



Lead Us From Darkness To Light

BIRLA HIGH SCHOOL

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News Views **Edition 2**

THEME FOR THE SESSION 2022-23

*Believe, Hope
and
Succeed*



Special Assemblies

Hindi Diwas



Birla High School observed Hindi Diwas on 14th September 2022 in a grand way to inculcate love for our National language, among the children.

Durga Puja



Students of Class II B narrated the story of Goddess Durga through a skit. They spread the message of sharing and caring during festivities.

Green Diwali



The students of Class II C shared the guidelines for an environment-friendly Diwali celebration with the help of a puppet show.

Gurupurab



'God is one and we know him by different names'...this message resonated during the assembly put up by Class IV D.

Gandhi Jayanti



The students of V A emphasized on the Gandhian principles and how students could benefit by inculcating his valuable teachings in their daily lives.

Christmas



Christmas was celebrated with fervour and zeal by the 'little wonders' of Nursery & Kindergarten on the school ground. The entire Junior Section joined in the merriment. They were also pleasantly surprised to have Santa Claus amidst them distributing sweets.



Special Assemblies

Parakram Diwas



Netaji's Birth Anniversary: Students of Class IV B paid their tribute to Netaji Subhas Chandra Bose, by putting up a Special Assembly

National Youth Day



The students of Class 1 C presented an assembly to celebrate Swami Vivekananda's birthday with a skit based on a life incident of Swamiji and his teachings.

Special Days

Saraswati Puja



The teachers, parents, students, and other staff members came together at Birla High School to celebrate Republic Day and Saraswati Puja. The National Flag was unfurled by Secretary General, Major General V.N.Chaturvedi, followed by the Saraswati Puja celebrations. It was a day of festivities as both Saraswati Puja and Republic Day were celebrated with religious and patriotic fervour.

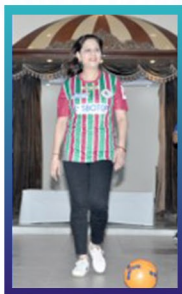


Republic Day



Special Days

Children's Day



The teachers organised a programme with an array of events, from dance, music, skit to a fashion show, where our Headmistress, Ms. Singh was the show stopper. The students enjoyed seeing their teachers in a different avatar.

Peace One Day

The students celebrated International Peace Day by doing simple yoga exercises to learn how to attain peace within themselves. They formed the word 'PEACE' on the playground by standing in different positions and learnt more about the symbol of peace in their classes.



Abhinandan - Grand Parents' Day



Grandparents of Classes KG, II and IV were invited for a day of fun. They enjoyed an array of exciting games, clicked photographs on a "selfie corner", sang melodiously and danced to the tune of old melodies. Sixty grandparents teamed up with their grandchildren to create cherished memories by participating in three competitions organised for the day.

Term End Activities

Pet Show



Mr. Zohaib Zaman, a special guest with his trained dogs, performed various tricks in front of the students of NURSERY. The children thoroughly enjoyed the whole event. They were made aware about the habitat, food and other mannerisms of the animals in a very interesting way.



Fitness Fun on the Run

The students of Class I enjoyed playing hopscotch and jumping over hula hoops and hurdles.

The 'Jumping Jacks' of Kindergarten enjoyed a circuit training programme which enhanced their gross motor skills and hand-eye coordination.



Zestful Zoomba



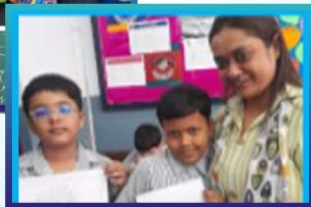
Ms. Natalie Pote, who is an international fitness presenter, personal trainer, nutrition and wellness coach conducted a Zumba session. Students of Classes KG and II were shown the perfect way to incorporate exercise into their lives in a fun and easy way.

Artistry

The Classes I students had a great time learning how to create pictures of animals through WARLI art.

A fun filled Doodling session was organised for the students of Class II where they created their own images using alphabets and numbers.

The Class III students spent a wonderful morning learning Mandala Art to create artistic designs.



Term End Activities

Cyber Security



An enriching session on Cyber Security was conducted to make students aware of the rules to be followed as netizens of the future.



Flameless Cooking

Young chefs of Class III honed their culinary skills as they dished out yummy dahi phuchkaas.



Magic of Math



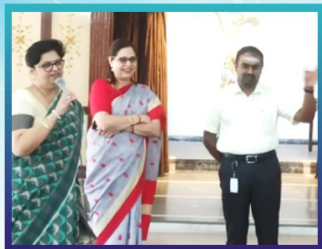
Mr. Minoo Jokhi, a Mathemagician cum Memory Development and Math Trainer conducted a wonderful session on how to enjoy Math without fear for students of Classes IV and V.

Highlights



Parent Teacher Meeting for Term II helped parents to get an insight into their child's progress.

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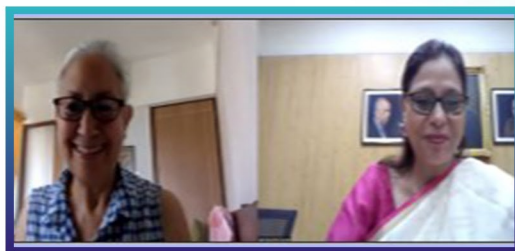


Parents' Orientation of the FINANCIAL LITERACY session

The School Management has tied up with Investors Financial Education Academy (IFE Academy) for an exclusive Financial and Money learning programme for the pupils of Class IV.

Orientation for Parents' by Ms. Soshima Safaya

'Off to School' & Tear, Temper Tantrums', were the two virtual orientation sessions conducted by Ms. Soshima Safaya for the parents of Classes Nursery, Kindergarten, I & II.



Medical Camp

Medical check-ups were conducted for all students and teachers by Medica.

School excursion at Shantiniketan

School excursions boost self - confidence in children, encourage good behaviour, inculcate team spirit and broaden their horizon. Eighty - eight **Students of Classes IV and V** along with ten teachers had a wonderful time in Shantiniketan learning about the culture of the place and the great contribution of Rabindranath Tagore in setting up Viswabharati.



Picnics



The students of **Nursery And Kindergarten** had some fun - filled moments at **The House of Pepe**, where they enjoyed watching a lovely movie on Pets followed by a joyous dance session on action songs. They also played with various interesting play equipment specially designed for their age.

After two years of the pandemic, the students of **Classes II and III** went for a picnic at **Ekanto Apon**. They spent time participating in team building games. The delicious food, music and dance made the picnic memorable for them.



Students of **Classes IV and V** enjoyed the picnic with their friends at **Ekanto Apon**. A variety of fun games were organised for them to inculcate team spirit.

The **Class I** students went to **The Princeton Club** for their Annual Picnic. They played a variety of FIFA - themed games, raced with their friends and enjoyed a scrumptious meal. They kept the fun alive by singing and dancing happily.

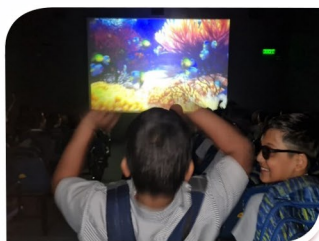


Physical Field Trips For Nursery To V



The tiny tots of **Nursery** went **around the school** exploring areas from known to unknown, guided by their Class Teachers. It was a fun day and the children wore their handmade 'I love my School' badges.

The enthusiastic young learners of **Kindergarten**, went on a school field trip to '**Just Baked**'- a confectionery shop in Moira Street, Kolkata. The concept of subtraction was introduced through shopping of food items.



Students of **Class I to V** had mesmerizing experiences in the world of Science at **The Birla Industrial and Technological Museum**. They visited a variety of galleries - transport, television, machinehine galleries, etc. They enjoyed the 'Bubble show' and the 'The Turtle's Adventure'-A 3D Show to a great extent.



Awards And Accolades Won By Birla High School



Birla High School was awarded the prestigious Telegraph School Awards for Excellence in Academics (CBSE)



Birla High School ranked No. 4 in India and No.1 in Kolkata and West Bengal in the 'All Boys Day School' category by Education World.



Birla High School was awarded the Grand Jury Award from Education Today for Exemplary Digital Learning Efficiency



Mrs. L. Saigal, the Principal of Birla High School, had been honoured with 'The Principal of the Year' award by Gurukul Awards, Lions Clubs International District.



FAP National Awards 2022, organized by Chandigarh University conferred Birla High School with the Best Academic Performance.



Birla High School was honoured by IKEA For Excellence In Imparting Futuristic & Life Skill Development Based Curriculum.

Birla High School ranked No. 3 in India, No.1 in Kolkata and West Bengal by Education Today India School Merit Awards in the All India Boys Day School category.



Awards and Accolades Won By the Students of Birla High School

Manthan- An Interschool Fest By Abhinav Bharti



Rachit Agarwal of VD received the **2nd prize** in **English Elocution**.



Navoneer Bhattacharya of V A, Krisshiv Mukhopadhyay of IVA and Debarjaya De of III D received the **2nd prize** in **QUIZ**.

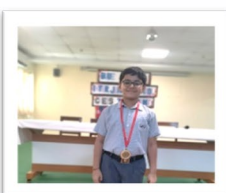


Agriya Sarkar of IVB and Shounak Sarkar of VD won the **3rd prize** in **T-Shirt painting**

Blue And White Fest, St.Xaviers' collegiate School



BIRLA HIGH SCHOOL bagged the **2nd Runner-Up trophy** at the **Blue and White Chess Tournament** organized by St. Xaviers Collegiate School.



Aarav Ladha of class V A received the **1st prize** in **Round Four** for his individual achievement.



BIRLA HIGH SCHOOL was the **Runner up** in the **Blue & White Cricket** tournament organised by St. Xaviers' Collegiate School.



Navoneer Bhattacharya of VA, Krisshiv Mukhopadhyay of IVA and Pratiswik Kes of IVC stood **2nd** in **KWIZWIZ** in the **ULLAS** fest organized by South Point School.



Navoneer Bhattacharya of VA, Krisshiv Mukhopadhyay of IVA and Pratiswik Kes of IVC bagged the **2nd position** in **SPELLYMPIC** organized by BIRLA HIGH SCHOOL Mukundopur. However the **Winner's Trophy** was handed over to **BIRLA HIGH SCHOOL** by the host school.



The team of Shivansh Agarwal of IVA, Diptangshu Das of IVA, Ahmed Sarfaraz of VA and Aarav Gupta of VC stood **3rd** at the **MBWA Invitation Relay**.

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Maha Devi Birla World Academy Fest



Tavish Berlia IVA and Aarav Ladha VA came 2nd in Chess.



The team represented by Somraj Roy of VD, Bihaan Kr Halder of IVD, Navoneer Bhattacharyya of VA and Hemaghna Das of VC was awarded the Certificate of Honour in Bengali Drama.



Pratiswik Kes of IVA won the Exemplary Vocabulary Award in 'The Preamble in Praxis'.



Md. Abeer Javed of VD and Diptangshu Das of IVA won the 1st prize in 'Decoding the Preamble'.



Navoneer Bhattacharyya of VA won the Best Quizzer at the Junior School level, at the DPS Quizzinius Quiz.

Global Exchange

Save Water Save Life

The students of Class II created awareness about the harm caused to aquatic animals due to water pollution. They collaborated with Lotus Valley International School, Noida.



Good Habits

The students of Kindergarten did activities to raise awareness to develop good habits from the early years for good health and well-being. They collaborated with St. Paul's School, Baltimore, Maryland (USA).

Global Exchange



Nature Is The Best Medicine

Students of Class III shared knowledge about the benefits of the medicinal and seasonal herbs with their partner school Bal Bharti Public School at Noida.

National Pollution Day

The Class IV students collaborated with the students of Colegio Esquiú, Buenos Aires, Argentina where they used waste products and created beautiful objects with them to turn trash into treasure promoting recycling.

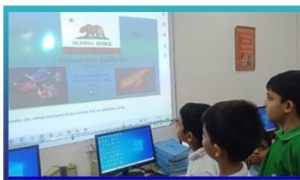


Meet my Mascot

The students of Class I partnered with Blanchard Elementary School, USA, to celebrate the spirit of FIFA. Students of both the schools created their own Mascots and shared it with each other.

Story-telling session

The 'tiny tots' of Nursery shared a presentation on Story-telling sessions with their partner schools, Bal Bharati School, Noida and Ecola Bilingua Edugingua School Accora, Ghana.



'Relish in Culture'

The Class V students prepared presentations for their partner school about the culture of their country and the places of historical importance. They collaborated with Victor Primary School, USA who also sent them wonderful presentations of the same.

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