

JULY 2020

Don't let what you can't do stop you from doing what you can do.

– John Wooden

This is what Covid-19 pandemic has taught us all.

It won't be wrong if I say that the teachers were like sunshine on a rainy day. They adapted to this new normal just like fish to water. Of course, initially, they did face difficulties, mainly physical & emotional difficulties.

"We know what we are, but we know not what we may be" – William Shakespeare had said this, centuries ago and so true in the present scenario. Our team of teachers 'knew what they are i.e. TEACHERS but never knew that they are the true heroes in this time of pandemic. '

Covid - 19 pandemic resulted in paradigm shift of curriculum delivery. Thus, work began on school improvement plans to continue a new, innovative and systemic approach to improving student achievement and retain school quality. The entire staff was in sync for a swift change in the method of curricula delivery

They experimented, learnt new ways of teaching, toggled with different Apps, pulled the children along and encouraged them to be independent too.

Based on feedbacks of the parents, it was realized that we needed to bring routine back to the children and face to face interaction with teachers and classmates was very important to the students. After having tested all platforms we decided to go on Zoom as it had the best conferencing tools. Major training sessions were held at all levels. Every single staff including the co-curricular teacher and nurses were trained on the same.

Battling all the challenges posed by the this shift to online classes, the teachers and students of DPS-Miyapur have risen to the occasion and have managed to tackle the most of the above mentioned challenges.

To keep students engaged teachers use a variety of aids such as Physical White board, Videos, Audios, PPTs, digital writing pads and Whiteboard to disseminate knowledge. Teachers and students engage in demonstrations thus applying knowledge to real situations.

Students are divided into smaller groups through the Breakout Rooms option to further their understanding of information. Teachers have researched and used various online platforms such as Mentimeter, Kahoot, Quizizz to gauge students' understanding through fun and learn methods. Teachers have downloaded and used many PPT templates available online to make testing fun and interactive.



None of us is as smart as all of us. A sneak peek into our virtual classrooms

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The bigger your dreams, the tougher your challenge, the more ambitious your goals, the more likely it is that you will face difficulties on your way towards it.



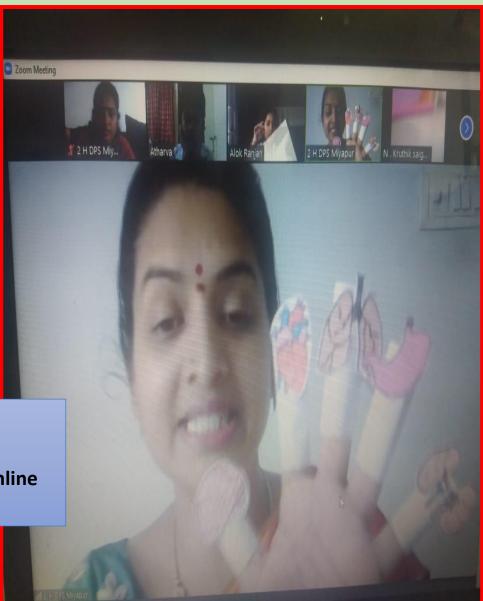
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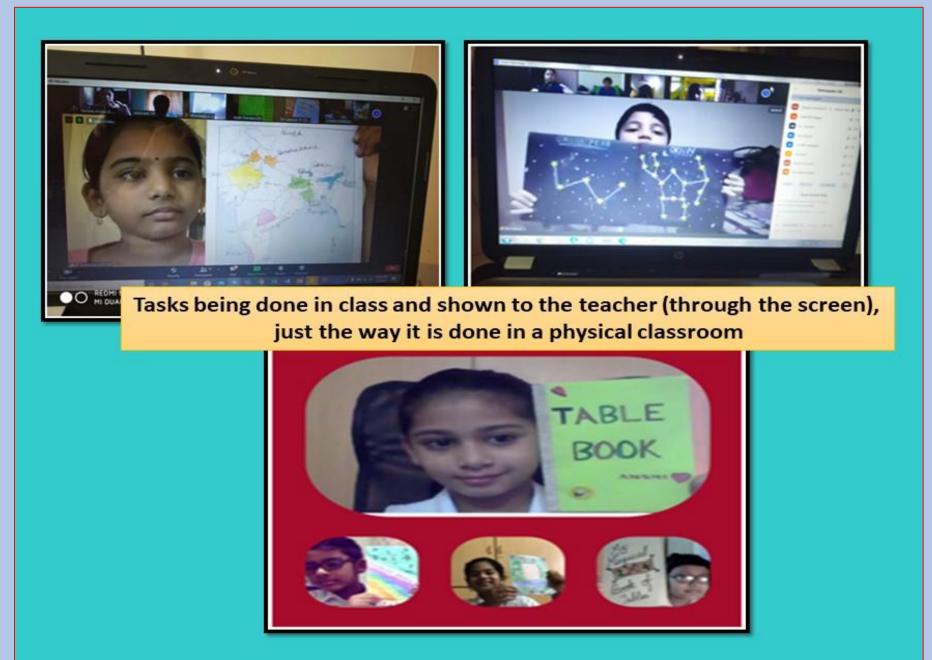
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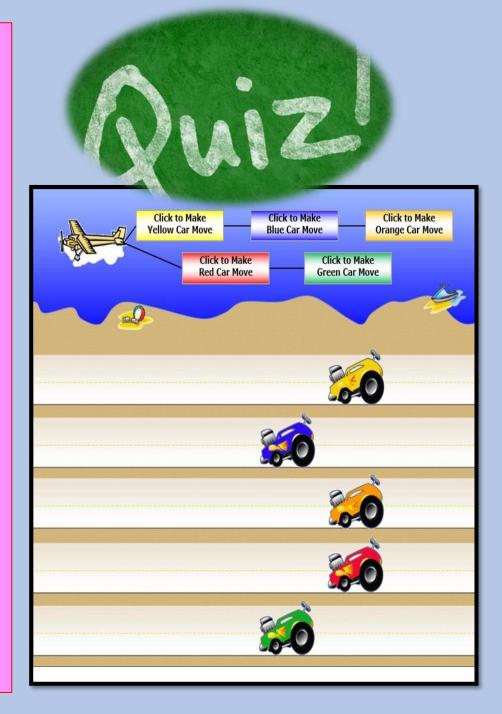


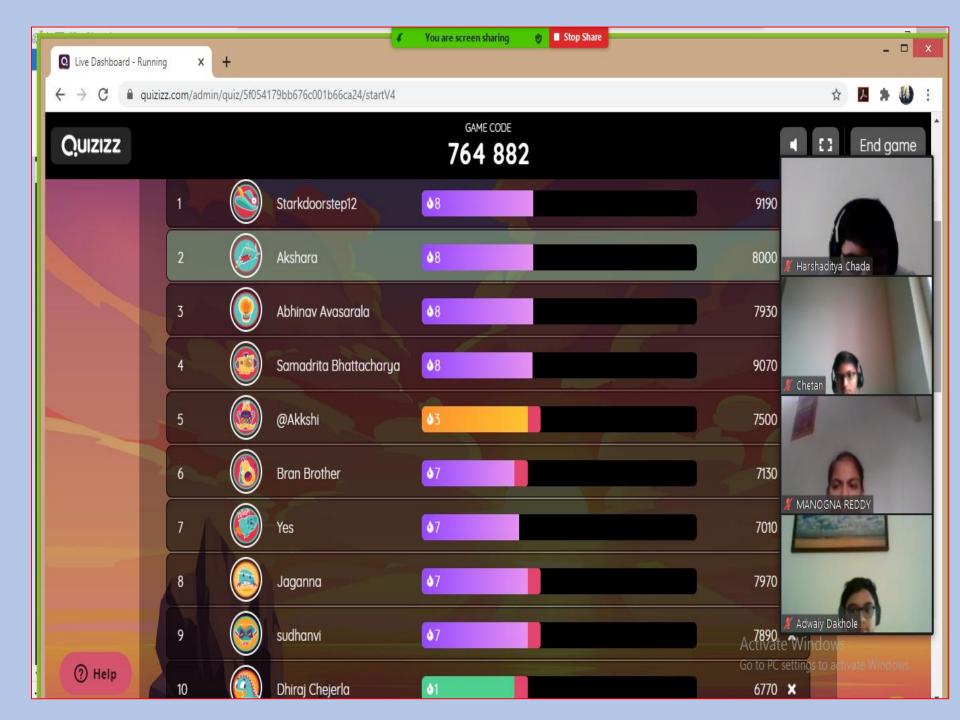
Children rename themselves with roll numbers for their online classes





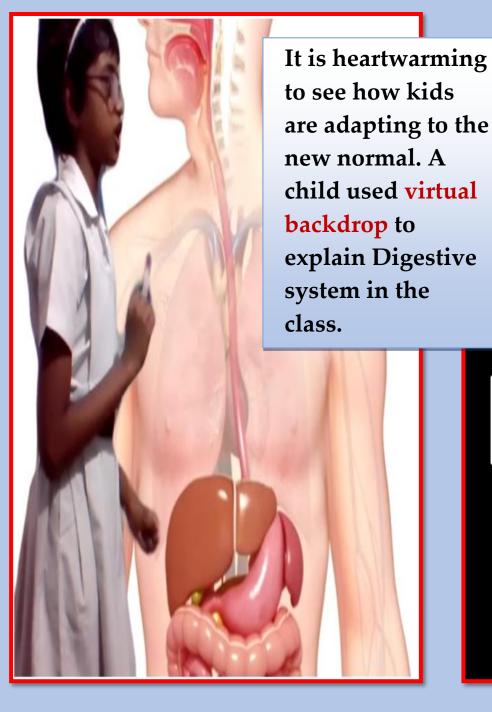






Animal Mask making activity by Science teachers – the kids introduced themselves to the other animals, and they talked about their eating habits and their category like whether they belong to herbivore or carnivore or omnivore.





Landform activity of grade 4-Integrating Art



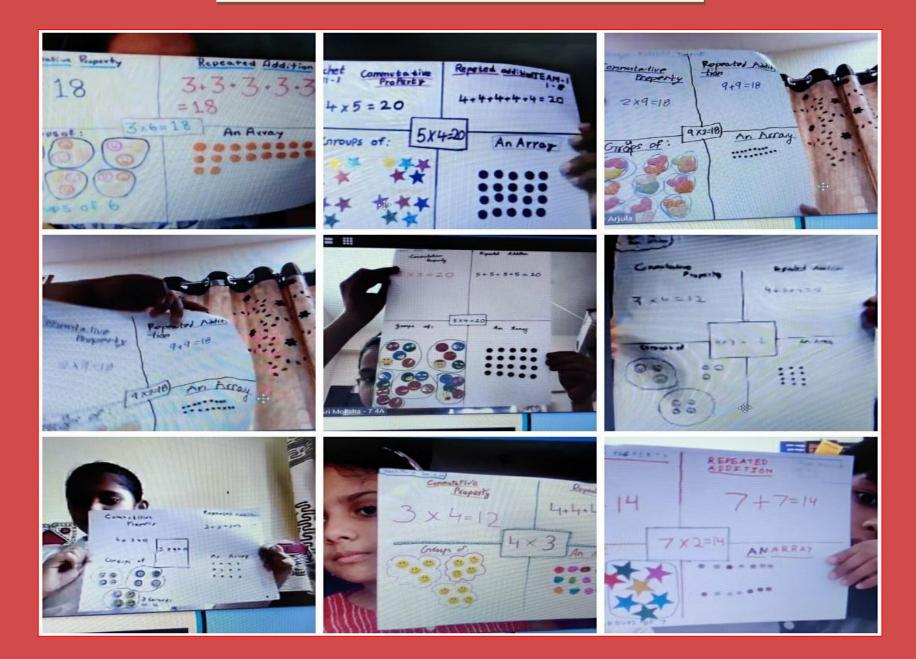


Undaunted by the present circumstances, the students and teachers of DPS-Miyapur have proved that nothing can stop them from carrying on the process of teaching and learning. They have reinvented and adapted themselves as per the situations and will continue to do so

Incredible India-Integrating Fine Arts



Learning math the fun way...



READING STRATEGY : Teacher using a video, where children learn diphthongs and parents are involved FOR AN ONLINE CLASS to play a game WITH THEIR WARDS on word wall



Story time continues to play a major role in teaching different things.

Once upon a time, in a jungle there was a **big** elephant and a *small* mouse. The **big** elephant would wander in the forest happily eating bananas and fruits.

One day the **big** elephant fell in a **big** hole and the legs got caught in a net. It was not able to move out and free itself. It started to trumpet.

A *small* mouse was watching this from a distance.

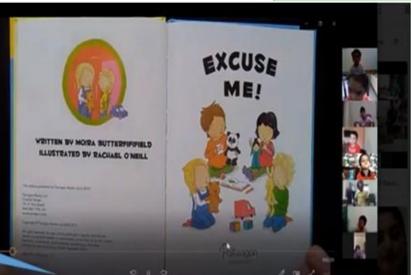
It slowly came to the **big** angry elephant and said, "Wait let me help you." Then the *small* mouse with its *small* teeth started to chew the

strong rope of the net. It chewed and chewed and chewed and then the **big**

elephant's legs were freed.

So children, what story did I tell you today? Yes, about a **big** elephant and *small* mouse.





Similar stories were created to introduce other concepts like full-empty; long-short; tall-short; heavy-light; far-near etc.



While the class teacher is busy taking the class, co teacher monitors the class

Vocabulary words

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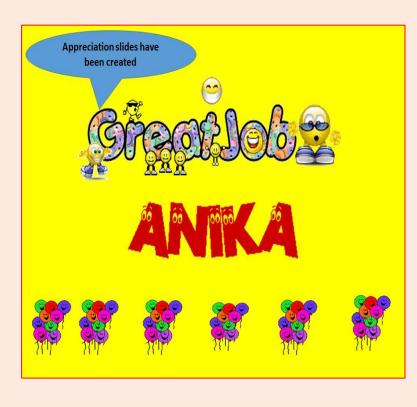
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Purple Day (LKG) – making a bunch of grapes using safe homemade play dough (a video to make play dough at home, recorded by our clay modeling teacher, was shared with

the parents).

Link : https://youtu.be/xjjPD7QshYs

Every week we share a link for UKG kids to create something over the weekend with the homemade clay, like birthday party objects; sea animals etc



Colouring activities are being done too, guided step by step, stroke by stroke







Scrap book activity for teacher's appraisal



Clay modeling- To help the kids improve gross motor skills



The kids were made to colour a page in the Creative Art Book. Then parents were requested to take a photo/ scan of the same and upload/share it through the google form link given. The images were shared with the judges (Art teachers).

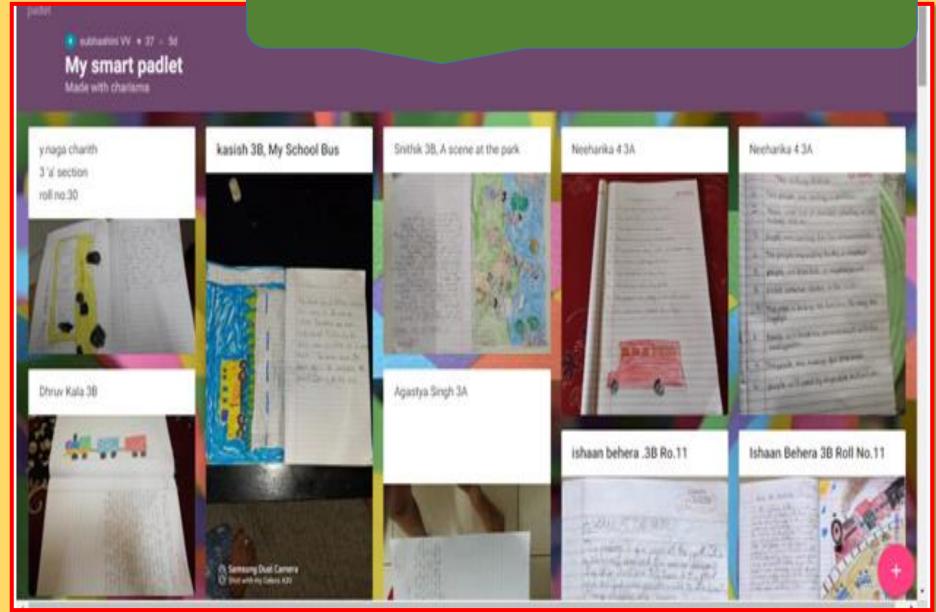
Colour Splash – UKG inter-house competition

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Our little angels of Grade III Exploring the world of technology

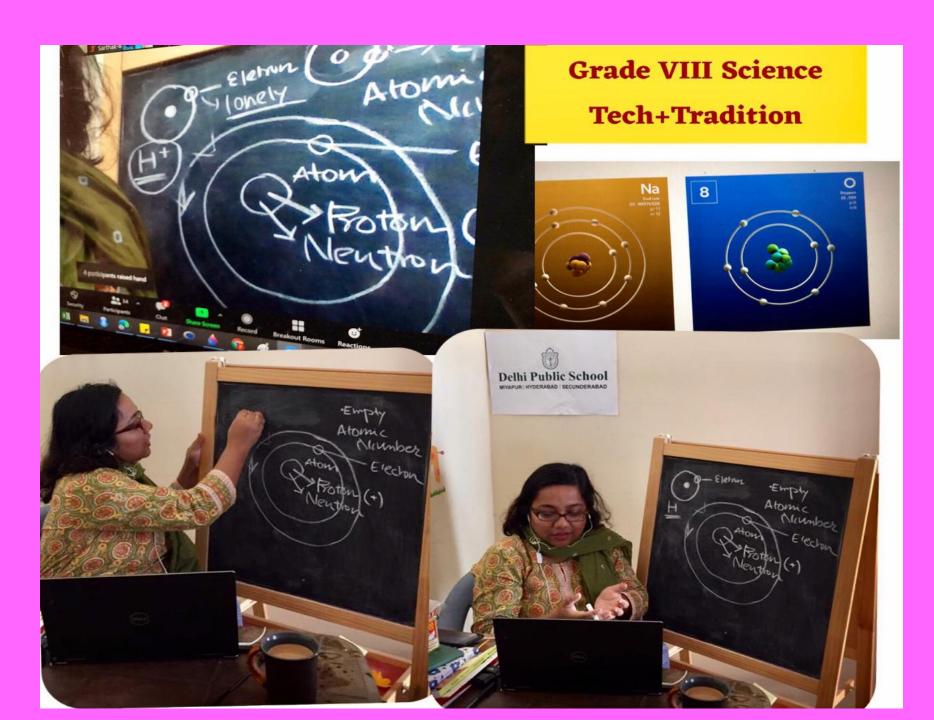






Making Children future ready-Olympiad training

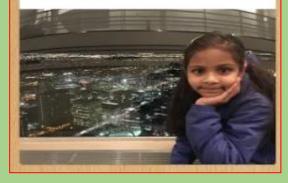


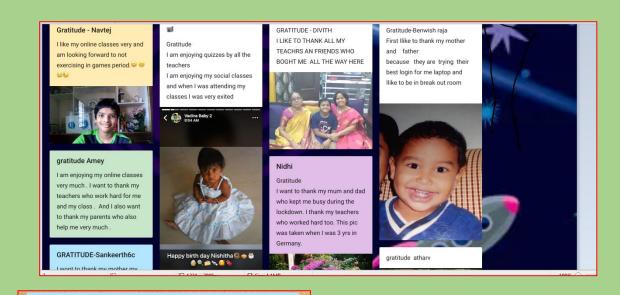


my online class experience

by: Akshitha vii A

I like my online classes and am grateful to my teachers, and parents. I love the activities we have and getting to see my classmates, and teachers. I like all my classes but the thing I hate the most is when the electricity goes or my internet is unstable. It's not like going to school but it is really fun!





MY ONLINE CLASS EXPERIENCE

I really thank my parents for giving me time for online classes.Then i would like to thank my teachers for teaching us in these difficult times.Special thanks to government people to start all these online classes during corona pandemic.A. I'am enjoying online classes a lot it as been very good experience . ADITI KULKARNI 7A



FEEDBACK OF OUR PRECIOUS STAKEHOLDERS

ENDEAVOURS BEYOND CLASSROOMS

YOGA DAY



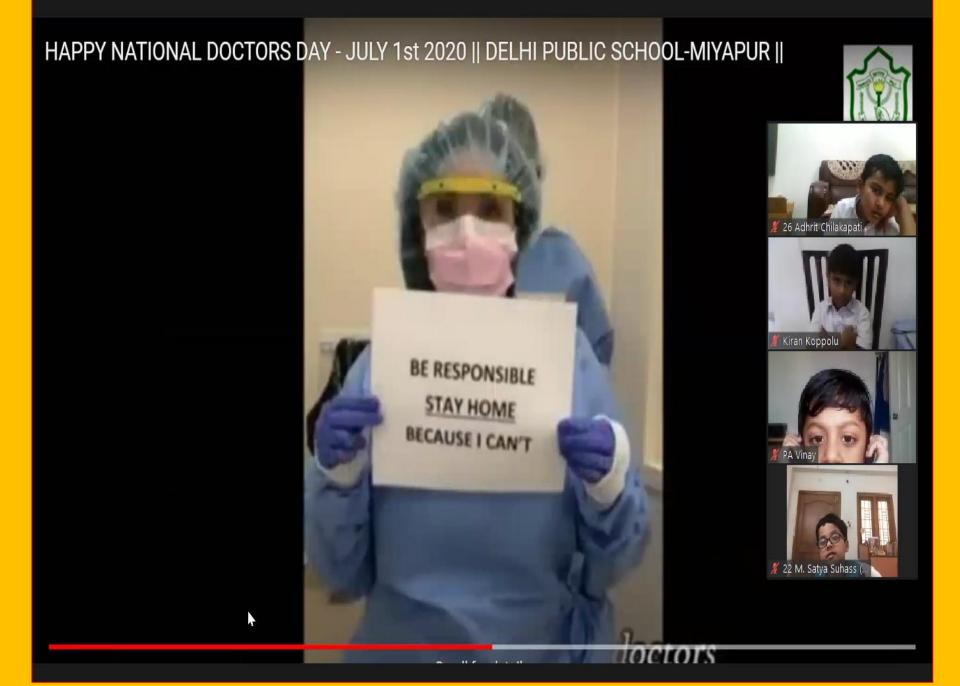
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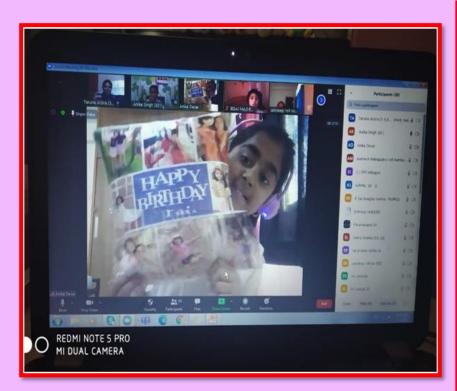
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DOCTOR'S DAY





Celebrating Father's Day- Forging bonds







Exchange of goodwill with St. Michael's School, London





Token of Love from St. Michael's School, London







St Michael's C.E. Combined School #together

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St Michael's School and Delhi Public School-Miyapur Project

8th May 2020

Dear Ms Sarkar

I am writing to you to thank you and Ms Kapur for your involvement in our amazing project where we have been able to share our messages of hope and togetherness across land and oceans.

The video we would like to share with you can be found here: https://youtu.be/tgl5zpGD5ao

We would like to thank you, your staff, your parents and your children for the amazing video you have shared with us. It is truly inspiring and I know that our children will love watching it with their families. The most important thing we can all do at this most challenging of times is to stay connected with one another. It is very reassuring to know that we have friends in India who are remaining positive despite experiencing the same circumstances as we face.

It has been a great pleasure to work with your amazing school. I very much hope that we get the opportunity to work alongside each other again in the future.

Yours sincerely

David Morley Headtacher

Workshop on Emotional Wellbeing for grade 9 and 10 students



KEEP TRAINING AND KEEP LEARNING UNTIL YOU GET IT RIGHT.

Training for NIE Contest on Article writing and News casting held by the English Department spearheaded by Dr. Koel Mondal

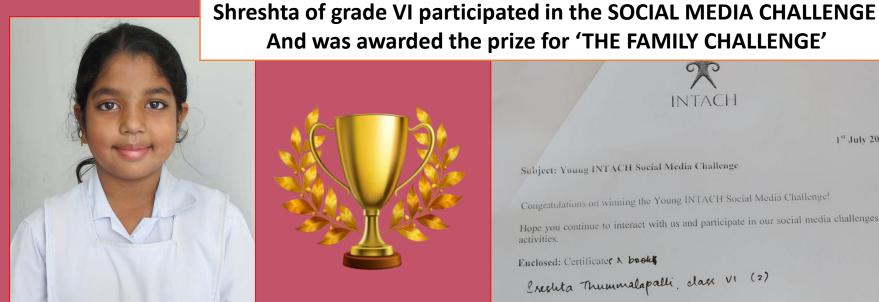




"AGAINST ALL ODDS AND DESPITE ALL THE OBSTACLES, WE ARE GOING TO MAKE IT".



Pratyusha Ghosh Of IV-B bagged second position in an online competition–Flight of Stars held by Suchitra Talent Academy







1st July 2020

Subject: Young INTACH Social Media Challenge

Congratulations on winning the Young INTACH Social Media Challenge!

Hope you continue to interact with us and participate in our social media challenges and activities.

Enclosed: Certificates & books

Creshta Thummalapalli, class VI (2)

Thanks and Regards

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Sanjoli Mathur Programme Coordinator Heritage Education & Communication Service (HECS) INTACH, 71 Lodi Estate, New Delhi - 110003

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Indian National Trust for Art and INTACH Cultural Heritage



SRESHTA THUMMALAPALLI This is to certify that. CLASS - 6, DELHI PUBLIC SCHOOL, MIYAPUR HYDERABAD of _ participated in YOUNG INTACH 'S SOUAL MEDIA CHALLENGE and was awarded the prize for THE FAMILY CHALLENGE

> **Purnima Datt** Heritage Education and Communication Service

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Dated: Soil JUNE 120.

Interview of the aspirants of Student Council

Ms. Garima Kala meticulously planned and executed two level screening of students aspiring to become a part of the school prefectorial board







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GREAT LEADERS DON'T SET OUT TO BE A LEADER...THEY SET OUT TO MAKE A DIFFERENCE. ITS NEVER ABOUT THE ROLE-ALWAYS ABOUT THE GOAL.







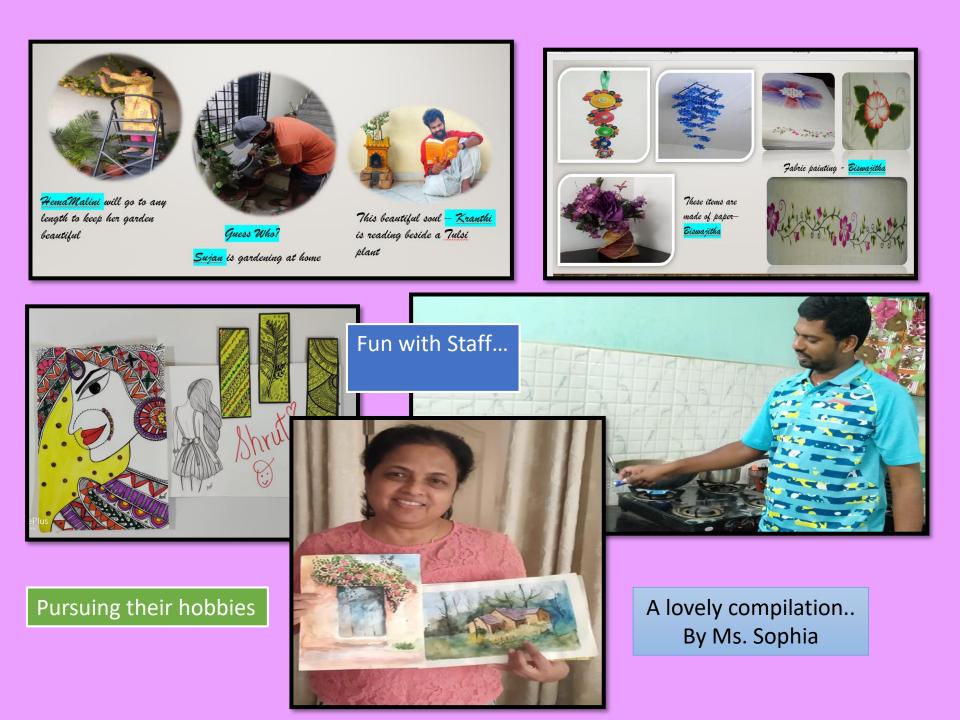
Fun day with the staff

Taking care of our own











"A story has no beginning or end: arbitrarily one chooses that moment of experience from which to look back or from which to look ahead." ...We have embarked on this journey of reinventing ourselves for the new normal, it is exciting times for us as the teaching learning process has undergone a paradigm shift, our teachers and learners are no longer the same and hence learning is no longer the same. So kindly watch out this space for more updates as there is lots brewing every moment at DPS MIYAPUR....