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E-Newsletter

“ UDAAN ”

2021-22

(October to March)



Ms Babita Singh
Founder Principal
Birla Public School Ganganagar



“Education is a shared commitment between dedicated teachers, motivated students and enthusiastic parents with high expectations.”

A journey of a thousand miles begins with a single step, and the remarkable journey of BPSG began three years ago on April 14, 2019 with 175 students since then there has been no looking back and now the number is more than 600 students. The school has set challenging objectives and has explored new horizons. It scaled new heights as it unveiled new vistas. Success is possible when one has an ardent faith in it. With its rich conducive learning environment, BPSG has earned the coveted recognition in Ganganagar even in the hard times of Covid 19 Pandemic.

All this would not have been possible without the support and cooperation of Director, BET Pilani Maj. Gen. S. S. Nair, AVSM (Retd.) and I am proud of BPSG team both teaching staff and non teaching staff as they all continued to demonstrate diligence, motivation and determination to work to the best of their abilities. I would also like to acknowledge the Bursar Mr. Ritesh Singhal for his commitment to school and has always been ready round the clock for the school.

A big hand for all the teachers, students and parents for their continued support. All our parents had acted as stake holders who always exhibited and yielded an overwhelming response in all the initiatives taken by the school to provide quality education. As co partners in the holistic growth of the learners, the parents welcomed every new step with praises and words of encouragement.

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The year 2021 has been a year of transformation as learning shifted from physical classrooms to virtual platform. The school left no stone unturned to equip the students with well- chiselled curriculum and technology through online classes.

It is my great pleasure to welcome all our readers to our E-newsletter. This newsletter will serve as a window through which the complete profile of the curricular and co-curricular activities, achievements and progress made from Oct to Mar can be viewed by everyone. It has been a delight to see our young students unleash their creativity with our virtual Summer Break Bonanza and all the other events held in the said months. The excitement and energy have been palpable every day, reinforcing our commitment to get children learn 21st century skills. I appreciate the teachers, students and parents' efforts in making the events productive and recreational for our children.

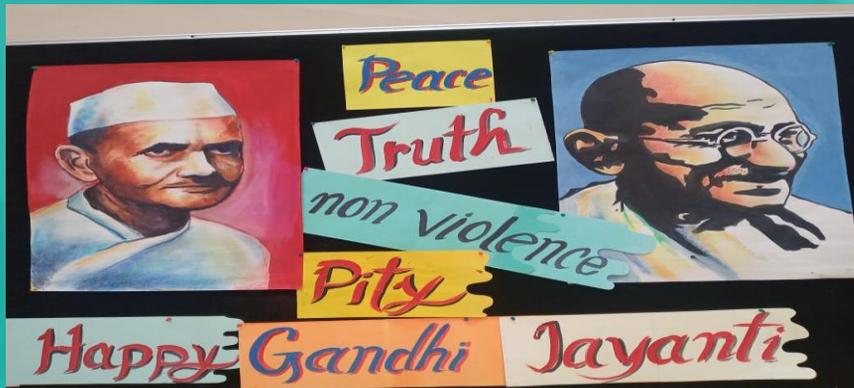
We believe that this is the time to not just deal with the current emergency, but also build foundations of resilience to face such difficult events in the future. Let us consider this formidable challenge as an opportunity to learn and must rise to meet this bravely. We shouldn't let the pandemic pin us down. We must remain positive and keep our hopes alive as I believe that "Nothing is predestined. The obstacles of our past can become the gateways that lead to new beginnings".

Shaping Peace Together

GANDHI JAYANTI CELEBRATION

Classes: III - X

To proclaim the glory of Gandhiji who devoted his life to India's Independence by using his strong weapon 'Nonviolence'. The day was also celebrated on 1st October 2021 to pay tribute to Lal Bahadur Shastri, second Prime Minister of India and a great leader with gusto and fervour coupled with an array of colourful events such as a Bhajan Gayan Competition (for classes III to X), a skit (Glory of Mahatma), a dance (Remembering) and a group song. The unparalleled zeal and enthusiasm of the participants were instrumental in helping to realise the dream of Mahatma Gandhi. The act on Mahatma referred to the freedom struggle in order to bring out his greatness, dedication to Ahimsa; and the crucial role he played in the liberation of the country.



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The Triumph of Good Over Evil

DUSSEHRA CELEBRATIONS

Classes: III - X

Keeping the festive spirit alive, Dussehra was celebrated both virtually and physically on 13th October 2021. Various activities including speeches on Dussehra, One Act Play (Ramayan Chitrangan), a song "Vijayadashmi Manayenge", a dance "Aigiri Nandini" and Dandiya Performance by BPSG Teachers glorified the occasion. To mark Lord Rama's victory over Ravana and to reinforce the message that good always triumphs over evil, Students dressed up as Lord Ram, Sita, Laxman and Hanuman spoke about the significance of the festival. The Principal blessed the participants and students, while inspiring them to follow the path of truth.

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Parents' Meeting with the Principal

Class: X

An interactive session was chaired on 21st October 2021, by the Principal with the parents of class X, regarding the changes in the policy and pattern of Term I examination for class X. The Principal along with the subject teachers eased the anxiety of the parents regarding the same. The Q/A Round witnessed overwhelmed parents pouring questions which were adequately and convincingly addressed. The edifying and interactive session, organized and executed seamlessly won the appreciation from one and all.



DIWALI CELEBRATIONS

Classes: NUR-X



In BPSG the festival of lights was celebrated on 2nd November 2021 with devotion and homage. The commencement of the programme was the “Laxmi Ganesh Pujan” which created a complete devotional and peaceful ambience. The Principal and the entire staff members paid homage to Lord Ganesh and Goddess Laxmi with sublime devotion.

The entire campus was ornamented with glowing diyas and colourful rangolis. After the puja, prasada was distributed among students and staff members. An Inter-House Rangoli Competition bejewelled the campus with excellent pieces of art by different houses.



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Listen to Your Art

AN EVENT BY ART- CLUB

Classes: III- IX

Art club provides a platform to all students so they can explore their imagination and creativity and allow them to express their feelings by creating a new vision of space. Students have unique ideas and powerful imaginations and need the space to work through their artistic expression on their own terms, with an objective and have no boundaries. An Art event was organized on 3rd November 2021 to enhance the reasoning, logical and thinking process of the students by creating visual arts that must be able to familiarize themselves and relate it with the concept of self-expression through the art activities. It encouraged the child's self-expression through process of oriented art. The students participated in activities like paper craft, handprint, Ravana mask making, landscape painting, Rangoli making etc.



MATHEMATICS EVENT- FACE OFF INTEGERS

Class: VI

Adding positive and negative numbers can be a tricky concept. This “Face Off Integers” event was organized by Maths Department on 9th November 2021 to give the students some fun practice and help them gain confidence. The event helped the learners to showcase their skills on the topic of their choice based on different visual and creative based processes. This event also helped the learners to improve their knowledge related to the topic and the ways to use them in their daily life.



CHILDREN'S DAY CELEBRATION

Classes: Nursery to X

Children are loved by one and all. They win our hearts with their innocent smiles. On 15th November 2021, BPSG celebrated Children's Day with an amalgamation of interesting and exciting events. It was conducted in the lap of nature, in the green field of BPSG. The students were segregated according to their houses and contended in different competitions such as Cone Ball, Handkerchief Competition, Art Competition, Talent Competition. All the houses cheered a lot for the Relay Competition. All the houses gave a very tough competition to each other. All the students showed a great sense of sportsmanship.



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Maths with MOM

Class: III

The Maths Dept. conducted an event on 22nd November 2021, for class III named “Maths with MOM” to enhance the reasoning, logical and thinking process of the students by creating visual arts that must be able to familiarize themselves and relate it with the concept of mathematics in their day-to-day life. In this event, students performed about quantity of things among peers. As the event was associated with kitchen, students used the pizza base, cookies, bread etc to present their concept and co-relate it with real time activities.

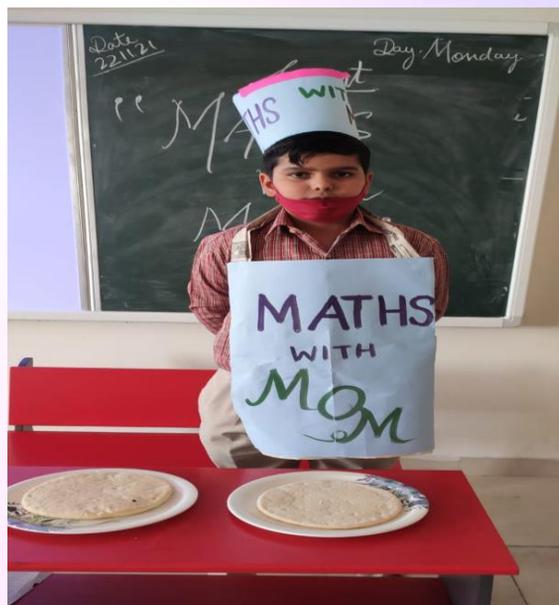
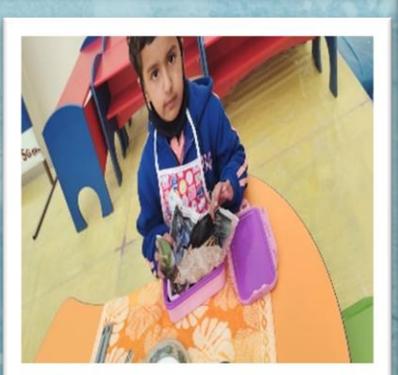
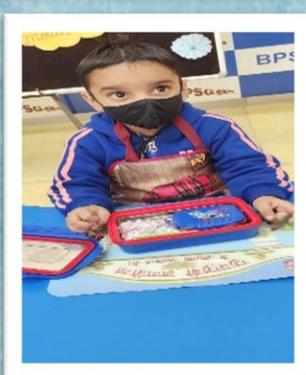


TABLE MANNERS ETIQUETTE

Class: Nursery to U.K.G



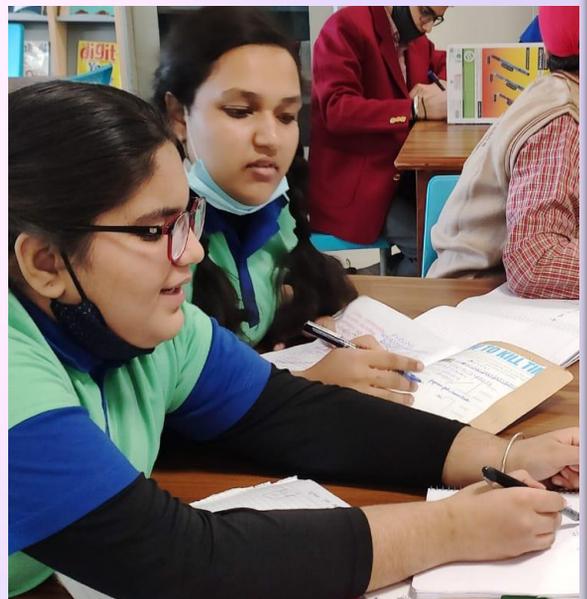
The event was organized on 22nd November 2021 in which students were made aware about table manners that they must follow while having meals. Students were asked to represent their meals and its associated steps. First, they would wash hands , then sitting straight, settling the things before eating, thanking to God and there were some rules which were mentioned by the students like not eating mouthful, not to talk while eating and many other rules were told by the teachers and presented by the students.



MATHEMATICS EVENT-EXPONENTS BATTLE

Class: IX

The Maths Dept. had conducted an event on 23rd November 2021 for class IX named “**Exponents Battle- Quiz**”. To enhance the reasoning, logical and thinking processes of the students, quizzes were conducted for different age groups and over varying culture. Quizzes improve and expand one’s knowledge of things, either general or in specific area. Quizzes were designed to promote a fun way to study and in the process, helped improving students' general knowledge. The students were marked according to their performance and on the decided rubrics.





READ THE TIME

Classes: I & II

“Time is the wisest counsellors of all”



An event was organized on 26th November 2021 for class I named **“Read the Time”**. Students got the opportunity to show and share their talent with the help of the enriching activities that blended fun and learning. The event encouraged individual student for learning by doing and enhanced the thinking skills about hour and minute hands. The event enhanced the ability of accessing and analysing things in a joyful manner.

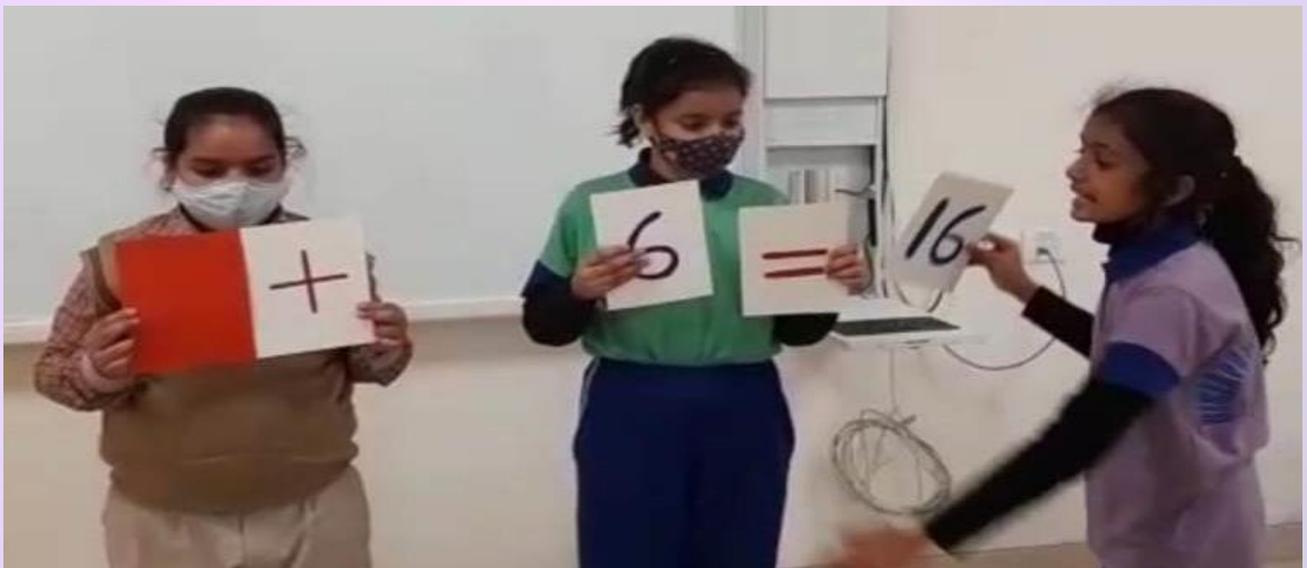
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MATHS DETECTIVE

Class: IV

The Maths Dept. conducted an event on 26th November 2021 for class IV named “**Maths Detective**”. Mathematics event was organized to enhance the reasoning, logical and thinking processes of the students by creating visual arts that familiarized themselves and related it with the concept of mathematics in their day-to-day life. The students were judged according to their performance and on the decided rubrics. There were total four topics from which they could choose any of them and showed their creation.



CLASS PRESENTATION

Class: I

Environmental Education is not always about gaining bookish knowledge. It is about the practical knowledge of nurturing, protecting and solving issues related to environment. The Modern Education System tells us to have a hand on experience on such issues. Keeping the aspect in our mind a class presentation related to the environmental phenomenon problems and their solutions was displayed on 10th December 2022 by the young environmentalists of classes I.



MATHS EVERYWHERE

Class: VIII

“Mathematics is the music of reason”

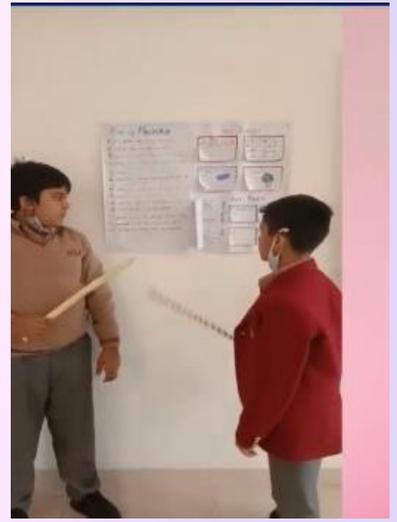
The Mathematics Department conducted an event on 29th November 2021, for class VIII named **“Maths Everywhere”**. The event helped the learners to showcase their skills on the topic of their choice based on different thinking and logical reasoning processes. This event helped the learners to improve their knowledge related to the topic and how to use them in their daily life.



FACTORS RIDE

Class: V

The Mathematics Department had conducted an event on 30th November 2021 for class V named “FACTORS RIDE”. Students had to select their topics and give a presentation on that. They were judged according to their confidence, skills involved, participation and knowledge. The students learnt about different concepts of factors and their logic. It helped them to show case their creativity skill. It builds up their confidence of presenting themselves.



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CLASS PRESENTATION

Class: V

The main aim of BPSG is not only focusing on academics but also excelling in the co-curricular activities making the BPSG ready for the challenges of twenty first century. Keeping this aspect in the mind, the school has started individual class presentations. On 29th November 2021, Class V is the very first class to showcase their calibre through multiple interesting activities. The audience were spellbound by the performance of the young learners and praised the innovative ideas of the school.



CHRISTMAS CELEBRATION

Classes: Nur-X

The students of BPSG showcased an array of colourful programmes and joyful events to celebrate the joyous festival of winter “The Christmas” on 17th December 2021. The little Santas of the BPSG have made ambience of holy, joyous and wonderful session. The senior students participated and enjoyed in the interesting and ecstatic house events from treasure hunt to fireless cooking.



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MOTIVATIONAL MEETING ORGANIZED BY THE PRINCIPAL

The Principal chaired a meeting with the teaching staff on 7th January 2022 in the school conference room. The meeting started off with exchange of the New Year wishes and greetings, followed by the discussion regarding the academic year 2022-23. The Principal updated the staff with the current situation of the ongoing Omicron variant and the functioning of the school in this situation. She briefed about the guidelines given by the government and CBSE. She emphasized on the innovative teaching methodology to connect with students. The principal involved everyone present in meeting in discussion on 'How to make teaching learning more effective' and everyone appeared to be actively listening and passionately sharing ideas while remaining focused on the topic under discussion. Eventually the Principal summed up the meeting with the note that application and execution should be blended with self- motivation and initiative to inculcate better outcome from the young learners of BPSG.



MAKAR SANKRANTI & LOHRI CELEBRATION

Makar Sankranti is believed traditionally to mark the arrival of spring in India. As it is the festival of Sun God and he is regarded as the symbol of divinity and wisdom, the festival also holds an eternal meaning to it. To celebrate this auspicious harvest festival, BPSG organized an online event on 13th January 2022, Thursday from 12 pm onwards with the below mentioned activities: • Kite Decoration (III-V) • Plate Decoration (III-V) • Desserts made of sesame seeds (VI-IX) • Solo Dance Performance based on theme- Lohri (III-IX) • Expression of thoughts on the theme- Lohri (III-IX). It made an ever-sustaining impact on everyone's mind.



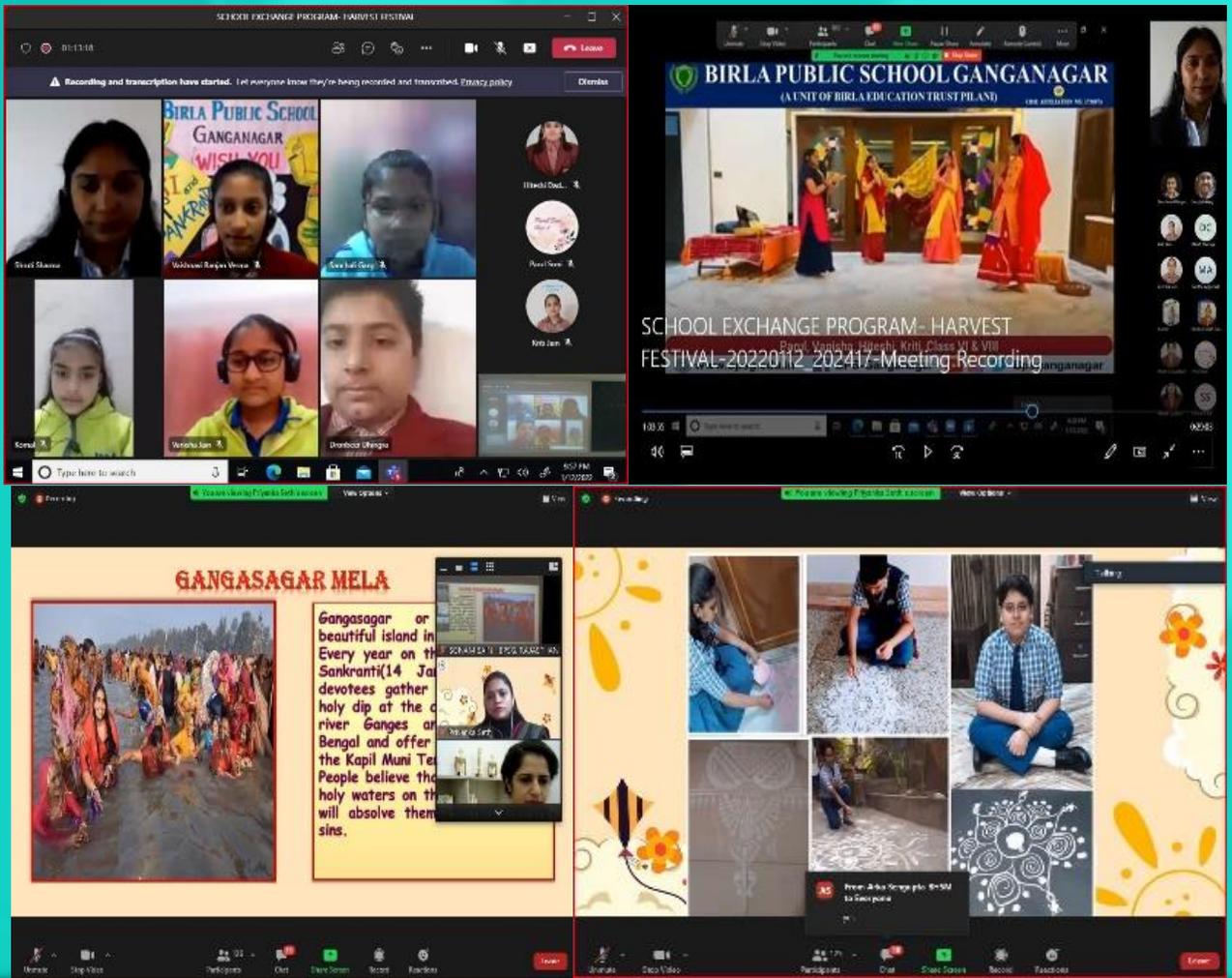
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ONLINE STUDENT EXCHANGE PROGRAMME

BPSG participated in an online exchange project entitles 'Harvest Festival celebrated in January' hosted by Birla High School, Mukundapur to provide students with an authentic learning experience about Harvest festival 'Sankranti' of different regions in India and promoted cultural exchange in which students from Birla Public School Ganganagar represented Punjab state from the North region, from 13 January 2022 to 18 January 2022 for the classes from Nursery to VIII. The event culminated with a live session where each participating school from different state or region explained the rationale behind Sankranti celebration and the process. In the exchange programme , the students of BPSG exhibited their technical proficiency by showcasing their creative skills by presenting the collected information in the form of virtual presentation highlighting the informative facts about Lohri celebration in Punjab region i.e., cuisines made on the day, geographical impact, dance wearing traditional dress, and cultural importance of Lohri in Punjab. Students not only enjoyed the viewing the process of the harvest festival celebration but also got to taste the different Harvest Festivals of India like Pongal, Poush Parvan, Bihu and Lohri.

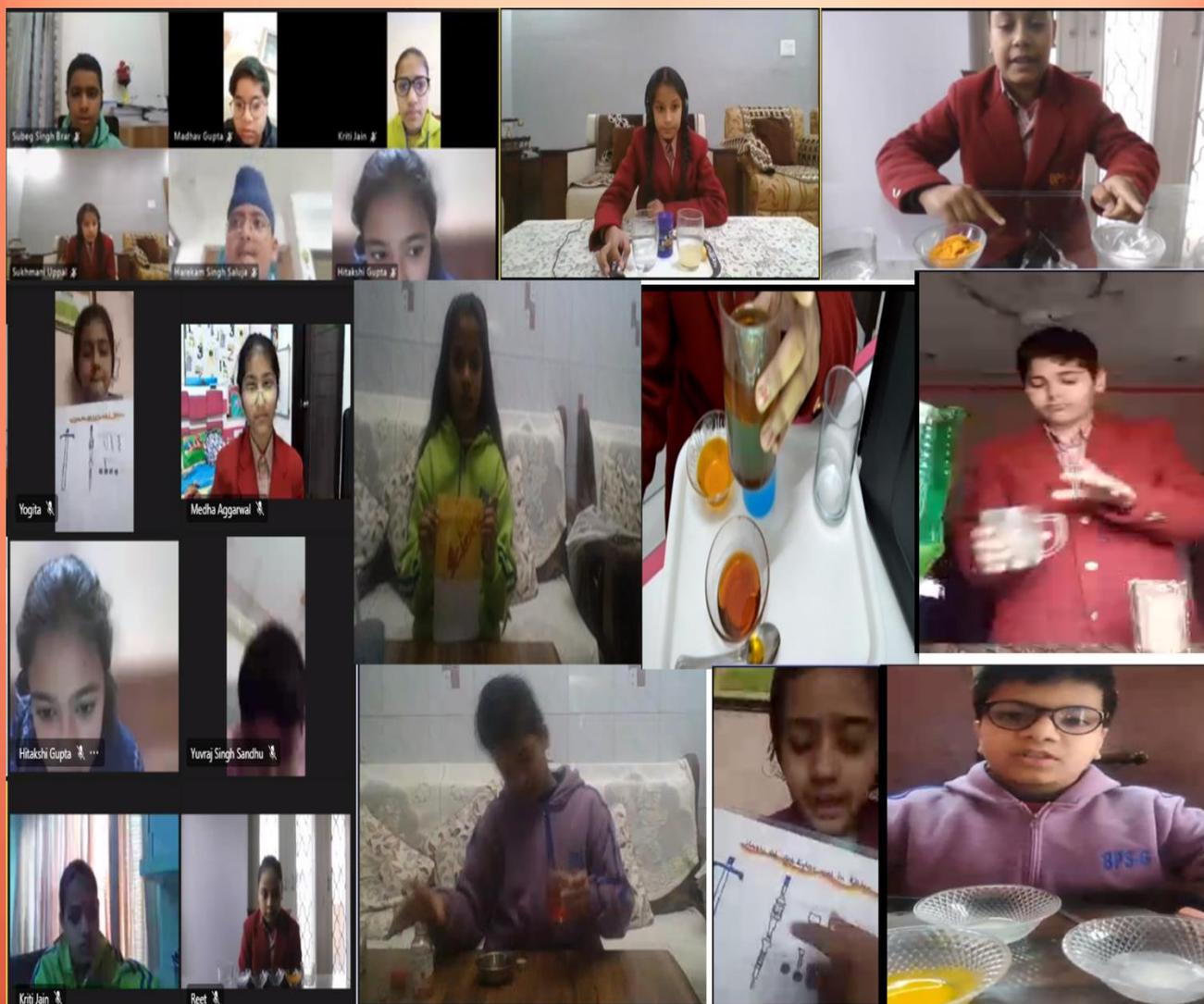
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ONLINE SCIENCE EVENT-SCIENCE IN KITCHEN

Class: VI A

As we all know that today's science is tomorrow's invention. Science is all about UNDERSTANDING. To improve the understanding of our students, science Department organised an event on 18th January 2022 to enhance the hidden potential in students and make them aware about how much science is employed in day-to-day life even in our kitchen. The students also explained the importance and the connection between science and daily life.



SCIENCE EVENT : TECHNOLOGY IN PANDEMIC

Class: VII

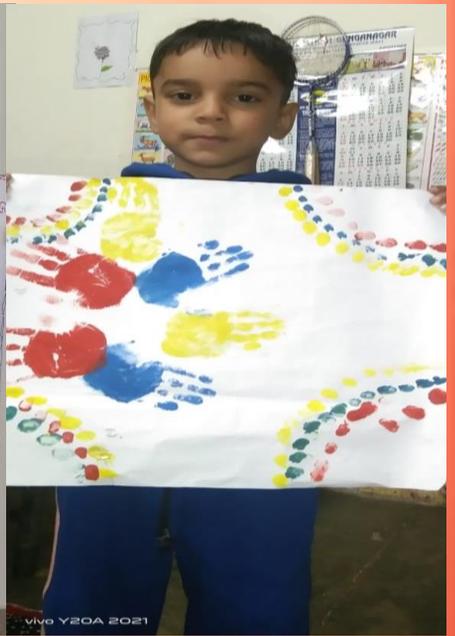
The event was organized on 21st January 2021 on Technology in pandemic to enhance the conceptual skills of the learners on the role of technology during pandemic. The event helped the learners to showcase their conceptual and practical skills. Through this event the students emphasized the use of modern technology in every field , specially in the pandemic.



Colour Mania

Classes: Nursery & LKG

Children usually learn about colour during their preschool years. The ability to identify colours is considered as a milestone in a child's cognitive process and is often a part of early screening for development and educational admittance. The event "Colour Mania" was organized on 21st January 2022 in which students showcased their talents. 'Learning with fun' was the main objective of the event.



SCIENCE EVENT: FOOD & SCIENCE

Class: VIII

"Learning and engaging hands can be super fun in science." Science has a great impact on each of us, whether we're passionate about it or not. We all know how important it is to foster the love of science and it is all around us. So, to do something new and useful, to encourage awareness of science, BPSG organized a Science Event on 24th January 2022 (Monday) for Class VIII. Through this event the students emphasized the science related to the mouth-watering delicacies which our taste buds love to enjoy.



Republic Day Celebration

Classes: Nursery to X

The 73rd Republic Day of the nation was celebrated under the broader ambit of 'Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav' at the premises of Birla Public School Ganganagar following all the protocols of Covid with great éclat. A deep sea of patriotic fervour was evident amongst the staff members of BPSG. The programme began at 9.55 am. Hearts of everyone in BPSG beamed with pride and confidence as the Principal, accompanied by the teachers, hoisted and unfurled the national flag at 10 am. This was followed by "Rashtriya Salute" and national anthem. The Principal speaking on the occasion, contended that if one accomplishes all his accountability honestly and fulfil it by upholding and protecting integrity of India with solidarity that will be the real service to the country.



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SST Event: Dharohar

Class: VI

The Event named “Dharohar” was organized on 1st February 2022. The name of the event signifies heritage. The aim was to preserve our distinctive cultural heritage. In this event the students have demonstrated the varied cultural heritage of our country India. Students have presented dance, art, culture, music, tradition etc by performing Dance, making Painting, Oration on any one of the above categories related to any particular state of India.



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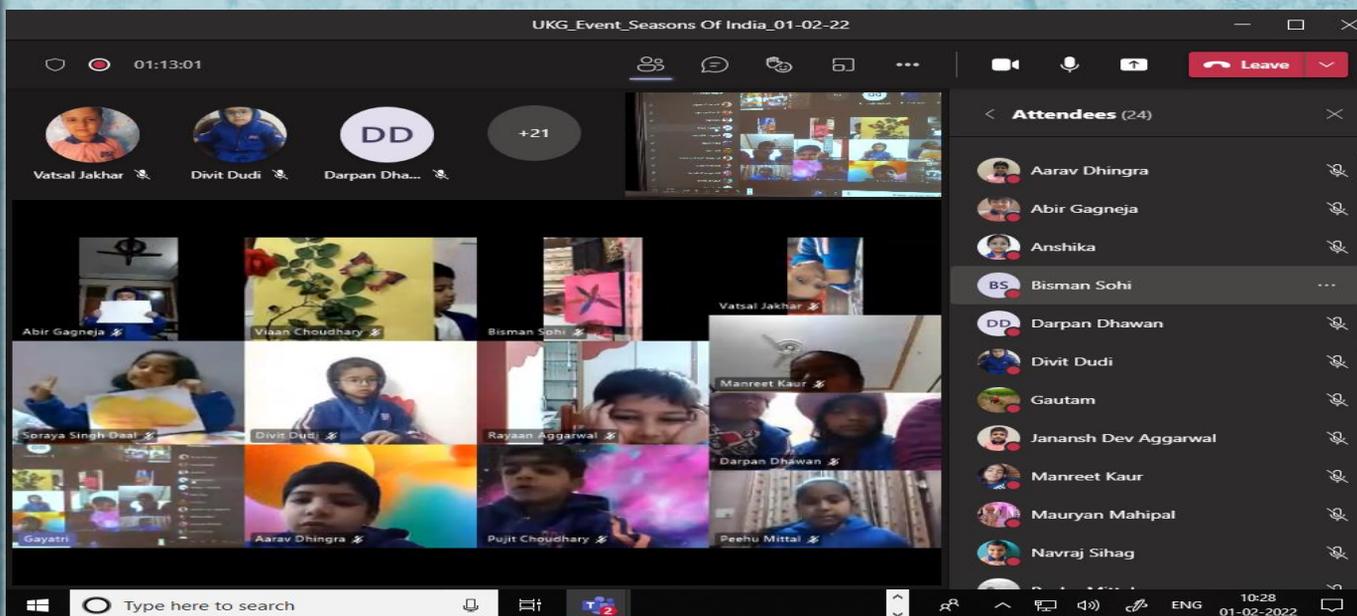
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Seasons of India

Classes: Nur-II

An event was organized on 1st February 2022 for the students of classes Nur. to II on the seasons of India. The main objective was to enhance general awareness among students about seasons of India. Through this event the students were able to improve their communication skills, learnt about different types of seasons with fun.



Graphic & Designing Club- Safer Internet Day

A club presentation on the Safer Internet Day was organized on 2nd February 2022 by the Graphic and Designing Club. The objective was to enhance the IT skills with specialization in graphics and designing skills of students. The major concern of the event was to showcase the students' project work & ultimately move ahead to contribute to the designing work of BPSG. The students learnt and upgraded their IT skills such as Graphics & Designing work.



Assembly: World Cancer Day

Class- IX-B

An assembly was conducted on 3rd February 2022 on the “World Cancer Day”. The main objective of the assembly was to make the students aware and indulge them in several activities related the importance of this day. The students enthusiastically participated in the virtual assembly. The objective was to make the students aware about the different types of cancer, their treatments and survival stories respectively.



BPSG Studio Training Session

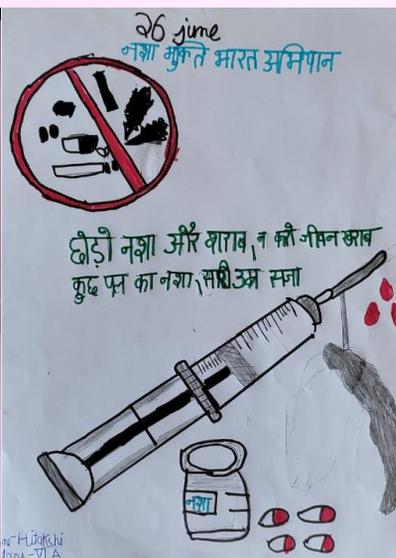
The Studio Training Session was provided from 15th February 2022 to 17th February 2022 to Ms. Sonam by the resource person Mr. Kundan (I-Hub & Studio, Birla Science Centre, Pilani).

A practice session was also taken by the trainee Ms. Sonam to further teach/train the teachers wherein hands on practice was given to them on camera, mixer, cubase and Premiere Pro.



Anti-Drug Campaign

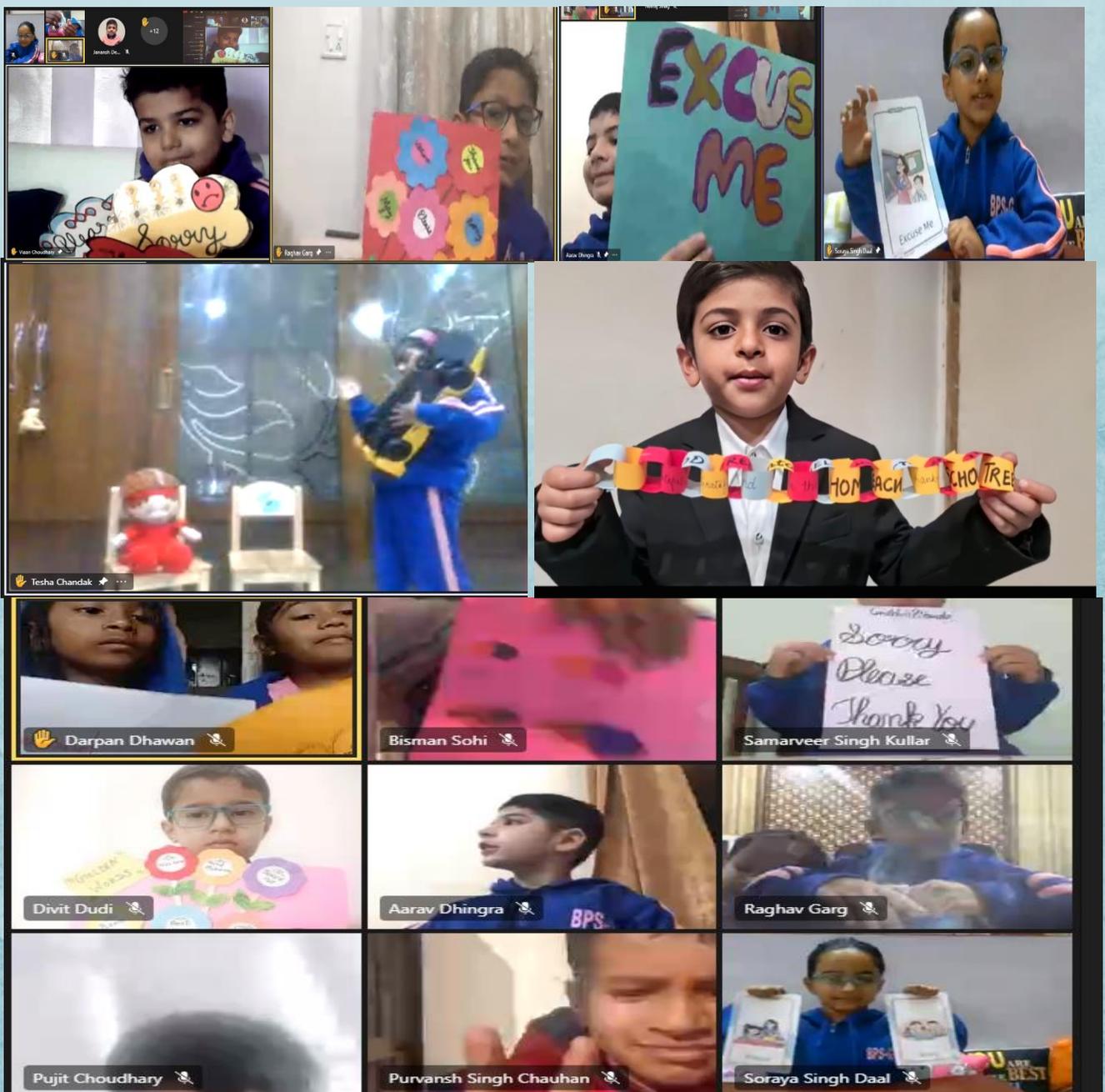
BPSG organized an Anti Drug Campaign which was broadcast by the District Education Officer on 14th February 2022. The campaign started with the filling of resolution letter by the students, followed by poster making, letter writing, essay writing competition under the drug de-addiction campaign to bring awareness of the negative consequences of drug abuse and took a pledge that they would not take drugs, nor would they allow anyone to intake drugs.



Use of Golden Word

Classes: Nur, LKG, UKG

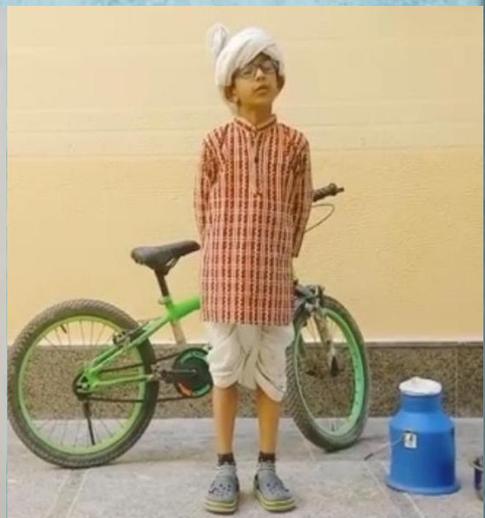
An event was organised on 15th February 2022 on the theme the “Use of Golden Words” for the classes Nursery, LKG, UKG. Students got the opportunity to show and share their talent with the help of the topics equipped with fun and learning. The objective of the event was to inculcate the habit of using magical words and being humble with everyone, to build presentational skills among students, to widen their horizons of mind, to brainstorm the reason about the usage of words. Students got the opportunity to show and share their talent with the help of the topics equipped with fun and learning. Several topics were there to speak in the extempore.



Community Help

Classes :I & II

Engagement of a child in several activities plays an integral part in the holistic development of a child. An event was organised on 15th February 2022, on the theme “Community Help” for the classes I and II where a child could explore to the fullest. The objectives of the event were to encourage individual speaking among students on community workers and to enhance ability of accessing and analysing the work and service of social workers and to enhance social awareness among students about community workers.



Parents' Interactive Session with Principal

Last two years of Covid period were a very challenging time for the whole world. It's high time to come back on track and to fill the learning / communication gaps. We need to understand the need of our children. School and Parents have to work together to ease out the problems of students. In this direction school organized an 'INTERACTIVE SESSION' on March 19, 2022 (Saturday) and March 21, 20122 (Monday) where parents could discuss one to one their anxiety / queries / suggestion directly with school Principal and faculty. This interaction gave the parents more clarity about the vision, mission and upcoming programs of the school.



Parents' Orientation Program with Principal

BPSG initiated Orientation Session on Saturday (March 26, 2022) for parents to make the new academic session a productive and fostered effective one to one communication between the parents and the Principal of the school. The session served as the platform for parents of new students to get familiar about the school polices, processes and new programs introduced or practiced at the school. The parents could discuss one to one their anxiety / queries / suggestion directly with school Principal and faculty. The interaction also gave the parents more clarity about the vision, mission and upcoming programs of the school.



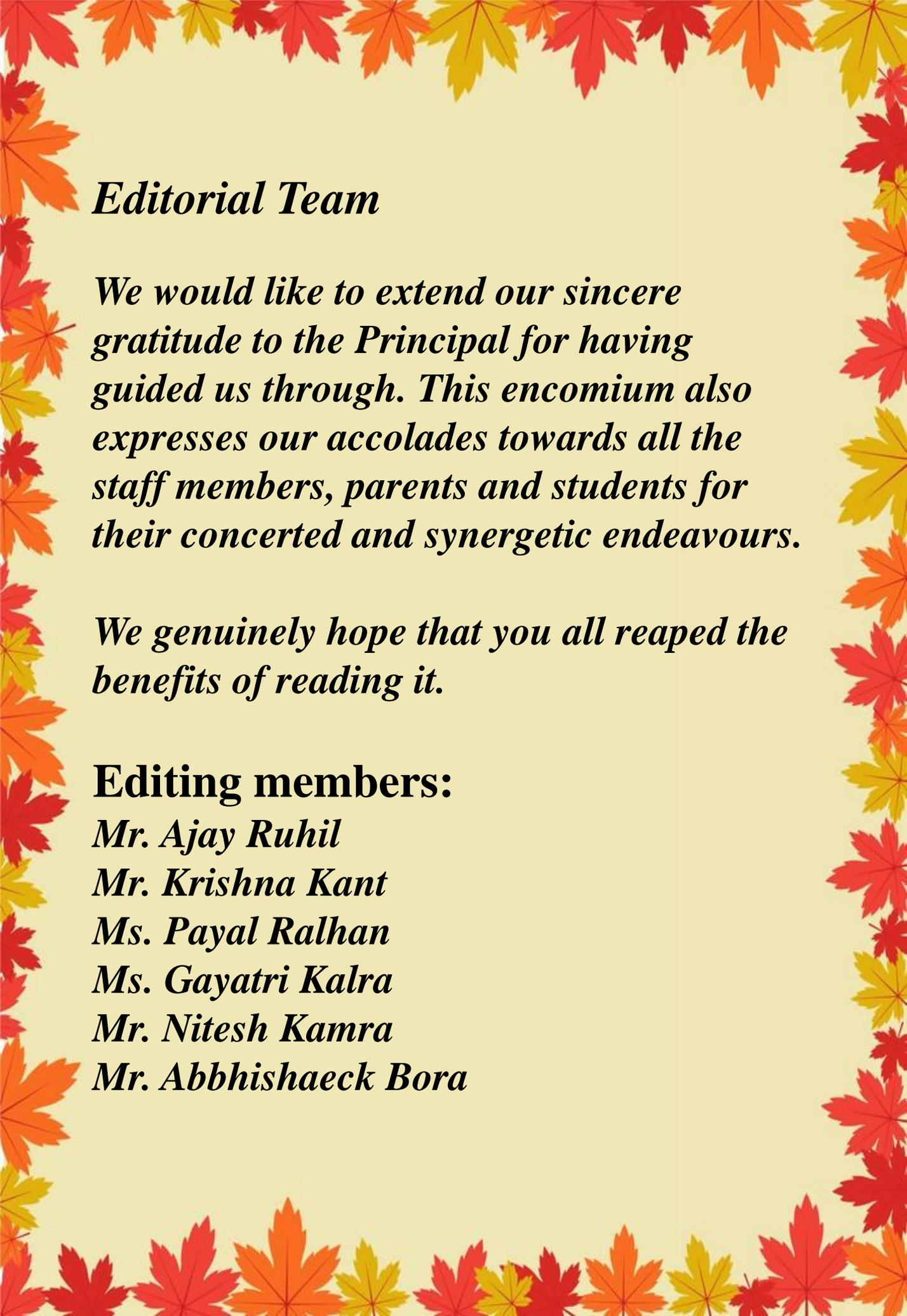
Testimony of Happy Parents

Effective teaching helps to improve students' learning and prepares them for a successful future. But to deliver great teaching, schools need to get feedback from students and parents on their teachers and the learning environments they provide. A quality student feedback can help schools, and educators garner valuable feedback and insights that they can leverage to improve their teaching quality. It is really important for BPSG to obtain feedback from the parents to understand where our strengths lie and also the areas we need to improve.



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We would like to extend our sincere gratitude to the Principal for having guided us through. This encomium also expresses our accolades towards all the staff members, parents and students for their concerted and synergetic endeavours.

We genuinely hope that you all reaped the benefits of reading it.

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