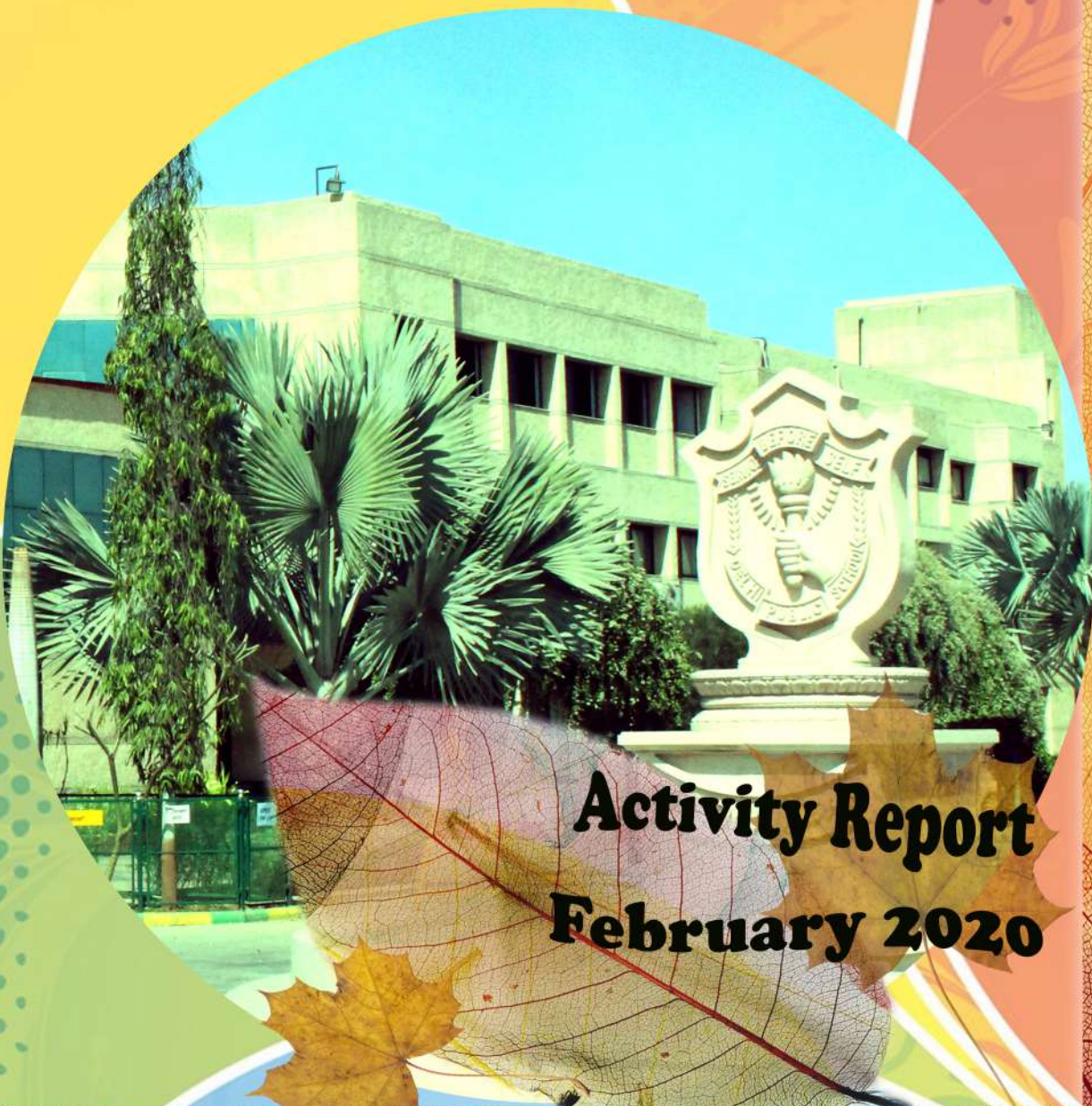




Delhi Public School Gandhinagar



**Activity Report
February 2020**

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Blessing Ceremony

“Let your hard work propel you to a speed so fast that good luck has no choice but to ride with a winner like you”

Delhi Public School, Gandhinagar celebrated Blessing Ceremony for the students of class X, who are going to appear in their forthcoming Board exams. The special guests, students of Class X, were given a warm welcome. Aman and Bhavya led the program throughout and held the audience spellbound with their compering. The junior stars left no stone unturned in wishing their seniors good luck. The students of class IX sang a melodious song and left everyone spellbound. There was a special dance performance by them which made everyone energetic. The students of class X, Tanishi Das and Shrutee Lagdive spoke a few lines about their journey in the school on the occasion.

Good Luck wishes for students are incomplete without the teachers' blessings. A solemn round of blessing speech by Ms. Pramod Bana and Mr. Bhavin followed next. The Headmistress Ms. Manju Dabi in her address to the students of class X, said that the blessing ceremonies boost up the morale of the students and convinced them that they are very special. She said that success doesn't come by chance; a consistent, committed and rigorous practice is required to achieve success in any sphere of life. Giving study tips to the students, she professed how success comes from time management. She hoped that students will cherish the lessons inculcated in their character throughout their lives. She wished them good luck for their Board examination.

The students were given mementos by their class teachers along with their good wishes and blessings.

“You don't always get what you wish for; you get what you work for.”



Hasta La Vista (Farewell)

“There are no goodbyes for us. Wherever you are, you will always be in my heart.”

The auditorium of Delhi Public School Gandhinagar echoed with the blessings on the morning of 7th February when DPSG family came together to bid adieu to the outgoing 2019-20 batch of Class XII students. It was the morning of sundry emotions for all present at the school auditorium to attend the official send-off for the Class XII students at the farewell ceremony 2020. The day was a celebration dedicated to the years spent together and to hark back to the merry moments.

The farewell was organized by Class XI students, who gave their best wishes to their seniors. The function began with inviting the Class 12 students to the auditorium. The anchors presented the welcome speech. The Class XI students entertained the audience with their wonderful rendition. The golden adieu awards for the unique traits were given to the students and then came the much awaited farewell movie which left everyone teary eyed. The scintillating dance performance by Class XI was jaw-dropping. It takes twelve long years to shape the personality of a child in school and a tide of emotions is bound to overflow the shore of their lives on the day of parting. Keeping this in mind a talk show was organized where students were asked to share their innermost feelings about their school life at DPSG. The speech by CCA Captain, Sanyam Chaudhry brought a broad smile of unfeigned delight to everyone's face.

The event proceeded further with the address of the dignitaries. Vice-Chairman of DPS Gandhinagar, Mr. Mahesh Chandra Pant and Managing Trustee, Mr. Apoorva Goenka blessed all the students for their board exams and gave them some valuable tips for the same. Principal, Mr. Atanu Rath advised the students to never give up in the life. There was a day when the parents of this outgoing batch of students had brought a very hesitant son or daughter to this school. But time is a winged chariot as the students have now grown up to be confident, competent, committed and hopefully compassionate citizens. Keeping aside the tough part of saying goodbyes, the students were ready to shake their legs showcasing all the twirls and swirls with the DJ. Lip-smacking lunch was served to all the students after the gala event of merrymaking. Class XI students proposed the vote of thanks from the bottom of their hearts. Heartfelt gratitude was also expressed to all the people behind the success of the valedictory event. The event of farewell was concluded with the distribution of sashes and mementos.

The sasha holders were:

Mr/Ms. Hasta La Vista – Vishesh Jain/ Tushita Negi

Mr/Ms All Rounder- Divya Panchal/ Muskan Tomar

Mr/Ms Popular- Sanyam Chaudhry/ Priyanka Baliya

Mr/Ms School Time Achiever- Varun Chaturvedi/ Ananya Singh

The Spectacular Sportsman (M&F) – Krupal Patel & Shruti Garg







Graduation Day is a day of rejoicing as it signifies the culmination of years of hard work in the relentless pursuit of knowledge. Delhi Public School – Gandhinagar celebrated Graduation Ceremony to applaud the young enthusiastic learners of Pre-Primary Section for their commendable performance on **22nd February** in the school premises.

The theme of the event was ‘Sharing – Touch a life forever’. The program highlighted the sentiments of empathy and kindness towards the people who are not so blessed. The event was graced by Ms. Yogita B Ahuja, a Founder – Director of Story Circle.

The programme started with the traditional lighting of lamp.

Pre-Primary students performed on theme based songs and skit. They left everyone spell bound with their mesmerizing performance. Vibrant music, dance, breathtaking colours and highly coordinated movements promptly set the tone and mood of the atmosphere. Their energetic booming and clapping waxed the audience to sway to its lively beats.

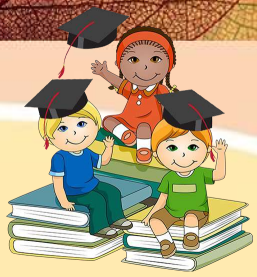
Ms. Yogita addressed the gathering and emphasised on the importance of story narration every day. The Principal, Mr. Atanu Rath emphasized upon the overall development of the students through various co-curricular activities in his speech. The Academic Coordinator, Ms. Neeti Jain presented school report highlighting the major activities that took place during the session and shared special achievements of students.

The most important part of the day – Graduation Ceremony started with the UKG students adorned in convocation capes walking the stage. Their smiling faces were welcomed by rapturous applause from the audience as they received scrolls of merit on the dais. The programme ended with the vote of thanks.

Graduation ceremony was a great success due to the leadership, guidance and support of the Management, Principal and staff. The event could not have been possible without the sincere efforts and hard work put in by the students and parents.







GRADUATION DAY!



Graduation Ceremony

The Primary Wing of Delhi Public School, Gandhinagar celebrated the Graduation Ceremony for the students of class V for the academic session 2019-20 on **25th February** in the School

auditorium. The event was planned to celebrate the coming of age of class V students who would soon move on to the Secondary Wing of the school and enter a new phase of their life. The program started with a beautiful song sung by the teachers. The students of standard IV conveyed their best wishes through a well choreographed dance performance. There was a thanks giving speech by the Head Boy of the Primary Wing, Master Ekagara Maheshwari. This was followed by an informal interactive session between the Principal, Mr. Atanu Rath and the students. There was an enthralling dance performance by the students of class V which portrayed their journey in the Primary Wing. The class IV students presented a very thought provoking skit with a shade of humour in which they highlighted negative aspects of the dependency on technology. The Graduation ceremony was full of several splendid performances by the students and it was a truly memorable day for all to cherish. The students were made to wear special graduation gowns with caps and were photographed class wise.



Pre-Primary Wing

COMMUNICATION WEEK

Learning about means of communication is the key for children to interact with the persons in their world.

To explore about this concept Communication week was planned for LKG students in Delhi Public School Gandhinagar from 3rd Feb to 10th Feb. During the week students were shown and explained about earlier and latest

means of communication like writing letters, messages, landline and mobile phones etc. Children were also taught about the technological advancement of internet and mobile. They visited post-office to see the process of receiving and sending letters. They also posted handmade greeting cards for the family in the post-box. Apart from that students explored and enjoyed means of communication by making model of phones and communicating through it.



Drawing Competition

The aim of the drawing competition is to engage children in a creative exercise to identify their hopes and dreams of the future. Their drawing will express their creativity and innovative ideas.

Keeping this in mind Delhi Public School, Gandhinagar organized 'Drawing Competition' on 4th February for L.K.G children. Students enthusiastically took part in the competition and made many wonderful drawings on the given topics i.e Garden and Underwater. For this competition, individual sheet was provided to the children.

This event was to ignite the creative side of the children's mind and helped in developing their fine motor skills. It also encouraged their interest in the topics of the drawing. Children participated with zeal and showed their imagination. Best five students were selected from each section. Certificate and badges were given.



Jig Saw Puzzle Competition

Delhi Public School, Gandhinagar has organised Jig Saw Puzzle Competition for the toddlers of Nursery on 7th February. The competition was held to develop three basic skills, 'Physical skills, Cognitive skills and Finer Motor skills' in our tiny tots. Four pieces Puzzle of fruit and vegetable were given to the children from the school to solve by observing the full picture of the similar fruit and vegetable. The children performed well by showing their skills, by solving the puzzle, by turning the pieces until they fit and showing patience to complete the puzzle. Children enjoyed the competition a lot. Judgement of the competition was based on the time taken by the child in solving the puzzle. The best five fastest children were felicitated by badges and certificate of appreciation.



Special Achievements

Delhi Public School Gandhinagar takes immense pleasure in announcing that **Miss Preksha Jain** of class UKG –E had secured 2nd position in Kumite, Western India Wado -Kai karate Championship 2020 held at Officer's Club, Alkapuri, Vadodara Gujarat on 2nd February 2020. She was felicitated by Principal Mr. Atanu Rath during morning assembly.



Delhi Public School, Gandhinagar takes immense pleasure in felicitating the students of pre-primary who participated in Inter School Competition 'Cocoon Utsav' held at APS International School, Gandhinagar on 7th February'20. Tiny Tots of DPSG performed with confidence and determination in this event. Four students participated in the competition. They are **Anaya Somani** and **Kaustav Ghosh** from LKG & **Aarna Somani** and **Vraj Thakur** from UKG. We are glad that Anaya Somani won Second position in Character Portrayal and Aarna Somani won First position in Hindi Rhyme Competition. They were felicitated with trophy, certificate and gift by Principal Mr Atanu Rath.



Safety Week

'Safety is as simple as ABC- Always Be Careful'

To explore more about this concept, the Nursery class of Delhi Public School Gandhinagar celebrated Safety Week from 25.02.2020 to 28.02.2020 in which they got to learn many things related to safety which are stated as follows:-

Day 1 - Class safety tips:-

- Don't run inside the class.
- Don't push anyone in the classroom and while forming a queue, as anybody can fall.
- Don't touch any sharp object.

Demonstration for the same was given in the classroom itself.



Day 2- Road safety tips:-

- Always walk on footpath.
- Cross the road only at zebra crossing.
- Don't play on road or else accidents might happen.
- Hold the hand of elders while crossing the road.

For Demonstration the children were taken to the Parking Area of the school.

Day 3- First aid for safety:-

- First aid kit and its

instruments were shown.

- Visit to school's Infirmary was planned for demonstration.

Day 4 - Trip safety tips:-

- Always follow the teacher's instruction.
- Walk in line or else you may be lost.
- Don't accept anything given by a stranger.



d) Don't run here and there.

For Demonstration, children were taken for a visit to Indroda Park. Children were also given flippers about what they have learnt during Safety Week.



Visit to the Indroda Park

A visit to the Indroda Park was organised for the students of Pre Primary wing of Delhi Public School Gandhinagar on **28th February**. Students boarded the bus and reached the destination. Students were very enthusiastic and excited to see the park. As soon as students reached there, introduction about the park was given by one of their staff member. The most exciting part of the trip was the Dinosaur Park. The students walked in a proper line and saw the park quietly and keenly. Students saw various replicas of dinosaurs as well as their fossils. The staff member explained in detail about different types of dinosaurs and their fossils etc. After that students were taken to the garden for breakfast. At last they were taken to see different types of birds, snakes, leopards etc. Students played different games in the garden. They enjoyed the trip and returned to school on time. Overall the day was full of fun and frolic for the students.



Primary Wing

Inter House Cyber Wizard Competition

The Primary Wing of Delhi Public School, Gandhinagar organised an 'Inter House Cyber Wizard Competition' for the students of Class V on 3rd February. The competition focussed on bringing out the creative skills of students so that they could draw and prepare presentations in an aesthetically pleasing manner using computer software tool such as MS Power Point. The topic was **Moral Based Story**. The students of standard V were judged on the basis of content, animation and transition, design and overall presentation. All the students participated enthusiastically in the competition and prepared beautiful slides.



Twist Rhyme Zone

Delhi Public School Gandhinagar organized an English Poem Recitation Competition titled as 'Twist Rhyme Zone' on 3rd February. It aimed at developing love for poetry among the students. The participants recited the new version of old poems. They twisted and turned the old classic poems in a unique way. The students got an opportunity to exhibit their talent and confidence. The participants were judged on the parameters like content, voice modulation, expression & pronunciation. The event was a great success and it was welcome change from the routine activities.



Inter House Story Illustration Competition

The Primary Wing of Delhi Public School, Gandhinagar organized an Inter House Story Illustration Competition for the students of Class III on **3rd February**. The competition was in itself a great experience for the young readers to exhibit their comprehending skills by illustrating the story. The competition was based on the theme of 'Panchatantra'. It was judged by the teachers of English Department of Primary wing. The parameters for judging each student was based on their comprehension skill, neatness of illustration and colour scheme. The participants showcased their hidden talents and participated in the competition with great enthusiasm.



Mahi House Special Assembly

A special assembly was organised by Mahi House on **2nd February** on the theme 'Save Girl Child'.

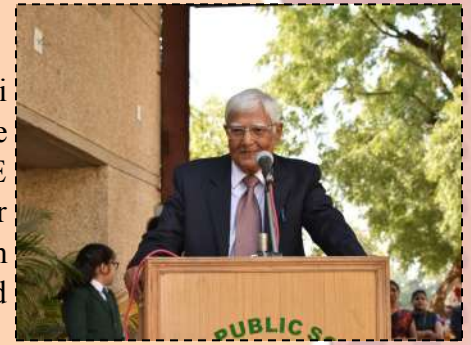
The assembly commenced with a Poem on Save Girl Child, followed by prayer and school pledge. There was Glimpse of Five Famous Indian Women along with their Achievements. Students presented Skit and dance on 'Save Girl Child'. The felicitation of all the achievers of NSO was also done by Principal and Headmaster of Primary Wing. The Principal Mr. Atanu Rath felicitated all the achievers and congratulated them on their special achievements and appreciated the Assembly and theme "Save Girl Child". The Headmaster of Primary Wing, Mr. Rakesh Kumar Bhagat also congratulated the students and conveyed his vote of thanks.



Special Assembly for the Vice Chairman DPSG

A special assembly was organised to welcome the Vice-Chairman of Delhi Public School Gandhinagar, Shri Mahesh Chandra Pant on 6th February by the students of classes IV and V. This assembly was an amalgamation of CBSE assembly themes like 'Save Girl Child', 'Avoid Plastic' and 'Know Your Partner State-Chhattisgarh' under 'Ek Bharat Shrestha Bharat' program launched by CBSE to provide facts to the students about Chhattisgarh State and to highlight the Indian traditions and values.

The assembly commenced with the floral welcome of the Shri Mahesh Chandra Pant, Vice-Chairman of DPSG by Principal, Mr. Atanu Rath. It was followed by the school prayer and the pledge on avoid using plastic. A melodious welcome song was presented in the honour of the guest. The students of class V mesmerised the audience by performing a beautiful folk dance of Chhattisgarh, 'Dara Lor Gehe Re'. The students of classes IV and V presented a beautiful drama based on the 'Ramayan' through which they tried to highlight our values and traditions. The enactment of the role play titled as 'Grammar Family' on eight parts of speech in English Language was appreciated by one and all present. Shri Mahesh Chandra Pant appreciated the efforts of the students, teachers and the Headmaster of the Primary Wing and the Principal for the meticulously planned assembly.



Annual School Picnic @ Fun & Feast

DPSG organised an Annual School Picnic for the students of Class-I to Fun and Feast (Kudasan) Gandhinagar on 7th February. The picnic started with a delicious breakfast followed by the tour of the park where the students enjoyed rides such as Toy train, jumps of Trampoline, zig-zags of Cup and Saucer and flight of Helicopter. After a tiring and fun packed morning the children headed for the lunch where they relished different items of food followed by indoor games. Finally the day ended with yummy snacks and surprise gifts. It was a fun filled experience for the students who got a chance to spend quality time with their friends. The students enjoyed the day to the fullest and left with beautiful memories to be cherished for a long time to come.



Jai Jawan, Jai Kisan, Jai Vigyan

An assembly was organised by the students of class I on 10th February on the theme: **Jai Jawan, Jai Kisan and Jai Vigyan** to respect and recollect the contributions made by our powerful armed forces who protect our country from the enemies, farmers who work very hard in their fields to grow crops and satisfy our basic need of food and great scientists who help us to lead a comfortable life.

The enthusiastic students danced gracefully which conveyed the message - we should work with unity like the armed forces, we should work hard and have faith like farmers to get good results and we should be ambitious like scientists to achieve success. The Headmaster of the Primary Wing, Mr. Rakesh Kumar Bhagat delivered his words of wisdom and congratulated the students for their wonderful performance and the confidence they had during assembly.



Narmada House Special Assembly

'FATHER-A son's first HERO and daughter's first LOVE.'



A special assembly was organised by Narmada House on 11th February under the guidance of the Narmada House teachers on the theme: **My Dad My Super Hero** to help the students understand the importance of a father in life.

The assembly commenced with the school prayer and the school pledge. A motivational thought based on fatherhood was shared and explained to the students. A melodious song sung by the students of class V mesmerised the audience completely. Few *dohas* were recited

by the assembly participants and the meanings of each *doha* was well explained in the assembly. The students presented a well synchronised and beautifully choreographed dance drama under the guidance of the dance teacher, Ms.Hardika. The dance drama was the major attraction of the assembly as it touched each heart and evoked the emotions of one and all present. The felicitation of all the achievers of Inter house competitions, sports competitions and special achievements was done by Principal Sir and Headmaster of the Primary Wing.



Class Quiz

A class quiz on General Knowledge was organised by Delhi Public School, Gandhinagar for the students of classes I and II. The event aimed at enhancing the knowledge of students and learning beyond textbooks. It was a written quiz having multiple choice answers to be completed in a specific time frame. The quiz included subjects such as main four subjects, sports, current affairs, general science etc. The students exhibited a great deal of zeal and enthusiasm towards the quiz. It was a wonderful learning experience for all the students.



Sabarmati House Special Assembly

'Never Give Up-Today is hard, tomorrow is worse, but the day after tomorrow will be Sunshine.'

A special assembly was organised by Sabarmati House on **18th February** on the theme: **Never Give Up**. To help the students to have positive attitude in life and to encourage them to believe in themselves. The students of classes I-III from Sabarmati House presented a melodious song based on the theme. A student of class 5 enacted the role of Guru Chanakya and highlighted his philosophy of success. The students presented a beautifully choreographed dance performance based on the theme. The Headmaster of Primary Wing, Mr. Rakesh Kumar Bhagat also congratulated the students and conveyed his vote of thanks.



Special Achievements

Delhi Public School Gandhinagar takes immense pride in announcing the stupendous achievements of **Mehar Chaudhary**, a student of class III-A and **Garv Jain** from class III-B. They had participated in the Inter School Chess Tournament-2020 on **16th February** in Group A. The tournament was organised by the Karnavati Chess Academy. Mehar Chaudhary secured the first position in Group A and Garv Jain stood third in Group A in the tournament. They were felicitated in the morning assembly by the Principal, Mr. Atanu Rath held in school on **18th February**.



Delhi Public School Gandhinagar takes immense pride in announcing the stupendous achievements of **Hitansh Sata**, a student of standard IV-H who participated in Gujarat State Ranking Tournament from 8 February to 12 February 2020. This tournament was held at Altius Tennis Academy, Chandkheda. Hitansh got the runners up trophy in under 10 boys' category. He was felicitated in the morning assembly by the Headmaster, Mr. Rakesh Kumar Bhagat held in school on **18th February**.



Delhi Public School Gandhinagar takes immense pride in announcing the stupendous achievement of Ms. Prisha Raina, a student of standard V-B who has created a gaming app titled as 'Prisha'. She is tech savvy since standard III and has an excellent knowledge of Computer. For her extraordinary thinking skills and creative achievement, Prisha was felicitated by the Headmaster of the Primary Wing, Mr. Rakesh Kumar Bhagat with a Certificate of Appreciation in the morning assembly held on **25th February**.



Prisha Raina- V-B- Creator of a Gaming App- 'PRISHA'



All for Kids

Delhi Public School Gandhinagar always aims to enhance holistic education which is one of the methodologies that focuses on preparing students to meet any challenge they may face in life and in their academic career. All for Kids in collaboration with Delhi Public School Gandhinagar is grooming students in this arena from grade III to VIII. A Faculty from All for Kids trains the children to enjoy the activities that are designed to engage them and stimulate language and



speech in order to learn.

Kids learn in different ways than adults. They learn by comparing physical experiences, by interactions with other people and their own feelings. They learn an enormous amount through their imagination. Using student presentations to demonstrate the extent of understanding, as opposed to an exam, can be very beneficial. Students get to show everything that they know, rather than being constrained by a specific exam question. Keeping in line with the All For Kids objectives, students of All for Kids presented several poems, speeches, plays and tongue twisters on 5 March, 6 March and 7 March 2020 respectively in the school library. Their parents being their audience, highly appreciated their performances and also praised the efforts taken by the All For Kids faculty.



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Objective of the Event

To build confidence during public speaking.

To enhance vocabulary and diction.

To provide a platform where they can overcome their fear of communication skills.



THE SPORT CORNER

JUNIOR NATIONAL BASKETBALL ASSOCIATION (NBA) SKILL CHALLENGE PROGRAM 2019-20

'Talent wins games, but team work and intelligence win championships'

The 'Junior NBA Skill Challenge Program' was held on 7th February in which Delhi Public School Gandhinagar secured first position. The event incharge of the program was Marie Marquez, NBA Skill Development Coach from USA. The Event was organized by the Reliance Foundation and NBA, USA.

Total 67 students of DPS Gandhinagar participated in Junior NBA Skill Challenge Program' and displayed their brilliant performance against various schools of Ahmedabad and Gandhinagar. Twenty-three students of DPS Gandhinagar participated in Junior NBA Skill Challenge Program in Under-10 Boys & Girls category. The

student of class V-C Aarnav Garg and class V-F Haritima Singh emerged as the BEST SKILLFUL PLAYER OF the Junior NBA Basketball Skill Challenge Program in Boys and Girls' Group respectively. Both the players showcased their true sportsperson spirit and gave their best shot in the various events.

The basketball coach of DPSG Mr. Gajendra Singh also attended a coaching clinic (workshop) for this event under the guidance of the NBA Skill Development Coach Marie Marquez from USA. His untiring efforts in training the DPSG Basketball Team were greatly appreciated by the event incharge.



Junior NBA Skill Challenge Program

Secondary Wing

MatheGon workshop

Mathematics is not about numbers, equations, computations or algorithms it is about understanding

DPS Gandhinagar students got an opportunity to be a part of MatheGon workshop organised by IIT Gandhinagar on 1st Feb. Students were enriched and enlightened with ideas and problem solving techniques given by Dr Vaidhya, a great mathematician who has excelled in the field of number theory and trained many student for International Olympiad. Students enjoyed creative learning session conducted by Gautam Borisagar from IIT (RAM). His magical acts and deep understanding of the content mesmerized students. He emphasized on learning by repetition, thinking critically, logically and act with fact as important aspect of cultivating Maths as fun subject. Students took part in MatheGon Quiz contest and our student **Ved Patel** of class VIII secured 1st position in overall VI-IX category and was rewarded with a book.



Special Morning Assembly

Education is the most powerful weapon which you can use to change the world."

A Special Morning Assembly was organized by the students of Classes VI –XI in Delhi Public School, Gandhinagar on 6th February. It was a proud privilege for the school to have honourable **Shri Mahesh Chandra Pant**, Vice Chairman of Delhi Public School, Gandhinagar as our esteemed and special guest. He has a rich experience in the field of Education and



Administrative field. The assembly commenced by giving a hearty welcome to our special guest followed by a heart-melting *Bhajan*, further followed by the wonderful portrayal of the Shakespearean Play, *Macbeth*. It further paved the way for a mesmerizing and energetic *Garba* performance followed by the pledge on Swachhta. The melodious School Song was then sung beautifully by the choir. Everything was so well presented that it bagged applauds and appreciations of all. Lastly, the eminent guest addressed the

gathering and motivated the students with his encouraging words of wisdom. He emphasized on the development of the students through holistic approach.



Morning Assembly - Stress Bursting

The greatest weapon against stress is our ability to choose one thought over another

An assembly was organised in DPS Campus by the teachers and students of Secondary Wing on 11th February on “Stress Bursting” which was inspired to promote mental health among the adolescents. The assembly begun by soulful rendering of ‘Saraswati Vandana’, which had left every one spellbound followed by an inspirational song ‘ashayein...’. Puppet Show was conducted by the students of Class 6 and 7. A small talk on ‘laughter as stress buster’ was given by school counsellor. Ms. Pramod Hindi (TGT) was invited on the stage to share her wisdom with the students as she would be retiring next month.



Special Assembly on 'Unique Me'

Embrace uniqueness, because being unique is better than being perfect!

Morning assembly is about scholars and mentors coming together to start the day. It is a platform to express our thoughts and feelings and display talents of our students and imparting knowledge to them. DPS Gandhinagar conducted a special assembly on Tuesday, 4th February. Theme of the assembly was 'Unique Me'. The objective of the assembly was to discover the hidden talents in the students. The students participated enthusiastically in the assembly. Talents like origami, dance, stand-up comedy, declamation and many more activities were presented by the students. Students showcased their skill at Classical and Bollywood dance also. They also showed their expertise in public speaking and singing. The assembly began with the blessings of the Almighty with Ganesh Vandana, presented by Rohini Srivastava of class 7 B and it was followed by a musical rendition on keyboard by Kush of class 7 B. Kathak dance was then presented by Anmol Tripathi of 6 A. A French song was presented by Nrutya Patel of 6 F. Then, came the turn of instrumentalists, singers, comedians and dancer who played *Saare jahan se accha* and *Ek pyar ka nagma hai* on keyboard and violin. Students enthusiastically sang an English song, enacted Charlie Chaplin comic scene and also performed on a Bollywood number respectively. The assembly concluded with National Anthem.



Learning Beyond the School Campus- Trip to Camp Dilly

"Until you step into the unknown you don't know what you are made of"

Delhi Public School Gandhinagar organised a one day Adventure Camp on 1st February to Camp Dilly located in District Anand. Amongst the tranquil landscape is a unique hideaway-Camp Dilly where Class VIII students went to unwind from their daily routine. Camp more worry less. Only those who



will risk going too far can possibly find out how far one can go. Students participated in host of sports activities like Zip Line, Plank Bridge, Burma Bridge, Swinging Planks, Parallel Bars, Commando



Net Walk. They even tried their hands in pottery. The foot tapping songs played by the DJ kept them on the dance floor for a long time. The nutritious food served from morning till afternoon kept the teens energized till the time we started on our return journey to



school. Highly rejuvenated 110 students and 6 teachers returned to school around 6.30pm



Optimism is the faith that leads to achievement

A chilly winter morning of February 18th February brought a real warmth in the morning assembly when Delhi Public School, Gandhinagar announced 'Best Class Trophy' for the classes VI-IX. The school has always been committed for holistic development and motivating its students by rewarding and appreciating them. With this aim classes were observed in their respective rooms, on the field, in the library, laboratories, art& craft and even in the performing arts departments. Teachers from all the departments adjudged them for their discipline, behaviour, proper uniform and communication skills. After all the calculations, classes VI-A, VII-C, VIII-D, and IX-D bagged 'Best Class Rolling Trophy' among all the sections for the months of December to February 2020. This was a real morale booster for the students to continue to excel in their future endeavours.

ROLLING TROPHY FOR BEST CLASS (SECONDARY SECTION) DEC-FEB

Criteria's for the same are:- Discipline Spoken English Cleanliness Behaviour towards teachers	Best Classes are:- Class VI-A Class VII-C Class VIII D Class IX-D	Class Teacher:- Ms. Nisreen Kakkai Ms. Gita Tejwani Ms. Parveen Trikha Mr. Lokesh Sinha
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Rank Award Ceremony

“Parade is our paradise; we have fire in our eyes that rage on our heart!

Sacrifices are nothing to us when we serve our purpose; those three words made us

“National Cadet Corps.”

Rank Award Ceremony of 2nd Gujarat Independent Company NCC Gandhinagar was held at D.P.S.Gandhinagar in Atrium for class VIII and IX during their Assembly under the guidance of the CTO Mr. Yogesh Sharma and Ms.Gargi Khatri. Junior Wing and Junior Division cadets were bestowed with the SGT, CPL and LCPL ranks by the Principal Mr. Atanu Rath. It was indeed a pride moment for the cadets and the school. All the cadets were motivated by inspiring words by the Principal. Headmistress, teachers and students applauded the rank holders and they witnessed the ceremony with great zeal and pleasure. The cadets have made the school reach greater heights. The cadet's name and rank are as follows.



RANK	JUNIOR WING	JUNIOR DIVISION
SGT	ANANYA DHAWAN	ATHRRV VERMA
CPL	AMBIKA SUBRAMANIAM	ADITYA BHARDWAJ
CPL	PRAKRUTI RAJDEEP	YUVRAJ PARMAR
CPL	MAHEK RATHORE	-
LCPL	SHRILEE SHAH	NILANSHU DIDWANIA
LCPL	VAIDIKA VASAVA	KUSHAGRA MAHESHWARI



Teacher's corner

Workshop on Conflict Management

“An eye for an eye will only make the whole world blind.”

Delhi Public School Gandhinagar organised a workshop for the teachers of Secondary and Senior Secondary Wing on **22nd February**. The workshop was conducted by Ms. Kirtika Trivedi and Ms. Sanghmitra Gautam on the topic **Conflict Management**.

The workshop aimed at helping the teachers and mentors to understand the **Conflict** among colleagues which create distractions that can hinder an organization's ability to meet corporate objectives. The goal of workplace conflict resolution strategy is to find a win-win, or a compromise situation, so that each one's interest are met at some level. The content summary included Types of Conflicts, Causes of Conflicts and Five Styles of resolving the conflict. Examples of Constructive Conflict Resolution were discussed like:

- Disagreement among Team Members
- Conflict with the Boss
- Personality Clash

Various fun activities were discussed with the teachers to understand conflict and how to resolve it. The workshop also laid emphasis on the steps to create supportive and comfortable environment. The session was conducted using various learning tools such as Power Point Presentations, videos and group activities etc.



Workshop on Emotional Intelligence

“Your emotions are the slaves to your thoughts, and you are the slave to your emotions.”

A workshop was conducted by Ms. Soniya Vaswani & Ms. Vanishree Rao on the topic *EMOTIONAL INTELLIGENCE* on 3rd Feb. Along with the actual meaning, its factors were also discussed. A quiz was



organised to check one's Emotional Intelligence. The teachers felt lively during the workshop solving the quiz. The difference in quotient level between people was explained with illustrations and reference of people were given. In the end, few tips to increase one's EQ were also explained keeping in mind the necessity of teachers to deal with their work.

Workshop on Stress Management

‘Stop Stressing, Start Living’

To enhance skills of teachers and to enable them to be happy managing work efficiently and have a state of calmness in every situation, a workshop named *Speculation: A journey towards life & stress management* was held in D.A.V International School, Ahmedabad on 8th Feb. It was conducted by Dr. Nivedita Ganguli (Ph.D. in Psychology) and attended by Mr. Rushikesh Upadhyay and Ms. Preetam Kaur. She asked the teachers to understand one's state of mind and various ways to keep the mind positive. She equipped the teachers and children with variety of activities showing importance of team work, co-ordination, fun and acceptance and thus reduce stress. Dr. Nivedita Ganguli stressed on the idea of recognizing stress and its symptoms through case studies. She stressed on utilizing effective relaxation



and stress reduction techniques for overall health and longevity.



Importance of Performing Arts in Classroom

The Delhi Public School Gandhinagar organised a workshop for the teachers of Primary Wing on **22nd February**. The workshop was conducted by the various Performing Arts teachers: Ms.Poorvi, Ms.Vaishali, Ms.Balaka Das and Mr.Naimish Vora and Ms.Hardika. The topic of the workshop was- 'Importance of Value Education, Art and Craft, Music, Dance and Physical Education in Classroom'. The workshop aimed at helping the teachers to encourage the students to be more creative.

The workshop was conducted to discuss the importance of different performing arts and how the same can be applied in the class rooms. It was emphasised in the workshop that learning should be interactive and interesting. The benefits of music and rhythm was discussed at length. Various fun activities were conducted and proper demonstrations were given to the teachers to make them understand the significance of performing arts in life. The session was conducted by using various learning tools such as power point presentations, group activities etc.



Developing your Memory and Concentration

A workshop for the teachers of Secondary and Senior Secondary Wing was conducted on **22nd Feb** by Ms. Kruti Shah and Mr. Yatin Vyas on the topic: **Developing your Memory and Concentration.**

The workshop aimed at helping the teachers and mentors to understand the power of memory and concentration. The teachers talked about sensory, short-term and long-term memory and concentration. The use of hand mudra and pranayama to improve the memory power and concentration was explained. The goal of the workshop was to share the effective tips to improve memory and concentration to smoothen our work. Tips to improve were like meditation, exercise, proper sleep, keep oneself socially and emotionally active, laughter. Eating brain-boosting diet and using mnemonic devices makes memorization easier was also suggested.



CSR Event

“You are braver than you believe, stronger you seem, and smarter than you think”

The CSR team of Delhi Public School Gandhinagar organised a visit for the underprivileged children of slums residing near sector 13, Gandhinagar- to DPSG. Thirty children visited the school on **15th February**. It was a special day for them as usually they walk miles to go to their regular govt. school, but that day DPSG school bus had come to pick them. The moment when they entered the huge gate, they were all surprised and mesmerised to see the school campus.

The day commemorated with a prayer where children expressed their gratitude to God. The children attended the computer class where they learnt basic things about technology and watched a short movie which made these children feel special. The teachers put utmost efforts to teach with maximum love and care to these children. After that the children



attended the Art & Craft and Music class. They learnt to make paper-flowers happily in the Art & Craft class and learnt a Gujarati prayer in the music class. Basic knowledge about the names of different musical instruments was imparted to them. It was just like a dream come true for them.



The children were served midday meal in the canteen. After a sumptuous lunch, they visited the school library where a book mark was given to each one of them so that they can learn how to use that. They also enacted a story using different props. During the games period, they played basketball with energy and enthusiasm. They were treated just the way the other students of the school are treated. They enjoyed a lot as they had never done it before.

At the end of the day, the children were given a stationery kit as a token of love and blessings from DPSG. All the Teachers of CSR Team had put maximum efforts to make their day and tried to bring the biggest smiles on these children's faces. It was really a great initiative taken by the DPSG CSR Team. The objectives of the Event was to bring happiness to the Underprivileged children and make the children feel special.

“The harder you work for something, the greater you will feel when you achieve it”





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