours. The participants were given the Topic one hour before the commencement of the debate. They utilised the time to prepare well and spoke very confidently. There was a welcome address by the Principal, Mr. Brij Bhushan Singh, The BGES School (ICSE).

The topic was as follows:  
“FACEBOOK FRIENDS HAVE  
BECOME MORE REAL THAN  
REAL FRIENDS Mrs. Piya  
Chakraborty, Assistant officer CISCE,  
Kolkata graced the event to listen in  
to the engrossing debate. The Merit  
certificates were given away by the  
Principal and certificates of  
participation was awarded to each  
participant. The Best speaker title was  
bagged by Anusha Chowdhury of



Garden High School, Kolkata. The Debate was  
a power packed show as the participants  
shared their views very enthusiastically.



### **EYE CAMP 2023**

An Eye camp was organized on 15<sup>th</sup> and 16<sup>th</sup> July by The BGES School (ICSE) for the students, with the help of Dr. Divyesh Shah, under the venture called 'Sight For Kids' by Lion's Club International. The main focus of the camp was detecting common eye problems of the students and checking their eye power (Degree of Near or Far sightedness).





### **BGSP FELICITATION 2023**

The customary Felicitation Ceremony by The Bhawanipur Gujarati Shishya Pratishthan was held on Saturday, 29th July 2023, in the 6th floor Concept Hall of the College building to felicitate the stupendous performance of the students of The BGES School (ICSE) of the 2023 ICSE batch. Sri Umesh R Thakker, the President of The Bhawanipur Gujarati Shishya Pratishthan, encouraged students with his words of

encouragement which undoubtedly boost the morale of the students with regard to their future accomplishments. Mr.Rajnikant C Dani, the President of Bhawanipur Education Society congratulated all the students and motivated them for their future progress. Mr Pradip Sheth's address was categorically proved to encourage the students to work conscientiously so that they may make their institution proud in the grand sky of academics thereby bringing fame to the institution. He also announced that a special award has been instituted in the memory of Late Mr. Amar Seth by his family members which is named as the 'The Best Student of the Year' award. It would be awarded to the student who would excel academically and also in co – curricular activities. A cash prize of ₹15,000 is associated with that award. IAYP Batch 21-22, eleven students and 22-23, nine students received the certificates and Bronze Badges. Ten students received certificates for rendering Social Service at the Old Age Home – Little Sisters of the Poor. Mr.Brij Bhushan Singh, the Principal of The Bhawanipur Education Society (ICSE) conducted the whole programme. Programme was ended with sweet gesture by treating ice-creams to everyone.





## **INDEPENDENCE DAY CELEBRATION**

The BGES School (ICSE) celebrated India's 77th Independence Day on August 15, 2023 with great enthusiasm and patriotic fervor that showcased the talents and enthusiasm of its students. The Independence Day celebration commenced with the singing of the National Anthem. . This was followed by the hoisting of the National Flag. As a part of the grand Independence Day celebrations, a captivating student march past was organized. The march past was led by the school flag-bearers, who carried the school flag with utmost respect and dignity. Behind them, different groups of students marched in perfect synchrony. One of the highly ghts of the event was the cultural segment, in which students from various grades participated with great enthusiasm. The music club students sang the soul-stirring song 'Teri Mitti'. They were accompanied by students on different instruments like Synthesizer, Handsonic, Congo, Cajon and Maracus. This was followed by a dance drama titled 'Dharti Maa Ki Pukar' (The Earth Mother Call). The narration by our students beautifully conveyed the deep connection between the land and its people. The centenary batch students performed a thought-provoking skit titled Azadi Kya Hai (What is Independence?) The event successfully instilled a sense of responsibility and commitment towards the nation amongst the students, thereby ensuring that the spirit of independence continues to thrive in the younger generation.





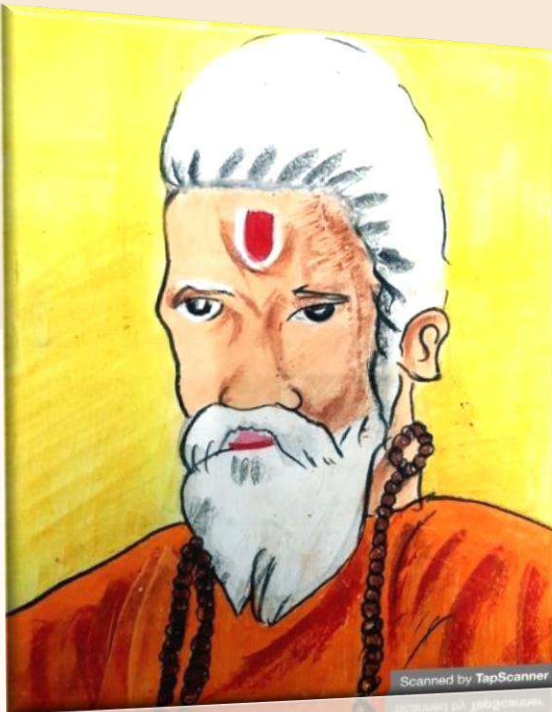
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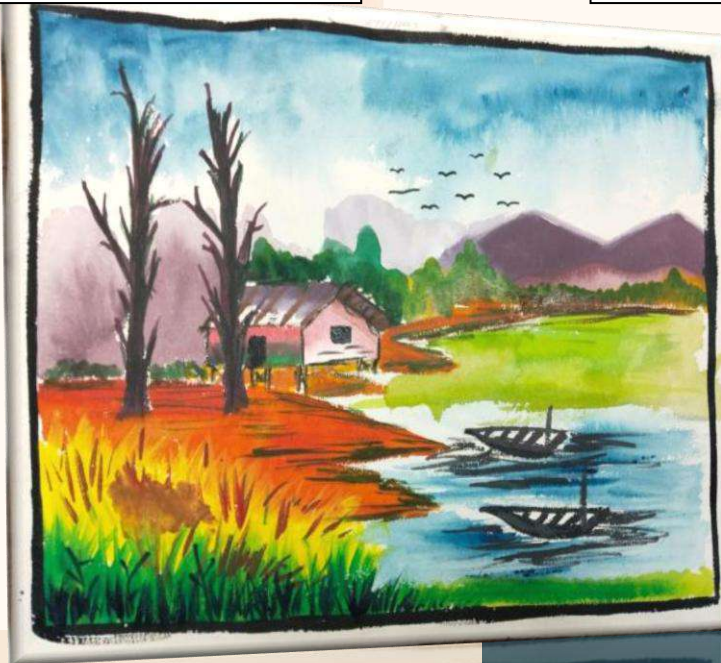
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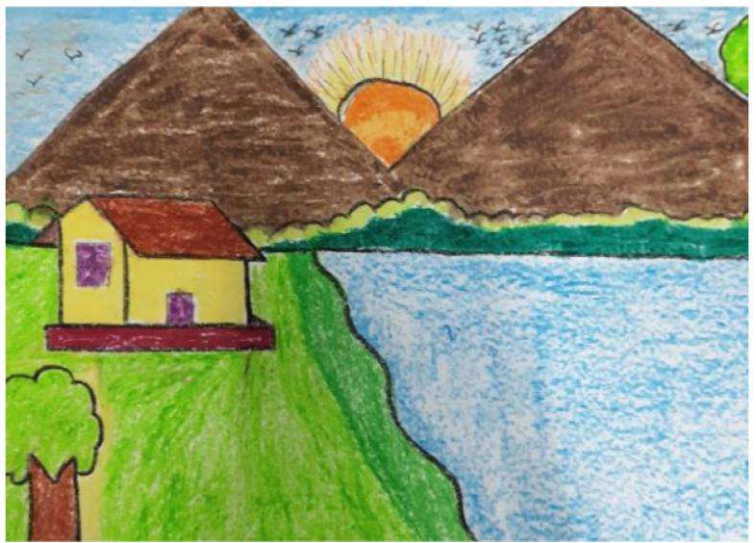
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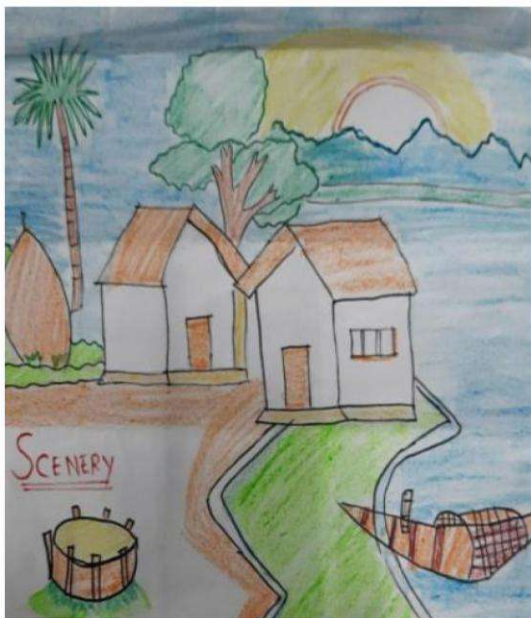




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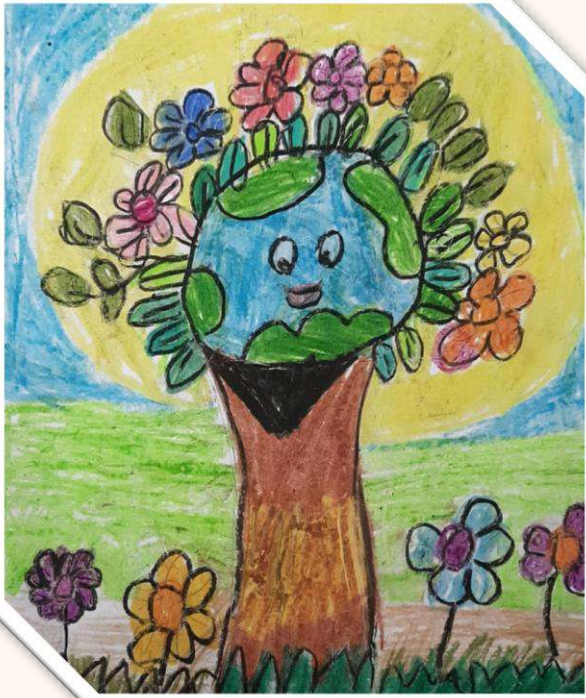


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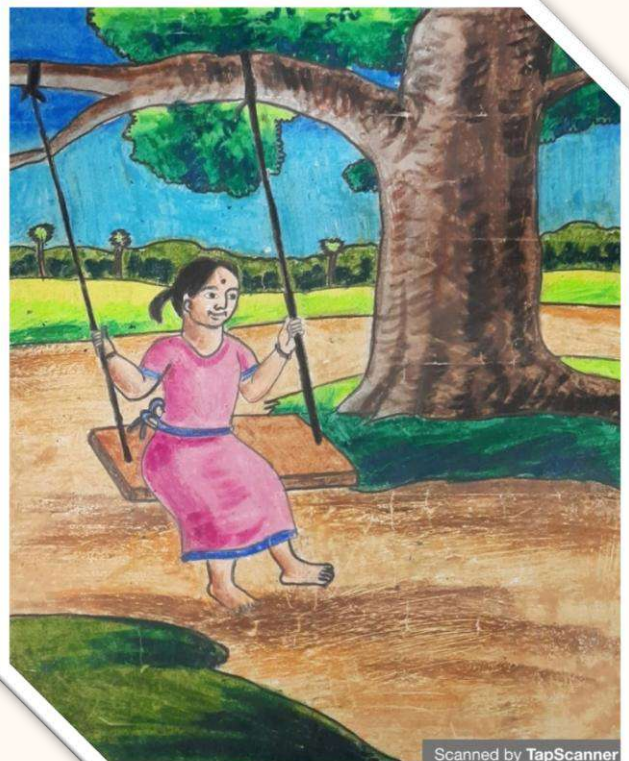
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**Saurjyesh Das 2B**



## **IAYP Preliminary Expedition to Tajpur 2023**


**7 th June – 9 th June 2023**

We started our expedition on 7 th of June 2023 by Tamralipto express, with 23 students and 2 Teachers. We have reached Mandarmani Bridge (9.2 KM) by 1720 Hours and after observing and experiencing the new connectivity and felt the breeze of the shore then we have trailed down. Then we had Safety and First Aid Session along with Diary writing and Quiz Session. Next Day early in the morning after warm up exercises we started for Digha Mohna(11.3 KM). We had seen different flowers, mangrove trees and other trees. Students were thrilled to walk through the shore and also were excited to take out water from bore well and tube well. We have returned around 11:30 AM. After taking bath students did self cooking. At evening after a 2 KM we had the Rope Knot class, cleaning the surroundings and played few trek games students prepared a short cultural programme for Camp Fun. On 9<sup>th</sup> morning Silvers did some extra miles at Tajpur shore after the morning exercises and then played Treasure Hunt. After breakfast we returned via Tamralipto with loads of enriching expedition experiences. We are thankful to the Management and Principal Sir for giving us the opportunity to explore this International Programme.



## **INDIAN MUSEUM**

This session (2023-24) the students of Class 5B got an opportunity to pay a visit and get an insight of the largest Museum of India ‘The Indian Museum of Kolkata’ on 16<sup>th</sup>



August as a part of their holistic education. A total of 36 students were taken to the museum from school. The students were delighted to see the majestic museum building. Indian museum has various departments that have collectibles and artifacts in different subjects and historical periods on display. They were mesmerized on seeing a real Mummy, ancient coins, fossils and many other things. A guide showed them around explaining the significance of each antiques and their relevance in the history of mankind. The visit to the museum was thrilling as well as an enriching experience for them.

### **ALIPORE JAIL MUSEUM**

On Friday, 11 th August 2023, 31 students of class 8B and 3 teachers of The BGES School (ICSE) paid a visit to the Alipore Jail Museum. Under WBHIDCO the pristine glory of the Alipore Jail has been restored with old records, gallows, a watch tower from which the British jailors used to monitor the entire area, special cells where the freedom fighters were incarcerated, general cells, a library, exhibition area, seminar hall etc. Light and sound show was an insight into the oppressive actions of the British Empire. It was a learning and an enjoyable experience for all.

### **TAAZA TV STATION**

On 6th September 2023 class 7A students went for their class visit to Taaza Tv. There were 31 students and 2 teachers. The visit was excellent and quite informative. The person In charge showed us the working of news and camera and also gave us an insight of the working of the same. They showed us how they collect the data and later how the news reaches the mass. Overall the students enjoyed and grasp knowledge from this visit.



## **FORT WILLIAM**

On the 14 th of September class 5A, went for a class visit to Fort William, built during the early years of the Bengal Presidency of British Raj. Today it is the headquarter of the Eastern Command of the Indian Army. The places visited by the students were the Command Museum, the Command Library, War Memorial, Kitchener's House, Dalhousie Barrack (outside) and the temple. A guide led us through various points of interest, providing historical insights and enriching understanding of the area's past. The visit was an opportunity for students to explore the historical significance and cultural heritage of this iconic fort.

## **NATIONAL AWARD LEADER TRAINING WORKSHOP BY IAYP**

The workshop was held on 24 th and 25 th August 2023 at New Kenilworth Hotel from 0830hrs to 1630hrs both days. It was conducted by National Director Mr Kapil Bhalla and Programme Manager Mr Bivujit Mukhoty. Award Leaders from different schools attended this workshop. First day we had an ice breaking session on different Levels, Principles, Gold Level and activity. All members of the workshop were divided into 4 groups and an interactive session was held to go through the different sections of the Programme. We were explained about the effective goal settings, how to make the log sheets and experiential learning Plan, Do and Review. A special session was organized on Semi Offline and Online Record Book and Activity. Second Day session was focused on Adventures Journey, Risk Management and Residential Project. The sessions were made interesting by involving all the Award Leaders in activities and case studies. The workshop ended with distribution of certificates, batches, brochure and posters.

## **A CPR TRAINING PROGRAMME 2023**

On 7 th of August 2023 at 1000 Hrs Head Nurse and her Team came from the The B M Birla Heart and research Institute to make students of 9 and 10 aware of identifying cardiac arrest and how to provide CPR to the patient. They first laid out a puppet as the replica of human named Mr John and made him the patient who got cardiac arrest and then in practical demonstrated through lecture how to give CPR. They also answered all questions asked by the students and the teachers. They also asked few students to demonstrate in practical. The Session was very useful and informative. At the end our

Principal Sir thanked the nurses and workers of BM Birla and said how important the session is in real life situation and to acquire knowledge as the First Aider.

### **CISCE ENGLISH LITERATURE AT THE ICSE LEVEL TRAINING PROGRAMME FOR TEACHERS**

CISCE had organised English Literature at the ICSE level training programme for teachers on 18<sup>th</sup> and 19th August 2023. The training was conducted by the resource person Mrs Swarna Joshua. The agenda for day -1 was discussion on scope of syllabus for ICSE 2024, teaching, testing and evaluation of Literature in English and Art and Science of QP construction. Setting MCQs Discussion On Specimen question Paper and answer key for 2024 examination was set for day-2. A detailed discussion on the writing effective MCQ, Constructed Response Questions and Marking scheme was done and teachers were asked to create questions from the text and make a marking scheme too. Thirty- six schools participated in the training program. Overall the training program was knowledgeable and interactive.

### **FUN BASED ACTIVITIES IN JUNIOR SCHOOL MATHS**

The Maths workshop for junior school students, which was conducted by Mrs. Neela Ghose. Mrs. Ghose has an impressive teaching background spanning over 25 years and was a Senior Faculty member at the Teacher Training Department of Loreto House. She's been extensively involved as a Resource Faculty member and Master Trainer in Mathematics and Science for in-service Teacher Training at the primary level. Mrs. Ghoses expertise goes beyond teaching, as she's a published author with both Oxford University Press and Chhaya Prakashani Ltd. She has conducted numerous workshops across India and even abroad. Her contributions also extend to being a Resource Faculty member for B.Ed Sp. Ed (Mathematics) at the Indian Institute of Cerebral Palsy in Kolkata. Mrs. Ghose holds a significant role as a Member of the Governing Body of Progressive Educational Techniques Society (The Teacher's Centre) and serves as its

The main focus of the workshop was to nurture critical thinking, reasoning, and creativity in the foundation of Mathematics education. As a participant, I received a certificate of participation, and we were provided with snacks during the workshop. Mrs. Ghoses dedication to enriching math education was evident throughout the session, making it an enriching experience for all attendees.

### **'KWIZDOM' ORGANIZED BY TAAZA TV**

'KWIZDOM' organized by Taaza TV in association with GRSE: under Ministry of Defence, Government of India. Preliminary Round held on 5 th August, 2023. The said Quiz Show was held in the National Library Auditorium where around hundred schools had participated with three students each.. Our school was represented by Rupsa Dutta of Class 8, Pratham Jha from Class 9 and Sayan Dutta from Class10. The said students had performed well in the initial round held in the school and were invited to participate in the Preliminary Round.

### **ASISC REGIONAL QUIZ COMPETITION 2023**

ASISC Regional Quiz Competition 2023. Senior Category, was held in The BGES School (ICSE) on 3rd August, 2023. The quiz was conducted in two main parts, namely, semi finals and finals. There were three semi final rounds consisting of 10 teams each, and each round comprised of 20 students. Mr Samrat Sengupta was the Quiz Master and we were very fortunate to have with us Dr M P Rozario, President ASISC. The registration desk was handled by our students. All participants received a Certificate of Participation and the school that stood first was The Heritage School which received a Cup, a gold medal and associated Certificates. Delhi Public School, Newtown grabbed the second position.

### **The TELEGRAPH YOUNG METRO MEET 2023**

The Telegraph Young Metro Force Meet 2023 was held on 26th July at Gyan Manch, Pretoria St. It was a briefing session for the students. Falak Shah and Vanshika Agarwal, of Class 9 from The BGES School (ICSE), were selected as telegraph young metro reporters. Mrs. Chandrani Saha the correspondent journalist spoke about journalism. She spoke about the art of time management and how one can groom themselves to be a good listener. The young metro reporters were awarded certificates and medals. The new young metro reporters were given proper guidelines about the mailing system, no abbreviated name of the school will be written and they were advised to promote school events School. Overall, the meeting was very collaborative and helpful.

### **Report on the AI and Robotics, for Teachers 1 st and 2nd September 2023**

The BGES School (ICSE) organised a teacher training programme in Robotics on 1st and 2nd August 2023 in ATL Lab. The resource person Mr Vasudev N was extremely knowledgeable and well informed. We started with the definition of Robot and how AI is related to Robotics. He also elaborated on collaboration, different waves that sound requires and Laws of Robotics in Day 1. He also shown film clippings and video clippings of Robots in different fields and there functions. In Day 2 we have focussed on Core and Arduino and IR. We ended the session with practically making the robot. The session boosted our confidence in the subject and the topic, Robotics. Overall, the training was very educational, constructive, collaborative, interactive, and informative.

### **WORKSHOP ON NEW TRENDS IN EXPLORING ENGLISH LITERATURE IN PRIMARY SCHOOL**

On September 15th, 2023, at 3:00 PM, a vital teacher training session was conducted by Mrs. Pamela Ryan to equip primary school educators with contemporary approaches to exploring English literature. This session aimed to empower teachers with innovative strategies to engage young learners effectively with literature in the primary school setting. The teacher training session provided primary school educators with valuable insights into innovative trends in English literature education. Such training sessions play a vital role in the continual improvement of education and will have a lasting positive impact on the future generation of readers and thinkers.



## **INTER HOUSE COMPETITION**

### **❖ INTER HOUSE VERNACULAR ESSAY WRITING COMPETITION**

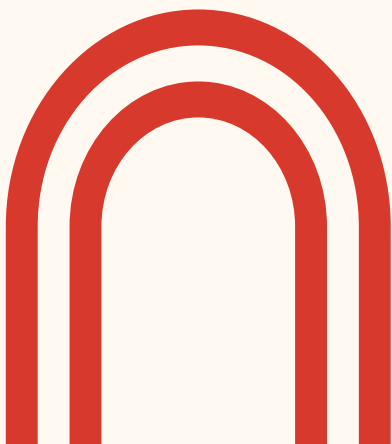
Vernacular Essay Writing Competition was held on 3<sup>rd</sup> April, 2023 for classes 5-10 on the topic “Are robots going to increase or decrease our quality of life”. The winners of this competition were selected on their ability to express the topic in a well organised manner, correct usage of grammar and accurate use of language.

### **❖ INTER HOUSE DRAWING COMPETITION FOR CLASSES 1 TO 4.**

An Inter House Drawing competition was held on 3<sup>rd</sup> April 2023. The topic for the drawing was "Under water, village garden & zoo" .The students were allotted 80 minutes time for drawing . Among all the entries from classes 1&2 and 3&4 three students from each category were selected as first, second and third individually exception where there are two joint winners for the first position from classes 3 & 4.

### **❖ INTER HOUSE TABLE TENNIS COMPETITION**

The table tennis tournament organized from 3<sup>rd</sup>-7<sup>th</sup> April,2019 in the Sports room. The league matches were played on a best of three games format. The various categories were Boys-Singles 1, Girls-Singles 2, Boys-Singles 2,Girls-Singles 2, Boys Doubles and Girls Doubles.36 League matches were played after which started the knockout matches. The enthusiastic students played well and achieved success.



### ❖ INTER HOUSE QUIZ COMPETITION (1-4)

Inter House Quiz Competition was held on 02<sup>nd</sup> May 2023. The participants were from classes 1-4. There were total 5 rounds, namely Scratch your head, Recognize and tell the name, Beyond the boundaries by Audio-Visual Round, Mistake and lose and Rapid Fire. All the participants were very enthusiastic, practiced well and gave their best.

### ❖ INTER HOUSE ENGLISH SPELLING COMPETITION ENGLISH (1-4)

The Spelling Competition was held on 4<sup>th</sup> May. All Houses with 4 participants each gathered in the Hall. The Quiz has five rounds and all spellings had been asked from the booklet prepared for the event and distributed to the participants 20 days back. Audiences of Classes 2 to 4 also enjoyed the Competition and SOS were equally supportive to their respective House. Children enjoyed thoroughly.

### ❖ INTER HOUSE VERNACULAR COMPETITION (8-10)

Inter House Vernacular Spelling Competition was held on 5<sup>th</sup> May, 2023. The participants were from classes 8-10. Event incharge were the Headboy and the Headgirl. There were total five rounds namely- Spelling Vocabulary(Audio Round), Jumble Words, Identify the Picture and Spell, Homophones and last but not the least Choose the correct option. All participants gave their best and were very enthusiastic. The volunteers were also very helpful. At last the organization was well praised.



### ❖ **INTER HOUSE VERNACULAR COMPETITION ( 5-7)**

The event was held on 5th May, 2023. The event was completely conducted by the students of Tagore House. There were three participants, a standby ,two sos from each houses. The participants practiced for 7 days . Participants practiced very hard and tried to get all the spelling correct .The children enjoyed the event a lot.

### ❖ **INTER HOUSE MEHENDI COMPETITION (5-10)**

Mehendi Competition was held on 11th May 2023 in the Nursery room. Two participants were participated from the each of the four different houses Gandhi, Nehru, Patel and Tagore and displayed their skills. Irrespective of exposure and experience, they adorned their hands with mehendi designs which would help them in boosting their confidence in the art. The very next day on 12th May 2023 participants of each house, the colour and design was checked and the name of the winner team was declared.

### ❖ **INTER HOUSE FACE PAINTING COMPETITION (8-10)**

The Face Painting Competition was held on 22nd June 2023.The competition showcased the artistry of each participant of all Houses. Each one blends their colours skillfully and displayed their creative skill. Participants including teachers had invested huge amounts of efforts. At the end, Deputy Head Mistress declared the results and awarded the Participants with certificates with encouraging words.

### ❖ **INTER HOUSE ENGLISH SPELLING COMPETITION (5-7)**

The Spelling Competition was held in 18 th August 2023. The Participants practiced with the deputed Prefects assigned to organize the Competition. Each House performed very well and the Event Incharges made a well attempt to support the changes brought is sitting position to hall decoration and audience sitting according to the House i.e., in GNPT order. The competition showcased the competence of knowing spellings, of each

participant of all Houses. Each one took initiated to add feather points in their House. Participants including teachers and Incharges had invested huge amounts of efforts.

### ❖ **INTER HOUSE ENGLISH SPELLING COMPETITION (8-10)**

The English Spelling Competition on August 18, 2023, for Classes 8-10. The event saw enthusiastic participation from students across the three grades. The competition consisted of five challenging rounds, designed to test the participants' command over the English language. The rounds included- Identify the Picture, where students had to associate words with corresponding images; Homophones, requiring participants to differentiate between words with similar sounds; Anagrams, where letters that make up a word are rearranged to create new ones; Jumbled Words, presenting scrambled words for unscrambling; and finally, the Spelling Vocabulary round, assessing the participants ability to spell complex words accurately. The students displayed remarkable linguistic skills and a keen understanding of the language throughout the competition . In the end, it was the Gandhi House that emerged victorious, showcasing their exceptional spelling prowess.

### ❖ **INTER HOUSE FANCY DRESS COMPETITION**

The Inter House Fancy Dress Competition was held on 1st Sep 2023 for classes 1- 4 in the 1st floor hall of the school premises. Each house was represented by 5 participants who were selected in the Preliminary round held on 24th Aug House wise. The students showcased their talent cheerfully and confidently. It was a delightful event that showcased the creativity and enthusiasm of participants. The event aimed to provide an opportunity for participants to express themselves through imaginative costumes. They were smartly dressed and participated with much enthusiasm and enthralled everybody with their endearing acts. The time allotted for each child was 2 minutes. The effort and hard work of children was highly commendable.



## ❖ **HINDI DIVAS CELEBRATION 2023**

“Hindi Divas” was celebrated on the 15th of September, 2023 in the 2nd floor hall of the school premises. The programme was inaugurated by a speech on “Hindi Divas” by a student Falak Shah of class 9A.

The major attractions of the programme were ‘Hasya Kavitate’ ‘Dance’ on Meera ke pad and followed by a comic One Act Play ‘KISSA ANARPHALI KA’. The programme was divided into two halves; first half was for classes 5 to 7 and second half was for classes 8 to 10. The students loved the programme and enjoyed especially the drama. The participants were well prepared.

## **BAGLESS DAYS**

### **CLASS 6A**

Bagless days of Class 6A were conducted on 28th, 29th & 31st August 2023. The name of the activity was : Charity Visit. On the first day, the students were briefed about Community Service, importance of community service, responsibility towards various sections of the community, categories of Community Service etc. A power point presentation was shown to the students. It was an interactive session where students also took an active part in the discussion also shared their personal experiences. In the second half, the students were divided into four groups each group was asked to prepare two charts on various topics of Community Service. On the second day, the students were taken to an Old Age Home. The name of the old age home was Behala Shantineelay Welfare Society. The students interacted with the elderly people & they were emotionally moved to hear that many established families have kept their parents to the old age home. On the third day, they shared their experiences & given their feedback in writing. A quiz was organised on the topic ‘Community Service’. The bagless days were a great learning experience for the students as well as the concerned teachers.

## **CLASS 8B**

The said programme was held in Class 8B on 28th ,29th and 31st August, 2023, respectively. The topic was “Survey of the vegetable market.” On the first day the students remained indoors where discussion was held on a balanced diet, their daily diets, usefulness of vegetables for the development of human body, disadvantages of junk food and so on. They were shown videos on the sub topics mentioned above and they made charts on what they had learnt.

On the second day the class of 41 students were taken to a local market named “Jaggu Bazaar” where they interacted with the greengrocers regarding the cost of vegetables, from where they are procured and also asked why all types of vegetables are found throughout the year.

The final day was for report writing where they gave a vivid description of what they experienced during the three day programme. They were keen to change their daily diet and understood the value of nutritious food for their development.

## **Pune – Mahabaleswar -Panchgani -Ahmednagar -Aurangabad – Tour** **13<sup>th</sup> May – 21<sup>st</sup> May 2023. Reported By SS.**

Educational tour for students of classes 8 and 9 was conducted during summer vacation. Total 37 students 8 teachers and Principal Sir accompanied the tour. M/S Trips India was appointed as the tour operator.

The entire tour was excellently planned and was thoroughly enjoyable for all of us.It was a vibrant learning experience for students and teachers.Sight-seeing included places with both natural beauty and historical importance. The greatest part of the tour was our stay at Ahmednagar Army Guest House. Ahmednagar provided us an unforgettable and rare experience of visiting the Tank Museum followed by tank ride. It was only possible because of our respected Principal Sir.



The train Howrah Pune Duronto was 9 hours late and reached Pune at evening causing cancelation of Pune sightseeing. Next day was the trip to Mahabaleswar – Panchgani. The three hours drive from Pune to Mahabaleswar was spectacularly beautiful. The resort booked at Mahabaleswar had childrens' park in its premises where our students played a lot. Spending two nights there, we travelled to Ahmednagar



where we were provided with officers' level guest rooms. In Aurangabad we spent two nights with sightseeing of Bibi ka Maqbara, Panchakki, Ellora caves, Daulatabad fort and Ajanta caves. At all the places guides explained each and every historical details interestingly and that made our visit more enriching.

The events and competitions held during the tour was enjoyed by all the students specially the bonfire at Mahabaleswar. Food was delicious as always.

I want to thank my Management and Principal Sir for making me a part of tour in spite of my health issues. I required hemodialysis for two days which was organized and pre booked by Principal Sir. I am grateful to him for this kind gesture. The tour was a memorable and delightful experience for all of us.







### **ANNUAL PRIZE DISTRIBUTION 2022-23**

The Annual Prize Distribution 2022-23 was held on 10<sup>th</sup> April Monday, 2023. The event was organized to acknowledge and appreciate the merit, excellence, and hard work of our students in various fields. Certificates were given to 100% Attendance holder from Nursery to Class 10, attendance certificates were then given to the students who had maintained excellent attendance records throughout the year and Book Prizes along with Certificates were given to Rank Holder(1<sup>st</sup> , 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> ) from Classes 5-9. The Principal then delivered a motivational speech emphasizing the importance of education, hard work, and dedication. In conclusion, the annual prize distribution ceremony was a grand success, and it was a moment of pride for the students, parents, and the school.





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