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HEART TO HEART



Gurudev Rabindranath Tagore expressed that "The highest education is that which does not merely gives us information but makes our life in harmony with existence".

We at DMA keeping this spirit of education alive are continuously striving to nurture children into full-fledged personalities. Our aim is to nurture the child into a self-motivated individual. Curriculum and the practices of the school uphold the futuristic vision of the school of "Creating Global Citizens".

This month is the testing time for our students as they appear for Term 1 exam being conducted by CBSE. They will be using OMR sheets to answer the questions. It is a new experience for them but I am happy to say that we have been able to provide them enough exposure to the new system and successful experience in form of the two Mock Tests conducted by the school for this purpose. I wish the students all the best for the Board exams.

I am sure that with a dedicated and wonderful team of teachers, staff, students and the unstinting support of the parents along with the benevolent support of the Management the school will reach to greater heights in the years to come.

MODI EQUESTRIAN ACADEMY

Horse riding teaches a child to put the needs of the horse and therefore others before their own and develops compassion and empathy. They will learn the importance of discipline, respect and a range of additional skills in a caring and nurturing way. Learning and enjoying the thrill of riding a horse is a spectacular way to engage children in the outdoor activity away from the television or mobile screen too. Making efforts in this direction, Modi Equestrian Academy was inaugurated on 6th December 2021 with the finest German bred horses and expert Riding Coaches. To make the children acquainted with this wonderful sports, expert trainers conducted various workshops on horse riding at the academy.



The **Central Board of Secondary Education (CBSE)** scheduled the first term of exams for Classes 10 and 12 from 30th November to 22nd December 2021. Following the CBSE and Government instructions, the school has made every arrangement to ensure safety of the students and the staff in view of the prevailing COVID pandemic conditions. It has been ensured that the infrastructure is sanitised every day before and after the exams, students arrive and leave as per a planned staggered timetable, temperature of every student is monitored and sanitising procedures initiated.

Discover and share the joy of reading

Reading brings joy, inspires minds and creates wonder. Reading also touches hearts and widens horizons. Reading is also the best way to enhance our knowledge, vocabulary and imagination. DMA has provided a unique reading portal for the students as well as the parents, which has thousands of books for all age groups. The school hopes that everyone would be enriched by participating in this unique reading and learning program. To get access to the online learning resources visit:

<http://exam.modischools.in/guru/worldbook.html>

ACTIVITIES REPORT

NUKKAD NATAK ON 'NASHA EK ABHISHAP' BY NCC CADETS

An awareness drive on drug addiction was organized by NCC cadets in DMA on 8th December 2021, about the ill-effects of drug addiction through street play/nukkadnatak, under the command of HavaldarDhaar Singh of 70 UP Batallion.

The Principal Dr (Mrs) RituDewan appreciated the efforts of the NCC cadets and urged them to carry on the good work in future also. She said that it is our collective responsibility to clean this evil from the society and every individual needs to a part of this movement against drug addiction.

INTER HOUSE ONLINE DEBATE COMPETITION

To hone public speaking skills of the students and teach them to be articulate while expressing their thoughts and opinions, an "Inter House Online Debate Competition" was organised for the classes IX to XII. In which participants from all the four houses got a golden opportunity to showcase their debating skills.

The competition was organised in two stages, Preliminaries and Finals wherein each House was represented by six students who were divided into two teams. Each team was comprised of three students one Speaker for the motion and one for against the motion

along with an interjector. For the Team A topic was 'Schools should block sites like Youtube, Facebook and Instagram on their computers' and for the Team B 'All students should have an after school job or internship'. In the preliminary round the representatives of all the houses spoke vehemently and exhibited their great oratory skills and enthusiasm. It was miraculous to see their confidence, expression and talent.

In the Rebuttal Round each Speaker was asked one question by an interjector of the Other House. All the questions were aptly answered by witty and vivacious speakers.





ROAD SAFETY WEEK

Road Safety Week was celebrated in DMA on 18th December 2021. The NCC candidates of DMA under the command of Havaldar Muthappa H of the 70 UP Battalion NCC organised an awareness rally to make people aware about Road Safety. The rally was flagged off by the Principal Dr (Mrs) Ritu Dewan with NCC candidates carrying the messages for road safety and other social messages in form of posters. The Principal said that it is very important to pass such messages to the masses through such efforts. The life of every individual is important so all out efforts must be ensured to make everyone aware about road safety rules.



AMRIT MAHOTSAV AND MEERUT KRANTI PARV

A day of pride, gratitude, tribute and love for the freedom fighters was witnessed on the pleasant morning in the campus of DMA 1 on 17th December, 2021, to mark the 75 years of Independence of progressive India and the glorious history of its people, culture and achievements. DMA-ites celebrated 'Azadika Amrit Mahotsav and Chauri chaura Mahotsav' as per the Government's directions.

The event comprised an array of activities ranging from a formal rendition of the national song, Vande Mataram, Painting competition, Rangoli competition, Essay writing competition in English and Hindi languages on Chauri chaura incident to Postcard campaign on the topic- My vision for India in 2047 and Unsung heroes of freedom struggle. Mass participation of students was seen in the various competitions.

The entire premises of DMA was filled with the aura of patriotism all around as the choir group sung the National song VandeMataram melodiously in unison. To brighten up the occasion a painting competition and Rangoli competition was organised for the budding artists



of the school. Keeping up the patriotic fervor students displayed their artistic and aesthetical skills with full zeal and enthusiasm. The young artists explored the struggling angles of revolutionaries and interpreted beautifully their artistic expression in Painting & Rangoli Competition. The students put their best foot forward and took part in the competition with Zest.

In her address, Principal Dr (Mrs) Ritu Dewan highlighted the supreme sacrifices of the Martyrs and urged to take care of mother land in form of traditions, culture and respect the country like your parents. She further emphasised to rediscover our hidden strengths and prompted us to take sincere, synergistic action to regain our rightful place in the comity of nations.

CHRISTMAS DAY CELEBRATION AT DMA

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“ Christmas is not a time nor a season, but a state of mind. To cherish peace and goodwill, to be plenteous in mercy is to have the real. “

Christmas is the spirit of giving without a thought of getting. Soaking in the spirit of Christmas, DayawatiModi Academy celebrated Christmas with great fervor and enthusiasm in a special assembly organized by the middle school students on 24th Dec, 2021. The boundless joy of celebrating this festival was quite evident on the faces of each participant and the pinnacle of talent was a treat to watch.

Christmas and carols go hand in hand. A melodious carol was presented by the choir group which left the audience mesmerized. This was followed by a speech on the occasion presented by Anushi of VIII E.

Next in line was a spectacular dance performance. Students danced gracefully on a foot tapping number. It was a great way to bring joy and happiness during these challenging times. Everyone got drowned in the happy festive vibes.

A Christmas tree decorated with bells, streamers, stockings, stars and shining lights became the centre of attraction for one and all. A nativity scene was also presented to highlight the significance of the day. The dazzling entry of Santa Claus added to the joy and excitement to the students as he wished the gathering and distributed sweets.

An amazing performance was given by the young actors in form a short skit presented on the occasion. The skit expressed the importance of various symbols associated with Christmas and significance of the festival was conveyed exquisitely.

In her teacher’s talk for the day Ms.Nirmala motivated the students to become good human being and spread kindness around.

The Vice Principal Mr. Kapil Christopher expressed his delight on seeing such enthusiasm in the children who brought the spirit of Christmas to life.

In her address to the assembly, the Principal appreciated the efforts of the students and encouraged them to experience the power of sharing and helping others.



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RALLY ON TREE PLANTATION AWARENESS



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