



News Letter AUG 2020



FROM HEART TO HEART

Success is the sum of small efforts, repeated day in and day out.

The Covid-19 pandemic has brought an unprecedented crisis to the education landscape of the world. Transitioning from conventional to online teaching has been a challenge for teachers and students alike. But the speed with which the students and teachers of DMA made a shift to online teaching has been astounding and unparalleled.

The teachers of DMA are using a variety of teaching tools like Webex and Zoom and many other platforms like DMA's own Guru Portal, Youtube and Whatsapp to keep students engaged during these difficult times. They have delivered numerous online classes to complete the syllabus of ongoing academic year and ensured that the education of the students was uninterrupted.

Ensuring active student participation is an important challenge faced in an online classroom. DMA has successfully achieved this by removing the feeling of isolation and lack of peer interaction among students. The students are actively engaged in the interactive online classes, answering questions and participating in group discussions. Teachers use online pedagogies such as Team Based Learning (TBL), discussion forums and Open Education Resources (OERs) to make classes more engaging.

The teachers devote dedicated time for problem solving sessions with students in the evening hours (5 pm to 6 pm) where every student is free to contact their subject teachers and get their doubts cleared. We are also planning to provide support classes for the students who need extra support to overcome the hurdles in their learning process.

ENLIGHTENING INTERACTION ON FACEBOOK

***Gaining knowledge is the first step to wisdom,
Sharing it, is the first step to humanity.***

Revered Principal Dr (Mrs) Ritu Dewan was invited to grace the Facebook page of Abhivira Foundation to share her deep understanding and experience about Teaching Methodologies during Pandemic. With her vast knowledge of the pedagogy and teaching methodologies, Dr (Mrs) Ritu Dewan explained to the learned viewers that how teaching during a pandemic is a new challenge for most educators and how they can overcome this challenge by adopting new methods of teaching.



AbhiviraIndia Presents
Nayya - Bringing Together*
Dr. Ritu Dewan
Principal - DMA - Meerut
Topic - "Teaching Methodologies During Pandemic"

**Live On Facebook
Saturday 8th August**

Curated By Women Making HERstory!

Abhivira Foundation

Dr. Ritu Diwan
Topic
Teaching Methodologies
During Pandemic
@ 12:30 P.M.
On The Platform Of
Nayya - Bringing Together

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CELEBRATING RAKSHA BANDHAN WITH OUR BROTHER SERVING IN ARMED FORCES

*"You have never lived until
You have almost died,
And for those who choose to fight,
Life has a special flavor,
The protected will never know!!!"*
(Captain R Subramaniam, Kirti Chakra)

Students of DMA had expressed their love and gratitude to the soldiers serving the Indian Armed Forces by sending them self-prepared Rakhis before Raksha Bandhan. Many of our valiant soldiers serving at border outposts, far from their families, have written letters expressing their love and blessings for these tokens of love from the students.

74TH INDEPENDENCE DAY CELEBRATIONS IN DMA

"For to be free is not merely to cast off one's chains, but to live in a way that respects and enhances the freedom of others." --Nelson Mandela

India celebrated its 74th Independence Day on August 15, 2020 to commemorate the day when it got its independence from the oppressive British Raj after over two centuries of imperial rule and colonization. The students and staff of DMA have always celebrated Independence Day with full zeal and ardour. This year on account of the coronavirus pandemic, the celebration was without the students, with minimal staff attending with all health and safety measures and practicing social distancing. Yet, the fervour and the spirit of Independence Day was amply evident in the unfurling of the National flag by the Principal Dr (Mrs) Ritu Dewan, rendition of the National anthem by the staff members and distribution of sweets.





ONLINE ASSESSMENT CONDUCTED SUCCESSFULLY

Nothing is impossible. The word itself says, 'I'm possible.'

In order to assess the extent to which the student has achieved the academic objectives stipulated for the subjects/subject elements of the programme in the curriculum, 1st Assessment for class XI and 2nd Assessment for classes VII to XII was successfully conducted online from August 20 to August 26, 2020. The students timely logged into the online exam portal and attempted their exam. The IT teachers, class teachers and the subject teachers were available for prompt support during the examination time.

ACTIVITY CORNER

Education begins the moment we see children as innately wise and capable beings. Only then can we play along in their world.

Children are naturally creative. As educators, it is our responsibility to give them the freedom, materials and space to let their creativity blossom to its full potential. DMA has always believed that activity based learning is a key factor to inculcate a lifelong love of learning in the students. It is a more engaging way to learn, leads to increased retention and offers practice in problem solving and critical thinking. Despite the physical distancing caused by the pandemic, our teachers work hard to engage students in various home based activities which promote a better understanding of the topics.

DMA'S ACHIEVERS

A lamp doesn't speak. It simply introduces itself through its light. Achievers never expose themselves but their achievements speak for them!

Nandini Goswami, a student of class XII, aspires to be an innovator in the nano-technology space. She has already demonstrated her skills in making IFT-2, a water filter foam out of coffee residue. Winner of All India Deshbandhu Memorial Gold Cup English Debate Competition 2019, she has flair for public speaking. She has been an organizing committee member at the Model UN and has designed a 2 feet bridge model using recycled ice-cream sticks to promote sustainability at Pearl Academy Festival. She has now been appointed on the board of ENpower's (an organisation that focuses on building life skills and an entrepreneurial mind-set among pre-teens and young adults) Student Advisory Board to help gather insights to make learning more engaging for students.



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Congratulations!

Top 3 Fastest kids to complete the program :

- A. Kartik Singh (Grade 10)
- B. Yugveer Singh Tyagi (Grade 9)
- C. Raghava Bhardwaj (Grade 12)



Free Access to Game Builder in JavaScript (worth INR 11,800) will be provided by the end of the week to the Winners!

DMA WELCOMES NEW FAMILY MEMBER

Given a rich environment, learning becomes like the air – it is in and around us.

On 30th August 2020, The Star Global School, Rohtak was incorporated in the chain of prestigious educational institutions of the education wing of Gujarmal Modi Charitable Trust of which DMA is a proud member. Star Global School will function as a part of the Trust's Education Wing's schools and its complete facilities, features and style will also have the same high standards as the other schools under the trust.

AN APPEAL TO THE PARENTS

We look forward to your unstinting support as always. Your feedback in appreciation of our consistent efforts and suggestions for further improvement are welcome.

For online fee payment please refer the following link-

<https://dma.scientificstudy.in/payment?key=dma>

If you need any assistance in paying online fee, feel free to call :

9927059479, 9927200431

Please stay at home, stay safe!

School fee can be paid via -

1. School ERP

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2. PayTM App

http://m.p-y.tm/dayamodifee_sms

3. HDFC App

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4. Through Net Banking

I. School name: DAYAWATI MODI ACADEMY

II. Bank name: PUNJAB NATIONAL BANK, MODIPURAM

III. A/C No. : 0902000100185448

IV. IFSC Code: PUNB 0090200