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A LETTER FROM OUR PRINCIPAL



Dear Students, Parents, and Esteemed Faculty Members,
As we reflect on another year of growth and achievement at Vista International School, I am filled with immense pride and gratitude for the talents and accomplishments of our students.

Each year, we witness new talents emerge, showcasing their skills and passions in various activities, events, and endeavors. It is truly satisfying to see them live their school life to the fullest, enjoying a multitude of experiences that contribute to their holistic development.

At Vista, we believe that education is not just about academic excellence but also about nurturing individual talents, fostering creativity, and instilling a love for lifelong learning. Our commitment to providing a comprehensive and immersive learning experience is unwavering, guided by the values of trust, respect, innovation, and community spirit.

The satisfaction of witnessing our students grow, evolve, and excel in diverse fields is a testament to our collective promise of growth. We pledge to continue cultivating an environment where every student's potential is recognized, nurtured, and celebrated.

Our aim is to empower each student to embrace challenges, explore their interests, and strive for excellence in all their endeavors.

As we look towards the future, I am confident that with the support of our dedicated faculty, enthusiastic students, and supportive parents, we will continue to elevate the standard of education and create opportunities for personal and academic growth

Let us continue to uphold the trust and confidence that our students and parents have bestowed upon us. I invite each one of you to join hands as we carve a future brimming with knowledge, compassion, and endless opportunities. With trust in ourselves and in each other, there's no limit to what we can achieve.

Warm regards,
Mary Shanti Priya
Principal, Vista International School

FROM THE EDITORS DESK

Greetings from the Editorial Team. We are profoundly happy to present our annual school magazine, The Phrontistery Chronicles for the Academic year 2023-24

This year was, in a way, quite different from other school years. At the beginning of each new academic session, everyone involved- students, teachers, parents, school management- have a distinctive mix of emotions: Optimism about new beginnings, trepidations regarding unforeseen future, excitement of possible new experiences and above all, hope. Hope that everything will be fine.

This year, however, towered over all other emotions. This year marked a new inception. The world fought and won a harrowing battle against the pandemic, and returning to school, returning to the 'normal' way of life, strengthened the conviction that together we will shine. As we opened the school gates this year, we welcomed our Vista family to a new era of growth and progress. While the students were away during the pandemic, the school had tirelessly worked on transforming itself to be able to provide the visaians with every possiblle tool to catalyse their development. With the new facilities, better governance and absolute preparedness to shape the Vistaians into model 21st century individuals, the school began it's journey post covid, on June 2022.

Within these academic sessions, the school has embraced multiple ventures that would support the students and marshal them in their progress as empowered, empathetic, judicious individuals. And through it all- be it the comforting mundanity of daily classes or the electrifying novelty of school programs and new initiatives- hope was ubiquitous. Hope, that we have learned from our mistakes and shall never repeat them. Hope that we can achieve anything we put our mind to. Hope that we shall be learning for life. This issue of The Phrontistery Chronicles is a representation of the efforts we have made in the past two years. With each article, poem, story or artwork, we hope to touch the chords of your heart and together, hope for a better tomorrow and work tirelessly to make it true.

Poulomi Mukherjee,
Editor
The Phrontistery Chronicles

FOREWORD

"The butterfly counts not months but moments and has time enough."
- Rabindranath Tagore

As we turn the pages of this yearbook, we are filled with a myriad of emotions - excitement, nostalgia, and a tinge of melancholy. This book is not just a collection of photographs; it's a treasure trove of memories, a testament to the journey we've shared together over the past academic year.

Within these pages, you'll find snapshots of laughter, triumphs, challenges, and growth. Each photograph captures a moment frozen in time, a fragment of our collective story. From the early morning assemblies to the late nights of revision, sports games, and study sessions, we've experienced it all as a community.

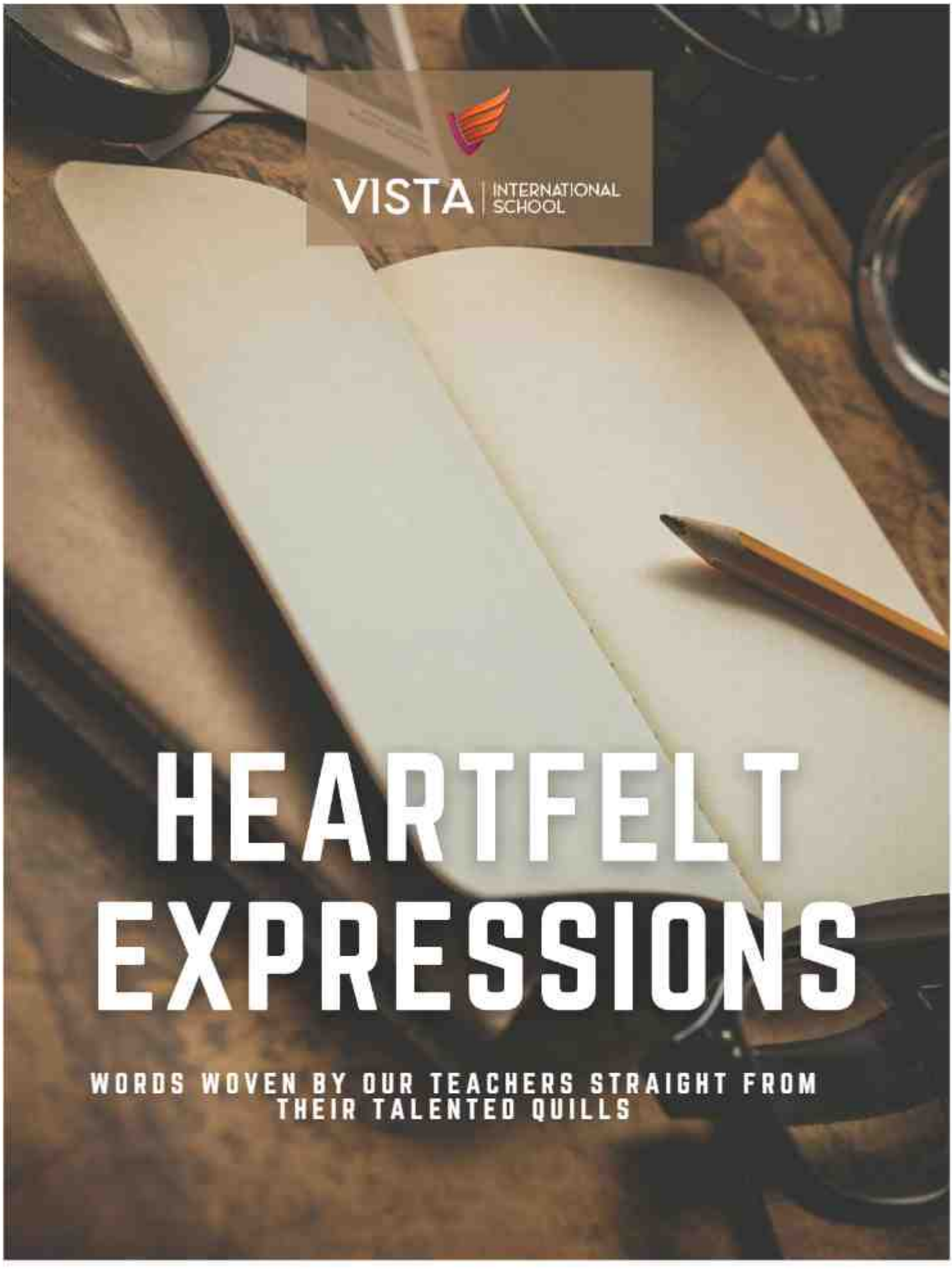
This year has been a testament to resilience and adaptability. We faced unexpected hurdles and embraced new opportunities with courage and determination. Through it all, we've grown closer, forming bonds that will (hopefully) withstand the test of time.

This school is not just a building, it's a vibrant tapestry woven by the unique talents, passions, and dreams of each student and faculty member. As we reflect on the past year, let us celebrate our diversity, our achievements, and the moments that have shaped us into the individuals we are today.

To the graduating class, as you embark on new adventures and paths, carry with you the memories and lessons learned within these pages. Cherish the friendships forged, the knowledge gained, and the experiences that have shaped your journey.

To the underclassmen, may this yearbook serve as a reminder of the legacy you will continue and the bright future ahead. Embrace every moment, seize every opportunity, and make your mark on the world.

By Fareesa Qareena



HEARTFELT EXPRESSIONS

WORDS WOVEN BY OUR TEACHERS STRAIGHT FROM THEIR TALENTED QUILLS

A TEACHER'S YEAR-END POEM

Have you seen a flower gracefully bloom?
Or a shy peacock raising its vibrant plume?
Dubious of their stance,
Yet willing to take a chance?

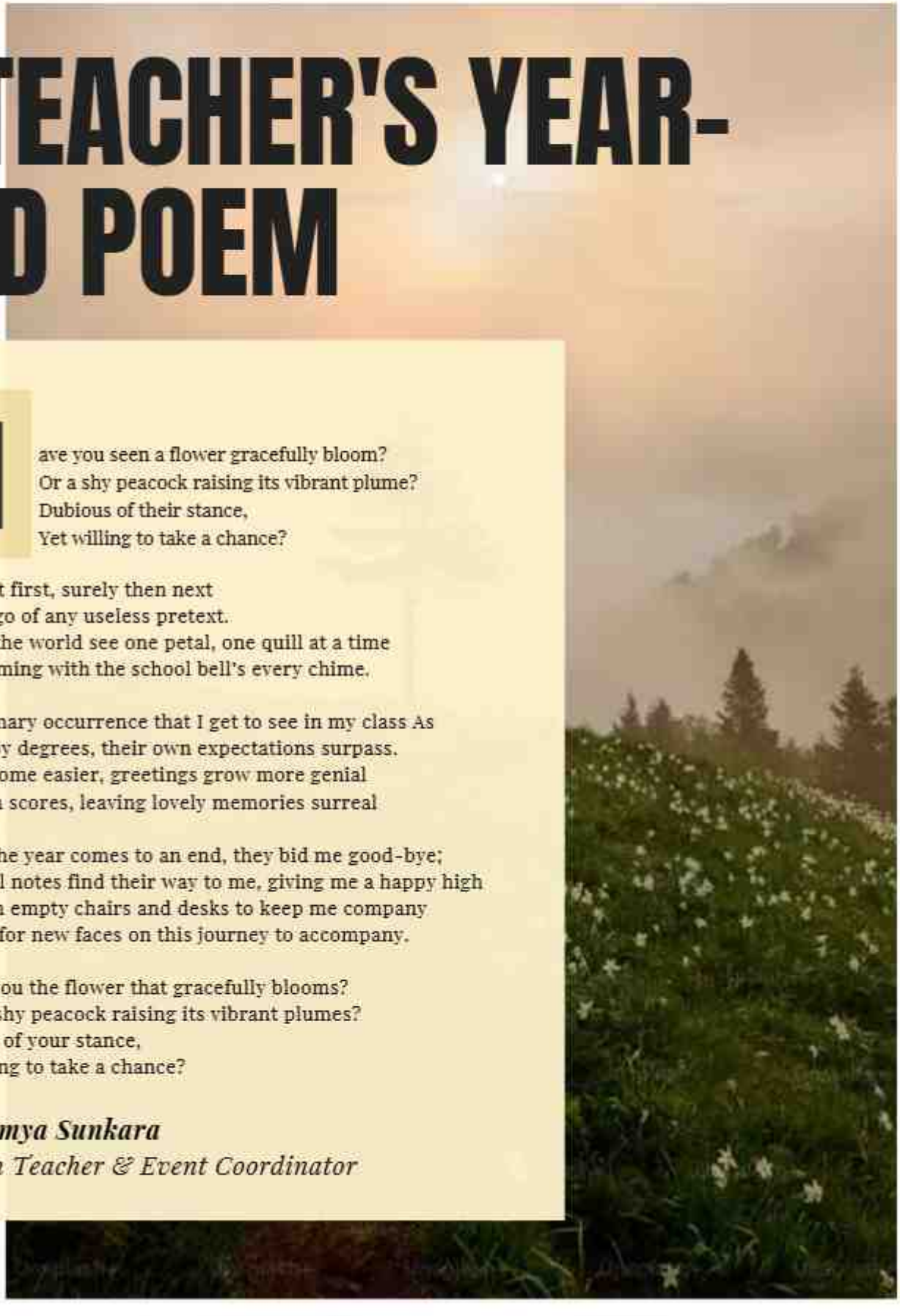
Slowly at first, surely then next
Letting go of any useless pretext.
Letting the world see one petal, one quill at a time
– blossoming with the school bell's every chime.

A customary occurrence that I get to see in my class As
pupils, by degrees, their own expectations surpass.
Smiles come easier, greetings grow more genial
Rising in scores, leaving lovely memories surreal

And as the year comes to an end, they bid me good-bye;
Sweet li'l notes find their way to me, giving me a happy high
Left with empty chairs and desks to keep me company
Waiting for new faces on this journey to accompany.

So, are you the flower that gracefully blooms?
Or that shy peacock raising its vibrant plumes?
Dubious of your stance,
Yet willing to take a chance?

Sri Ramya Sunkara
English Teacher & Event Coordinator





गिरते को उठाते हैं शिक्षक

अजीत कुमार चौहान 'मतवाला'
हिंदी शिक्षक

गिरते को उठाते हैं शिक्षक,
भटके को राह पर लाते हैं शिक्षक ।
निम्न को उच्च बनाते हैं शिक्षक,
अधँरे में दीपक जलाते हैं शिक्षक ।।
बदबू को दूर करते हैं शिक्षक,
खुशबू चारों तरफ फैलाते हैं शिक्षक ।
अज्ञानी को ज्ञानी बनाते हैं शिक्षक,
दुष्ट को शिष्ट बनाते हैं शिक्षक ।।
राष्ट्र का निर्माता हैं शिक्षक,
शिक्षार्थी का भाग्यविभाता हैं शिक्षक ।
बदं दरवाजे खोलता हैं शिक्षक,
मानव-दानव का भेद बताता हैं शिक्षक।।
पर न जाने क्यों उपेक्षित हैं शिक्षक,
मूक हो कर सब कुछ झले ता है शिक्षक।।
इतना मत करो की टूट जाए शिक्षक,
इतना मत करो की बिखर जाए शिक्षक।।

SEE ME, TOUCH ME

There is a popular belief that loss of one sense strengthens others. Scientists have now found some evidence to support this belief. Normally, sight and touch are processed by different areas of the brain – the first in the visual cortex and the second in the sensory motor cortex.

A team of scientists led by Norihiro Sadato in Japan, found that in blind people, the visual cortex may be taken over to perform other tasks. When visually impaired people used their fingers to scan text written in Braille, scientists measured an increase in blood flow (and hence brain activity) in the visual cortex. When scanning meaningless dots on page, brain activity was restricted to sensorimotor cortex. On the other hand, for sighted but blindfolded people (trained in Braille), whether the page contained Braille or meaningless bumps, the act of scanning the page with the finger only activated the sensorimotor cortex. This suggests that the way the pathways in the brain get 'wired' during learning is much more complex than previously imagined.

By Roopa Devi Cheemalas
Chemistry facilitator

DOLLAR DREAMS

Beaulah Suchithra
Academic Coordinator (Secondary)

Blue or red, green or yellow
You see it does not matter.
For work or pleasure across the globe,
When we do scatter.

To earn a dime, race against time,
We are subjected to batter.
Crushed dreams and hopes and heart
Into million pieces shatter.

Pay heed every girl, every bride, every daughter,
From sweat and grime will rise abundant laughter.
Continue to till and toil though the day gets hotter,
For we are in the hands of the divine potter.

His kiln is perfect and knows no race,
Caste, creed or beautiful face.
No country, no flag can offer the grace,
That you will find in The Lord's Embrace.



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Achievements



An Appreciation for the school's Achievers

Academic Years 2022-24

JULY 2022



Vista International School has always remained steadfast in its commitment to deliver an exemplary growth environment for its students – one that is achieved through a unique and balanced blend of academics and co-curricular activities. It was therefore a proud and joyous moment for the school when its efforts were recognized at the 24th World Education Summit and Awards organized by ELETS Technomedia:

PRINCIPAL'S ADDRESS

Our Principal Ms. Mary Shanti Priya received the honour of being invited as a speaker at the 24th World Education Summit and Awards Program organized by ELETS Technomedia, where she shared her unique real-world experience in the world of education.

AWARD FOR EXCELLENCE IN CO-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES:



CREATING WAVES IN TENNIS

Vedant Gundu of grade 9 has been creating waves in the world of tennis, slowly making a mark for himself. He won numerous championships, most recent of which was during his tour to Spain. He shared his victory with the school and became an example of how hard work and resilience can help one reap success.



AWARD FOR EXCELLENCE IN INNOVATIVE ACADEMIC PRACTICES.



JULY 2022



Navaneeth of Grade 7B, received his merit certificate in CBIT Tech Summer Camp. The certificate was presented to him by eminent film producer Shobu Yarlagadda.



Pranavi of Grade 10, secured the first place in yoga.

MERUTSAV GLORIES

Yussra Hussein of Grade 9 secured the 3rd place in Taekwondo competition.



Swesha of Grade 8 secured the 2nd place in 'Chameleon'



Our school choir secured the 2nd place in group singing competition.



AUGUST 2022



SWATI'S WIN

Swati of Grade 7 brought laurels to the school in wrestling when she grabbed a bronze medal in the National sub junior grappling competition, organised by the Wrestling Federation of India.



KARATE CHAMP

Rushitha P of grade 7 won silver medals in Kata and Fighting in National Karate Championship 2022 organized by Kiyo Japan Shotokan Karate Association India

AKHILESHWAR SCORES



In a chess tournament organised by Ekagra Chess Academy, Akhileshwar S of Grade 9 secured the 9th place in the 1200-1299 rating category winning a cash prize of Rs. 5000 and a trophy.

MRIDHINI'S STUNNING FEAT

In the Telangana 8th Junior Athletics Championship, Mridhini Ravishankar of Grade 9, participated in the under-16 category for the 2000 meter run and got the gold medal clocking a personal best of 7 mins 19 seconds to finish the run. Securing her first state level gold medal, she also qualified to represent the state of Telangana in the upcoming South Zone Nationals.



In the Inter-School Literary Fest by Birla Open Minds School – Rhetoric Rhapsody – the Vistaians had shown exemplary performance. Students represented our school in several events, out of which we got the second place in Flipped Dialogue – an individual event and the third place in Hot Seat – a group event. The school congratulated the winners during assembly, making the joy of their win sweeter.

SEPTMEBER 2022



NASHRA'S SUPERB WIN

Nashra Hussain of Grade 2 grabbed the 3rd prize in the Interschool Fancy Dress with Recitation competition where she stunned everyone with her performance.

MRIDHINI SCORES AGAIN

Vista International School's very own turbo sprinter Mridhini set a high standard of performance at South Zone Nationals Athletic Meet by finishing the race with a personal best timing of 7:03:17 (mm:ss:ms) – securing the 4th place. We are sure she would go on to achieve much more and keep making us proud.



ADHRIT STUNS EVERYONE

Adhrit Kumar got the third place and won Rs. 1000 cash reward at the State Level of the 3rd Telangana State Art Competition – Cultivating Art.



OCTOBER 2022

MOKSHIT'S STUNNING PERFORMANCE

At the recently conducted SFA Chess 2022, Mokshit P of Grade 8 made us immensely proud by securing the first place in the Under-15 Boys Category.



TAEKWONDO TORNADO





Facing hundreds of competitors under their respective weight categories, sisters Yusra Hussein and Nashrah Hussein brought home the Gold Medals in the Inter District Taekwondo Championship for the under 60 kgs and the under 30 kgs category respectively.

VISTA ADDS A FEATHER TO ITS CAP

Vista International School ranked 4th in Telangana and Hyderabad among International Day Schools
The school also ranked 4th in India and 1st in Telangana and Hyderabad for Design Thinking Leaders by Education World Magazine



NOVEMBER 2022

THE SPORTS PRODIGIES OF VIS

The profoundly talented athletes of Vista International School shone bright and exalted at Euphoria 2022 – the inter-school sports meet organised by Delhi Public School.



NOVEMBER 2022

SUDARSHANA SKATES HER WAY TO GLORY

In an exceptional display of the sport, Sudarshana of Grade 4 skated his way to win 2 gold and 1 silver medal in the District Level, 2 bronze and 1 gold medal in the State Level and found his place among the selected candidates for the National Level Skating Championship.





SHANVI BRINGS HOME GOLD



In a recently conducted Inter-School Gymnastics Competition by Rockerss Gymnastics Academy, Shanvi of Grade 1B stunned everyone with her performance, securing the gold medal.

SCHOOL ADDS A FEATHER TO ITS CAP

Another jewel was added to the ornate crown of Vista International School. In the K-12 WOW Awards presented by Global Business Reconnect, VIS was honoured for Eminence in Global Technological Exposure.



JANUARY 2023



OUR DANCING SUPERSTAR

Oorvika K of class 9 took her dedication and passion for dance to the next level by giving an exemplary performance in the dance form of Kuchipudi at an event organised in the Children's Government School, Bangkok, on their national Children's Day.

PRINCIPAL MA'AMS AWARD

The Principal of VIS, Ms Mary Shanti Priya was recognised as one of the Best Principal of the country of the year 2023, by a panel of jury in the 5th EduLeader Summit organised by Universal Mentors Association with Brainwonders.



PRINCIPAL MA'AM'S RECOGNITION

Our beloved Principal Ma'am, Ms. Mary Shanti Priya, has received the well-deserved recognition of being featured as the 'Top 10 Best Women in Education 2023' by Entrepreneur Magazine.



QUIZ CHAMPS



Our Vistaians brought glory to the school with their exemplary performance at the Inter-School quiz competition – Quiz Nerds – conducted by Indus Universal School at Sainikpuri on 5th January.

FEBRUARY 2023

VEDANT'S ACHIEVEMENT



Vedant Gundu got the well-deserved recognition at the Inter-School Sports Meet organised by Delhi Public School where he secured the 1st place in tennis. In another stupendous feat he won the 7 days Championship Series organised by All India Tennis Association (AITA).

THE AMAZING SKATERS OF VIS

The astoundingly agile young skaters of Vista International School stunned everyone with their brilliant performance in the recently conducted All India Open Skating Tournament – 2023.











FEBRUARY 2023

WHEN VISTAIANS SHONE BRIGHT

In the Talent Search Test organised by Helping Hands – a registered trust with the Government of Telangana, the Vistaians dazzled everyone with their intellect bagging the coveted top places in the test among 1200 participants from all over the twin cities.









MRIDHINI'S STUNNING PERFORMANCE

Our sprinting star Mridhini added another feather to her cap by securing the 1st place in the 1500 m U-17 race in the CBSE National Athletic Meet.





PRAHARSHA BRINGS GLORY

G. Praharsha of Grade 8 made us immensely proud with her spectacular performance at the State Championship and Trials for Sub Junior Artistic Gymnastics Championship, organised by Gymnastics Association of Telangana, where she bagged the 1st place.



FEBRUARY 2023

THE STUNNING SKATERS

The skating champs of VIS stunned everyone, yet again, with their amazing performance at the 1st Talent Hunt Roller Skating Competition – 2023 organised by Guru Roller and Ice-Skating Academy and Jitendra Roller and Ice-Skating Academy.







JUNE 2023





ANIRUDH'S FEAT OF EXCELLENCE

Anirudh A of Grade 10, stood proud and tall as one of the Top 100 Young Scientists from India chosen by Vikram Sarabhai Science Foundation. He successfully attended the 4 days 'Sarabhai Younglings Internship Program 2023' at Trivandrum on an 80% scholarship and received a medal and SPOT GENE Certificate from renowned Indian scientist Dr. G. Madhavan Nair.

Being one of the only 2 students selected from the state of Telangana, he also got the opportunity to explore the Vikram Sarabhai Science Centre, CSIR, NIIST, Sports Authority of India, Astrophysics Centre etc during his internship there. Our heartiest congratulations to him.

SWITHIN HITS THE BULLS EYE

Swithin Swaroop of Grade 8 cleared the State level shooting championships under the auspices of the Gagan Narang Sports Promotion Foundation as part of Khelo India. He goes on to participate in the South Zone competition next for pistol shooting.



JULY 2023

Science Olympiad Foundation
4h

SOF congratulates Ms. Mary Shanti Priya, principal, VISTA SCHOOL, Hyderabad on being felicitated with the SOF Best Distt Principal Award 2022-23



OUR LEADER SHINES BRIGHT

Ms. Mary Shanti Priya - the Principal of Vista International School has been recognised as 'SOF The Best District Principal' for the year 2022-23, by the Academic Council of Science Olympiad Foundation. This award recognised her leadership and initiatives that helped the Vistaians perform exceptionally well in the SOF Olympiad exam during the academic year 2022-23.

YAKSHA VEER'S AMAZING FEAT

aksha Veer made us immensely proud by winning the Under-8 singles Tennis Tournament at Lingampally, conducted on 2nd July, 2023 by Leo Tennis Academy. Our heartiest congratulations to our little champion.



MOKSHIT'S RISE TO GLORY

Mokshit P's unparalleled skill in chess got recognition as he stood 5th in the Under-15 category in SLAN Tournament.



AUGUST 2023



RISING ABOVE

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STARS AT DIPLOMATHON:

The Vistaians brought immense glory to the school with their outstanding performance at the Diplomathon Global Conference held on 12th and 13th August, 2023. Nishkka Oswal of Grade 9 bagged the first prize as Best Delegate and Jahnvi Soni of Grade 9 bagged the second prize with best commendation. The students are also invited to attend the Diplomathon Global Conference to be held at Indonesia.



VIS ADDS ANOTHER FEATHER TO ITS CAP

Adding another feather to our cap, Vista International School has been recognised for its outstanding performance in the KRUU Open Project Challenge, placing us among the top 30 schools in the region comprising of 484 schools and approximately 231,000 students. This is truly a proud and humbling moment for the staff and the students of VIS.





AUGUST 2023





ABHIGNYA'S FEAT

Our budding photographer, Abhignya of Grade 6, made us immensely proud with her recent achievement at the Nature Photography contest organised by Times NiE. Her pictures were selected as one of the top entries in the contest, for which she was felicitated at the awards ceremony organised at AMR Planet Mall, ECIL.

OUR BUDDING DIPLOMATS BRING GLORY



arshitha S, Anirudh T and D. Geethika made us immensely proud with their exemplary performance at the MUN hosted by Premia Academy, Attapur. While Harshitha S came back with the 'Best Delegate' trophy, Anirudh T got honourable mention and Geethika got a certificate of recognition.

THE VISTAIANS SHINE BRIGHT

The Vistaians made us incredibly proud with their exemplary performance at the Interschool Art and Literary Fest conducted by Meridian School, Kukatpally. The students brought home the 1st prize in Monologue, Ad Mad, Blurb and Mime and dance. They also brought home the third prize for Diorama.









SEPTEMBER 2023













SKATING CHAMPIONS

The adept skaters of VIS dazzled everyone with their exemplary performance at The Growing Tree 22nd Roller Skating Competition – 2030 (an Inter-school speed skating competition) at Gachibowli Stadium, bringing back 3 Gold Medals, 5 Silver Medals and 2 Bronze Medals. Our heartiest congratulations to the students and their coach.

FLYING HIGH

Adding yet another jewel to its crown, Vista International School has been felicitated at the K-12 Wow Awards by Global Business Connect, powered by Brain Wonders for Excellence in Adapting Technologies for Education Program. This recognition serves as renewed inspiration for us to keep moving full-steam ahead towards even greater heights of excellence.

LEADING WITH EXAMPLE



It is with immense pleasure that we announce that our beloved Principal Ma'am, Ms. Mary Shanti Priya has been recognised for Excellence in Promoting Life Skills Through Curriculum at VIS, at the K-12 Leader's Award by Eldrok India and Education India.



OCTOBER 2023



VIS RECEIVES A FITTING RECOGNITION

Vista International School has been awarded a title befitting its tireless commitment to provide the best possible learning environment for its students. The school has been recognised by Education Today as the 'Most Inspirational Secondary School' at the School Jury Awards 2023.

VIS SOARS HIGH, YET AGAIN

Vista International School received the fitting recognition as the top 4th school in India and the 1st in Telangana and Hyderabad for Career Counselling Leaders. This recognition, by Education World was presented to the school at the Education World Grand Jury India School Rankings 2023-24.





VIS STANDS TALL AND PROUD

Accolades keep pouring for Vista International School for its portentous journey in the field of education over the last decade. The school has been ranked as the top 4th International Day School in Hyderabad and Telangana. Heartiest congratulations to the team.

VIS APPLAUDED ONCE AGAIN:



We are elated to share that Vista International School has been given the Special Appreciation Award at 4th Telangana State Level Drawing Competition for hosting the District Level Event.

SUSTAINABLE CHAMPIONS GET RECOGNISED





Srikar Manikanta of Grade 9 and Srinidhi of Grade 3 were felicitated for their exemplary contribution towards GoSharpner projects that inspire students to take on sustainable development practices. The students were presented with a merit badge, a recognition poster and an Amazon voucher for their consistent sustainable practices.

NOVEMBER 2023





KHO-KHO CHAMPIONS SOAR HIGH:

The girls U-14 Kho-Kho team made us immensely proud by bagging the silver medal at SFA Championship. Heartiest congratulations to the players and their coach.

VISTAIANS SHINE BRIGHT AT MUN



Rithikanjani K and Harshitha S of Grade 10 made us immensely proud with their exemplary performance at the MUN event organised by Pragati School. Rithikanjani's indomitable performance helped her bag the Best Delegate Award while Harshitha's moving performance helped her get a special mention.

RISING TENNIS STAR:

Ishaan Soni of Grade 8 qualified to represent Telangana at the National level Tennis Championship.



SUDARSHANA SHINES AGAIN

Our little skating champion Sudarshana added another feather to his cap by winning the bronze medal forUnder-11 200m skating event at the SFA Championship. Our heartiest congratulations to the skating star.



YOUNG SKATING STAR RISES TO GLORY

Chayatriha of Grade 5C made us all proud by securing the first place and bagging the gold medal in the 9-11 category at the Inter-School Roller Skating Championship organised by GRS Academy.



DECEMBER 2023



SIRISH DWIVEDI MAKES A MARK

Vistaian flag flew high in the world of sports as Shirish Dwivedi of Grade 10 was selected into the Rangareddy district Cricket team, to participate in the State level SGFI tournament at Gadwal district. He and his team went on to win the first place at the tournament in the Under 17 category.

SANGAM TRISHALA DAZZLES EVERYONE

Sangam Trishala of Grade 9, won the silver medal at the SGF District Level Taekwondo Competition.





RECOGNITION BY BRAINFEED

VIS has been recognised for its pursuit of excellence in academics, teaching- learning systems and holistic student development by Brainfeed.



VIS - THE TRAILBLAZER

VIS was recognised as one of the top schools in the Southern and Western regions of India and was felicitated with the Brainfeed Trailblazer Award.



THE BEST IN THE GAME



VIS was awarded by Times Education Excellence Award for being the Best Design Thinking School in Hyderabad.

INDIA SCHOOL MERIT AWARD

Vista International School proudly adds another feather to its bejeweled cap by being ranked No.1 in India among CBSE schools for 'Integrated Learning'. This recognition comes after a survey conducted by Education Today, and was presented at their 'India School Merit Awards 2023'.



JANUARY 2024







THE YOUNG SKATERS BRING HOME GLORY

The young skaters of VIS got multiple accolades at the TSR Skating Competition 2024 organised by Youth Roller Skating Foundation. Their feat, as well as the able guidance of their coach was duly applauded.

YAKSHA VEER'S AMAZING FEAT

Anirudh T of class X has made the school proud by making it to the #1 spot at the TiE Young Entrepreneurs Awards 2023-24 for his ingenious app that aims to revolutionise pet care for conscientious pet parents.

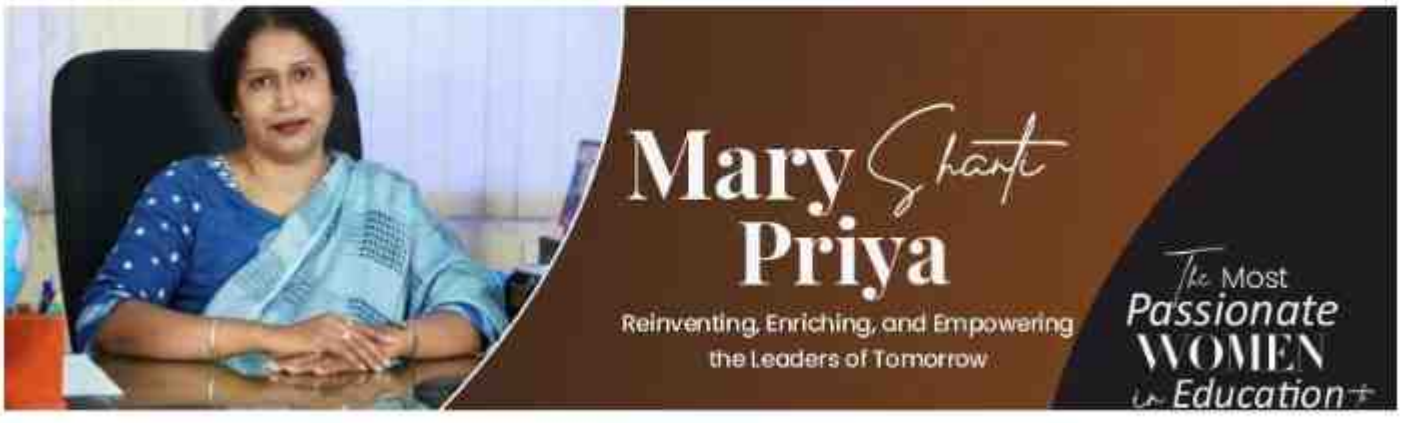


THE WHIZ KIDS GET APPLAUDED



In the fifth edition of the Times Inter School Quiz, among more than 9,000 participants from 72 city schools, Vista International School students not only qualified the prelims but also reached the semi-finals of this prestigious competition.

FEBRUARY 2024



RADIANT WITH PRIDE AND AWE

We are proud to inform that Women World India has named our distinguished Principal one of the Most Passionate Women in Education!

Her unwavering dedication and inspiring leadership shine brightly, illuminating the path for educators and learners alike. A truly awe-inspiring achievement that fills our school community with boundless pride and admiration!

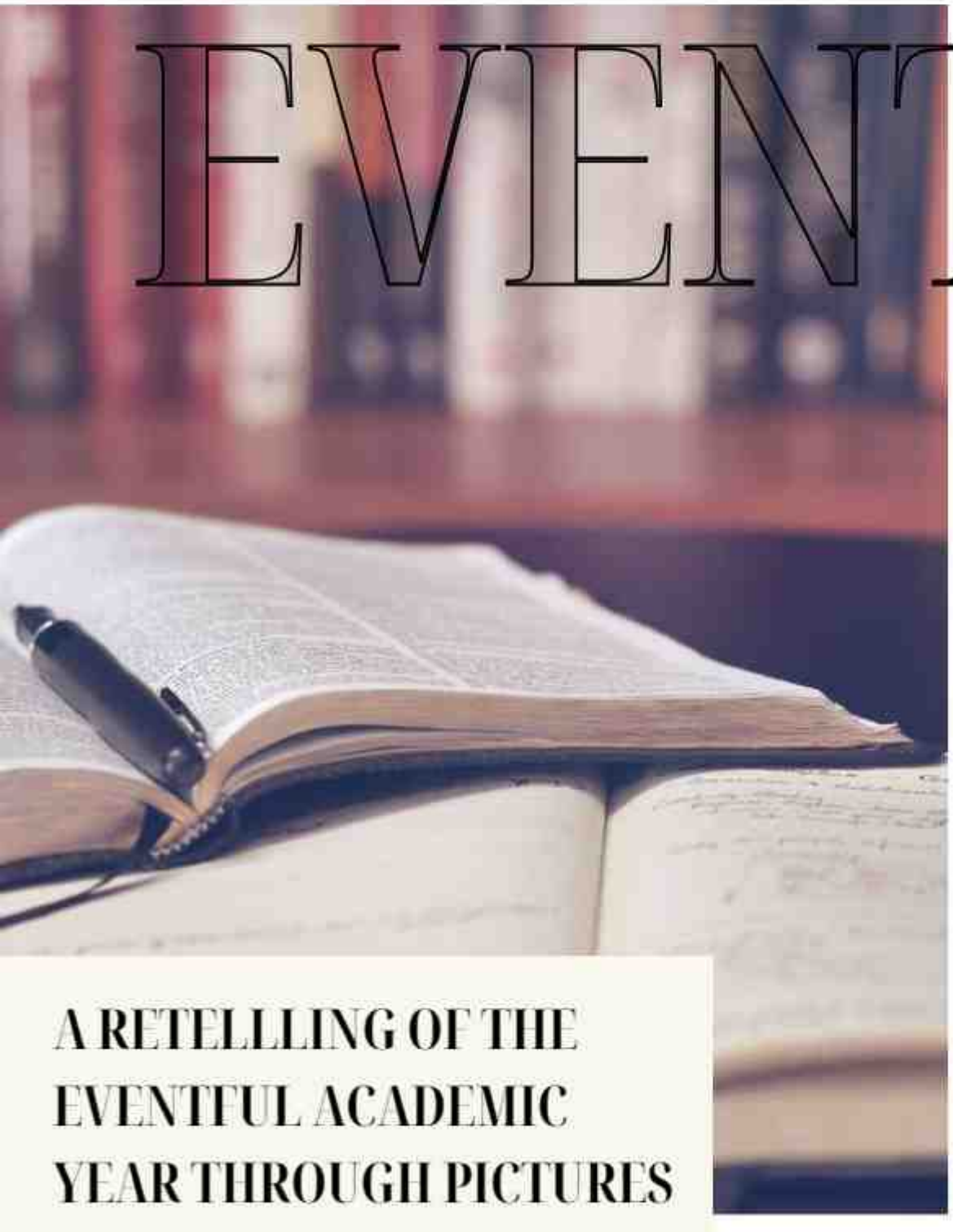
FROM THE DOJO TO VICTORY

V.K. Kanish, a third-grade student at Vista International School, Hyderabad, and Telangana, has secured silver at the esteemed 16th JKA India National KYU Championship in Goa. A proud moment for the school and state!


Telangana karate players pose at the 41st JKA Karate Nationals held at the Campal Sports Complex Indoor Stadium in Goa.



OUR EVENTS



VISTA | INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL

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A RETELLLING OF THE EVENTFUL ACADEMIC YEAR THROUGH PICTURES

New Wings, New Ways



The school grew its branches incorporating the IB PYP curriculum and taking bold strides ahead to keep giving the best possible education to the students under its wing. Here are the glimpses of that beautiful journey.













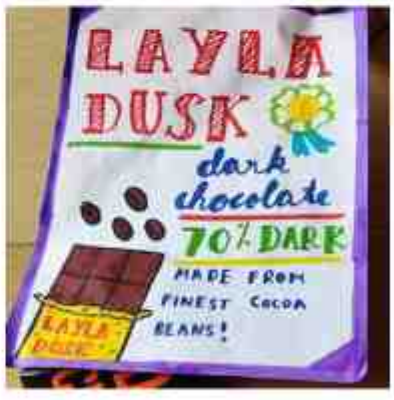
Investiture Ceremony



The Student Council for academic year 2022-23 were officially initiated into their ranks on 2nd July 2022, following a week of campaigning by the candidates and the school election. The Investiture Ceremony for both the Senior and Junior Student Council was attended by the proud parents of the new leaders with the Chairman of the School, Mr. Vellanki Rao and Mrs. Vijaya presiding as Chief Guest.

July- Literary Competition










The new academic session began with an exciting intra-school literary competition where students tested their mettle for wordplay.

The month of August brought with it an explosion of art with their students bringing their creative best to the table for the intra-school literary competition – Artsy Craftsy.









Artsy Craftsy -





Tempus Fugit

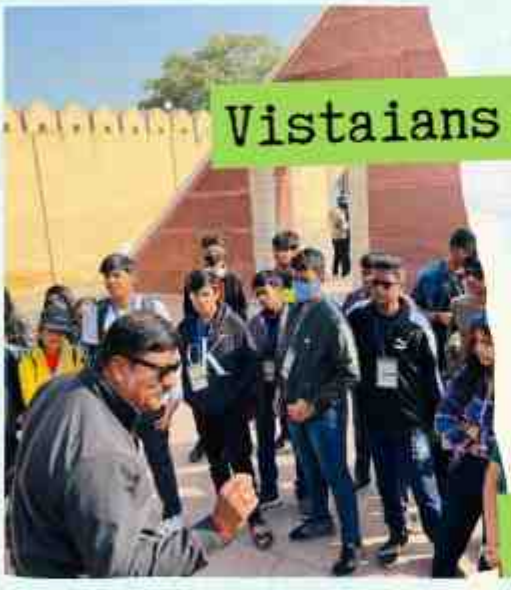
Vista International School's academic exhibition – was conducted on 5th November 2022. The event, graced by the presence of Dr. K. Babu Rao as the chief guest, had subject wise displays, working models and skits, encompassing language, science, social etc on the theme 'Time Flies'.







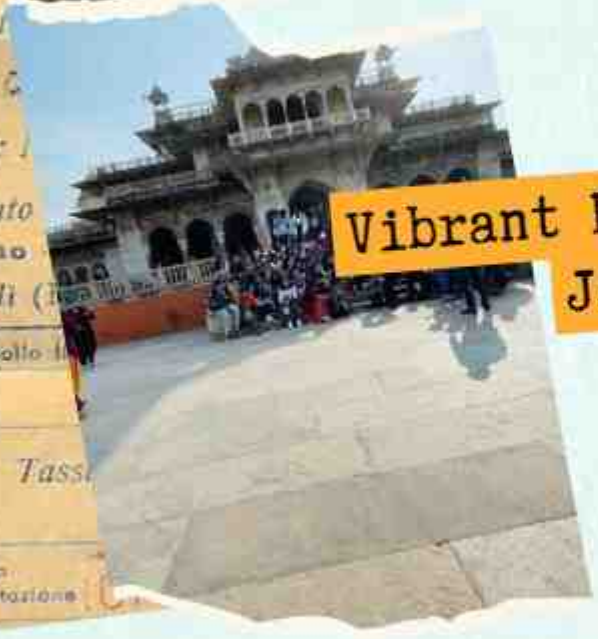
Vistaians Explore the Treasures of the Vibrant Pink City of Jaipur











The old-world charm of the city – with its intricate architectural marvels, history, culture, art and food - held them all in thrall. Students regaled in the stories of the city – as explained by the expert guide – tried their hand at block printing and blue pottery and nurtured themselves with the exquisite Marwari food. They came back with their soul satiated and memories to last a lifetime.

ART FUNDRAISER













Students had the unique chance to watch the stalwarts of the art world create their magic at a 4 day art workshop and fundraiser organised by the school in collaboration with Epic Trust's Dava Cana Project and Arogya Vahini.







ANNUAL SPORTS MEET
2022-23

CARPE DIEM













Vista International School hosted its Annual Sports Day – Carpe Diem with unmatched pomp and show. The event – divided into three segments, and graced by the presence of eminent personalities, - displayed the talent and prowess of our little Vistaians

PRAYER SERVICE

Grade 10

The school organised a Prayer Service for the students of grade 10 as they are all set to face their very first board examinations. Teachers led the students in prayer, reciting verses from the holy scriptures – guiding them towards the path of righteousness.















Pre-Primary Graduation

Students of PP2 took the big leap from Pre-Primary wing to the Primary wing. The school organised a dynamic graduation ceremony commemorating this milestone in their academic life.











Grade 5 Graduation

The school organised a graduation ceremony for the grade 5 students welcoming them from the Primary Wing to the Middle School Wing.



















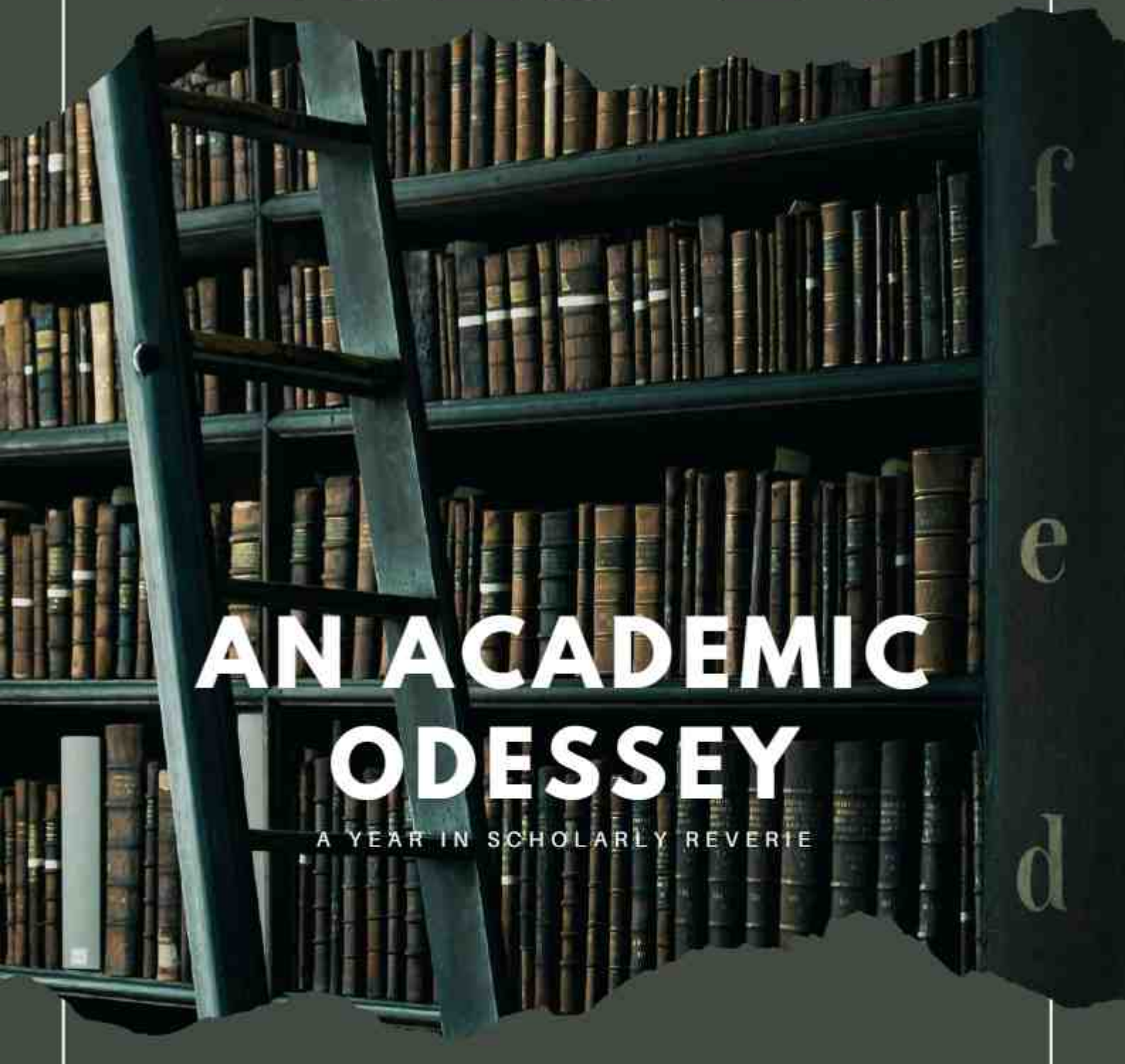
Class of 2022

In an emotionally charged program, the school bid farewell to its very first batch of Grade 12 students. The students, accompanied by their proud parents, spend a few hours fondly reminiscing their journey at VIS.

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EVENTS

2023-24



AN ACADEMIC ODESSEY

A YEAR IN SCHOLARLY REVERIE

Investiture Ceremony

2023-24



















The Investiture Ceremony, held with great fervor on June 17th, joyfully inaugurated the student leaders of VIS into their roles for the academic year 2023-24. Surrounded by their proud parents and supportive teachers, the elected members of the Student Council were warmly celebrated. With sashes adorning their shoulders, badges proudly displayed, and flags waving high, they passionately pledged to uphold the integrity of their positions and contribute wholeheartedly to propelling VIS towards a future brimming with success and distinction. This momentous occasion was witnessed with enthusiasm by the Principal, Vice-Principals, Coordinators, and the proud parents of the student leaders.

PLAYING FROM YOUR LIBRARY

2023



International Music Day
(ft. Vistaians)

Leo Tolstoy said, "Music is the shorthand of emotions". It can express profound emotions without uttering a single word. To celebrate this wonderous art, the students of Vista International School put up a marvelous performance commemorating 'Fete de la Musique' or International Music Day. The school choir enthralled the Vistaians with their rendition of a medley of beautiful, melodious songs. Expertly supported by their music teacher who played the keyboard and Ridhima of Grade 12, who played the guitar, the students held their audience captive with their enchanting performance.

LEARNING WITH A TWIST!







NOTHING LIKE THE FRESH AIR TO REVIVE THE INTELLECT- AS THE CHILDREN DISCOVERED WHEN THEY HAD A CLASS UNDER THE VERDANT SHADE OF A FRIENDLY TREE.

Students of Vista International School celebrated the 77th Independence Day of India with great pomp and show. The event was graced by the presence of Padmashri Katuru Narayana – rocket scientist and former Director of Satish Dhawan Space Centre, as the chief guest. Deftly anchored by the students of the Primary Wing, the event was filled with electrifying performances as students gave their very best for the Inter-House Singing and Dancing Competitions.







77TH INDEPENDENCE Day













ANNUAL SPORTS DAY

CITIUS ALTIUS FORTIUS

2023











The annual sports extravaganza, Citius Altius Fortius, lit up the VIS secondary wing with the fiery spirit of competition! Grades 6 and 7 kicked off the action on 5th August, while the big guns of grades 8-12 rocked the grounds on 20th August. Enthusiastic students flooded the school grounds, accompanied by their spirited parents who not only rooted for their offspring but also dived into some friendly family rivalries. From track to field, these young athletes unleashed their prowess, cheering on their teams and even their rivals, showcasing the epitome of sportsmanship!

Grand Book Fair

celebrating the exploration of knowledge









Vista International School inaugurated Reading 2023 India's School Grand Book Fair in collaboration with the Ministry of Culture. The book fair inaugurated by Principal Ma'am along with the students of Grade 12, offered a wide range of choice for the young readers to take their pick from.









Telugu Bhasha Diwas

Telugu Bhasha Diwas was celebrated with aplomb by the students of VIS. Replete with melodious songs, graceful dance and a humorous, yet enlightening skit, this celebration brought to light the beauty of Telugu language and why it is important for speakers of this language to embrace this wholeheartedly.

teachers Day

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In a jubilant tribute, students honored their teachers with heartfelt skits and melodious songs. Laughter filled the air as humorous acts unfolded, celebrating the cherished bond between mentors and learners on Teachers' Day.

Field Trips



The students of grade 6 had a productive and enjoyable trip to the Centre of Excellence, Horticulture, as part of their educational experience. The budding gardeners were delighted to learn about a wide variety of plants and enjoyed the hands-on experience. They came away clutching saplings and happy memories!



The students of grade 7 had a fruitful and fun field trip as they visited a sericulture farm. They walked through the process of production of silk and saw the various stages of production close up.







Students of Grade 8 spent a day with a farmer, studying soil, irrigation, plants, animal feed etc and felt the joy and satisfaction of planting saplings under the watchful eyes of experienced experts.





Children of grade 9 spent a day at the Masqati Dairy Processing Unit, assimilating the various aspects of the dairy industry- from collection to packaging. Guided by the experts, students came away with in-depth knowledge, detailed information, and fun memories!







Students of Grades 11-12 got a better look into the nitty gritty of handloom industry during their field trip to Handloom Park (Pochampally).







Students of Grade 10 visited Parle G factory as a part of their field trip. This visit helped them gain crucial insight into the skills, requirements and the intricacies that goes into making confectionaries.



Ethnic Day









After the rigours of the Term 1 exams, students had enjoyable few days of Bagless days and Field Trips. We wound down the Term with an Ethnic Day. Students came to school in their ethnic best, proudly displaying their traditions and roots. Craft based activities for the younger ones and garba, dandiya and bathukamma for the older kids helped wind up the Term-1 on a high note.

Children's Day

Grades 1-5











Children's Day

Grades 6-12



Children's Day was celebrated with unmatched pomp and splendour at VIS. The teachers put their best foot forward to present a spectacular show for the Vistaians. Dance, music, drama and lots of fun and laughter made that day truly memorable.





Annual Day

2023-24















Amidst a sea of enchantment, our primary school students took center stage, weaving magic through performances inspired by Snow White and Simba. With zest and zeal, they transported us to realms of fairy tales and African savannas, leaving hearts enchanted and spirits lifted on our school's annual day.

HSCP CORNER





FIRST AID TRAINING

Our teachers were trained to offer CPR and other first aid emergency procedures by experts





HEALTH CHECK

The health check inspector meticulously evaluates every aspect of the school, ensuring a safe and healthy environment for students and staff, prioritizing well-being and compliance with health standards.



VISIT TO THE SLNCALSS

Children visited the state-level NEP conference and Adolescent Life Skills Summit, immersing in educational discussions, leadership workshops, and holistic growth opportunities, fostering a brighter future for themselves and their communities.



FIRE SAFETY DRILL

A mock fire drill was organised on 06th October, 2023 to educate the Vistaians regarding the safe evacuation methods in case of a fire. This drill, organised along with the officers of the Vattinagulapally Fire Station helped the students understand and follow safe evacuation procedures, comprehend the protocol followed by the fore department in case of a mishap and also identify the various kinds of fire and the methods to contain or extinguish them.



















KEEPING AN EYE ON HEALTH









A health check-up camp was organised by the school to ensure that the Vistaians are growing according to the standard milestones, and to keep the parents updated in case any area requires attention.

Club Closure

2023-24











As a part of our Club Closure activities, our Grades 6 to 8 students put up an exhibition of the talents they acquired during their club classes. The Lit Clubbers showed their prowess in debates and MUNs. The Eco Club warriors found closure in the wilderness and put up stalls selling homemade items. The Equality Club modelled their principles through the medium of Nukkad Natak. The Lit Clubbers showed their prowess in debates and MUNs. The CSA club students visited the Cherish Orphanage and gave away the items collected at VIS. The Art and Craft Club showcased their artworks. The Tourism Club brought the world to our premises with displays of monuments and pictures. The Theatre Club put their acting foot forward, creating the visualisations of epics like Macbeth, All in all, the club closures provided us a sneak peek of our students' latent talents.















Prayer Ceremony













As Grade 10 and 12 students prepare diligently for their Board Examinations, VIS organizes a prayer meeting to seek the blessings of the Divine. Holy verses from various sacred scriptures are recited, aiming to inspire confidence and readiness in the students as they prepare to face the forthcoming challenges.

kindergarten graduation

With giggles and glee, our kids from Pre-Primary adorned in tiny caps and gowns bid adieu to kindergarten, setting sail towards primary school, their hearts brimming with excitement for the adventures that lie ahead.

























GRADE 5 GRADUATION



As the sun dipped low on the horizon, illuminating the faces of eager graduates, our Grade Five students stood tall, adorned in caps and gowns, marking their transition to middle school. With speeches filled with nostalgia and hope, they bid farewell to primary school, embracing the promise of new adventures and academic horizons ahead.

GRADUATION 2023















As an exciting academic year comes to an end, VIS witnessed the scholars of Grade 12 adorn their black gowns for their Graduation Ceremony. As their parents cheered them on, the Grade 12 students had an emotional day as they made new memories and bid their byes to their classmates and teachers.



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MUSINGS OF *Creativity*

A Tapestry of Artistic and Literary Brilliance Woven by Our Students



A PLACE OF BEAUTY

Vamsy K.
Grade 9

It's quite odd, the most memorable moments occur in the most strange or plain circumstances, like they want to catch you off guard before being ingrained in the deepest depths of your brain.

My strange circumstance was set close to midnight. I had just eaten my heart out in a nearby diner and was waiting by a bus stop, ready to get out of the small town I'd spent the past two days in. As I wait, longer and longer, it begins to drizzle. The drizzle evolves into a moderate rain that wets the dirt that I am standing on, turning it a dark brown. Cigar in hand, I can't help but smile as the drops of water fall on me, leaving a cold touch to my skin. I pull out a lighter from the pocket of my trench coat and proceed to light the cigar. Before it can reach my mouth, I hear a puff and the rattle of a motor approaching me. A bus shudders to a stop, inches away from my boots.

Just as the door opens and I place one foot inside, a drop of rain falls on the tip of my cigar, putting it out and causing it to slip out of my fingers. I sigh and get into the bus; I am already met with two problems as I do so. Firstly, the bus is crowded, people covered each nook and corner, leaving almost no seat empty. Secondly, who could I share a seat with even if there was space, I was soaking wet and quite hysterical.

Fate didn't seem to notice these problems; I doubt it ever does. From the corner of my eye, I see an empty seat, next to a man who seems to be soundly sleeping away.

I quickly take it without hesitation. I stretch my legs and turn to my left, catching the attire of the man next to me. He is covered by a brown shawl that covers his entire torso, a blue scarf covers the lower half of his head, revealing only his crooked nose and other bits of his olive-coloured skin along with wisps of grey hair. A long brimmed brown hat lay on his head, tilted so that his eyes are covered. I think nothing of the anonymous man until he starts to speak.

Hello," His voice is deep, deeper than mine,
I nod, although I doubted whether he'd seen me do it, "Hello, there,"
"You are dripping quite a lot, now aren't you?" he chuckles,
My cheeks flush, "The rain isn't very merciful,"
"True, true. So, where are you off to?"
I lick my lips "Memphis,"
"Oh, well then young man, what do you do?"
"I don't do much, I'm a traveller,"
He sits upright, his hat still tilted "I once was as well. Tell me, for what are you going through with your journey,"
I arch my eyebrows "What?"
"What is it that you travel for? What are you seeking?" he said again, this time sterner,

I think for a while and then face him, "I suppose I want to find the most beautiful place in the world,"
His scarf slowly loosens, "And what is the most beautiful place in the world supposed to be to you,"
"Well," I scratch my chin "A place that I can understand, remember, even narrate to the most minute details,"
He lets out a laugh, loud and one that disrupts the quiet tranquillity that the interior of the bus exhibits.
"Is that all? Well, it's actually quite simple to find the place you desire then,"
My eyebrows arch, "Excuse me?"
He exhales, "The place you are looking for, just think of the place you feel the most at home, at peace. Where you can not only see your surroundings but feel them. For me, that place is this town. It is as if it is a part of my very being,"
I try not to stifle out a laugh, "Believe me, sir. it is not as easy as that."
"Only if you don't know where place is for you,"
"No, it's more than that, it's-"

"Look," He turns his head to the window next to him, it shows off a clear view of the horizon, the full moon shining in its centre, "The moon, is it not beautiful? Hooked over green hills and stone and water and all life, draped in violet clouds. The night, devoid of all blazes, is somehow still illuminated by its quiet brilliance. The misty haze that surrounds it tries daringly to hide its sanctuary but is cut into pieces by its gleam. And the trees, they raise their branches, praying to its glow. Directly below it are dozens of tiny cottages, made of clay and wood and bricks. Puffs of smoke leave the chimneys of these abodes and dissipate into the sky. Every so often a glimmering sparkle appears in the midst of these houses, though nobody is awake. The sparkle seems to have conjured itself by its own will, it does so every night," as if on cue, a tiny flash occurs in the middle of the town, how it came to be, I had no idea, "Young man, you said you wanted to find a place you could narrate to the most minute detail, did I not do just that?"

I was taken aback, left speechless, but I had to say something, "But you were looking out of the window while you said that, merely stating what you saw,"

"That didn't explain the random sparkle though," I think to myself,

The man chuckles and takes off his hat, showing off his scarred head, with barely any strands of hair on it. He turns to me, his eyes are milk white, devoid of light.

He smiles, "What did I see?"

The man was blind.



Ishita Biswal Gr 10

THE RHTHYM OF TIME

Rithikanjani K
Grade 9D



Time has gone,
Wishing it could hold on.
Holding many moments with it,
Omitting many memories on its way,
As people say,
That memories weigh,
Deep in the large heart,
Recalling the cosiest of the past.

Time has gone,
When the smiles were genuine,
Driving the true essence in us.
When the relations were held firm
With concrete mixed with love.
Time has gone,

Bringing a change,
In our face and smiles
Carrying the spirit of our souls,
In its restrained hands

And finally, we realize in the wheel of time,
Our delighted soul is greater than the assets we held,
From the damp rain that drenched our body with tranquil souls,
To the first comrade we shared our aura with
The feeling we carried was indelible.

As time has and was gone teaching us
The very present moment we live contently.
Is the gleeful memory we will ever have future.



SAI SKANDA SALUNKE 8C

बढ़े चलो

G. JATIN RAM

फूल बिछे हो या काँटे हो ,
राह न अपनी छोड़ो तुम।
चाहे जो विपदाएँ आयें ,
मुख को ज़रा न मोड़ो तुम।
साथ रहें या रहें न साथी ,
हिम्मत मगर न छोड़ो तुम।
नहीं कृपा की भिक्षा मांगो ,
कर न दिन बन जोरो तुम ।
बस ईश्वर पर रखो भरोसा ,
पाठ प्रेम का पढ़े चलो ।
जब तक जान बनी हो तन में ,
तब तक आगे बढ़े चलो।



A PLAY OF WORDS

VARSHA ANANTANENI 8B

What is poetry? Is it rhyming words placed without a meaning? Or is it something deeper? Perhaps genuine feelings or wisdom and experiences to share. Yes, that is poetry. The beauty in words raised to the nth power is poetry. You just pen down your thoughts and feel them taking shape with similies, metaphors and alliteration.

Poems can be free verse or rhyming but can everyone compose them? Poems come from people passionately in love with language and speaking. That passion is in all of us.

From Sara Teasdale to Sylvia Plath to Maya Angelou, on themes like nature, travel, wisdom and truth, there are varied poems and numorous poets. You and I could be one too! We could live out our wildest imaginations through words. There are no limitations to pages and ideas.

Poetry is a big house with the sky as the roof and walls of impregnable meaning - as portrayed by Emily Dickenson. And yes, to be a poet is a condition,not a profession.



ARSHIKA JAIN 8A

GROWING OLD

Naman T.
6D

Growing older, life's journey unfolds
Each year brings wisdom, stories untold
Memories made; lessons learned
As we navigate what life has earned

The laughter and tears, the joy and the pain
The sunshine and rain, all part of the gain
We stand tall, we stumble and fall,
And rise again, through it all

Growing older, we find our way,
Our spirit remains, youthful and gay
We cherish the past, embrace the present,
And look forward to the future content

Our lives are a tapestry, woven with care,
Of laughter, of love, of moments to share
So, hold on tight, to those you hold dear,
And know that growing older is nothing to fear



Reya Garg 7C

FIVE ELEMENTS

Neil Alexander Omman
7B

Its just we five
The elements to survive,
We are the beginning of life,
And the ending of time.

I am the air that
Brings wishes and care.
I sway away minds
I am one of a kind.

I am water,
The universal Solvent,
Survival is for the fittest
But I conserve life forever.

I am fire
With a waring glare.
I am heat and light,
I, the source of power.

I am ice,
With a freezing sight,
I am the solid water,
I reflect the light.
I am earth,
The mother of life.
The tolerance of warmth
I am constant like time.
We are the five,
The source of life
But all sees us hidden
As we are forgotten.





CRISPR CAS9: REWRITING THE CODE OF LIFE

Advaitha M.
Grade 8A

DNA - The Code of Life

DNA or deoxyribonucleic acid is our hereditary genetic material. It determines our unique physical and behavioral traits. This has earned DNA the moniker 'the code of life'. This code of life is stored as very long sequences of polymers. The traits encoded in our DNA are decoded by a method called 'gene sequencing'.

Discovery of CRISPR

In 1990, Francisco Mojica, a graduate student at the University of Alicante, Spain, was working on his PhD dissertation on the DNA of a microorganism called archaea. While sequencing archaea's DNA, he found curious repeating palindromic DNA sequences with "empty spaces". These empty spaces contain no DNA code and are called spacer segments. Upon further investigation, he found out that a PhD student in Japan had also seen similar sequences in the Escherichium Coli bacteria.

Mojica termed these repeating sequences 'CRISPR', or 'Clustered Regularly Interspaced Short Palindromic Repeats'.

CRISPR – What does it do?

These repeats coded for a special viral defense system in the archaea and other bacteria. When a virus attacked a bacterium, it would immediately chop off a part of the viral genetic material using the CRISPR molecule and a CRISPR-associated enzyme termed Cas9.

This cleaved part would then be ingrained into the bacterium's genetic material to pass on the memory of the infection to its future generations. This way, if the same kind of virus attacked the offspring of the bacteria, the bacteria would know how to fight it off.

CRISPR & Gene Editing

Later, in 2009, researchers discovered molecules called crRNAs or CRISPR RNAs, which contain the genetic coding of the virus. Following this, French microbiologist Emmanuelle Charpentier began to investigate the components of the CRISPR system. She discovered an additional molecule called tracrRNA, or trans-activating CRISPR RNAs, which facilitated the making of crRNAs. She then collaborated with American biochemist and CRISPR researcher Jennifer Doudna to figure out the chemistry behind this system.

Once Charpentier and Doudna had figured out this system, they worked to program it into a tool that could edit human DNA. They engineered the system such that the Cas9 enzyme would have a guide molecule and a programmed gene sequence attached to it. Thus, human gene-editing was born.

The 2020 Nobel Prize in Chemistry was awarded to Dr Jennifer Doudna and Dr Emmanuelle Charpentier for "the development of a method for gene editing", which has truly revolutionized biology forever.



A WONDERFUL SEA

Srinidhi. A
6B

I was once a free fish swimming in the sea,
But then, few hands caught me
Now who knows, where my house will be
After hours in a packet of water I stayed
I felt very, very dismayed
Since I felt tired, I took a tiny nap,
Oh, I was dying of boredom during this long gap,
While I was asleep came a giant splash,
It woke me up and I felt like I got a rash
But luckily it wasn't really true,
When I saw around, I saw fishes in red, green and blue
Then, I thought how did I end up here from a cover,
When I saw above my head, I saw a glowing jellyfish hover
Then I turned around and saw the beauty around me
Why do I need to know how I got here
When I can be happy in this wonderful sea

THE LIFE

Mahika
7D

Owing to all the
strain and pain
You seem a bit broken
Nevertheless, you try, you may seem imperfect
Facing every strain and pain
These all may push you down
But never stop believing in yourself
Never forget your faith in God

One day you will prosper
Despite all the imperfections you went through
You will live happier than ever
With no strain and pain.



THE LIFE OF TIME



Siddhi Borgaonkar 8D



Dakshini Pradeep 8E

There was time once years ago
When there was life on earth below
Some real good life the people say
When there were breeds, pollution nay.

There is this time that now you see
There is no happiness, there is no glee
There is this greed that people call
That will end this earth once and for all.

There will be bad, there will be greed
In the vast future, there are some deeds
That will make this whole world beg for food
That will end this vast, great world for good.

In that crucial moment the world will realize
Till then the world will hold the surprise
Cause till the people accept the fact
There will be very big impact

Till then we wait and wait to move
Cause the movement against it starts with you
You are your own hero, the people say
So make that true and get up right away
Cause if you don't, the world will reek
Of sadness, sorrow in the deep.

M SHASHANK



MY RAINY PAST

Sadiya Fariha
8E



They come during my joy
Especially when I play,
They come when I am in pain
And wash my sorrows away.

They bring along the times with my friends
And there I was,
Reminiscing upon the past
Sitting alone in a bus.

My past was my beauty
Filled with memories of,
The young girl who once was
Fascinated with droplets of rain.



EXPLORE

Aishwarya B
6E

This big world
Ready to be explored
If I don't travel,
My happy face is loured.
My world is beautiful
And should be used for good,
And should be seen by the public,
Without any feud
You don't know a lot about me, I
travel like a hawk.
I want to be an archaeologist,
Yes, it's just a thought.

MY LAST DAY OF SCHOOL

Buvana
8E

I don't know how to feel
It will take time to heal
It will never be the same
Every time I see the photo frame.

Everything is bound to break
It's not always your mistake
Sometimes I wish I could
Stay back for my own good

Remember the good old days,
It wasn't merely just a phase
None can take your place
This is something to embrace.



ANNIKA V. 8A



ARSHIKA JAIN 8A



SIDDHI B. 8D

मानव का इतिहास

By Diya Priyesh

मानव का इतिहास करीब चालीस हजार लाख साल पुराना है। उस समय लोग यात्राएँ तो कर लेते थे पर सड़के नहीं थी। यातायात के आधुनि कसाधन नहीं थे। यातायात के समय के जीवन की परिस्थितियों की जानकारी प्राप्त करना ही हमारे अतीत की पहचानना है। हमारे अतीत में जो ज्ञान के भंडार है, उसका पता हमें पुरातन सामग्री, शिलालेख आदि से पता चलता है।

हमारे देश में विकसित नदी घाटी सभ्यताओं की जानकारी थी। हमे वहां खुदाई से प्राप्त टूटे भवनों, सिक्कों, बर्तनों, धातु, ओजार व ऐसी अनेको वस्तुएं मिलती है। जिनका उपयोग आदि मानव किया करते थे। आदि मानव झुण्ड बनाकर जंगलों में भोजन की तलाश मे घूमता रहता था। जानवरों का शिकार करके खाना, गुफाओं मे रहना, यही उनकी दिनचर्या हुआ करती थी। वह जंगली जानवरों के भय से गुफा के बाहर दरवाजे पर आग जलाकर अपनी रक्षा करता था। पत्थर से ही आग जलाता था। पत्थर के ही बर्तन एवं औजारों का उपयोग करता था। इस काल मे आदिमानव घुमक्कड़ जीवन बीतता था। वह छोटे समूह मे रहता था। समूह के नेता या मुखिया के साथ भोजन की तलाश मे उधर घूमता रहता था और जब एक स्थान पर भोजन समाप्त हो जाता तब वह दूसरे स्थान पर चला जाता था।

वह पत्थरों के छोटे छोटे टुकड़े काटकर पतली धार वाले हथियार, आरी, चाकू बनाकर उसका प्रयोग करने लगा। बड़े टुकड़ी से कुल्हाड़ी, हथौडा बनाकर लकड़ी काटने एवं अन्य उपयोग करने लगा। बाद में धीरे इन्हीं पत्थरों के औजारों में लकड़ी का हत्था डालकर और अच्छी तरह से उपयोग करने करने लगा।

प्रारम्भ में मनुष्य की कपड़े पहनने का ज्ञान नहीं था| वह पेड़ की छाल, बड़े बड़े पत्तों एवं जानवरों की खाल से ठंड के समय अपना बचाव करता था। बाद मे वह जानवरों को पालना, पौधे उगाना, अन्न पैदा करना आदि सीख गया, जिससे उसका घुमक्कड़ जीवन समाप्त हो गया और एक स्थान पर झोंपड़ी बनाकर रहने लग और खेती करने लगा।

धीरे-धीरे मानव ने धातु की खोती खोज की। स्थायी जीवन जीते हुए उसने पेड़ के मोटे तने को तुढ़कते हुए देखकर पहिया बनाना सीखा, जिससे गाड़ी बनाकर उपयोग करने लगा। पत्थर की चाक बनाकर मिट्टी के बर्तन बनाने लगा। गेहू, जऊ, और कपास की खेती करना, झोपड़ी बनाकर रहना, जानवर पालना आदि कार्य सीखकर वह अपनी आवश्यकताओं की पूर्ति करने लगा। जैसे-जैसे मानव समझदार होने लगा, वैसे-वैसे प्रकृति की उपासना, कपड़े बुनना आदि कार्य करने लगा। इस प्रकार आदिमानव का रहन सहन आदि पूर्व व्यवस्था से आगे बढ़ गया।





Well, its march now and it's been 3 years since covid - a lot has changed. We have gone back to school, yet the internet is a huge part of our lives. I think being cooped up in our houses without human contact really brings people insecurities to the fore-front, doesn't it? Then again there is a line between self-love and self-obsession. People will always be insecure and jealous which often sets the foundation to create a bully. So, let us all take a step forward and embrace ourselves.
Never be afraid to love yourself for who you are because there will always be someone lingering in the bushes ready to pounce. Bullies are just sad people who, deep down, cannot be happy with who they are.

LOVE YOURSELF

HARSHITHA GRADE 9

If you ever need help in school don't be afraid to ask for help from your teachers or fellow students. If you don't stand up for yourself, you're not standing up for the multiple other students who didn't have the chance. People will always have opinions but that doesn't mean they are true. At the end of the day, we are all still children and chances are, we'll make mistakes – quite a few of them. But our mistakes are the stepping stones towards a better future – not our entire identity. Mistakes are what we make, not who we are. If people tell you no one likes you for just being you, then those people aren't worth being around you.

You can do anything you want and let's be honest it's impossible for everyone to hate you and if they do they have low self-esteem and need a guinea pig to project it on.
Always remember to love yourself and don't be afraid to laugh out loud or doing things that you are insecure about.
At the end of the day, the beauty on the inside matters - not what's on the outside.



Arshika Jain 8A



Siddhi B. 8D

एक पेड़

Yashita
4E

यह एक पेड़ जो हम उगाते हैं।
पेड़ को ना काटो तो खाना और वायू दे ।
समझो तुम जो बोले पेड़ |
पेड़ ना कहता ना माँगता,
जो माँगे वह दे देता ।
माँ उगाउँगी और बड़े होता देखना चाहुँगी ।
बड़े होकर फल देता हमको ,
जो माँगता वह देता सबको ।
ना काटो यह पेड़ क्योंकि यह है,
प्रकृति की अनोखी देन ।

MEMORIES OF YOU

Sarayu Devulapalli
7D

Dear friend
I write this to you
While I reminisce about you

The cheerful soul of yours lit everyone's day up
The presence of you made everyone smile
But, that was until death took you away.

The silence that day was in despair
Maybe it was destiny
No one can determine
The memories of you wander around the air.
While the bitter taste of pain ate everyone up.
How badly I wanted to believe it was a lie
And everyone who knew about you too.

Now, I write to you, hoping you would read
Of how much I miss you, and others too.

बारिश पर कविता

Shrihaas

जब - जब पानी आता है,
पत्ते, फूल खिलाते हैं
बरखा रानी आती है,
रिमझिम पानी लाती है।
पानी आता झर –झर ह ,
बादल गरजने गर गर ।
बिजली रानी चमकती हैं,
लगता अच्छा नभ मंडला,
कभी आता पनि कम ,
कभी कही पर बाढ़ बोलती,
कभी बोलता सुखापन ।





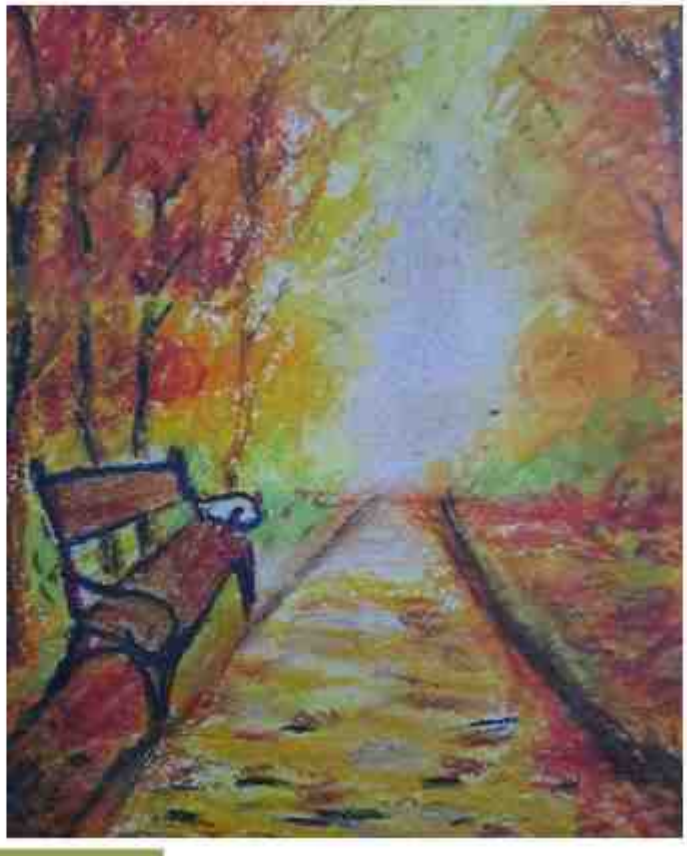
Sam Manuel Gr.10



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SIDDHI B. 8D



AADHYA PENMETSA 9A

OUR DESTINY OUR LIGHT

ADVAITHA GRADE 8

Do you think not, O girls,
That we have hidden ourselves too long
Waiting for our patriarch saviors,
Forgetting that we were so strong.

We have shut our own curtains
Never seen the daylight
We've cuffed our own hands
Let ourselves into this plight

Never have we seen the audience –
Witnessed the tumultuous applause
So now let's show them who we are
Let them know of our cause

This play-of life, women,
Can't be recognized 'til it's seen
So raise the curtains –
Let us rise unto light!



MAHANYA

DARKNESS AND LIGHT

Rohitha I

I only saw vicious waves of alluring black,
Mastered in the histrionic tones of the night.
But as I reckon, its considered beauty by few.
By those who give in and let themselves be swept.
One might ask for those helpless 4 o'clocks,
What it is to be enchanted,
And touched open by vespertine darkness.
But on my canvas of vast darkness,
Appeared a stroke of startling white.
As I look back, I reckon fate wanted to play.
The white spread at an agonizing pace.
However it felt like its pallid aura,
Blanketed over my canvas.
And somewhere along the way,
The black was mixed with a little brightness.
And the snow absorbed some of the night.
Now I see they are complimentary.
Your lively white to my deep black.

THAT ONE CLICK

Kushala Saisri
12A

Just one click, the world in our hands;
It brought us together and bonded us with our lands.
Tales from around the world unfurled;
A weighty tome it is all cherished and pearled.

Just one click, the world in our hands;
Families divided apart from land to land.
Stories differentiated from past to present;
And our merry childhood moments descent.

That one click, I always fail to understand,
If it is a boon or bane where it stands.
It's up to us now how we use;
If it's good or bad depends on how we muse.



एक कविता

प्रिशा प्रियलय

सुन्दर रूप इस धरा का,
आँचल जिसका नीला आकाश,
पर्वत जिसका ऊँचा मस्तक,
उस पर चाँद - सूरज की बिंदियों का ताज
नदियाँ- झरनों का छलकता लड़कपन
सतरंगी पुष्प-लताओं ने किया शृंगार
खेत-खलिहानों में लहलहाती फसले
बिखराती मंद - मंद मुस्कान

किताब

अधृत
4E

किताब हमें देता है जानकारी,
जैसे कारोड़पती बनने का बारी ।
किताब हमें देता है अनुभव,
जिससे मिलने में होता है संभव ।
किताब हमें अनुभव के साथ देता है कहानी,
जैसें कैसे बढ़ता है पानी का हानि ।
किताब हमें देता हैं मनोरंजन,
जिससे हमें देता है खुशी मन।

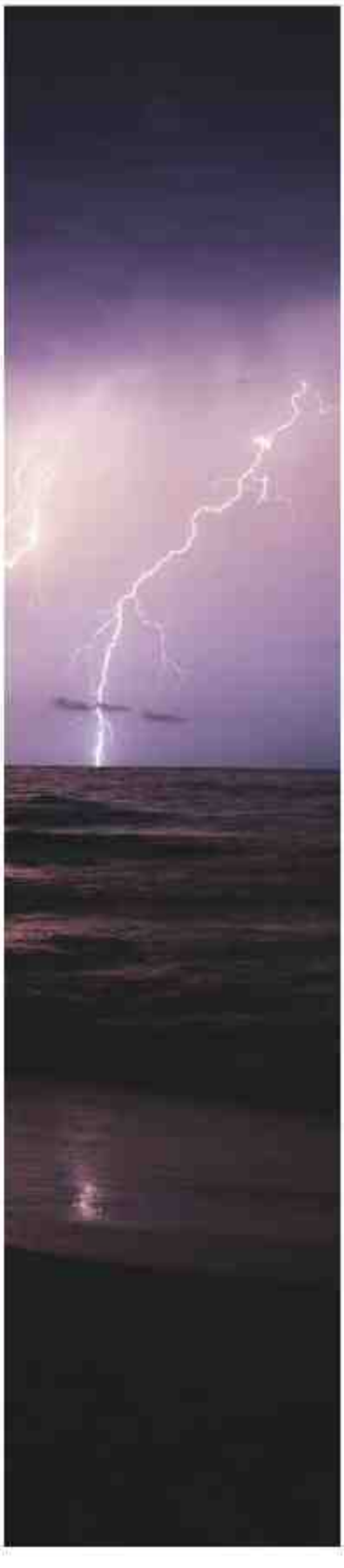


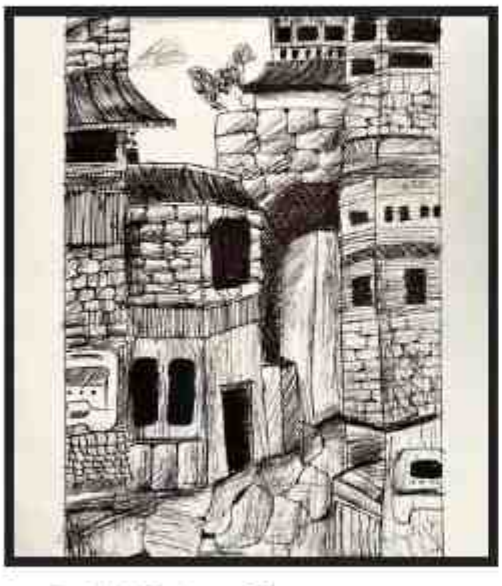
KRAKEN
THE LEGENDARY SEA MONSTER

G. Jatin Ram
4E

The kraken is a legendary sea monster of enormous size said to appear off the coast of Norway. The kraken were first spotted in the modern era in a travelogue by "Fransesco Negri" in 1700.

Legends say that the kraken could destroy entire ships and drag sailors to their doom. The kraken is a strong creature but it's not immortal. The krakens weakness is lightning , you could effectively damage it using lightning. The height of the kraken is about 153 ft(47 m) and its speed is about 65 mph (105 kmph) . They have three hearts, blue blood, a venomous beak and have no bones. Kraken is the only monster which could glide.





Dakshini Pradeep 8E



Arshika Jain 8A



मेरा प्रिय चश्मा

आद्या रस्तोगी

मेरा चश्मा मेरा प्रिय मित्र
उस से मैं देख पाती हूँ सारे सुन्दर चित्र
गोल-गोल है वो प्यारा प्यारा
दिखाए मुझे ये जग न्यारा-न्यारा।
बिना चश्मे के चश्मा ढूँढू कैसे
गिने न जाते बिना उसके मुझसे पैसे।
गाजर कद्दू खाऊँगी
चश्मे का नंबर कम कर दिखाऊँगी।
तब तक चश्मा है मेरा प्रिय अपना
उसके बिना जीवन लगे एक धुंधला सपना।





PEACOCK AND ME

Samhita.P
6D

The forest in front of my house,
With a lot of unsolved stories,
mysteries and doubts
Peacock dancing on the big, fat rocks,
Me seeing them dance every morning
While waiting for my bus, I see them
fuss,
I do see a few creepy animals roaming
around them,
They just enjoy without moving a step
left or right,
Even though when the animal is right
beside their sight
I think they are just ready to fight
Me saying bye to them, when I climb
the bus
Knowing I would not have any
response
But what if I .....?

ABOUT ME AND YOU

Neharika
gr 9

A Girl stood up
But never answered
No one asked
Nor did she tell

It seems that no one
Cared for her and
It hurt her that
Everyone kept her aside

No one cared about her
Only used her
No one saved her
But she saved them

But they never change



YOU WILL BLOOM



Ishita Biswal Gr 10

I study till dawn,
But there is always a frown
How many marks will the get?
Will it leave me in regret
Why is there always a test?
To know who is the best
Does it really matter?

Because it's not making us feel any better
They will say you a lot of things
But remember your everything
They will tell you it's righteous,
But keep your chin up in the crisis

So, no crying till the wars done
No crying because fighting has just begun
They make you live through the pressure,
live through the pain
Sacrifice you for nothing
but We are still dying in vain
At the end they will leave you in fumes

But always remember that you can still BLOOM.

S.Kaunain Fathima
12 B



Sai S. Salunke 8C

And then...she was gone.

Hansika S.
Grade 9

It was a cold monsoon morning in Hyderabad. The sun hidden from sight. Gigantic dark clouds loomed over the city, casting their shadows over buildings of concrete. The weather forecast on television hinted at heavy rains the previous night. The roads were swept with an eerie calmness.

Heather woke up to the rumbling sound of a thunderbolt. Everything seemed to have gotten blindingly bright for a millisecond before it was all pitch dark again. Heather sat on her bed and waited for her eyes to adjust to her surroundings. She raised her head and stretched her arms. Her eyes noticed something strange at the corner of the bedroom. A raven stared at her intently from the other side of her room window. It flapped its wings wildly several times before it took flight and strayed far away into the dark clouds.

" What a strange way to kick the day off ", Heather thought to herself as she looked up at her tilted wall clock. She got to her feet and walked toward the clock to set it straight. The time read " 8:00 AM. SUNDAY." Heather was a shy person who had an exceedingly small group of friends. Last week, they had all planned to meet on Sunday, at their favorite mall on the other end of the city. Heather dressed up and readied herself for the meet. She fancied dark coloured clothing. Bundled up in a matte black hoodie, charcoal gray trousers and violet shoes; she headed to the subway station across the street.

The usually crowded roads were now empty. And the subway barely carried any passengers. At the mall, her friends Airè, Blake, Steph and Kirk were waiting for her by the entrance. Smiles spread across their faces, they happily greeted Heather. They were strolling around the mall when Steph blurted out, " Haha... You and your long nails, Heather, they always get me. And they're painted in black. What are you? A witch? " . Heather was quick to reply, "Says the one who still wears a polka dot shirt like a 4 year old". And all of them let out laughs, sending echoes throughout the building.

Suddenly, the mall lights went out. Their laughter was followed by utter silence in the blink of a moment. The people around them were all silent too. They waited patiently for the lights to turn back on. The power came back after a short while. Heather and her friends were on the first floor of the mall as they started to take little strides across the floor tiles; when again, the lights went out. And they came back on. These fluctuations kept occurring for ten whole minutes. The friends decided to report the problem to the mall staff when the lights went out again. This time , they stayed out for a much longer time. Everything was pitch black. After what felt like an eternity, they were finally switched on. Heather frowned and looked at her friends. Airè and Blake shared the same faces of annoyance. They all turned to their right for Steph and Kirk, but they were nowhere to be seen. Dead corpses were spread across the floor beneath.

The three friends were flabbergasted. Their minds were frozen for a while before they came back to their senses. "Oh my god. what are we going to do NOW," cried Blake. "M-maybe they- they are just trying to Prank Us!" said Heather. "Y-y-yeah maybe, maybe they're hiding somewhere," Blake added. "B-b-but what kind of a kid in their r-right mind would be able to pull off s-s-such a prank." They gave terrified stares to one another. Airè gathered some courage and managed to say, "Blake, d-don't freak out.. we're gonna find them." in a comforting tone. Carefully tiptoeing their way across the corpses around them, the three girls tried to search for their friends, but they soon realized that all the stalls, elevators and escalators were locked up.

What even-" Airè said in astonishment. Just when Heather was about to say something, BOOM, there was another power cut. This time they decided to hold hands, Heather in the middle, Blake on the left and Airè on the right. They clasped each other's palms with all their strength. The only sound in the mall was that of sheer silence.

One from the trio started to breathe shakily. It turned out to be Blake. She said in a distressed voice, "Guys who's holding m-my left h-hand?". Airè took her phone out and switched the flashlight on. What they saw next was petrifying: a face with an evil grin spread across it- its eyes crimson red and teeth rotten. Without a second thought, Blake started running and screaming aimlessly. "PLEASE STOP! DO NOT RUN!! " Heather and Airè cried in unison. And just like that, she was gone too.

Heather and Airè were the last ones standing now. Silence switched to chaos when they both instantaneously started to hear gunshots being fired. It filled them with terror. The lights came back. They looked around for signs of danger. Everything was calm. But something was strange. They could not think properly. Airè finally noticed and tremblingly whispered "Heather.. how did we get to the 5th floor?" "Huh? What do you mean?" uttered Heather and took a short glance around. "WHAT.... HOW IN THE WORLD DID WE GET HERE?!!" she freaked out. The girls stood at one corner of the floor, not knowing what to do. Noticing a door slightly creak open, they walked across the 5th floor holding each other's hands.

To their surprise, no door, stall, or elevator was locked on this floor. "L-look, we can go search for them now" Airè suggested. Heather screamed "ARE YOU CRAZY?". "No, I'm not crazy. We must go search for them. We at least h-h-ave to try. They are o-our friends " replied Airè. "Not to be rude, but can you just hold your peace if you don't have anything smart to say? Because your suggestion of searching for our lost friends, whom we have no idea what happened to; seems to be completely crazy " Heather retorted. Airè tried to convince her saying "Dude now or never, we HAVE to go". "Airè, listen to me. We have NO idea what's happening to us. This is NOT a good idea.", Heather argued. Airè ignored the argument, left to another direction, and began her search. Heather was extremely upset. She turned away from Airè in anger.

Out of concern for her friend, she turned back. Now her last companion was gone too.... It was as if she disappeared into thin air. All alone now, Heather fell on her knees. Her palms were wet. Drops of sweat dripped down the tips of her long nails, washing away the black polish from them. Amidst the echoes of her sweat dropping to the floor, she heard loud thuds from behind.

She anxiously tilted her head backward. A large, black silhouette walked her way. " W-who a-are you?", Heather stuttered. "After all the trouble I had to go through, we finally meet". It was a voice Heather had heard before but seemed deeper and more intimidating than she recalled. She couldn't figure out whose voice it was. As the silhouette got closer and closer, its physical features got clearer to the eye. There was a raven sitting on its shoulder. It was a tall, imposing figure wearing a black robe. Its hands reached out of its robe to assist a knelt down Heather stand on her feet. Heather's arms trembled as she got up. She stared at the figure's palms. They were pale with long nails.... long nails polished and painted black. A perplexed Heather lowered her head to check the mysterious figure's feet. To her horror, it was wearing violet shoes, just like the ones she herself was wearing at the time. It revealed its face. The eyes were crimson red and teeth rotten - the face that Heather saw with her friends on the first floor. There was a distinct mole on its cheek. Exactly the same as the mole Heather had on hers. A shocked Heather trembled and asked again, " W-w-w-who are yo-o-u-u....".

" Me? I'm you from the future. I come from another dimension. I come to snatch the souls and the powers of all the people of the past so that I can be declared the supreme being of this universe." Revealing this, she showed Heather the watch wrapped around her wrist. The watch was unusual - nothing like any other watch Heather had ever seen before. The time read "5:00 PM" . The figure whispered to Heather, " You have to meet me at 4:30 PM on Sunday" . Heather, not understanding the situation, stuttered, "B-but it's already 5 'o clock. H-h-how can I m-meet you at 4:30?? " .

The next moment, everything blacks out. A loud thunderbolt wakes Heather up. She opens her eyes to find herself in her bedroom and realizes it was all just a dream. She takes a deep, long sigh of relief and laughs at herself for dreaming something as wacky as this. She raises her head and stares at a tilted wall clock. The time is " 8:00 AM. SUNDAY " . The sky is overcast by dark clouds. There is a Raven sitting by the bedroom window. It glares at Heather, as she watches it all in horror...





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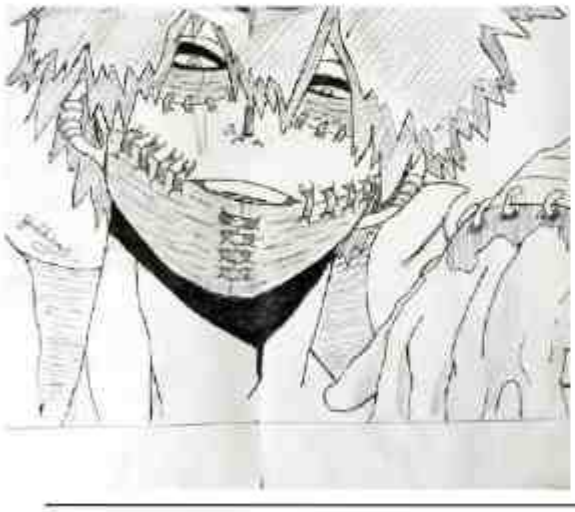
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HAS THE INTERNET MADE

SOCIETY BETTER?

By Olivea Daniel
Grade VI-B

The Internet is a global network of hundreds of computers and other electronic devices. It has transformed the way we communicate, access information, and much more.

However, the question of whether the internet has made society better remains a controversial issue. While some argue that the internet has had a positive impact on society, others maintain that its influence has been negative. In this essay, I will argue that the internet has made society better.

The internet has greatly improved communication. With social media platforms like Facebook, Instagram and X (previously Twitter) have made it easier for us to communicate with people from all over the world. The probability to connect with friends and family who are geographically distant has strengthened relationships and reduced feeling of isolation.

The internet has transformed education and learning. The internet has made information more accessible than ever before. Students can now access textbooks and research papers faster than ever. This has made it easier and affordable for people from all backgrounds to access information.

The internet has made it easier for people to be heard. It has made it easier for all business of all sizes to reach a wider audience and sell products globally. Social media platforms have also given a voice to people who were previously unheard.

However, it is also important to note the negative effects of the internet in the society. The spread of misinformation and fake news has led to the decrease of trust online. It has also caused many addictions, especially to young people. Many people are also cyberbullied online.

In conclusion, while the internet does have many negative impacts on society, its overall impact is positive. It has transformed the way we communicate, access information, and much more. The internet has greatly improved communication. It has transformed education and learning. It has made it easier for people to be heard. Therefore, the internet has made society better.



Sara K.
6D



Anonymous



Tanvi M.
5C

Changing the World

Krithika Reddipalli
Grade VI-B

Good Evening!!!

Hello everybody did you ever fought with someone or hurt somebody's feeling? Because I did and a second later, I felt so sad about what I did. I wanted to say sorry but felt ashamed and the day when I said sorry, she accepted my apologies and I felt happy, so the magical word is sorry. I am trying how much I can make earth to be kind but one person is not enough so I hope this lesson could spread to the world to change a lot of people hearts. I hope you will follow and that means a lot to me. I have drawn a picture which explains more about this. Follow this lesson we will make a great team.

"If not you then who?"
"If not now then when?"

A BOAT

Niranjan, 3C

I want to go on a boat
But I am afraid it won't float

The water was cold so I got my coat
And on the way, I want to see a goat

I am still afraid to go on a boat
because I will get wet clothes

Now I like boat ride,
that is what I will vote



Aaditri
1B



Aadit Kumar
7B



Yagnesh
8B

Rani Durgavati

Rani Durgavati's journey from a princess to the queen was full of challenges. She was born to a Chandela Rajput. She was married to King Dalpat the king of Gandwana (A tribe popular tribe during the 14th Century).

Despite the loss of her husband at a young age and their child being a minor she was a great ruler while raising her young son. Her leadership and determination were evident when she directly took control of one -third of the Garha Katanga all by herself.

She implemented progressive policies that promoted peace, trade, and goodwill. Beyond just ruling the Garha Katanga. Rani Durgavati was also renowned for her art of warfare. She was a skilled hunter. She fearlessly defended her kingdom against external threats.

Akbar defeated Malwa ruler Baz Bahadur and conquered Malwa. After which is the state boundary of Garha Katanga touched the Mughal Empire. One of the Mughal General, Khwaja Abdul Majid Asaf Khan desired the wealth of Gondwana. So he led the invasion of Gondwana.

When Rani heard about the invasion she decided to defend her kingdom although her Diwan warned her about the Mughal forces. She felt it was better to die than lead a disgraceful life in her own kingdom.

It was an unequal battle. She followed the famous guerilla attacks on Mughal forces. Her son also took place in this battle. Both of them were injured badly. When her son had to retire Rani refused to leave the battlefield but took out her dagger and killed herself.

Akbar's contemporary historian, Abul Fazal says that the Rani's courage, guidance and kindness was such that she brought the whole kingdom under her control and she was a great hunter than Abul Fazal. She is not a woman who died in the battlefield but a victorious queen who tried very courageously but had died by stabbing herself, on June 24th with her
dagger.

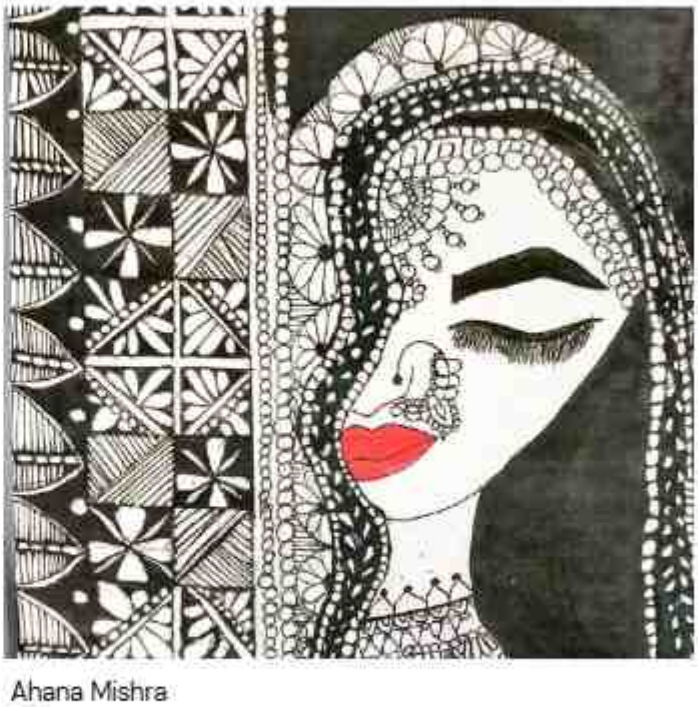
P. Harini Tapasya
8C

FRIENDS

Who are True

Rida Parveen
8D

Friends who are true;
Are really very few;
Do not make assumptions;
It will give u more of tensions;
Trust your friend as much as you can;
Or else they will leave you as fast as they can;
Friendship comes with trust;
Just as hard as earth's crust.



Ahana Mishra
5C

REFLECTIONS OF A JOURNEY'S END

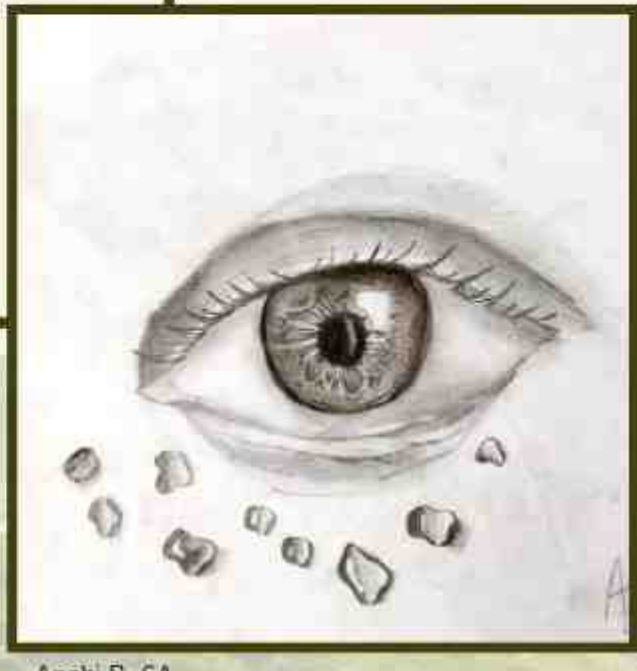
It's surprising that I have no memories of Grade 11 but that may be my fault. In 11th, I merely existed, but in 12th, I truly lived. It is a bittersweet to realize that there is an end to this journey. One that came much sooner than I'd have liked.

Since the start of the year, I've entertained this fantasy of breaking the classroom fan as a sort of farewell tradition before departing from this school for good. It felt like a rebellious gesture, a way to leave my mark. However, upon reflection, I've come to realize that I don't want to be remembered as someone who caused damage or disruption.
Despite the allure of the idea, I've had a change of heart. I've grown to appreciate the importance of leaving behind a positive legacy, one that reflects respect for my teachers and gratitude for the time spent in this school.

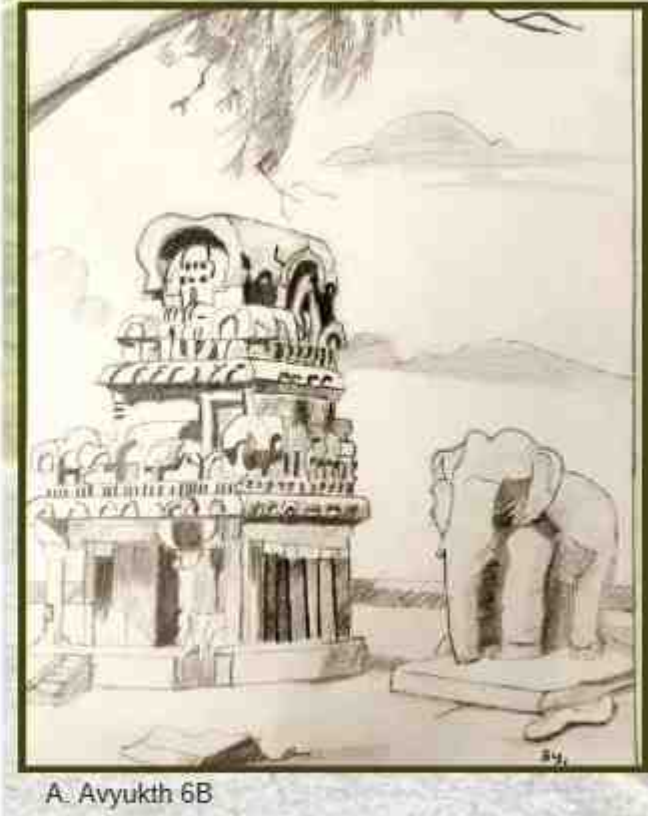
I mean to say that people change their minds and bend their opinions based on their environment. This school and my class have shaped me as a better person. We all have our turning points in life. I think mine started here.

In the 2022-2023 academic year, our class transformed from the most silent class to the most notorious. Human beings have this miraculous gift of making any place their home. Our personalities could not be any more different than they are, but still, we fit together like a jigsaw puzzle. We might be lazy, but we surely know how to have a good time on the days we were actually there.

Vaishnavi Panem
12-A (MPC)



Anshi B. 6A

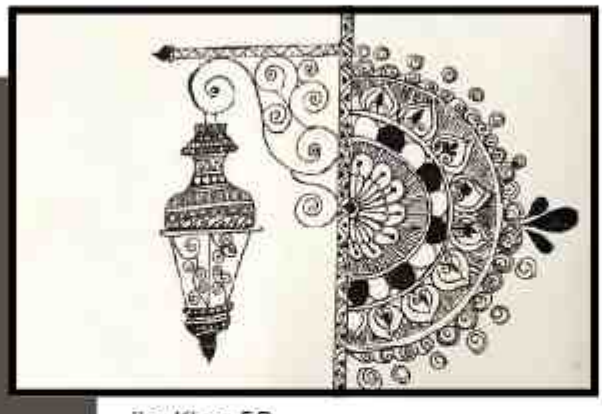


A. Avyukth 6B

My Sunshine

Nayonika Lasya Aripaka
3B

Good morning sunshine
You are so hot
And I say what?
I can't hear you
And you can't hear me!
You scare away the little stars
Because of your light
Yet, you hold my wishes
I want to meet you but you are so high
Can you come down ??
Here comes the moon
Bye my dear sunshine!!
And the next morning,
I see your comeback
From the cotton clouds
Just to make my wishes happen
And see how I blush !!



Iba Khan 5C

A CHOCOLATE

Srinidhi
7 C

Life is a piece of chocolate
some may like and some may hate

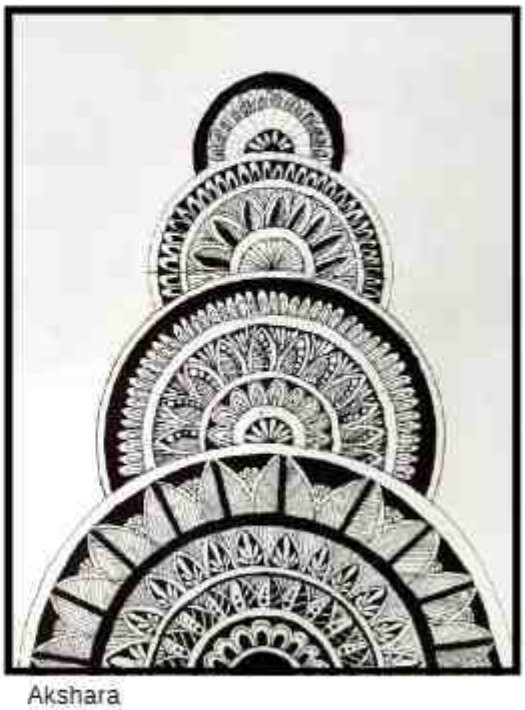
Happiness is a wonderful taste;
please don't let it go to waste!

It's your wish to eat it or not
but be careful don't eat a lot.

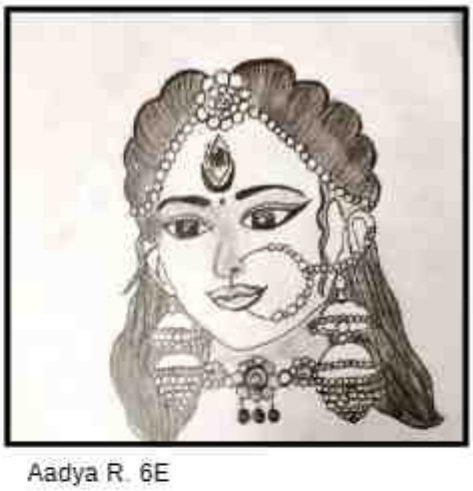
As it may cause a cavity
or a great difficulty

Hard work is the wrapper some may feel unnecessary
but remember, it is saving us from troubles unnecessary.

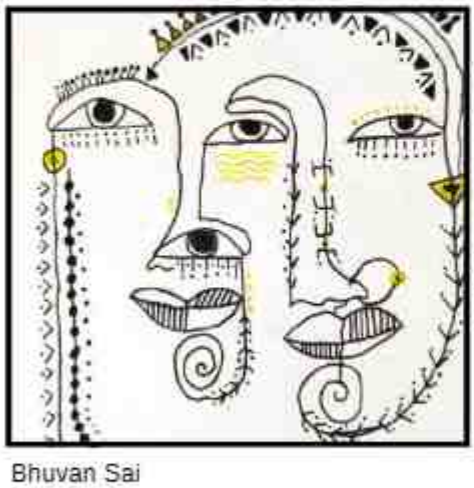
All these qualities make a tasty candy,
and also a human I call me.



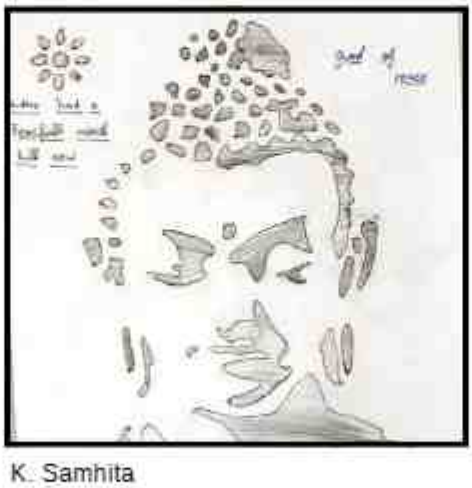
Akshara



Aadya R. 6E



Bhuvan Sai
5C



K. Samhita
6E



Ahana Mishra
5C

IN PRAISE OF OUR SCHOOL DAYS

In the halls of learning where time takes its toll,
In life's grand story, a chapter to unroll,
School, a haven where dreams find their wings,
Nurturing minds, where each heartbeat sings.

Among desks and echoes, friends take flight,
With laughter and joy, making each day bright.
The class clown brings smiles, a whimsical spree,
Spreading cheer and fun for all to see.

Books open slowly, on pages we write,
In the realm of studies, minds take their flight,
Pens on paper, thoughts intertwine,
Navigating knowledge, a journey divine.

Teachers with wisdom, guiding our way,
Illuminating futures, with each passing day,
Lessons wide-ranging, both near and far,
In the classroom journey, beneath knowledge's star.

Days unfold gently, like chapters unfold,
In the grand book of life, a story to be told,
School, a treasure trove where dreams come alive,
Nurturing minds, helping aspirations to thrive.

Halls echo with laughter, a joyous symphony,
Teachers as mentors, shaping destiny,
Each day unfolds with possibilities grand,
In the embrace of learning, where futures expand.



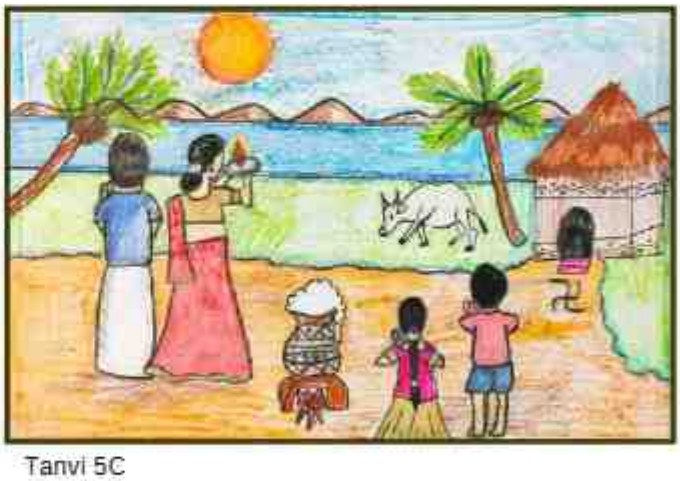
Ruhani 3B



Adhitri

Gratitude abounds for the memories we weave,
In the heart of education, where passions conceive,
For every moment cherished, every lesson learned,
In the tapestry of school, where success is earned.

S. Sahasra
6B



Tanvi 5C



JOYS OF CHILDHOOD



Poorvi Kundu 6F

Playing in the meadows,
Feeding birds in the windows.
Bathing in the streams,
And eating ice creams.

Listening to mesmerizing tales,
Walking on mud and leaving behind trails.
Laughing at each other,
Playing around with mother.

Jumping for joy in the rain,
Running down the lane.
Eating sweets,
And mimicking birds' tweets.

The little joys of childhood,
Which can lighten up the mood.
Is what we should cherish,
Till we all perish.

Shivansh Saran
6D





Pratichi Gouda
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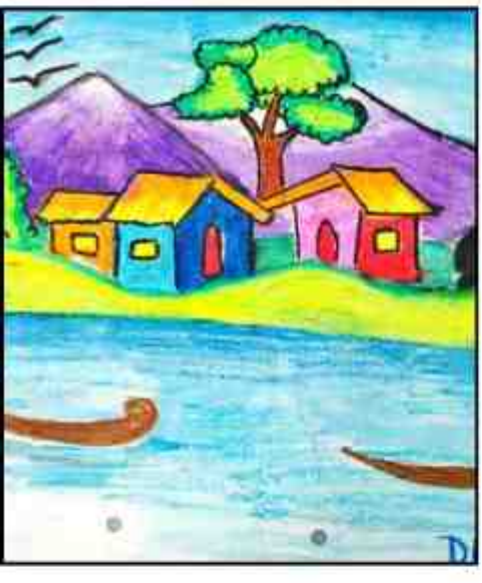
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Aaditya Anand 8E



THE RAIN



Sadiya Fariha
Grade 9E



Sadiya Fariha
Grade 9E

कुछ अनमोल रिश्ते

रिदा परवीन
8D

नाना ने मुझे चलना सिखाया,नानी ने मुझे गिरकर उठना सिखाया,चलते-चलते रुक जाँऊ जब,पापा ने मुझे आगे बढ़ाया,जीते-जीते थक गयी थी,जब मम्मी ने फिर दिया जलाया,ऐसी थी जिंदगी मेरी,चलते-चलते रुक जाउंगीसोचा नहीं था कि एक दिन,नानी से बिछड़ जाउंगी ,बहुत अच्छी थीं मेरी नानी,सबको समझा करतीं थीं,सिसकियां, ले-लेकर रोया करती थी मै,सब को चुप करते करते।मैं खुद खून के आँसू से रोती थी,वक्त मेरे लिए थम गया था,साँसे मुश्किल से ले पाती थी,कोई माने या न माने,नानी से मै बहुत प्यार किया करती थी।



Sadiya Fariha
Grade 9E

They come during my joy
especially when I play,
they come when I'm in pain
and wash my sorrows away.

I reminisce the times of sappiness
dreaming in the plane,
and then comes the happiness
of the same young girl in the rain.



Sadiya Fariha
Grade 9E

MY LIFE IS A JOURNEY

SRINIDHI A.
7C

My life is a journey,
In which I cross the ocean of worry,
Or maybe it is a trip on a boat,
In which above the sea bed of sadness I float,
Or maybe a trip on a big blue train
Which crushes with it's wheels, the train tracks of pain
Or maybe a trip in a car, which takes you to success
which is really far,
Traveling is nice, traveling is good,
Try and travel as much as you can.



SAATVIK V.

LIFE

SAHIITYA
3E

Life is Tough ... Not if you are Rough
Minute by minute ,Second by second ,Anything can happen...So, be open!!!
You cannot predict the Future ,After all you are just god's CreatureCherish your happiness...Share your kindness...Eliminate your Anger , Elevate your Humor
No one can help you ...No one can save you...You be yourself...Motivate yourself
Life is Tough ... Not if you are Rough



D. BHRITI 4E



M. RASHMIKA 7D



JAANVI V. 6D

I DREAM

SHAYAK BERA 8C

dream of a world
Of beauty unseen
The only earth
for nature so serene

A world where truth prospers
Cease to exist the bonds of atrocities
A world where divinity confers
Purity resides within all entities

A charming world, posing peace,
Every being feels endowed
A world that grants every need
A world so blissful and sound

A world absolutely viceless,
Flawless, pleasant, and blessed
A world that possesses limitless
Wisdom, virtues, and strength

I dream of a world
Where success marches and parades
The only earth
That the reality still awaits



SHAYAK BERA 8C

TIME



By Gaurisha Rastogi
Grade

The clock hand marches fast, Time's restless, moments pass. Don't let them fade in shadows deep, cherish the present, memories to keep. Like a hummingbird's swift, bright blur, Life rushes by, a fleeting stir. Don't wait for perfect, seize the hour. Don't let fear steal your inner power. Don't be a statue, frozen deep, Live loud, live fierce, your passions reap.
Time
Gaurisha Rastogi Grade



KAVYA IYER 6C



JAHNAVI SRI 6E



TANISHA K. 5A



JAIDEEP N. 68



Saatvik V.

THERE'S NO TIME

Sahasra Arya
5D



Srihaas M.
5C

I don't have time to write this poem ....On Time
I know this will not take.....Much Time
But my Teacher may ask.....Any Time
So started writing .....This Time
Let's see it takes how ..... Much Time
This is the ..... First Time, Taking .....Long Time
But sure this will impact ..... Big Time

Asked my father's time to help me but he said ..... No Time
Later reached my mother , she said ..... Some other Time
Finally I thought this is ..... High Time
Work for ..... Some Time and finish it ..... On Time

After you read this you should not think I wasted ..... Your Time
If I do not get prize ..... This Time
Better luck ..... Next Time



They
Of The World

P. Rushitha
8B

Where the tide meets the land,
When the sun at his highest, there stands.
Both the men and women who make up this world,
And I don't speak of Adam and Eve,
On the contrary, they are you and me.
With a pride as tall as ourselves
Eyes facing the blinding sun itself,
And daring to declare its removal from the world,
If only we really truly wished it,
Despite knowing neither can we or will we.
And that is the peak of our arrogance,
While ignoring our drowning feet,
As the very soil pulls us beneath,
And all we think about is the drowning sun, with a prideful smirk.

Yet those eyes water, and not because of the blinding rays,
But because of their own psyche haunting themselves.
And suddenly they don't seem any more arrogant.
How many scars have you? I ask.
Why to conceal, when they could heal?
The pride of a soldier, Alas!
And that's what makes the man and woman,
Gazing across the shore so beautiful.
Their arrogant smile and tearful wise eyes,
Looking forward to a more beautiful day,
and perhaps there will be one,
But they will not be there to see it,
For they have already drowned in the soil,
That once saw to their every need.



Shreyansh
8D



Rishi Vasupalli



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