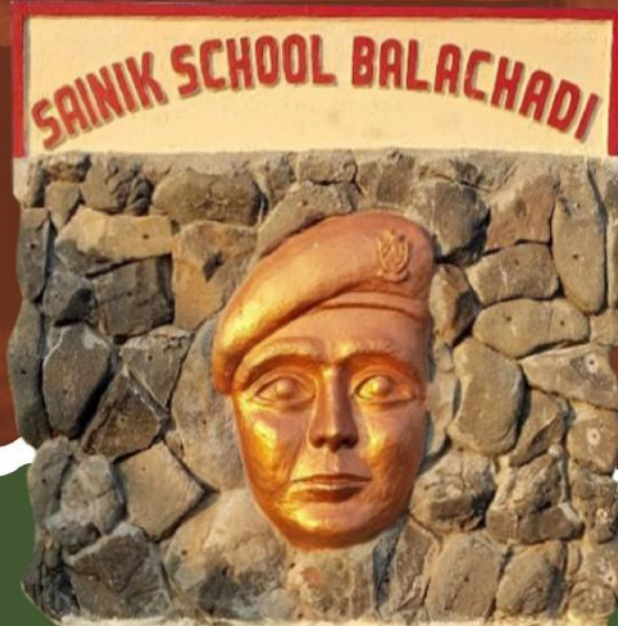




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'LEARNERS TODAY, LEADERS TOMORROW EDITION'
2023-24



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FROM THE ROCKS**



THE DIGITAL JOURNAL OF
SAINIK SCHOOL BALACHADI

Bird's View of S S Balachadi



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"The capacity to learn is a gift; the ability to learn is a skill the willingness to learn is a choice"

Welcome to the session 2023-24 edition of the Annual Magazine of Sainik School Balachadi. We are really proud and exuberant to acclaim that we are ready with all new hopes and hues to bring out the LEARNERS TODAY, LEADERS TOMORROW issue, which is going to surely unfold the unraveled world of the most unforgettable and precious moments of the school.

The magazine is to be viewed as a launch pad for the children's creative urges to blossom naturally. As the saying goes, mind like parachute works best when opened. This humble initiative is to set the budding minds free allowing them to roam free in the realm of imagination and experience to create a world of beauty in words.

The enthusiastic write ups of our young writers are indubitably sufficient to hold the interest and admiration of the readers. This souvenir is indeed a pious attempt to make our budding talents give shape to their creativity and learn the art of being aware because I believe that success depends upon our power to perceive, the power to observe and the power to explore. I am very sure that the positive attitude, hard work, sustained efforts, and innovative ideas exhibited by our young buddies will surely stir the mind of the readers and take them to the surreal world of unalloyed joy and pleasure.

I personally believe that the centre of the Education system in modern times has come to be the student. The ideas and aspirations of a student sprout from the windows of his mind and soul. We at Sainik School Balachadi endeavour to turn these into windows of opportunities for the students to convert them into reality by nurturing them through conscience based holistic education encompassing – academics, co-curricular activities, sports education and life-skills' learning. The Sprawling campus, State of the Art Sports infrastructure and outstanding Academic facilities all bear testimony to this effort. For we believe in '**Learners of today are Leaders of Tomorrow.**'

Dear students, "You are the nation-builders. You are the movers of technology. You are the agents of change." It is our fervent hope that the years that you spend at Sainik School Balachadi would enable you to be equipped with leadership skills. The knowledge that you will gain, the fine qualities that you will imbibe and the practical skills that you will learn to apply will be your major contribution to your parents, to society, and to the nation.

For the readers, I would say that the school magazine in hand is a nice tool which will surely help you to get the glimpses of the yearlong activities and achievement of the students of our school. I am sure the quality and variety of contents would not only be informative but also impressive and enjoyable. I am sure that this journal will enthral you with its variegated compositions blended with colourful pictures.

It is a fine thing to have ability but the ability to discover ability in others is the true test. I am really thankful to the Principal for entrusting me with the responsibility of editing. I am really thankful to the Vice Principal to let me independently use my skills to carve the idol of school journal with the hues of my imagination. I take this opportunity to thank all the dignitaries for sparing their valuable time to send their best wishes for the magazine in the form of 'Messages'. My Editorial team members have put in relentless efforts to bring excellence to this treasure trove. I appreciate their efforts. I am also grateful to all the stakeholders for their unstinted support in this endeavour.

Looking forward for your valuable feedback !!!

With Warm Wishes



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Message

The beauty of India Education lies in its adaptability and elasticity. One can witness the entire evolution of Indian Education system. The trails of such teachings have contributed a lot towards the intellectual and spiritual upliftment of the society. It has been observed that conduct of co-curricular activities, NCC events; Motivational Tours, Extra-curricular and Sports activities apart from the Academics instill competitive spirit amongst the cadets and prepare them for a better tomorrow.

The school magazine is a mirror that reflects activities and creative ideas of the Cadets. I am much pleased to learn that the Sainik School Balachadi is bringing out its Annual Digital School Magazine "Sandeshak" for the year 2023-24 with the creative theme 'Learners Today, Leaders Tomorrow'. I am delighted to learn that Sainik School Balachadi is striving hard and contributing to values such as Character Building, Dedication, Sincerity and Patriotism in each Cadet. I earnestly, hope that the Cadets of the School will make the best use of this opportunity by contributing to the School Magazine and the readers also will be benefitted from the knowledge content and will be inspired by the valuable articles. I wish the institution a great success and to bring more laurels for the State of Gujarat and the Nation.

Bhupendra Patel



HANDVO

The diverse and vibrant mosaic of Gujarati cuisine reflects the state's rich cultural heritage, traditions, and influences. Whether it's the street food inspired by neighbouring regions or the cherished dishes passed down through generations, each bite is infused with Gujarat's rich history and cultural values. An artfully crafted blend of flavours, creative use of spices, and a deeply rooted vegetarian ethos combine to create an exceptional culinary experience. It's a journey through time, culture, and the soul of a community that takes immense pride in its culinary heritage. One such prominent delicacy of Gujarat is 'HANDVO'

Handvo is a savoury cake quintessential to Gujarati cuisine. Handvo is usually steamed in a special pressure cooker, although it can be steamed in a double boiler, or even in the oven with a pan of water. Usually eaten as a snack, it can be accompanied with coriander and mint chutney.





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Sanjay Seth

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Message

I compliment the buoyant Balachadi fraternity on the release of its Annual Magazine Sandeshak with theme **"Learners Today, Leaders Tomorrow"** for the year 2023-24. Since its genesis the School has pledged to expound ethics of NDA with the motto 'In Pursuit of Excellence' and for this it has its own distinct and diverse methodologies.

I am conscious of the painstaking efforts put in by the Teaching Warriors i.e. our teachers. Apart from Academic excellence the wide spectrum of Co-Curricular, Extra Curricular, Sports and NCC activities carried out in the School speak volumes about the efforts made by the Balachadians.

The School is an epitome of excellence in the country as it is the Alma Mater of the leaders leading the Nation in all fields specially Defence Forces.

I am sanguine that, School will leave no stone unturned to go beyond limits of excellence in imparting quality among the aspiring Cadets to join NDA making their dreams come true. I wish the School's saga amplify fruitfully in the years to come.

May Almighty grace Balachadians to soar high in their endeavors always.

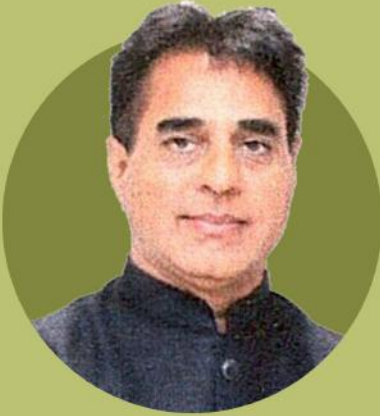
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FAFDA-JALEBI

Who hasn't heard of Fafda and Jalebi? It is one of the most popular Gujarati dishes among travellers. FAFDA and JALEBI are an iconic duo in the realm of Gujarati cuisine. Fafda, a crisp and savoury snack made from gram flour, is commonly served with Jalebi, a sweet and syrupy dessert made from fermented batter. The combination of savoury and sweet flavours strikes the perfect balance. For any Gujarati, Fafda and Jalebi are essential dishes, whether they are eaten for breakfast or as an evening treat.





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Message

Dear Cadets, Faculty and Staff of Sainik School Balachadi,

I am immensely pleased to know that Sainik School Balachadi will publish the 2023-24 edition of its Annual Magazine 'Sandeshak'.

The school magazine reflects the quality of the school's efforts and activities and showcases its achievements. It also fosters a sense of community among the school's students, staff, and alumni. The magazine provides an excellent platform for creative expression and sharing thoughts. The magazine's theme "Learners Today, Leaders Tomorrow" is inviting and engaging.

I have closely followed the rapid progress of the school, which was evident during my visit. It is indeed gratifying to know that the school has won the Inter Sainik Schools Group Level English Debate Competition held at Sainik School Chandrapur, Maharashtra. The Balachadians have also won 1st place in the INS Valsura Inter School GK Quiz Competition.

The school has rightfully earned a place of honor among the elite schools of this country and has established an enviable identity. I am confident that the school will achieve even greater heights soon.

I extend my best wishes towards the future success of Sainik School Balachadi. I hold the firm belief that the institution will excel in all its endeavours. Wishing you all enduring success and prosperity in the years to come!

Warm regards,

Praful Pansheriya



KHANDVI (ખાંડવી)

KHANDVI (ખાંડવી) Also known as **Patuli, Dahivadi or Suralichi Vadi** is a savoury snack in the **Maharashtrian cuisine** as well as in the **Gujarati cuisine of India**. It is made from gram flour and yogurt, forming thin, bite-sized rolls. Seasoned with mustard seeds, curry leaves, and grated coconut, these rolls provide a balanced blend of textures and flavours. With its intricate preparation and light yet satisfying taste, **KHANDVI** stands out as one Gujarat's most cherished delicacies.





Message

'Aim for the Sky'

It is with immense pride and pleasure that I pen this message for the Annual School Magazine of Sainik School Balachadi for the Academic Year 2023-24. I am profoundly delighted to observe the significant strides the institution has made.

Historically, the School Magazine has been a prestigious forum for cadets to express their interests and ideas. As our cadets prioritize academic excellence, it is imperative to encourage their literary expression. This year's edition of 'Sandeshak', themed 'Learners Today, Leaders Tomorrow', embodies the comprehensive education provided to our cadets, fostering their writing prowess and enhancing their engagement in co-curricular activities, sports, and life skills.

Achieving third place in the S.T.E.M (Science, Technology, Engineering & Mathematics) Quiz 2.0 at the state level and securing the 'Champions Trophy' at the INS Valsura Quiz Competition for the fifth consecutive year underscore the school's dedication to cultivating future leaders. I extend my heartfelt commendation to every cadet who has excelled in both co-curricular and extracurricular pursuits.

The contributions by our cadets to the School Magazine reflect their intellectual depth and linguistic excellence. My counsel to all is to "Aim for the Sky", striving for the zenith, to emerge as responsible citizens and leaders of our esteemed nation.

I extend my warm wishes to the Principal, Staff and Cadets of Sainik School Balachadi to continue this journey of excellence.

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PATRA or PATROK

Gujarati snack PATRA consists of rolled and steamed colocasia leaves smeared with gram flour paste and sliced into circles. Often seasoned with mustard seeds, sesame seeds, and grated coconut, these savoury rolls combine a variety of textures and flavours. Patra or Pattarveliyan or Patarvelia is a famous vegetarian fresh farsan, eaten in western India. It is called Patra in Gujarat, Patrode in Konkan and Aluvadi in Maharashtra. This dish is mainly made by wrapping gram flour, tamarind water and spices on the leaves of alaveen. It is first prepared by steaming and then fried or fried according to taste. This dish is served with spicy tamarind chutney.





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Message

"Leaders aren't born, they are made. And they are made just like anything else-through hard work." -Vince Lombardi

1. It is a matter of great pride to pen down the message for "Sandeshak" the Digital Annual School Magazine of Sainik School Balachadi, 'Learners Today, Leaders Tomorrow' for the year 2023-24.

2. Sainik School Balachadi grooms the boys and girls with a military aptitude so that they become officers in the Armed Forces and other coveted walks of life thereby making them responsible citizens of the Nation. The School Magazine is a platform for the Cadets to express their creative pursuit which develops in them originality of thought and perception. The contents of the magazine reflect the Cadets' wonderful creativity of thoughts and their imagination. Academic excellence along with co-curricular and extra co-curricular activities completes the process of education.

3. Leadership is not merely about holding a title or occupying a position of authority; it is about inspiring others, fostering unity and driving positive change. In every classroom, on every playing field, and within every extracurricular activity, there are opportunities to demonstrate leadership in its various forms.

4. It also gives me great pleasure that Sainik School Balachadi is progressing in its endeavour towards the overall development and personality of the Cadets. I must express my pride at the fact that the school is working unrestricted, providing to its Cadets an environment conducive to all-round development, learning and all opportunity for selection to NDA.

5. A world of limitless possibilities, opened up by the work and sacrifice of the officers and staff at Balachadi, awaits the cadets. They just have to venture out and succeed. I take this opportunity to congratulate the Principal, Staff and Students for their strong sense of commitment, service and responsibility that has transformed this institution into

Jai Hind!

(सैनिकी शक्ति के स्वामी)
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UNDHIYU

Undhiyu, a hearty Gujarati dish, is typically crafted during the winter months when its diverse array of vegetables are in season. In this complex recipe, brinjal, potato, varieties of beans, and yam are mixed in a fragrant blend of spices, demanding meticulous preparation. A labour-intensive process results in a flavourful and wholesome dish that embodies Gujarati cuisine.

Undhiyu is a mixed vegetable dish that is a regional specialty of Surat, Gujarat, India. The name of this dish comes from the Gujarati word "undhu", which translates to upside down, since the dish is traditionally cooked upside down underground in earthen pots, termed "matlu", which are fired from above.





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Message

It gives me immense pleasure to communicate through the pages of this year's school magazine, **'Sandeshak- Learners Today, Leaders Tomorrow'**. A true leader is someone who sets a positive example, listens to others and motivates those around them to work towards common goals.

Over the years, Sainik Schools have been Centres of Excellence for imparting quality education, instilling a strong sense of discipline along with core ethical and moral values. Moreover, the Schools have also adopted value based curriculum integrated with modern training methodologies to enable the cadets to achieve excellence in life.

As we look back at the events, achievements and experiences of the past year, I am reminded of the incredible potential each of you holds. Your passion for learning, curiosity and drive to succeed make Sainik School Balachadi, a vibrant community where dreams are nurtured and futures are shaped.

As you continue to explore new horizons, I encourage you to stay committed to your personal growth. Never stop striving for excellence as success is measured by integrity and perseverance. I am incredibly proud of all that you have achieved and I look forward to seeing each of you make your mark in the world and continue to embrace the journey with enthusiasm.

I congratulate the School for bringing out its Digital Edition of the annual School magazine for the year 2023-24 and extend my warm wishes to the Principal, Staff and Cadets of Sainik School Balachadi to continue their journey on the path of Excellence.

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Happy Landings!

Jai Hind!

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The perfect winter TREAT!

*Bajon ka Bharta
and Bajre ka Rolla*



ROTLO AND OLO

Traditional Gujarati winter dishes Rotlo and Olo consist of unleavened millet bread (rotlo) and a semi-dry curry made from mashed brinjal (olo). Rotlo is cooked on an open flame and served with olo, creating a satisfying and hearty meal for lunch or dinner. Winter-exclusive brinjals add to the seasonal charm of this dish.

The diverse and vibrant mosaic of Gujarati cuisine reflects the state's rich cultural heritage, traditions, and influences. Whether it's the street food inspired by neighbouring regions or the cherished dishes passed down through generations, each bite is infused with Gujarat's rich history and cultural values. An artfully crafted blend of flavours, creative use of spices, and a deeply rooted vegetarian ethos combine to create an exceptional culinary experience. It's a journey through time, culture, and the soul of a community that takes immense pride in its culinary heritage.



Principal's Message

Dear Cadets, Staff, Parents and Well-Wishers,

As we embark on yet another edition of our esteemed Annual Digital Magazine, it brings me immense pride and joy to witness the culmination of another year of hard work, dedication, and accomplishments at Sainik School Balachadi.

Our School stands as a beacon of Excellence, not only in Academics but also in Extracurricular Activities, Sports, and Overall Personality Development. The School Magazine serves as a testament to the talent and creativity that thrives within our campus walls.

Within these pages, you will find a myriad of stories, achievements, and memories that encapsulate the spirit of Sainik School Balachadi. From academic achievements to sporting triumphs, from cultural events to community service initiatives, each article and photograph reflects the dedication and enthusiasm of our Cadets and Staff.

I extend my heartfelt gratitude to the Editorial team for their tireless efforts in compiling this Magazine. Their commitment to capturing the essence of our School year is truly commendable.

To our Cadets, I commend you for your relentless Pursuit of Excellence. Your Passion, Determination, and Resilience inspire us all, and I have no doubt that you will continue to shine brightly in all your future endeavours.

To our dedicated faculty and staff, I express my deepest appreciation for your unwavering support and guidance. Your mentorship plays a crucial role in shaping the future leaders of tomorrow, and for that, we are immensely grateful.

To the parents and guardians, thank you for entrusting us with the education and well-being of your children. Your support and encouragement are invaluable in our journey towards academic and personal excellence.

As we flip through the pages of this magazine, let us reflect on the memories we have created, the lessons we have learnt, and the friendships we have forged. Let us celebrate our achievements and embrace the challenges that lie ahead with courage and determination.

I am confident that the stories shared within these pages will serve as a source of inspiration and motivation for years to come. May Sainik School Balachadi Annual Magazine 'Sandeshak' continue to be a testament to our collective efforts and achievements, showcasing the limitless potential of our School community.

Wishing you all continued success and happiness in the years to come.

Warm Regards

Col Shreyash N Mehta
Principal
Sainik School Balachadi



AT THE HELM OF AFFAIRS



Col Shreyash N Mehta, Principal



Lt Col Harjot Kaur, Vice Principal



Lt Cdr Hari Ram Poonia,
Administrative Officer



Mr. R K Suvagia, Senior Master



ANNUAL REPORT 2022-2023



Like every year, this year we celebrated the 62nd Annual day of Sainik School Balachadi on 03rd Nov 2023. Our Honourable Principal, Col Shreyash N Mehta, presented the Annual Report to present a clear picture and understanding of the achievements and happenings in the school to the audience. Here is the Annual Report for you all, which evaluates the performance of the school for the session 2022-23.

**“Reach High, for Stars lie hidden in your Soul,
Dream Deep, for every Dream leads the Goal.”**

Ladies and Gentlemen Parents, Teachers, Cadets and other esteemed attendees of today's Annual Function. Good morning! It's my pleasure to extend a cheerful welcome to you all. Your presence makes us very happy!

1. We are immensely privileged and honored to have Shri Praful Chhaganbhai Pansheriya, Hon'ble Minister of State Parliamentary Affairs, Primary, Secondary and Adult Education, Higher education as our honored Chief Guest. We welcome you Sir.

2. At Sainik School, Balachadi we work as a team to maintain and enhance the glorious traditions of this great Institution. This School is an example of what leadership with vision, commitment and discipline can achieve. The School has been rendering yeoman services to the Nation and the State of Gujarat by imparting balanced and quality education to the Cadets hailing from all strata of society. It has been fulfilling its primary aim of preparing the Cadets academically, physically and mentally to join the prestigious Institutes of the Defence Forces i.e. NDA and Naval Academy. On this memorable occasion we rededicate ourselves with firm resolve to create a brilliant future.

3. The future belongs to those who believe in the beauty of their dreams. With a deep sense of exhilaration and delectation, I present the Annual Report for the year 2022-23. It has been a truly rewarding year.

4. At the outset, I would like to inform that Maj Gen SS Virk, GOC 11 RAPID(H) took over as the new LBA Chairman of the School wef 01 Jan 2023.

5. We also welcomed Hav Abhay Rathod to the NCC Coy of the School. Hav Manuj Chambiyal and Hav (CHM) Sandeep Pandey as our new Physical Training Instructors. The School also bid a fond farewell to Hav (CHM) Banshilal and to Hav (CHM) Yashpal Rana.

ACADEMICS

6. Academic Excellence

(a) Academic achievements reflect the diligence and skills to perform to the best of one's ability. In this regard, I am happy to announce that our CBSE examination result of 2022-23 have been very good. Our Board Results have been 100 % this year also. Our School Topper of Class X, Cadet Granth Ramani scored 92.33% and Cadet Het Patel of Class XII scored the highest 86% marks. We shall continue striving hard for quality results in future also.

(b) Other Classes have also done very well in academics with 100% results. Results of Annual Exam 2022-23 class VI to IX and class XI were declared on 31 March 2023 during the PTM.

(c) The new Academic Session vivaciously started on 01 April 2023. Classes for new class VI were conducted online till July 2023 due to renovation of two hostels.

(d) Several Measures have been adopted to help the Cadets to improve their academic performance as shown on the slide.

7. Coming to NDA Selections & SSB Training, it gives me immense pride to inform that eleven Cadets of this School including those of previous batch cracked the SSB interview for the 150th & 151st NDA Courses and three Cadets for the TES. The names of these Cadets are as flashed on the view foil.



ROLL NO.	NAME (NDA- 150)	ROLL NO.	NAME (NDA- 151)
5793	Parth Mishra	6196	Het Patel
5783	Bhaskar Kumar	5926	Bhavdeep Singh Jadeja
5796	Kathariya Raj Chandrakant	5893	Vedant Kotadiya
5790	Ashwini Kumar	5910	Amrit Raj
6200	Yogiraj Singh	5780	Avadh Vasoya
		5807	Abhishek Kumar
TECHNICAL ENTRY SCHEME (TES)			
5564	Sudhanshu Kumar		Joined TES 48
5882	Aniruddha Singh Gohil		Recommended
5894	Pruthviraj Parmar		Recommended



(a) **SSB training** to the Cadets who cleared UPSC NDA written examination for 150 and 151 Courses was given by Self (ex GTO 21 SSB and Senior GTO 24 SSB) and by a qualified psychologist in the School from 25 Jun – 31 Jun 23.

(b) To boost the confidence of Cadets for the UPSC NDA/NA written UPSC exam, School regularly conducted structured evening classes and mock tests. 88 Cadets appeared in written UPSC examination on 03 Sep. 10 Cadets of present batch and 12 Cadets of previous batch cleared the NDA exam and were given SSB coaching in the School from 16 – 24 Nov 2023. The names of these Cadets are flashed on the slide.

(c) Summer vacation began from 11 May – 25 Jun 2023 and the Autumn break is scheduled from 06 – 30 Nov 2023.

8. "If the mind is intensely eager, everything can be accomplished – mountains can be crumbled into atoms" said Swami Vivekanand. A No of activities and functions were organized throughout the year to shape our Cadets as the torch bearers in Defence Forces and responsible citizen by inculcating sound moral values, responsibility and social awareness.

(a) **Hindi Debate and Essay Wring Competition** was organized by **Dept of Lighthouses and Lightships Ministry of Ports, Shipping and Waterways** for classes IX – XI.

(b) Four Cadets were awarded scholarship of Rs. 6000/- per annum for one year by Dept of Posts, Govt of India on their selection for '**Deen Dayal Sparsh Scholarship Yagna**' for the year 2022-23 on 07 Jan 2023.

(c) The quality of School life is determined by its activities. Various **Clubs** like Ecology Club, Astronomy Club, Cycling Club, Book Review and Reading Club, Health & Hygiene Club etc. were started every Wednesday to enhance the skills and hobbies of the Cadets.

(d) **India's biggest STEM 2.0** Quiz based on current trends of Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics organized by GIJCOST Science City

Gandhinagar was conducted in School on 16 Apr 2023 in online mode.

Thereafter, ten Cadets of our School who cleared the online screening appeared for State Level Quiz and bagged third position in Gujarat State and won three Telescopes, three Drones, one Tab, Shields and Certificates. At National level Cdt Kanan of Class X and Cdt Dev Singh Parmar of Class XII represented our School on 30 May 2023 from among the 12 finalists and visited BARC Mumbai and DRDO Jodhpur.

(e) In addition, our Cadets participated in the Inter House English Debate Competition, Inter House Hindi Debate Competition, Inter House Mathematics Quiz & Inter House Lecturette Competition. In addition, **Seminars** were conducted every Sat by Class XII Cadets. On Independence Day 2023, an Inter House T Shirt Painting Competition was conducted in School on 12 Aug 2023 with the theme 'India: The Spirit of Freedom'.



(f) Cadets from Classes VI – VIII participated in **1st District Level Inter School Maths Quiz Competition** conducted by Tata Chem DAV Public School Mithapur. Six Cadets of our School participated in **WIZQUIZ 2023** conducted by NDA for all Schools pan India and reached the second online round to be in the top 600 Schools of the country. Cadets also participated in the G20 THINQ QUIZ by Indian Navy in collaboration with Navy Welfare and Wellness Association and in **Battle of Mind** the quiz conducted by Indian Army pan India.

(g) Cadets witnessed live transmission of the successful landing of **Chandrayaan-3 Mission** on 23 Aug 2023.

(h) **Hindi Pakhwada** was celebrated from 01 – 14 Sep 2023 with lot of zeal and enthusiasm to enrich their understanding of the Hindia language and to cherish Hindi language not on one day but every day.

(j) It gives me great pride to inform you that Team Balachadi of Cadets Rudra Singh Chauhan of Class XII and Cdet Kanan Shyara of Class X won the **INS Valsura Inter School GK Quiz Rolling Trophy** for the 5th time in a row on 14 Oct 2023.

(k) Society for the Promotion of Indian Classical Music And Culture Amongst Young (**SPIC MACAY**), Jamnagar Chapter presented a musical concert by renowned Pt Salil Bhatt of Satvik Veena and Shri Himanshu Mahant of Tabla in School.

TEACHER'S ENHANCEMENT PROGRAMME

9. Teachers are also learners. Various **Staff Enrichment Workshops** were conducted to enhance the professional development of the academic faculty to encourage new ideas, facilitate innovation, experimentation, knowledge and skills.

(a) Teacher' Training is being conducted at IITE Gandhinagar as per the MoA between Sainik Schools Society & IITE Gandhinagar in two phases viz Induction phase (Gurudiksha) and Refresher phase (Pratibaddhta) since Apr 2022. In the Induction phase (first year) 741 teachers got trained in the year 2022-23. In the Refresher phase (Pratibaddhta), 200 teachers will get trained every year for five years beginning from 2023-24 to 2026-27. Training for two batches was completed till 31 Oct 2023.

(b) Teachers attended three days **"National Conference on Empowering Teachers for Promoting Mental Health and Wellbeing in Schools"** conducted by NCERT.

(c) Four Teachers attended the one-day Capacity Building Programme on the topic – **'Learning Outcomes and Pedagogies'** at Radhika Educare School, Mahaprabhuji, Jamnagar.

(d) An online session in connection with invigilation, evaluation and conduct of CBSE Examination held by CBSE was attended by all Teachers.

(e) Three staff members attended one day CBSE workshop on **'Art Intergration'** conducted at **Nand Vidya Niketan, Jamnagar** on 21 Mar 2023.

(f) One day workshop on **'Learning Outcomes and Pedagogies'** was conducted at Modi School, Padadhari, Rajkot on 12 Aug 2023 which was attended by five academic members.

CADETS ENRICHMENT PROGRAMMES, TOUR & EXPOSURES

10. It has been remarked **"the world is a book and those who do not travel, read only one page."** Various trips were organized for the Cadets to give them exposure to the defence establishments and other places.

(a) XI Class of 2022-23 batch visited **National Defence Academy Khadakwasla, Pune** from 25 – 30 Nov 2022 and witnessed the Commandant's Passing out Parade on 29 Nov 2022. The same has been planned for the present class XI batch also.

(b) Class VIII Cadets attended two days adventure camp at **Narara Marine National Park, Jamnagar** in Dec 2022 to enjoy the marine life there. Class VII Cadets were delighted with the adventure camp at **Khijadiya Bird Sanctuary** from also in Dec 2022.

(c) 50 Cadets of class XI visited Marine National Park Poshitra Jamnagar in Jan 2023 to learn about Marine Biodiversity.

(d) Cadets witnessed the **Gun Drill** conducted by 152 AD Regt at the School Athletic Ground on 04 Feb 2023.

(e) 156 Cadets went for a School Trip to **Junagadh, Somnath, Sasangir and Diu** in Mar 2023.

(f) 90 Cadets of class VIII & IX went for an **Educational Tour to Ahmedabad, Vidhan Sabha Bhavan, Gandhinagar, Science City, Ambaji Temple, Dilware jain Temple and Nakki Lake at Mount Abu** in Mar 2023. At Vidhan Sabha Bhavan on 27 March 2023 Cadets alongwith staff interacted with the Chief Minister of Gujarat Shri Bhupendra Patel and MLA Jamnagar (North) Mrs Rivaba Ravindrasinh Jadeja.



(g) 10 Cadets attended **EK BHARAT SHRESTHA BHARAT Cultural Exchange Prog at Sainik School Ambikapur**, Chhattisgarh from 13-17 Oct 2023. The team interacted with the host School and participated in various activities and explored local sites of Ambikapur.

SPORTS

11. It has been rightly said that **“Winners never quit & quitters never win”** Our Cadets did us proud in Numerous Inter House and other sporting activities. Many records were broken and many new standards set during the year.

(a) **Inter House Hockey Championship 2022-23** was organized in Dec 2022 and **Inter House Volleyball Championship 2023-24** was conducted from in Apr 2023. **Inter House Junior and Senior Football Championship 2023-24** was organized in Apr 2023 followed by the **Inter House Basketball Championship 2023-24** in Aug 2023.

(b) 66 Cadets of the School (54 Boys + 12 Girls) took part in the **All-India Sainik Schools National Games 9AISSNG – 2023** at Sainik School Chandrapur, Maharashtra in July 2023. In Athletics, Cadet Jiya Doshi bagged 2nd rank in 400m Race. Sainik School Balachadi secured 1st position in English Debate with Cadet Atharva being awarded 'The Best Speaker Award'. In Cultural Events, Cadets Jiya got 3rd position for her Bharatnatyam (Solo) performance. Our Cadets performed excellent in anchoring too. Team of Cadet Ananya, Cadet Prince Raj & Cadet Parthraj bagged 2nd position in Anchoring. Our School was awarded the 'Overall Discipline' Trophy.

(c) **Under the Sahodaya Saurashtra Sports Tournament** Cadets participated in U-17 Volleyball Championship on 05 Aug 2023 at Jay International School, Rajkot and won 2nd position. Cadets also participated in U-17 Football & U-14 Football Championship at DPS Jamnagar on 19-20 Aug 2023 and lifted the trophy in both the groups.

(d) **Our School hosted the Sahodaya Sports Carnival** on 14 Oct 2023. It was mega sports carnival where 250 students from eleven Schools from Saurashtra Region participated. Our School won the trophies for U-14 (Girls) and U-14 (Boys) in the Championship.

(e) **Inter House Annual Athletic Sports Meet** was organized from 16-18 Oct 2023. Pratap House emerged as the Champions of the Senior category and Nehru House in the Junior category. You can have look at our best athletes on the view foil.

NCC COY ACTIVITIES

12. The School offers NCC from Class IX – XII and gives A & B Certificate to the Cadets.

(a) **NCC day** was celebrated on 27 Nov 2022.

(b) **Swachta Campaign** was conducted on 26 & 27 Nov 2022.

(c) Cadets of classes VI – X participated in Poster Making Competition from Nov to Dec 2022 on awareness for keeping the water bodies clean and pollution free under the **Puneet Sagar Abhiyaan**.

(d) 97 JD & SD NCC Cadets attended **Combined Annual Training Camp CATC-XVI at SSB Bedeshwar, Jamnagar** from 04-13 Oct 2023. 47 SD Cadets of Class XII attended the CATC from 21 – 31 Oct 2023.

(e) School also conducted many other activities from 04-08 May 2023 as a mass awareness programme for mission Life like.

- Plastic collection drive by the Cadets
- Bicycle Rally in nearby villages to promote mission life.
- Life Centre for collection of old clothes, books, stationery etc.
- Nukkad Natak on environment conservation.
- Poster Making to promote environment conservation.

(f) A **Cleanliness Drive** was carried out on 01 Oct 2023 on Gandhi Jayanti as part of 'Ek Tarikh, Ek Ghanta, Ek Saath'. The Cadets and Staff took active participation in the drive. On the birth anniversary of Mahatma Gandhi and Sardar Vallabhabhai Patel, the Cadets participated in various activities such as Poster making, Essay writing, Slogan writing etc from 02-31 Oct 2023 under **Khadi Mahotsav 2023**. The Cadets created awareness about the importance of Khadi, Handlooms and Handicrafts, make in India, Women Empowerment and Be Vocal for Local.

(g) **Cadet Atharv Kumar (6271)** was selected for RD Camp for the Gujarat Contingent. He was also declared the 'Best NCC Cadet'.



SCHOOL CELEBRATIONS

13. Celebrations sharing the happy moments together and spreading joy all around is a vital aspect of SSB.

(a) The School welcomed the **New Year** on 01 Jan 2023.



(b) National Days like Republic Day, Army Day, Kargil Victory Day (Vijay Dawas), Independence Day, Air Force Day were given due importance and celebrations were held to remind the Cadets of the relevance of those days. Homage was paid to the martyrs on these days by laying wreath at the Shaurya Stambh.

(c) The School also bade **Farewell to Class XII** with plenty of good wishes for a bright and successful future.

(d) Makar Sankranti with Kite Flying was celebrated on 14 Jan 2023 with lot of joy and enthusiasm and the event also was the PTM for the School.

(e) Holi was celebrated on 08 March 2023 and **Special Yoga Session** was conducted on **International Yoga Day** on 21 Jun 23.

(f) School Raising Day was celebrated on 08 Jul 2023.

(g) Teachers' Day was celebrated on 05 Sep 2023. The Cadets recollected the contributions of the teachers in shaping up their lives and thanked them with flowers and an excellent cultural programme.

(h) Fresher's Party was organized for the Cadets of Class VI to welcome them at Balachadi House on 04 Sep 2023.

(j) B'days were celebrated at the end of each month.

VIP & MOTIVATIONAL VISITS TO THE SCHOOL

14. Many prominent personalities visited the School during the year.

(a) 60 ex Cadets of 1970 & earlier batches along with their spouses celebrated the **Golden Jubilee of their batch** with a visit to the School on 20 Nov 2022. They interacted with the Cadets and gifted one motor bike and 50 computers. Dr Dipak Oza, an Old Boy of the School also took guest lecture on Space and Satellites on 19 Nov 2022.

(b) Ms Monika Kowaleczko Szumowska, President Nil Desperandum Foundation presented an interactive Web Documentary on 'Maharaja's Children, A Brave Bunch in India' on 15 Dec 2022.

(c) Shri Rajesh Kumar Tiwari, Assistant Commandant, RAF (CRPF) Ahmedabad delivered a motivational address on 26 Dec 2022.

(d) Ms Nagma M Mallick, Ambassador of India to Poland & Lithuania visited us on 03 Jan 2023 to pay homage at the Polish plaque. She also interacted with the Girl Cadets of the School.

(e) Motivational lecture on Indian Army was delivered on 23 Jan 2023 by Capt Shrishti from 152 AD Regt.

(f) Shri Vallabh Ramani F/o Maj Rushikesh Ramani, SM honored the School as the Chief Guest for the **Republic Day Parade on 26 Jan 2023**.

(g) On Raising Day of **Indian Coast Guard** their Bikers visited us on their way from Jakauto Okha on 31 Jan 2023.

(h) Col Vembu Shankar, SC delivered a Motivation lecture, a presentation on Sports and Adventure Activities in Defence Forces and motivated the Cadets to join the Forces.

(i) 13 JAKLI celebrated its Plantinum Jubilee in our School on 05 Apr 2023. A Volleyball match was conducted between School Team and the Regiment. Cycle Rally was also organized from Jamnagar to the School.

(j) Cmde JS Dhanoa, CO, INS Valsura was invited as the Chief Guest for the Investiture Ceremony on 09 May 2023. He addressed the Cadets and interacted with the School Appointments.

(k) Col HK Singh, Co Cdr NCC Gp HQ, Jamnagar visited for Adm Inspection of NCC Coy on 30 Jun 2023.

(l) A Medical Camp was organized on 28 Jul 2023 where a team of five doctors examined the Cadets for various medical issues.

(m) Gp Capt Ravinder Singh, ex Principal visited on 02 Aug 2023.

(n) Wing Cdr Kale conducted three days motivational session from 04 to 06 Sept 2023 for the Cadets and staff.

(o) Maj Gen Ramesh Shanmugam G, ADG NCC Dte Gujarat Dadra and Nagar Haveli, Daman & Diu visited on 07 Oct 2023. He inaugurated the GTO Ground and addressed the Cadets.

BRIEF OF ADMINISTRATION

15. Infrastructure Completed.

(a) Recarpeting of Basketball Court with concrete surface at a cost Rs. 7.75 lakh was completed through deposit work by CPWD – Jamnagar.

(b) Sports items worth Rs 50 lakhs have been procured successfully through GEM. The grant of 50 lakhs was allotted by Govt of Gujarat exclusively towards the sports infrastructure development of the school.

16. Infrastructure under Progress

(a) Solar Roof Project worth Rs 80 Lakhs is under progress with GERMI (Gujarat Energy Research and Management Institute) – Gandhinagar. Comprehensive site survey, Tender action and award of work order is completed. Work is expected to commence wef Dec 23. Solar roof project is an initiative towards clean and green energy environment in the School and saving towards electricity bill.

INFRASTRUCTURE DEVELOPMENTS

- RECARPETING OF BASKETBALL COURT
- PROCUREMENTS OF QUALITY EQUIPMENT FOR SPORTS



(b) Projects under Grant in aid worth Rs 22 Crore 70 lakhs by Govt of Gujarat. Under the aegis of Samagra Shiksha – Dept of Education, Govt of Gujarat, the following projects are being planned and undertaken:-

- (i) Two New Hostel Blocks for Cadets.
- (ii) Auditorium of 1000 capacity
- (iii) Multi-Storey Staff Quarters
- (iv) New Accommodation for Officers.
- (v) Furniture for Hostels
- (vi) The site survey and tender action for the construction of two new hostels is completed. All the above works will be completed in a phased manner.

(c) New Girls Hostel. A project which is initiated and funded by Sainik School Society – New Delhi for all the 33 Sainik Schools pan India. The project is undertaken by Office of Chief Executive Engineer (Military Engineering Services) – Jodhpur Zone for our School. At present, tender action is under progress.

(d) Construction of New Horse Stable and Extension of Cadets Mess A combined project which was considered in grant in aid worth Rs 1 crore towards infrastructure development and modernization grant of 2022-23 by Sainik School Society. Both the projects are being undertaken by CPWD – Jamnagar and the work is near completion.



(e) Projects under Rejuvenation of 33 Sainik Schools. A grant of Rs. 4,62,90,942.00 (4 Crore 62 lakhs ninety thousand nine hundred and forty-nine) was released by Sainik School Society to this School as a one-time special grant in aid to restore and carry out maintenance works in the existing infrastructure of the School. The projects which are included are:-

- (i) Renovation of Toilet Blocks in Cadets Houses.
- (ii) Addition and alteration in existing School building which includes Provision of Girls Toilet in Academic Block, Extension of Library, Modernization of Art Room, Construction of Storeroom in Adm Block and Parking Shade for Staff Vehicles.
- (iii) Maintenance of Staff Quarters.
- (iv) All the projects are being undertaken by CPWD – Jamnagar. Few of the projects have already commenced on ground, rest are under tendering stage.

17. Infrastructure Planned in Future. The projects which are planned in future are (as flashed on the slide).

- (a) Renovation of Cafeteria.
- (b) Renovation of Washing Area in Cook House of Cadets Mess.
- (c) Facility of Outdoor Gym for Cadets
- (d) Construction of new Amenity Centre to include CSD, Bank and Post office.
- (e) Renovation of Staff Club
- (f) Installation of new Student Parent Calling System (SPECS) in Cadet Houses.
- (g) Purchase of three Deck Oven for School Bakery.
- (h) Construction of Guard Room at Main Gate
- (i) Provision of heavy-duty Exhaust Fans in Cook House of Cadets Mess and repair of Solar Water Heater.
- (j) Provision of new e-Rickshaw as a loading vehicle for Cadets Mess.

18. Contribution by OBSSA. The member of the OBSSA collectively and individually have been contributing to the development of the School from time to time. This year, 15 All in One Computers were donated by 197 batch to the Multimedia Lab on 08 Jan 2022.

19. Donations under Corporate Social Responsibility. Mr Bhupendra Dogra, IRS, an alumnus donated his written book "Countryside Tales : A Short Stories from Rural Pubjab" to School Library on 19 Nov 2022.

20. Enhancement in Food Subside for Gujarat Domicile Cadets. A fresh case for revision of food subsidy @ Rs. 115/- per day to the Cadets of Gujarat domicile has been forwarded by Commissioner of Schools to Education Dept for necessary consideration and approval. The existing food subsidy is Rs. 55/- per day.



CONCLUSION

In conclusion, the past year has been marked by remarkable journey of growth, learning and achievements for our School. We are proud of the dedication of our Cadets, teachers and staff. A special thanks to the parents, for keeping faith on us and for your kind co-operation, encouragement and moral support to the School.

Together we have overcome challenges and celebrated successes. As we look to the future, we are excited to continue our mission of providing a nurturing and inspiring educational environment for all our Cadets. Last but not the least, I would like to extend my warm regards and gratitude to our today's Chief Guest. Thank you sir for your gracious presence. We are indeed honoured and privileged to have you among us here today.

Let me conclude this Annual Report in the words of our former President Shri Abdul Kalam **“Learning gives you creativity, creativity leads to thinking, thinking provided knowledge, knowledge makes you great.”**

Thank you for being part of our School success!

Jai Hind!



Sainik School Balachadi



School and House Appointments



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Administrative Staff - The Backbone of Balachadi



GEs- Pillars of SSB



LIGHTHOUSES OF BALACHADI

NAME	POST	QUALIFICATION
MR RAMESH KUMAR SUVAGIA	PGT Physics	M.Sc, B.Ed
MR ANIL KUMAR SINGH	PGT Biology	M.Sc, M.Ed
DR MAHESH BOHRA	PGT Mathematics	M.Sc, B.Ed, Ph.D
MR DAU DAYAL PUROHIT	PGT Mathematics	M.Sc, B.Ed
MRS SUNITA KADEMANI	PGT English	MA, B.Ed
MR MAITRIK N JANI	PGT Computer Science	B.Tech
MR KULDEEP KUMAR BAJPAYEE	PGT Physics	M.Sc, B.Ed
DR. VENKATESHWAR	PGT Chemistry	M.Sc. B.Ed, Ph.D
MR GANDHAM SANKARA RAO	PGT Chemistry	M.Sc, B.Ed
MR R S MISHRA	TGT Art Master	BA, BFA, Sangeet Visharad
MR RAGHESH PR	TGT S.Sc.	BA, B.Ed
MR BRAJESH KUMAR JHA	TGT Hindi	MA, B.Ed
MRS E A MINI	TGT Hindi	MA, B.Ed
MR MAYURA JOSHI	TGT Math	M.Sc, M.Ed, MA
MR S SUNIL KUMAR	TGT English	MA, B.Ed, M.Phil
MRS VEENA PARMAR	TGT Comp Sc.	B.E.
MR LALIT YADAV	TGT S.Sc.	B.A (Honours),MA. B.Ed, PGDCA
MRS LAJWANTI YADAV	TGT English	MA. B.Ed
MR DHARMIK N JANI	TGT Science	B.Sc, B.Ed
MR ARUN VR	TGT Science	M.Sc, B.Ed, M.Phil
MRS ANJU YADAV	TGT English	MA. B.Ed
MR RAMESH J MAKWANA	TGT S.Sc.	BA, B.Ed
MR PIYUSH J VIRAMGAMA	TGT Science	M.Sc, B.Ed
MR BALRAJ	TGT English	M.A., B.Ed
MS ANKUR CHAUDHARY	TGT Math	M.Sc, B.Ed
MRS SONAGRA PRIYA TEJPAL	TGT Math	M.Sc, B.Ed
MR UMESH KARMORE	TGT S.Sc.	BA. B.Ed
MR VINOD HARIMKAR	LIBRARIAN	M Lib Sc
MRS ANKITA MAKWANA (Contractual)	TGT Gujarati	M.A., B.Ed
MR J V MEHTA	Lab Assistant	B.Sc
MS BABLI (Contractual)	Counsellor	M.A (Psychology)



PILLARS OF BALACHADI

Mr Munish Kumar Singh	Office Supdt.	B.A. , Dip in Computers
Mr Devendra Chandrakant Pujara	Accountant	B.Com
Mr Vijayanth Vyas	Mess Manager	BHM
Mr Rakesh Kumar	Quarter Master	BCA,MCA,M.Com, MA Psy, MBA
Mr Rajender Singh	Catering Asst	B.A. Dip in F&B Service
Mr Jagdish	Hostel Supdt	Intermediate
Mr DV Sharma	Nursing Asst	Grad(Army)
Mrs Dharmistha V Bhatt	UDC	M.Com, ICWA
Mr Rajesh Kumar M Raval	UDC	M.Com
Mr Ritesh R Chakravarti	LDC	B.Com
Mr DV Joshi	LDC	Grad(Army)
Mr Nadeem Siddiqui	LDC	B.A.
Mrs Vanitaben Patel (Contractual)	Nursing Sister	Dip in GNM
Mr Asim Chad (Contractual)	Ward Boy	High School
Mr Rohan Goswami (Contractual)	Ward Boy	B.Sc, B.Ed
Mr Bhupender Kumar (Contractual)	Ward Boy	BCA
Mr Dharamveersinh Jadeja (Contractual)	Ward Boy	MSW
Mr Vijaysinh Vaghela (Temp Basis)	LDC	MCA

NCC STAFF

Sub Kishan Singh	NCC JCO
Hav Abhay Singh Rathod	NCC NCO

PTIs

CHM Sandip Pandey	PTI
Hav Manuj Chambiyal	PTI



Senior Football Team



Junior Football Team



School Basketball Team |



| School Hockey Team



| School Band



School Volleyball Team |



| School Athletics Team



School Quiz Team |



| English Debate Team





| Shaurya Stambh Team



Horse Riding Club |



| UPSC -Team of Mentors with Selected cadets |



| NCC Staff |



| SSB Training Sessions



SSB TRAINING TEAM WITH NDA CLEARED CADETS



Editor's Column - Learners Today, Leaders Tomorrow



"In periods where there is no leadership, society stands still. Progress occurs when courageous, skillful leaders seize the opportunity to change things for the better." -Former U.S. President Harry Truman

Leaders — our world is hungry for them. From kids who are leading their siblings and classmates to high-level executives and political figures, we always need people to step up and take on responsibility.

And as teachers, we're invested in preparing our students to thrive in the world of their future. To that end, we must also be invested in encouraging them to be the kind of leaders that this world wants and needs. So here I am going to tell you my dear colleagues about the 10 qualities which will surely transform your Learners to Good and Effective Leaders.

The very first question which arises in our mind is that - **What kind of leaders do we need?**

Arguably, people who are effective — those who have a goal in mind and are able to reach it by inspiring and persuading others to join them. But is that enough? After all, there are countless examples throughout history of effective leaders who were not of the admirable variety (Hitler comes to our mind). So being an effective leader is clearly not enough. Besides being effective, a leader must also be morally good and possess a variety of other venerable traits.

So, what skills should a good, effective leader possess?

While the intellectuals may disagree slightly about the definition of a leader, most of them will tend to more or less agree that a good leader is:

1. Goal oriented **2.** Honest **3.** Hard-working **4.** Willing to serve others **5.** A good listener **6.** A good communicator **7.** A good decision-maker **8.** Encouraging **9.** Positive **10.** Responsible

Now one more question may come to a Mentor's mind - What do these traits look like among students?

Group projects are a great way to observe the characteristics of a student leader. Let's say you've divided your class into small groups and given them the assignment of reading, retelling, and presenting one of Aesop's Fables. Throughout the allocated class times, you may notice the above-mentioned traits play out in the following ways:

1. They are goal oriented

"The very essence of leadership is that you have to have vision. You can't blow an uncertain trumpet." - *Theodore M. Hesburgh*

Student leaders understand the lesson objective and are driven to get there. They desire personal success and intrinsically set their own goals beyond the ones set by the teacher.

Example: As you observe the groups, you may notice certain students immediately take charge and set the vision of the group. You may hear things like, "Let's do the story of the Ant and the Grasshopper and make it like a comic book ..." or "Let's use cardboard boxes to make whales and dolphins for the Dolphin, the Whales, and the Sprat fable, and then we can be in the boxes and have them fight each other!"

2. They are honest

"To be persuasive we must be believable; to be believable we must be credible; to be credible we must be truthful." - *Edward R. Murrow*

Honest student leaders are committed to doing their work ethically. The rest of the class knows they can trust this student, either in personal relations or when working on group assignments. If someone in the class does try to cheat, this leader will call them out on it or, at the very least, refuse to go along with it.

Example: *The Internet has made it much easier to cheat which was previously not possible. For this project, suppose you've given the students the opportunity to use the computer lab to find pictures and other content for their project. At one point, as you're coming by to observe the Ant and Grasshopper group, you notice two of the members in a fervent whispered discussion. One of the students points at his screen (trying to hide it from your view), while the other student shakes his head and turns back to his own screen where he and the others are working on typing up a summary.*

As wise as you are, you quickly deduce that the outlying student was suggesting the group to use a pre-written summary rather than writing their own. The leader in this group rejected that idea and simply continued to focus on doing what was right.

3. They are hardworking (and persevering)

"A person always doing his or her best becomes a natural leader, just by example." - *Joe DiMaggio*

Hard work is contagious. If one student is working hard and shows a true passion for the subject, they'll inspire others to believe that they, too, can (and should) strive for excellence. In short, hardworking student leaders inspire and push their classmates to do more.

Example: *While the Ant and Grasshopper group is busy on the computer, your Whales and Dolphins group is consumed by the cardboard boxes you supplied them. As you come by to see if they need anything, you see one student who is especially hard at work cutting out a hole for the whale's mouth. Not every member of the group is as involved as he is, but after observing his enthusiasm — and noticing how much you admire it — they too join in and begin to work on cutting and shaping the other boxes.*

4. They serve others

"A leader ... is like a shepherd. He stays behind the flock, letting the nimblest go out ahead, whereupon the others follow, not realizing that all along they are being directed from behind." - *Nelson Mandela*



Leaders want what is best for others and are willing to go out of their way to serve those in need. In a classroom setting, this is best seen through acts of kindness or selflessness. For example, **is someone being bullied?** Unlike students who stand idly by, a student leader is likely to step up and put an end to it.

Example: You are on the second day of the project on fables. The Ant and Grasshopper group is now working on their comic book strips. As they discuss how to proceed and what they need to begin the task, one of the members is going around the classroom, rounding up the necessary materials on behalf of their group members.

5. They are good listeners

"The ear of the leader must ring with the voices of the people." - Woodrow Wilson

Student leaders care about and listen to the thoughts and concerns of others in their group. Whereas some students may only feign interest in others' problems, a good student leader is likely to show a genuine interest in and desire to help others. In group work, they're also more receptive of others' feedback and willing to compromise.

Example: The Whales and Dolphins group is assessing their work from the previous day and figuring out what today's tasks should be. You hear one of the students say, "Anika, you think we should use another box for the whale's tail? Okay, that works — are there any boxes left or do you think we should ask the teacher for more? Do you think we should do the same for the dolphins?"

6. They are good communicators

"Ninety percent of leadership is the ability to communicate something people want." - Dianne Feinstein

Student leaders communicate their ideas to the rest of the group. If they have an idea of how things should be done, they make their suggestions known in an open and respectful manner.

Example: You make your way back to the Ant and Grasshopper group. The group is gathered around one student who is excitedly pointing to several pieces of blank paper. "I think we should first decide on and write a short description for each box, and then we can divide up the boxes and each work on drawing the pictures for that box and coming up with what the characters will say. What do you guys think?"

7. They are a good decision-makers

"The most difficult thing is the decision to act, the rest is merely tenacity." - Amelia Earhart

Student leaders evaluate a given situation and come to a well-reasoned conclusion about the best course of action. Ultimately, good decision-making stems from a high sense of responsibility, a strong sense of direction, and the ability to think quickly even under pressure.

Example: The Whales and Dolphin group is standing in the midst of their cut-up boxes, looking very uncertain. Markers cover the floor. One student shakes his head. "Hmm ...," he says, "I don't think we should use markers. No, I think it would take too long to colour the whale with them, since they might run out before we're done, so let's use paint instead. We can ask the teacher for lots of blue paint and a big place where we can work."

8. They are encouraging

"I think one of the keys to leadership is recognizing that everybody has gifts and talents. A good leader will learn how to harness those gifts toward the same goal." - Ben Carson

Student leaders recognize that everyone has strengths and weakness. They affirm and utilize the strengths in the group, while also assisting in the areas of weakness.

Example: The comic book strips for the Ant and Grasshopper group are beginning to take shape. The summary headings have been written and some basic shapes are starting to form on the paper. Then, one of the students looks up from her work. "Hey Anirudh," she says. "You're really good at drawing faces. Can you draw faces on the bugs?"

9. They are positive

"Leaders instill in their people a hope for success and a belief in themselves. Positive leaders empower people to accomplish their goals." Dr APJ Abdul Kalam

Student leaders believe that whatever goal has been set can be accomplished, even if it may seem insurmountable. Their confidence inspires positivity in others.

Example: This day's work time is drawing to a close. The Whales and Dolphins group is elbow deep in the blue paint you gave them. One whale is partially painted. A student looks at the clock, and a determined expression crosses his face. "Hey, this is looking pretty good so far! Come on, everyone!" he says. "If we paint a little faster, we can probably finish this whale before the end of class!"

10. They take responsibility

"Leadership consists of nothing but taking responsibility for everything that goes wrong and giving your subordinates credit for everything that goes well." - Dwight D. Eisenhower

If something goes wrong, student leaders do not pass the blame or make excuses but take responsibility for their part. Then, they learn from it, do what is needed to correct what went wrong, and keep moving forward. When it comes to success, these leaders are likely to be humble and recognise the efforts of their group and not just their own.

Example: While the Ant and Grasshopper group has effectively and efficiently cleaned up their work space, the Whales and Dolphins group is having much less success. One of the members of this group comes up to you, her shoulders slumped, her expression apologetic. "Umm ... Ma'am? I'm sorry, but we spilled the paint on the floor. I forgot to close it and then it got knocked over, but I'll help you clean it up. Oh, but did you see the whale we made? Didn't we do a good job?"

The leaders of tomorrow

Although our students may be young, and although they may be small in number, our observations throughout this group project have given us a glimpse of the great leaders they can be in the future. With each opportunity and encouragement to grow their skills in a healthy, productive, and appropriate direction, these students can become the good, effective leaders that our world needs. So let's strive to give them those opportunities and encouragement by **teaching them leadership skills!**

I believe that we the teachers with our Midas' touch can definitely transform these learners, potential achievers to decent, good and effective Leaders.





"Learners Today, Leaders Tomorrow: Inspirations from the Life of Swami Vivekananda"

"If you want to know India, study Vivekananda. In him, there is everything positive and nothing negative." - Rabindranath Tagore.

Swami Vivekananda, a patriot monk and philosopher, exemplified the journey from being a learner to becoming a leader. His life is replete with anecdotes that continue to inspire generations, highlighting the transformative power of education, teachings of life and the pursuit of knowledge in shaping future leaders.

Self-confidence and self-belief are the foundations of good leadership. Born in 1863 in Kolkata, India, as Narendranath Datta, Vivekananda displayed a keen intellect and a thirst for knowledge from a young age. His early encounters with great thinkers and spiritual leaders of Brahmo Samaj and Ramakrishna Paramahansa of Dakshineswar, combined with his upbringing by a devout and pious mother and voracious reading habits, laid the foundation for his intellectual and spiritual growth.

Leader should not move far ahead rather should move together with the followers.

They should have the nature of serving rather being master. One of the key turning points in Vivekananda's life was his meeting with Sri Ramakrishna Paramahansa, a revered saint and mystic. Naren, the future Vivekananda was from an affluent family of Kolkata. Though he was generous and kind towards all sections of people since his childhood, yet he understood the hardships of life and the ways to overcome it, only after he met his Guru. Under Ramakrishna's guidance, Vivekananda delved deep into the study of philosophy, religion, and spirituality, broadening his understanding of the human world and his place in it.

As long as I live, so long do I learn.

Vivekananda experienced that the masses lacked a Leader and became one by understanding their feelings. Vivekananda's journey to becoming a leader was marked by his commitment to learning and self-discovery. He traveled extensively across India and the world, witnessing the poverty and suffering of the masses. These experiences deeply impacted him, fueling his desire to work for the upliftment of society. He went to the west only to get the people and money for the upbringing of the downtrodden of Bharat.

Be the Servant of all, and do not try in the least to govern other. Kill self-first, if you want to lead.

In 1893, Vivekananda represented India and Hinduism at the Parliament of the World's Religions in Chicago. This marked the beginning of Vivekananda's journey as a global leader and ambassador of India's spiritual heritage and peace. Five thousand years of churning has made our civilization, the leader of the world today. It has proved the fact that our Sanatan history and civilization have all the means to influence and inspire the world irrespective of colour and religion, towards Global Peace, unity and harmony. At a time, when the world is divided on different issues at multiple platforms, Vedanta and Vivekananda are all the more relevant.

An influential leader shall never put himself ahead of others

Dear friends, Sainik Schools are leadership laboratories. This cradle of leadership has everything to train the young mind into futuristic leader with a balanced personality. You are assigned many roles in your journey of Sainik School, from a dorm prefect to the most coveted School Captain. You look around, listen to others, experience, experiment and then start learning the skills of leadership. Be a learner first, learn with all your mind, body and spirit, this will arm you with many arrows of leadership skills for the tomorrow. By embracing self-confidence, vision, learning, empathy, fearlessness, communication, leading by example, adaptability, and inclusivity, you can create a positive impact on your teams and organizations. Today, a novice in the field of man management, one day you become the master of it. Always be open minded to learn new things from any source and unlearn the unwanted. This dynamic and robust journey will make you, as one of the finest of the officers the Indian Armed Forces have ever seen. This is the timeless leadership lesson given by Vivekananda. This is the path to progress and success in the modern world. Constant learning resonates with the modern leaders in an ever-evolving world Vivekananda's life is a testament to the transformative power of education and the pursuit of knowledge in this ever changing world. Vivekananda's teachings not only offer a roadmap to effective and decisive leadership but also foster personal growth and a deeper understanding of the human experience. His emphases on the importance of learning from diverse sources, his inclusive approach to spirituality, and his commitment to social reform continue to inspire individuals around the world to become learners today and leaders tomorrow.

आनो भद्राः क्रतवो यन्तु विश्वतः | ऋग्वेद

(Let noble thoughts come to us from all directions – Rig Veda)

-Mr. Mayura Joshi
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Continuous Learning: The Lifelong Journey of Leadership Skills



Continuous learning is essential for effective leadership in the ever-changing modern world. It fosters adaptability, expands horizons, helps leaders stay relevant in a competitive landscape, builds resilience, enhances problem-solving skills, improves communication, cultivates emotional intelligence, inspires and empowers teams, enables leaders to navigate multicultural environments, fosters innovation, and balances tradition with innovation.

Leadership is not a destination; it's a journey that evolves over time. In the ever-changing landscape of the modern world, effective leadership demands a commitment to continuous learning.

This is about exploring the concept of continuous learning as the cornerstone of leadership development and why it's essential for leaders at all levels.

Leadership often involves managing adversity. Continuous learning equips leaders with the resilience needed to bounce back from setbacks. By developing a growth mindset, leaders view challenges as opportunities for learning and growth. They can inspire their teams to do the same, creating a resilient organizational culture.

Leaders are problem solvers by nature. Continuous learning sharpens their problem-solving skills. Exposure to diverse ideas and experiences allows leaders to approach challenges from various angles, increasing the likelihood of finding innovative and effective solutions.

Communication is at the heart of leadership. Continuous learning can help leaders refine their communication skills, including active listening, effective storytelling, and clear articulation of ideas. Improved communication fosters better collaboration and alignment within teams.

Emotional intelligence (EQ) is vital for effective leadership. Continuous learning promotes EQ by enhancing self-awareness and empathy. Leaders who understand their emotions and those of others can better navigate interpersonal dynamics, manage conflicts, and motivate their teams.

Leaders who commit to continuous learning lead by example. When team members see their leaders actively pursuing growth and development, it inspires them to do the same. This, in turn, creates a culture of continuous improvement within the organization.

Continuous learning includes developing cultural intelligence and enabling leaders to navigate multicultural environments with sensitivity and respect.

Innovation is often the differentiator between success and mediocrity. Continuous learners are more likely to introduce innovative practices and encourage a culture of creativity within their organizations. Leadership involves balancing tradition with innovation. Continuous learning equips leaders with the ability to preserve core values and principles while embracing new ideas and technologies. This delicate balance is crucial for sustainability and growth. Leadership is a dynamic, evolving journey that thrives on continuous learning.

In the modern world, where change is constant, leaders who commit to lifelong learning are better equipped to lead effectively, inspire their teams, and drive organizational success. Continuous learning isn't just a choice; it's an imperative for leaders who seek to make a lasting impact in their organizations and communities.

CONTINUE WITH LEARNING NEW IDEAS FOR IMPROVISING YOURSELVES TO MAKE YOUR PATH OF SUCCESS WITH THE BEST LEADERSHIP.

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EXPLORE YOUR INFINITE POTENTIAL

"Train your mind to think great, achieve great"

The only person who has the power to define you is you. So make the best definition of yourself and show the world that you are on the path of making the best story of your journey on the earth.

You got this life once be ferociously bold and hungry to achieve what makes you feel happy. Your transformation will be the greatest testament of your strength. At every bit keep on improving the version of yourself and keep exploring the infinite potential you have. It's very sure that the hardships you are going through today will surely make you stronger enough to face everything.

So, re-emerge, spread your wings wide and soar higher than you ever thought of. I pray you very lose sight of your goal. Be good from the core of your heart if you want to win the world. Face everything with smile even death. And surely you will emerge as a winner.



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SAINIK SCHOOL CADET

Morning drill salutes the rising Sun
A Sainik School cadet, his journey begun
Loyalty etched in very step
In the corridors of discipline, dreams upside
Classrooms echo with a quest for knowledge
In the pursuit for excellence a cadet's pledge
With boots as his weapon and ideals as his guide
Sainik School cadet in wisdom, he'll confide
Battles not just on fields of play
But challenges of the mind, where dream sway
Comradeship forged in shared goals
Sainik School cadet, as unity unfolds
On parade grounds, in the comedies dance
A cadet marches with discipline stance
Echoing footsteps of duty and grace,
Sainik School cadet, a solo to embrace
In the tapestry of coverage his story unfolds
A Sainik School cadet, as dusting molds
With velvet and honour, his spirits align
In the cadence of duty, his legacy shines.



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MANAGE TIME TO REACH YOUR GOAL

Time management is the process of planning and exercising over time spent on specific activities, especially to increase effectiveness. Here are six time management skills that may help you:-

- Goal Setting** :- Set your goals high and don't stop till you get there. The most fundamental is the ability to use your time in a manner which leads you to your goal. "Not failure but low aim is a crime"
- Self-motivation** :- You have days where you don't want to do anything. You may be tired or simply lacking motivation. Self-motivation plays a key role here you need to motivate yourself to reach your goal. "Only they conquered, who believe they can climb"
- Questioning and Challenging** :- If you have the highest goals, you must be willing to challenge anything that doesn't meet your expecting standards. You must question yourself whether you are able to reach your goals or not.
- Focus** :- Regardless of what you are trying to do, there will always be something else competing for your attention. You don't realize how important it is until you struggle with it. Single tasking is the best way to achieve focus.
- Decision making** :- If you are not good at this, you will notice negative impacts in every area of your life. It is imperative that you are able to consider the consequences and make effective, clear decisions.
- Stress Management** :- You should manage your stress by being positive. If you are stressed you can't utilize your time in a correct method.

"CREATIVITY IS INTELLIGENCE, HAVING FUN"

The word 'Creativity' means to derive a given tasks in different or creative manner. If person should be creative in life to make his life good. It helps a person to rise in a field in which he is good.

A person who is creative can think beyond and complete his / her task in a manner that makes everyone shocked. He could express it in different from others. A person should be creative. It helps a person to think further and beyond anyone. We could also solve problems using over creativity. We can send message in our surroundings. It makes us extraordinary from others which could help us to shine brighter even in darkness.

Creativity refers to the acquired skill of a person. It can be speaking, writing, painting, thinking process etc. Take an example, the AI in modern world is the creativity of human. A person could send message in a social group by speaking skills is also a creativity of a person. A person could give a social message by painting or by writing about it.

Creativity can be anything but it is all our intelligence to think which have a fund in doing tasks creatively different from others.



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THE CYCLE OF LIFE

As the silent cold freeze sets in
Awakening the birds and flowers around
As the shades of yellow and red fall on the ground
Awakening the animals, which were stepping a round
As the flowers bloom far yet another day
Look a shade brighter without a say
A few get ready to hurt
A few get ready to hide
The never-ending story of predator and prey
Being with another day
The bees buzz and get to work
To collect honey far the eldest and young
As the dusk sets in with shades of purple and pink
And breeze turns warmer
Putting animals back to sleep
With the darkness setting in,
The nocturnal come out
With the long wait of day
They take the night as theirs
And when the sun nits the sky
And the day begins again
The cycle of life keeps pedaling.



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MIDNIGHT REVERIE

It happens in the solitude of the night,
Often around 3
I start to slowly realize
That I'm not okay,
And I let my thoughts run free
Tears blimp my eyes
Daring to spill everywhere
One by one, my insecurities arise,
Making me feel empty and babe
Anger and frustration could my vision
As I can't breathe anymore
My body shakes with imitation
Making me feel numb to the case
As everyone around peacefully dramas
I struggle to fall asleep
My thoughts echo, and my head
Silently screams
Often around 3 am, my emotions run deep.



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LIFE LESSONS

If things go bad for you
And make you a bit ashamed
Often you will find out that
You have yourself to blame
Swiftly we ran to mischief
And then the bad luck came
Why do we fault others?
We have ourselves to blame
Whatever happens to us,
Here is what we say
"Had it not been for so and so
Things wouldn't have gone that way"
And if you are short of friends,
I'll tell you what to do
Make an examination,
You'll find the faults in you....
You are the captain of your ship,
So agree with the same
If you travel downward
You have yourself to blame.



A BEAUTIFUL EXPERIENCE

In Sunlight whispers, hearts first spoke,
Beneath a sky where dreams awoke
Not now nor sonnets, grant nor bold
Just laughter echoed, stories told
Two souls like stars, in orbit drawn,
A constellation newly born
No maps to guide, no paths defined,
Just footsteps tracing, intertwined.
Through meadows painted emerald green,
Where dandelion wishes keep,
We chased the wind, with hands held tight,
And danced with fireflies in right.
In whispered secrets, soft and low,
Love's tender seed began to grow
No thunderous claim, no fiery spark,
Just embers glowing in the dark.
With morning mist, a gentle touch
A shared silence, meaning much
No need for words, where eyes confess
A love's own language, tenderness
Through seasons changing, hand in hand,
We build a world made grains of sand
No grand façade, no chiseled stone
Just hearts entwined a love our own.
And though the world may spin and turn,
It's storms may rise it's embers burn,
This love, once whispered soft and new,
Will bloom fore over me and you
So let the poet sing their tales,
Of passion fierce of love that wails
Are love a whispered sweet and slow
Will echo on, where hearts still know.



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MY SCHOOL

My School, Sainik School
It is cool and wonderful
Also very beautiful
Academic and Administrative Block
Are working the clock
Handling them is not a joke
All the teachers are so good
They are doing what they should
They are friendly like our dude
Principal and Vice Principal
Are having best principle
They are bright, not dull.
All the seniors
Are very serious
To handle their juniors
All the juniors
Are so studious
They obey their seniors
All the cadets play game
Without any type of shame
They play it now and then
We go to mess to eat food
It is very good
Cooks are doing what they could
Cadets prepare for NDA
Because it is in our DNA
And we will join NDA
This is all about my school
It is cool and wonderful
Also very beautiful



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JUNE MOON

My patience is being regularly
Checked by time
Sometimes my life is bitter
And sometimes flavor like lime
Trying hard to understand
Why this is happening
What I committed
A sin or a crime
But in all this
June months moon peace
Is how coming to me
I can't describe
All I want to say to moon
Is "thanks" for giving me strength,
You make my attitude towards
My life really different
Now my problems are in back
And happiness is in the front.



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MY FIRST TRIP TO JAMMU & KASHMIR

It was my first trip out of my home state (Maharashtra) except Gujarat because I study there. It was very fun going there because it was also my first time travelling in a Aeroplane. I was very excited at first but later you will know. So, our journey started from taking bags out of our house, just joking. So, at first, we sat in our car and headed towards railway station we sat in train for about half an hour after that we took a taxi and went to a airport. I was very excited when I sat in the aero plane it was a nice experience. We reached there in about two hours. We stayed in a hotel named "Gulshan Palace". It is very nice there. We stayed in Srinagar. First, we visited Sonmarg a place with many glaciers. It was very much cold there after that we visited Pahalgam. It is a valley which was very beautiful with many flowers, rivers and scenery. It was fun in Pahalgam. We trekked on a mountain. I was feeling like I am a Maharaja while on a horse. But when we were going to "Pir ki Galli" a place where we saw snowfall, I fell sick.. Unfortunately, it was only for 5 days but still I enjoyed the campfire at night, the snow and many things. We got home fully relaxed and joyful. It was a very fascinating trip.



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NATURE

Nature has so many trees
But, for breath they do not take fees
Nature is beautiful
And when I observe I am cheerful
Nature is fantastic because
It has no plastic
Nature is vast
So, God gift us in past
Nature is a fun
Because, it has star like Sun
The one who didn't take any rest
For students' best is nature
Because, it will never give lecture
The one who observe nature
He will become good in future
Nature gives us many things
And also, success wings.



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A VAST COSMIC WORLD

In the vast, twinkling night, sky so grand,
Planets and start like a magical wand
Nebulas like a colour art on display
Whispers stories of space in there, unique way
The moon, our constant nighttime friend, glowing safely
On it, dreams ascend,
It always casts its silvery sheen,
A celestial lantern in vast cosmic scene
Black holes are like a secret way in space,
A mysterious part of cosmic embrace
In vast expanse where wonders reside,
A cosmic ballet in which galaxies fight
Therefore, in the vastness of this cosmic sea,
Astronomers wonder, full of glee
Astronomy's magic is like a flag unfurled,
For a juvenile mind in the cosmic world.



Prince Rajpoot
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MY DEAR DAD

Dear Dad,
You work so hard
For your kin. You pose as a guard,
Even when you're tired, your face beholds a mighty sheen
To work and to help. You are so keen
No one can replace you or mom, or any other family member
Your relation and mine, It like stout timber
You can pose as Mom as well
That is one of your specialities
With your love and care, you can change realities.
Dear Dad,
You are undefeatable
Your desire for our welfare, It sometime unbelievable
No one can deplete your courage
No one can reduce your passion
You are next to God Dad
Based on your compassion
Your teachings re unforgettable
Your mannerism is soothing
You can look after everyone:
An adult son, or a baby teething
Dear Dad,
I shall never forget you
Even when you breathe your last,
I shall still love you.



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TREES : PRICELESS ASSET

It is the lustrous mind of the nature,
To show it's allowing beauty.
It is ludicrous for us,
To cut this splendid beauty
It is rigorous for us to do this gallant thing,
But believe after this you will see the things.
We have to make resolution,
To make precise tranquility.
Let us be mirthful to trees,
And bring some glory to these
Now what are our tries,
Will stop us from future in cries.
Let us improve our planets look
And not be a crook
Let us not be accomplice in this crime,
And not demolish our pride.



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A JOURNEY THROUGH BOOKS

Books are like window to distance lands, where adventures await and dreams engaged. With every turn of a page, a story unfolds filling our heart with tales yet untold.

From fantasy realms to historical lore, books take us on journey we can't ignore. They transport us to places far and near, where imagination knows no bounds my dear

So let your mind wonder through each line, discovering treasures that are truly divine, Far in the world of books the magic lies, wheel stories come alive before our very eyes.

If you open a book you would find people and places of every kind so books are best friends hard to find. Good books build confidence, their lessons keep up a way from ignorance, they illuminate of imagination which teaches us life lesson.



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FIVE STEPS TO HELP TO MANAGE ECO-ANXIETY

Eco anxiety is a broad term that encompasses dread about insolvent issues as well as climate specific fears.

In a world with unprecedented environmental challenges eco-anxiety is pervasive! Here's how you can deal with it.

- Self-compassion: Be kind to yourself and know that you are not alone in these feelings. Caring about the world you live in does not make you a "Crazy"
- Self-Talk: When it comes to thinking about the climate change a realistic mindset puts in a just right psychological goldilocks zone
- Self-care: Engaging in self-care practices such as getting adequate sleep, eating healthy and having fun, helps us maintain a sense of balance in the face of overwhelming environmental concerns.



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TWO FIGURES STAND

In the embrace of love, two figures stand, Mom and Dad, hand in hand
Guiding lights through joy and stripe a symphony of love, the melody of life.
Mom, a gentle whisper in the quiet night, her warmth a become, comforting light.

Dad, a pillar strong in strong or calm
Together, a shelter a soothing balm
In mom's eyes, a universe of care
Dad's wisdom, a forte rare
Their laughter, dances a harmonious song,
In the tapestry of family, where we all belong.
Through life's journey, they navigate,
Side by side, love's intricate fate
Moments etched in memory on enduring art
A masterpiece of love, stitched from the heart
So, here's to Mom and Dad, a toast,
In their love, we find what matters most
Through every chapter, as the story unfolds,
In the book of family, their love forever held.



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TRY, TRY DON'T CRY

'Tis a lesson you should heed,
If at first you don't succeed Try, Try again.
Then your courage should appear For it you will
persuade You will conquer, never fear
Try, Try again. Once or twice, though you should fail
If you would at last prevail Try, Try again.
If we strive, 'tis no disgrace Though we do not
win the race Wat showed you do in the case?
Try, Try again. See the other folks can do
Why, with patience should not you?
Only keep this rule in view Try, Try again.



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Jay Manek
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CHANGE

A secret to a happy life is accept change gracefully.

Time in present seems slow,
But in the future, you will feel that it
Ended in a single blow
And the time in such a range,
Will surely bring a random change
Change is a thing much strange,
Because controlling it is beyond your range
Some are cheerful and poppy,
That make you feel much happy
But some are sorrowful and bad,
Which make your day feel sad.
A big change in your livelly,
Makes a big change in your personality
Some changes also bring enormous pain but you should feel
pain, know pain and accept pain because these who don't know
pain will never understand true peace.



WAY TO IMPROVE COMMUNICATION SKILLS

Every person is falling in the communication. Communication skills are essential among students to improve their Academically, Socially and Inter – Personal skills. The students who can communicate they are better in speaking, talk with teachers. Now I want to tell you some ways to improve communication skills.

- **Record a video:** Take any topic and write about topic in your notebook. Then record your video with whatever you have written and listen to it and analyze your mistakes. Do this every day, improve it and it will increase your confidence as well as knowledge.
- **Think before you speak:** Don't speak without thinking first pause and think in your mind and then speak. It will improve your thinking skills for communication. - Start reading English newspapers: This will work 100% for you, I have experienced, if you read the newspaper daily, within some days you will start seeing some changes in yourself.
- **Read, Read and Read nothing else:** Read some books accordingly your interest. It is not easy but start reading with story because it will develop your interest. This also develops habit of reading. Reading books will enrich word powers and vocabulary.



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A TRUE FRIEND

"Truly great friends are hard to find,
difficult to leave and impossible to forget:

- G Randolph.

A true friend is not one who repeatedly tells you negative things other people say about you. First, they make clear by their words and by their actions where they stand when it comes to you. Secondly, they don't just merely stand by silently where others are putting you down, no matter what consequences they may face socially.

A true friend is a friend when it is convenient and when it is not. They stand by you consistently both when you are present and when you are not.

They are honest with you when it matters most, they never try to deceive you to make themselves seem stronger, more successful or better than they really are.

A true friend goes beyond the surface, any true friendship requires some levels of understanding. Having a friend show that they trust you with their authentic self is a good indicator that you can do the same with them.



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THOUGHT STRUCK

Strangled in the thoughts
Stuck in the waves
Lot in the memories
That sand in the sand
There seemed to be a curve
But I still kept walking
Thought whatever happens
Will be in the time seen
The cares to my soul
Didn't look so grateful
Because blindfolded was I
I still kept walking
Didn't care about the tantrums
Nor about the future
Because success come to those
Who risk, was what I thought
One day that curve
Finally came to an end
But thought struck was I
I couldn't understand
The canvas of glass that I painted
With the ink of secrets & hope
Shattered, it made me learn
A million lessons at once
Be yourself, rare, unique they said
It had a vast meaning behind
But lest in my thoughts I was
I couldn't understand
Then the wave hit me,
I couldn't breathe in the sand
The thoughts that were shattered
Took a deep place in my mind
Those waves had a drop
Each one had a name
Different moral each had
To make me understand
That was when I decided
To keep swimming, dedicatedly
Until I reach my goal.



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"I AM A SOLDIER"

If I die in a war zone, box me up and send me home
Put my medals on my chest, tell my mom I did my best
Tell my dad not to bow, he won't get tension from me now
Tell my bro to study,
Key of bike will be his permanently
Tell my sister not to be upset, her bro will take a long sleep after sunset
Tell my nation not to cry
Because I am soldier born to die.



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MISUSE OF SOCIAL NETWORKING SITES

Though, social networking sites keep people connected and have many other great uses, they have some disadvantages too.

One basic problem that can come with the use of social networking sites is the loss of individuals privacy. This is because all social networking sites involve placing personal information on the internet and it's possible for people in almost all corners of the world to see that information. There are privacy settings for these sites, but many young people can be careless about this. In addition, information placed on the internet creates a digital footprint that can't be erased as easily as words imply written on a piece of paper. Many young people don't make good choices about what to include on their profiles. Consequently, such students leave "digital footprint" that may be harmful in the future. Employers could look at their Facebook profiles and see pictures of illegal actions.

Another problem with social networking sites is that they can be very addictive and take up a lot of student's time. That time could be used far many productive activities. Students could be doing many other productive activities like reading or being more physically active. Instead, they are sitting in front of computers screens to look at social networking sites – for around an hour on average every day.

Some people are of the Opinion that people would lose social skills because of social networking sites. However, some people perceive this as another disadvantage. Many of today's students feel more comfortable chatting with a person online than talking in a verbal conversation. Also, almost anything you can do in real life can be done online in virtual realities like second life. There have even been many virtual marriages within this community. More importantly you can do all kinds of things you could never do in real life, and you can give yourself a completely new identity.



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FAILURE IS AS IMPORTANT AS SUCCESS

One always makes efforts to achieve his goals. The entire effort of making is devoted towards working hard and fulfilling one's aims. We want to succeed in whatever we do and we enjoy the fruits of our labour and hard work when our efforts pay off. It is nice to succeed. The feeling one gets on succeeding cannot be described. One is over the moon, and so happy. The feeling of that happiness is cherished and locked away in one's memory forever.

But, sometimes, one fails also. All or at least some of our plans and efforts do not bring the desired results. We work very hard but the result is not what we had expected or desired and one feels depressed and disheartened. One feels as God has been unjust. We think it is unfair that this happened to us. We blame ourselves, God, fate and fed unlettered. While it is natural to feel so, what we don't realize then is that preparers this failure was meant to teach us something. We learn our harsh and cherished lessons as a result of our failures. Failure is a better and more important teacher than success. While success is empowering, failure is humbling. Success makes up prone to pride and arrogance while failure teaches us that we are human and can make errors.

It is failure that tests our strength and will power. What defines us is not our successes kept our way of accepting both our defeats and successes. What defined us is not well we rise again we have fallen? It is not important never to fall, but is important to gather the courage to rise again after we have fallen. We must learn to accept defeat as graciously and gloriously as we accept success. For, it is failure that keeps us grounded.



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TOMORROW

It's a truth, not a life
I thought on the street passing by,
It has to come, It has to go,
Then why not welcome the tomorrow
Every night it's a routine made
A new plan for tomorrow is laid
For the day to be happy or in sorrow
One should first welcome the tomorrow
It's a wish of all to be good
But got depressed when you saw
Where you stood
In my house, outside was rain,
Me, regretting of all the strain
Losing someone is not as hard
As getting with someone away apart
People think of ignoring sorrows
Then, why not welcome the tomorrow.
We have been told that boys don't cry
But cry is what girls are teased by
Boys carry a heart and feel all sorrow
Then why not welcome, the new tomorrow.

NEVER GIVE UP

Take troubles as challenges
Never give up or turn away
And the hurdles in life
Will never obstruct your way
Life is a struggle
Keep struggling till you can
Never learn to surrender
Be a vigorous radiant man
If you suffer a loss
Keep trying again and again
Being stable and hopeful
Will turn your loss to gain
Nothing is impossible
Make your dreams come true
The policy of "Never say die"
Will make it possible for you.



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EXPERIENCE

When I entered first time in Sainik School Balachadi on 05th August 2023, at that time I was very nervous and thinking so much about hostel, because before that I had never come away from my family and home and never spend hostel life. After coming in School, I went to Sardar Patel House and then I know there are give dorms and I was shifted in second dorms. But I had nothing which is required in hostel than I become sad because I didn't know anyone. After some time one Senior means our appointment came and ask me what happen, and I told hi my problem than he took me to our house master and then mam talk to my father and then I brought everything from shopping complex and again came in house and my new friend helps me in arranging cupboard. And after some days I have completely settled in school and I enjoy the school like same as my home.



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MY MEMORABLE MOUNTAINEERING EXPERIENCE OF SHITIDHAR PEAK (5400 MTR)

I took the above photo on a recent hike up of Shitidhar Peak. It was at the lake of clouds, where I see this photo it really gives me goosebumps. My ascent of Shitidhar Peak brought me face to face with some of the breathtaking and unforgiving incident, I have ever experienced.

It was an intensely personal experience and I still find myself struggling throughout the climb. Maybe this photograph carry a strange allure for everyone. But it requires a good amount of physical fitness and a prior high-altitude climbing experience. Participating in these mind-bending sports improved my self-esteem and promote confidence. It leaves an indelible mark and identity to believe in myself.

JOURNEY TO THE SUMMIT

It was a 20-day plan to this expedition. My journey started on 18th October from Sainik School Balachadi, Jamnagar

My fully packed backpack included gloves, multiple sweaters, socks, gunny bag and some shorts of agreement and permission paper. Before going there, I was been informed to be physical fit by PTIs.

On 1st day I went to the Host School, Sainik School Kunjpura, Karnal. There I was provided mountaineering boots, shovel, gunny bag, ropes ice axe, crampons, helmet, harness tent and insulator jackets.

It was four days stay in Sainik School Kunjpura, where we have got basic knowledge about the expedition. I met Amit Gurjar were representing Sainik School Balachadi All India Sainik School Mountaineering expedition. We participated there in various training classes and in assembly held by Principal.

On 23rd, we headed towards the Himachal Pradesh. It was my first mountaineering experience and I was full of enthusiasm and confidence.

When my journey started, I suddenly felt drop in temperature, I was feeling cold. It is a road route journey to Himachal. With the zig zag road in the hill area it was very frightening and heart wrenching experience.

During the journey I suffered from motion and altitude sickness. In between the journey there was a stoppage at night at a Dhaba in Himachal Pradesh where we had the dinner and I took some mentos chocolates to prevent vomiting.

The next day, in the morning at 4 o'clock I landed at the destination Solang Valley. The bus ride as usual was horrific. From there we headed towards the Hotel and my coach handed me the key of my room.



There I spend five days to acclimatize in the weather of that place. I was fully surprised to see the peaks of the mountains covered with the snow. The monsoon weather allowed the fog and clouds to cover the beauty of nature. We have enjoyed the various trek routes like temple, Solang mela Manali. Our acclimatization included trekking, rope climbing, hill climbing etc.

The next day after getting fully acclimatized in the cold of 8 D.C. of Solang valley we headed towards Dhundi, one of the majestic peaks. The temperature gradually fell as I gained altitude. The panoramic view of snow was coming nearer. The level of snow and ice was increasing with the altitude.

Apart from Pir Panjal Range, Shitidher peak is also the vintage point for the captivating view of Hauman Tibba, Indiasn, Deo Tibba peak and Seven sister.

At Dhundi, the region is marked by boulder zones, moving through green patches, crossing rivers and avalanches.

After a continuous and hard trekking of 6 hours, we reached to our base camp 'Lady leg'. As a cadet of Sainik School our physical and mental strength helped us at that moment.

This terrific way of climbing to the 'Lady leg' exhausted one full energy. But suddenly, the view of the mountains, terrain, clouds really paid for our efforts. It was the first time I had ever thought of 'Giving up' but my moral was high, as a cross country best runner my body was working opposite to the mind.

In trekking, we were happy and chanting slogan 'Jay Shree Ram'. At night time we took full rest and enjoyed delicacies.

The day after, I found myself looking up mountain to try to see the peak, there as low hanging cloud. It was a breath-taking view. My aim was clearly visible from the camp but before going there I really required acclimatizing in that weather. There I did various activities like setting up the camp, carrying equipment.

We played tug of war, seven stones. We were playing in the heaven where the voices echoed. The next day we moved to trek of Beas kund practiced for climbing the snowfield, ice of axe, rope technique and hill climb.

The final day, in the morning at 5 o'clock, we marched towards the peak while walking I got to know that "Every appearance is not real". The way is too long to travel, it took 4 hours to reach at the base of snow field. There I saw first time a sea of snow. There we took rest and applied cream on face & lips, had nuts and almonds.

Now the real struggle came, walking on steep snow mountain, we were instructed to follow mountain silence as high pitch voice could lead to an avalanche.

After a struggle of 02 hours we reached to the peak of Shitidhar peak. I was stunned to see the view I held Indian flag with immense pride.

The conditions were too dangerous as there were clouds but the climb was really exciting.

Finally, I unfurled my school flag at the top.



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MY EXPERIENCE OF SARDAR PATEL NARMADA TREKKING CAMP 2023-24

It was 26 Nov 2023, while packing up things as per the list provided by our teacher, I could think of nothing else but the fun, me and my batchmates were about to have in a few days. On 27 Nov morning, me and my batchmate Cdt Prince Raj sat in the Bolero provided by the School and started our journey from Balachadi to Jamnagar.

Once we were School we both met Cdt Dharm Vaghani and Cdt Atharv Kumar at Atharv's house after playing games and resting for a while it was evening and we left for Jamnagar railway station, boarded the train and with excitement in our eyes we four along with our teacher Mr Balraj (TGT English) started our journey towards Rajpipla, Narmada district, Gujarat.

Our camp was of seven days. The camp was well scheduled and taken care by Vadodara Group NCC. First day was only for reporting of the teams, registration and allotment of accommodation in dormitories.

The campus of the camp was very good with all the necessary requirements. In the camp there were more than 25 PI staff and over 500 cadets from all over India. This fact made it a national camp. Cadets which come there were from various directorates.

While we were being briefed about the day wise schedule of the camp, my mind could not think of anything else other than the fun we were about to experience. A sense of euphoria become persuasive in my body. After the registration on day two we donned our school uniforms. (us was Khakhi) and got ready for the address by the Camp Commandant. The Commandant was Col Gautam Roy from Punjab Regiment. After the briefing about the camp we got some free time to interact with cadets from different directorates.

On the third day tracking activity was planned for us. Junaraj trek, the total distance of this trek was around 30 Kms in total. In the morning during the PT reporting me along with my batchmates, all zipped up with our materials in our bags were filled with enthusiasm, excitement and zeal for the first trek of our lives.

The trek started from the gates of the campus will a point on the hills around the area. With our josh as high as never we all four started the trek. The camp inmates were divided into three groups namely - Alpha, Bravo and Charlie. Jamnagar group was in the Alpha party and our first trek was the longest one out of the three treks of the camp.

The trek started by walking for few kilometers on the road and after some time we finally reached the footsteps of the hills. That's where our actual trek started. The whole track was laid through the forest and after a point, we could not see any type of human constructions or structures. We were all completely in the hands of nature.

Getting a change to have a look at such a beautiful forest at Rajpipla was an experience I won't be able to forget. The trek as it was very long in distance was not much easy to complete. The trek was no on a slant plain but the whole track had many slopes as well as a lot of climbing to do. But at the end, the whole trek of Junaraj was blissful, beautiful and especially very close to nature. That's how day three went away after filling our heart and soul with some sweet memories for lifetime.

Now it was day four the second trek was the Sundarpura forest trek. After the PT reporting our Alpha party got green flag for Sundarpura forest trek. The track revolved around the lush green and chilling winds of the Rajpipla forest. The trek started with a village, it was small yet it was beautiful all the small huts and small houses built between the woods were enough to make one's mind delighted and filled with positive vibes. The wind of the countryside had a refreshing smell and the pleasant voice, as if welcoming us to admire and enjoy the beautiful and green forest in which we were walking.



After enjoying every moment of the beautiful forest, we slowly proceeded towards the banks of Karjan river. The river was doing the work of putting more freshness and delightfulness in the environment of the forest. As we moved ahead on the banks of Karjan river we slowly again headed towards the forest, then into the village and in no time, we were in the camp. Our souls were filled with immense joy after the calm and peaceful trek round the lush green and beautiful forest of Sundarpura forest.

In no time after the trek came the third trek's day, yet it was day give and was the day of our last trek, which was the Karjan dam trek. Between the hills in which our Junaraj trek was situated. The dam was built on the Karjan river which we had closely looked at in our Sundarpura forest trek.

The route was normally on the road and there was nothing so special about it, but when we reached the dam we all were ecstatic to see the beautiful view of the reservoir, the faded hills around the reservoir made it look more beautiful and pleasant. That's how our third trek was also over.

Now for the next two days there were classes for all the Senior Division cadets about general awareness by EXPA. EXPA is an organisation consisting Ex NCC cadets who had reached to high rank positions in their lives.

Most of the EXPA teachers were highly professional professor and businessmen. During the classes of the SD cadets all the JD cadets were made to sit in the auditorium where we watched movies like Tango - Charlie and Border.

On the sixth day was the Closing Address of the Camp Commandant Col Gautam Roy, Punjab Regiment and on the seventh day we received our certificates, packed our bags and departed from Sardar Patel Narmada Trekking Camp area for Jamnagar.

During the entire camp the PTIs played a vital role in teaching us different ways to trek, all cautions and guided us for trekking expeditions for our future. We all had a very enjoying and mesmerizing time in the Sardar Patel Narmada Trekking Camp which was my trekking camp and first national camp attended by me. I enjoyed a lot with my batchmates who come along with me in one of most beautiful, brilliant and best learning experiences of my life which I would never every forget.



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THE LIFE OF SEED

I was born as small wheat seed. A farmer planted me and nurtured me with nutrients and water. Within few months I became a healthy wheat plant. Slowly my head and kernels began to appear. The farmer protected me from pests and birds and I became strong enough to be harvested.

The farmer harvested his entire farms to collect all my spikes in a rack. There after I was grounded into wheat flour and sold to a contractor. The contractor further transported me to SS Balachadi cadet's mess. I was so delighted to be there. I curved to nourish cadet and make them healthy and strong.

After 2 days the mess cook opened my rack and put me in dough kneading machine to make a dough. There after I was made into small balls and placed in a Chapati making machine. And here I was transformed into round fresh and hot chapatis.

Finally, I was laid out on dinner table along with dal, pasta and sautéed vegetables. I was excited to be picked up by cadets. Few cadets came towards me, picked me up but dropped the idea to have me.

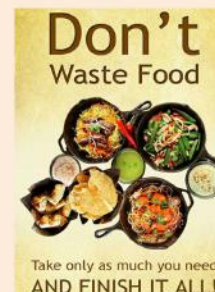
At last, one cadet served me on his plate along with pasta. With hope in my eyes I waited but the cadet did not eat me and I kept lying on his plate. Same was with other Chapatis in the casserole. The cadets hogged on pasta but they were least interested to take Chapatis. Little did cadets realize that by saying no to Chapatis, they were saying no to nutrition.

Moreover, my desire to feed cadets and making them stronger was shattered and alas! I was thrown in the dustbin that was how my journey came to a disappointing end.

Being a seed, can I ask a question to you humans that 'How can you let so much food go waste when millions are deprived of food. After all food is meant for sharing and not for wasting?'



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IF YOU BELIEVE IN YOURSELF, ANYTHING IS POSSIBLE

You can achieve it if you believe in yourself! This saying holds true in our all walks of life. If we make realistic goals and strive towards it then success is no more a dread some achiever success without much effort and a few steers with relentless effort. Life is challenging with lots of ups and downs, so we need not run away from battlefield but stay on still the war is over. Every lesson of life makes us a stronger person.

There is a popular verse in the Bhagvad Gita which states as "You have a right to perform your prescribed duties, but you are not entitled to the fruit of your action. Never consider yourself to be the causes of the results of your activities, nor be attached to inaction".

The fact is when we are unconcerned about the results, we focus better on our efforts and the picture turns out to be much better than expected.

There are many autobiographies about famous personalities that have turned them from rags to riches. What they all did differently is this never give up attitude and the belief in their ability. We have to keep ourselves motivated whenever we struggle with our tasks by getting denaturable. We begin to lose our faith and doubt our abilities. The best way I try to re-energies myself is by listening to motivational talks, reading real life experiences about people from all walks of life to boost my confidence.

As the famous quote by Stephen Hawking says "However, difficult life may seem there is always something you can do and succeed at". Let us explore the best in ourselves and move towards that direction by doing so we can accomplish our unfulfilled dreams.

Look in the mirror and see a better person in yourself. Belief can help you to climb mountains so get up and get moving.



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KNOCKING THE 'F' OUT OF FAILURE

Success blooms from failures along the journey. "Learn to fail, or fail to learn." – Thomas Edison

There is such a huge difference between failing and being a failure. Ironically, failing makes you less of a failure. You can only grow from failing. If you're not willing to fail, you cannot innovate and make change. If you don't step through the uncertainty of making an attempt, you will never achieve success.

Failure and success have similar pathways, but the difference is that people learn from their failures and move towards their goals. That's why the journey is the reward, and success is taking the journey, not the end result.

"Do not be embarrassed by your failures, learn from them, start again" – Richard Branson



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ALL ABOUT THE SOLAR SYSTEM

Is there any multiverse,
Or only the Universe,

Living in a Galaxy With so much brightness

The solar system is big, Sun wears a wig

Venus is the hottest planet,

Atmosphere is like a blanket

Earth is called the blue planet,

With life existing on it,

Lots of greenery found on it,

But more destruction done on it.

Mars is called the Red Planet,

Possibilities of life found on it,

Asteroid belt is big and thick,

Can destroy the Earth with its kick.

Jupiter is the biggest planet Protects us

from asteroid belt; Saturn is the moon king,

With biggest and brightest ring.

Uranus is the coldest plant With ice

volcanoes on it Neptune is farthest from the Sun

We can do a lot of fun We can't forget Mercury

Because its tiny Closet to the Sun And making

so much fun.



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AN ARTIST'S APPLAUSE

Ask me anything buddy

But don't ask me to study

From the starting I was so dumb

And not I do everything other than keeping mum

Just a min before I found myself more skilled

But found the ears of my audience getting killed

On my bed As I lay

I thought why people ran from my play

After my snow people forget to respire

But getting some applause is all I aspire

After the taunts my heart catches rust

And my self-confidence gets a burst

All I aspire and all I plea

is to get some applauses

And some smiles of glee.



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A DREAM TO BE A SOLDIER

I just have a dream

A dream to be a soldier

A soldier fighting for her country

Her country which is her pride

And now my heart is ready,

Ready for this challenge

Challenging life to face this

Serious journey of my life

Whatever the situation rises

Rises like the sand storms and

Be once again a peaceful stay...

As the time keeps on changing

Chancing to many different stages

My dream keeps growing stronger.

I just only have a dream

A dream to be a soldier

A soldier who is ready

To be the best warrior

And now I'm ready

Ready for this prodigious journey

Journey in this Army which

is a valour's life!



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LIFE IS A GAME

It feels like life is a 'Stage'

Where I am character

What if.... someone's guiding me

Is there any power?

The one who is bigger than me

Bigger than this world

Bigger than this universe

It feels like life is a 'Stage'

Where I am character

If someone's controlling me

My brain

My hand's and legs

It feels like life is a 'Stage'

Where I am a character

If someone's controlling me

But is it ever possible?

It is the God or,

Just my imagination? Ahh!!

It feels like life is a 'Stage'

Where I am a character

THE OCEAN

As I look from the edge of the Ocean Glimmering golden, for its almost down,
So many waves coming towards me, And yet I know, there's a lo more going on,
The Ocean stretches from miles around, So many creatures find with fins and gills

So many miles below the ground The waves are splashing closer and closer

As I realize the world is bigger that it seems As I stare in the Ocean,

In Golden light it gleams

The Ocean, once it casts its spell holds one in its net of wonder forever.



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BELIEVE IN YOURSELF

Belief is not just a word, it is actually the soul of our development in this challenging world. The success level in your life is directly proportional to your belief system.

Believe in yourself means how much you keep faith in your own abilities that you CAN do something in your life.

Life is full of challenges. In this age of competition everyone wants to pull you down. But you have to believe in yourself. Your belief in your abilities can determine how much you will feel inspired. There must be up and down in life, but you must take control of your thoughts and feelings so that you can reach your peak state.

Self-belief has the power that it can help you to fall in love with yourself, with your personality, outlook experience what makes you unique and special. You should be your own coach.

If you don't believe in yourself, you won't believe someone who is cheering you on from the sidelines. You should train yourself as a coach. The secret is, you don't need another person to work through this process. To fuel self-belief, surround yourself with those people who always inspire and support your work. So, put away all negativity and believe in yourself. You will feel better about yourself and your skills as you make progress and see the rewards that arise from the work you are putting in to make a change.



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OUR SIGNIFICANCE IN THE UNIVERSE

Once I thought that in this universe in which we are nothing but a very small particle of dust, do we have any significance?

I remember once my teacher telling me how he felt confused in the world with its crores of stars and lakhs of galaxies. When Earth is one of the planets in which we are one of the 90 lakh forms of life, how can we feel significant about our existence!

Einstein said that the most incomprehensible thing about the universe is that it is comprehensible. And the universe has chosen as HUMANS to do that comprehension.

So, according to me and many philosophers, our aim is to gain knowledge and impart it to others who can take it forward. We are undoubtedly just a small particle of dust but in the light of knowledge we can be a shiny speck of dust before vanishing.



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MOTIVATION FOR GETTING SUCCESS

Motivation is not only to activate a person's desire for wealth but also to activate a person's life energy and awaken the creative enthusiasm of a nation. These following motivational articles for students compiled by the edition for everyone.

Modern Educational Psychology believes that there are many incentives and means to motivate students to get success is universal and effective. Success motivation is the motivation for students to actively pursue achievements and hope to succeed. Psychologists believe that it should become the main motivation for students motivated articles for success and experiencing the joy of success can greatly improve their learning.

Learning is a lifelong thing. As the saying goes, it's a good thing to learn as you live. Students have to learn so that how students get motivated himself / herself to study hard.

"All our dreams can come true, if we have the courage to pursue them" – Walt Disney



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NATURE

Nature is mighty, Nature is strong,
Nature is beautiful all around!

When the flowers bloom and the seeds sprout
The colours of nature fly about Nature is beautiful
as well it is powerful, When the sky is polluted by
fireworks and Pollution the beauty comes to end,
So let us all protect our nature because Nature is our friend.



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MY CHILDHOOD

Once I was a little child, My behaviour was very wild
I had a very foolish mind, But then too I was very kind

To be little brave I tried, But at some small things I cried,
I was very crazy, And my favourite princess was daisy

I loved something I clapped, But at some small things I was slapped
To do very hard things I dared But seeing a ghost I was scared

Let's have some more fun, My childhood is all done.



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THE HILARIOUS SITUATION

Once we were asked, to write a poem on something
and then my brain
was yelling,
"I have nothing!"

I urged to my brain, please send some ideas which you
think are actually in vain. My mind was empty..... Even
my brain didn't show sympathy. I had no ideas what to
write, neither my pen lid was tight. I sat under the fan,
but my thoughts were ban, as any topic could be
chosen, and I was knowing that I am gonna loosen. I
went to a deep snore, and dreamt that I had many
stores, I had ideas to write a story, but not about poetry,
my page was blank, as everyone knows I am frank. I sat
with a cup of coffee, and that was giving a vibe of toffee.

I drank it whole, and got to know that my pant has a
hole, I was wondering why to take part, As I don't know
how to start. An hour passed, as my mother works fast.

Then I thought to write about what I felt. But
unfortunately, I am still NIL.



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BALACHADI HOUSES

In houses of BALACHADI life's a riotous ride
A symphony of chaos, laughter and Pride
Dorms with steel cots lined through the sky
Where dreams of sleep-in peace often say goodbye

Mess food with mysteries and flavours unknown Survival in the mess is a
skill to be owned Midnight Maggi, chai, Pani Puri and endless debates
BALACHADI nights, where hunger never waits

Reportings to bunk, PTs to fake Cricket outside house for heaven's sake
Benches strumming in the end of the night House's walls echo with
melodies so bright

So, if you ever visit, don't be shy In BALACHADIAN houses, come give it a try
For in this madhouse, you'll find your tribe And a lifetime of memories
that you'll imbibe



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NO ONE IS PERFECT

A water bearer in Nepal had two large pots that he would carry to the river to fill water every day, each water pot hanging on the end of a pole, which balanced across his shoulders. One of the pots was perfect and always delivered a full measure of water at the end of the long walk from the river to water bearer's house. The other had a crack and would arrive only half full.

One day the leaking pot spoke to the water bearer saying 'I feel that I should apologize to you, 'Why?' asked the water bearer.

The leaking pot explained, "During these past two years, I have only been able to deliver half my load because this crack in my side causes the water to leak out all the way back to the house, because of my flaw you do all this work and yet do not get full value for your efforts.

The water bearer felt sorry for the old cracked pot and said, 'As we return to my house, I want you to notice the beautiful flowers along the path.' Indeed, as they went up the hill, the faulty pot took notice of the beautiful wild flowers on one side of the path. When they arrived home the man asked the pot, 'Did you notice that there were flowers only on your side of the path, but not on the other side? That's because I've always known your flaw and put it to good use. I planted flower seeds on your side of the path and everyday as we walk back from the river, you watered them. For two years I've been able to enjoy these beautiful flowers, without your being just the way you are, there would have been so much less beauty in my life. Thank you, my friend.



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THE BUSY LIFE

Just sat down thinking
Why is everyone busy working
Some to get success

Some to achieve their goal

Some to give a better life to their love ones
Some to enjoy their time with their dear ones
They don't even get enough of anything
They just want more & more of everything
Elders say enjoy your life But who will listen to them they just have their own pride
Don't seem to enjoy who they are
Just put on a fake face for someone not lovable
At the end everyone dies
Thinking why didn't they enjoy the gift of life



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FREEDOM NEVER COMES EASY

Here, I first want to justify that for being independent one has to suffer a lot and make himself / herself capable of taking at least his / her shoulder responsibilities on. One has to struggle a log and has to experience many situations in life.

Similarly, he has to prove himself / herself as a self-parent he doesn't need help of anyone else or need not be dependent on someone else. Everyone chooses a different path to enjoy his freedom, someone starts a business or joins a private company or becomes a government servant or else choose to secure his nation. But, I want to acknowledge you that every course demands its own efforts. You can achieve freedom and become independent only by making efforts at your most. Freedom can't be achieved by just sitting in house and reading magazine. Success also asks for struggle and nothing else. So, start struggling to be independent by achieving success!!!

GET STARTED!!



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MOTHER'S BEAUTY

All around there is nature
God gave us this feature
Birds fly in the sky
As mountains are so high
Trees are green
And water so clean
We are only harming it
But it never betrays us
Day, Night, Moon and Sun
Wherever we go we have fun
Every creature here grows
Where Lakes, Seas and Oceans flows
Colourful birds and insects
Full of happiness without cries
Bad things try to forget
Let's begin with a new mindset
Nature is full of joy
Please don't treat it as a toy
Don't play with it
Please..... please save it
It gives us food
It gives us shade
But why we can't give
Them a little space
If we will give them
Importance and care
Then our great nature will
Be full of joy and happiness until the end



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'LEGACY IN UNIFORM'

Rohan Mehta, son of Colonel Shreyash Mehta, is a shining example of how the values of perseverance, patriotism, and discipline can shape one's destiny. As a third-generation defender of the Nation, Rohan's journey to the National Defence Academy (NDA) reflects not only his family's legacy but also the significant impact of the education he received in Army schools, particularly Sainik School Balachadi.

Rohan's childhood was marked by numerous relocations due to his father's postings across the country. Despite these constant changes, one thing remained consistent – the quality of school education provided to him. These institutions offered him the continuity and stability required to excel academically, nurturing his innate talent and adaptability.

A turning point in Rohan's life came in 2019, during his father's posting in Udhampur. At the age of 13, the Pulwama attack left a deep imprint on him, igniting a sense of duty to his nation.

This tragic event marked a shift in his aspirations, driving him to seek a life of service to his country. While the flame of warrior was burning brighter, the next stage of motivation was one of his best friends at Jalandhar who too was a die hard aspirant to join NDA. As destined, the very next posting Rohan's father took on the role of Principal at Sainik School Balachadi, a moment that would shape Rohan's future even further.

Sainik School Balachadi, with its unique blend of military culture and a strong academic foundation, proved to be the perfect environment for Rohan's growth. Although he had the option to study at a prestigious private school, Rohan chose the disciplined environment of Sainik School, where the values of duty, honour, and service were not just taught but lived every day. Under the guidance of dedicated teachers and mentors, he developed the leadership qualities and work ethic that would later set him apart.

With unwavering determination and a deep-rooted love for his nation, Rohan not only became the School Topper achieving an outstanding 95% in his 12th standard exams but also secured the 56th All India Rank in the NDA Final Merit.

These achievements were a direct result of his hard work and the holistic education provided by Sainik Schools, which shaped his academic excellence, discipline and leadership potential.

Though initially inclined towards a career in engineering, Rohan's time at Sainik School strengthened his resolve to follow in his family's footsteps and serve the Nation. The discipline and values instilled in him during his time at Balachadi led him to make the life-altering decision to join the NDA. His choice wasn't influenced by external pressures but was born from a genuine sense of duty and the deep-seated values nurtured by his schooling and upbringing.

Rohan's story is not just a testament to his personal determination but also to the role that institutions like Sainik School Balachadi and other Army schools play in shaping the future of the country's leaders.

These schools provide students with a unique environment where academic excellence is coupled with military discipline, creating individuals who are not only scholars but also future soldiers.

As Rohan stands on the cusp of a new chapter at the National Defence Academy, his journey is a source of inspiration to his peers. It highlights the profound impact that Army/Military/Sainik schools or RIMC have on shaping young minds, instilling in them the values of perseverance, patriotism, and duty. His success story serves as a reminder that with the right foundation, students can achieve great things and rise to meet any challenge that life presents.





REPAIR VS REPLACE

"Our Changing times are marked by how often we Change things that don't need changing"

The fan in our bedroom at home would be on its last legs, if fans had legs. Apparently, fans have something called bearings and after many years of use, our fan's bearings are ready to give up the ghost.

The electrician tells us there's little point in putting in new bearings as something else is likely to go wrong. So we have no option but to buy a new fan, a decision we come to reluctantly. Our reluctance is caused not so much by the cost of a new fan but by an innate inclination to get old things repaired instead of replacing them with the new things.

In this, we go against the current trend of the times that, literally, are changing in that more and more people prefer to retire gadgets of everyday use, even though they still have working life left in them, and replace them with the latest model of the items in question, be it a smart phone-cum-camera or should that be camera-cum-phone? –or anything else.

It's not just advances in technology which dictate that people must get the very latest mobile phones, laptops and similar devices, even while the old ones they have are still perfectly serviceable. Having the state-of-the-art iPhone, or Apple, is a style statement, a symbol of status, both social and tech savvy.

In today's climate of compulsive consumerism, such cases are the exception to the rule whereby consumer durables – refrigerators, TV sets, and such like – should more appropriately be renamed consumer undurables thanks to the frequency with which they are replaced, even while they're still in perfect working condition. However, because of all these needless replacements, there's one product, all of us make use of, which is in very urgent need of repair and for which there is no replacement: the product called planet Earth.

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HARDWORK AND SUCCESS

"There will be obstacles, there will be doubts. There will be mistakes, but yes with hard work, there are no limits"

Hard work is the bridge between our dreams and their realization. The path to achieving our goals and dreams often demand unwavering dedication and efforts. Hard work is not always glamorous, it often involves sacrifice and perseverance. It's about setting goals, creating a plan and following the course even when the path is tough. It's about turning setbacks into stepping stone and transforming challenges into opportunities.

Let's consider the story of Thomas Alva Edison, the inventor of the electric bulb. Edison famously said "Genius is one percent inspiration and ninety nine percent preparation". His journey to creating the light bulb was a testament to his restless hard work. It took thousands of experiments and continuous hours of dedication to achieve his ground breaking invention. Hard work is not limited to scientific discoveries or inventions. It permeates every aspect of our lives.

In the word of Apple CEO Tim Cook. It's nice to be talented but the old saying is true "Hard work beats the talent when talent doesn't work hard". Now moving towards what actually success is not something which we achieve in a day or years. The definition of success changes from one individual to another. The road to success doesn't happens overnight. Success comes when persistence and hard work are combined. Only perseverance and commitment can lead to success. Success could be simply defined as the satisfaction one gets after accomplishing something. Let us take the example of the cadets and we all know that every cadet in our school aims and aspire to join National Defence Academy and wanted to be successful person in their life. Failure also plays a significant role to the path of success. Allowing your fear of failure to dominate can hinder your path to success.

There is a famous saying, "Don't read success stories you will get only message. Read failure stories you will get some ideas to get success". We all know about Dr APJ Abdul Kalam. As a kid, he wanted to become pilot but he failed to realize it as he bagged the ninth position when only eight slots were available in that particular attempt at IAF. This failure did not demoralize him, well this has one grows after failure. If Dr APJ Abdul Kalam had given up on his dreams due to one failure then we would have lost a great scientist, teacher, writer and the honorable President of our country. At the verge of conclusion, I would just like to say that success is directly proportional to the amount of hard work and the time you invested in achieving that goal. It is believed that success is achieved when hard work meets opportunity. But opportunity arrives with time, does that mean you must sit back and relax till the time opportunity arrives? Also, what, if some unexpected opportunity arrives and you are not prepared? So, it is always advisable that you prepare yourself for the expected or unexpected opportunity. It is important that your keep polishing your skills so that you don't lose even a single bit of opportunity that may lead you to the path of success.





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BEGINNING AND FAILURE

As today marks the commencement of new session – a new chapter filled with endless possibilities, opportunities and adventures waiting to unfold. As we stand on the threshold of this new beginning let us remember the thought that “the journey of thousand miles begins with a single step”

Beginnings are magical moments filled with excitement, anticipation and a sense of renewal. They offer us a change to leave the past behind and embark on a journey of self-discovery. It is the phase where dreams take flight and aspirations turn into reality.

But beginnings can also be daunting. They can stir up the feelings of uncertainty, fears and doubt. We may find questioning ourselves, are we having whether it takes to succeed, are we making a right choice or are we ready to face the unknowns.

Beginnings are not meant to be perfect. They are meant to be messy, chaotic and full of twists and turns. They are meant to challenge us to push us oneself out of comfort zone to help us discover our true potential.

So, as we embark our new beginning together, let us embrace the uncertainty, the fear and the doubt. Let us see them not as an obstacle but as opportunities for growth and self-discovering. In the words of Hellen Keusk “All the world is full of suffering and it is also full of overcoming”. Let us overcome our fears, our doubts, our insecurities and embrace this new beginning with open hearts and open minds.

Now speaking about the other important phase of our life i.e. Failure. It is a word that is often viewed in a negative light but it holds within it the seeds of immense growth and transformation.

It is something that we fear, something we strive to avoid at all costs. Failure is not the opposite of success but rather an integral part of success. Each one of us have encountered failure in one form or another witness it is falling short of a personal goal, facing rejections or experiencing setbacks. It is often said that failure is a stepping stone to success. Failure provides us with invaluable lessons that success alone cannot teach.

Failure is not a sign of weakness but rather a sign of courage. The courage to try, to take risks and the courage to pursue our dreams in face of uncertainty. It is a reminder that success is not guaranteed but is achievable for those who are willing to learn from their failures and determined to move forward.

There is no losing, only learning. There is no failure only opportunities and there is no problem only solutions. So, to me what actually failure is – It is the mother of all accomplishments.

If it wasn't for Michel Jordan getting out from his 9th grade Basketball team, he wouldn't have become Michel Jordan even it was the same with Oprah Winfrey, she got fired because she was not good for television. You get people like Walt Disney who got fired from television house and a newspaper firm saying that he had no imagination. So, all they would do was to learn the comeback stronger because all what they could do was to lead oneself in the right direction.

Some of the most successful people in the world are the ones who had the most failures. J K Rowling who wrote her first Harry Potter book was rejected 12 times before it was published finally. She once said “I have failed over and over and over again and that is why succeeded”. They all succeeded because they understood that you cannot let your failures to define you. You have to let your failure teach you, show you what to do differently next time.

Failure gives you two choices – either you stay down or you get up and if you get up there you achieve success because you have figured it out. One should not care how many times life knocks you down get back and tell life I am supposed to be here, I belong here, give me what is mine.

When we tackle obstacles, when we face adversity, conflict and failure. It is where we find the hidden reserve of courage and resilience, we didn't even know we had. It is literally only when we face failure then we realize these resources which was always there within us. We only need to find them to fulfill our ultimate goals.

If failure has broken you down into pieces and pieces, then be resilient because it is the gift, an ability and discipline to turn those pieces into a Work of Art.

“Success is not final; failure is not fatal. It is the courage to continue that counts”

Accept the failure happily and dream big. Dare to dream big because everything is possible. The more challenges and difficulties you face, the stronger you become. Nurture your dream and water it as you water the failures. So let us embrace failure not as setback but as a springboard for growth and self-improvement.

At last, on the verge of conclusion I would like to urge each and every one of us to embrace failure as a natural part of the journey towards success.

Let us not be defined by our failures but rather by our ability to rise above them and achieve greatness despite of facing all obstacles.



महाराणा प्रताप

राणा प्रताप क्यों कहलाए महाराणा, ये सवाल मन में न पालो तुम।
उनके शौर्य, उनके गुणों को, अपने जीवन में ढालो तुम।
उनका बलिदान इतना विराट, उनका कोई प्रतियोगी नहीं।
उनकी नैतिकता इतनी विशाल, उन जैसा कोई योगी नहीं।
सच्चे पुत्र वे इस माटी के, वीर रक्षक वे हल्दीघाटी के।
देख महाराणा, दुश्मन का हौसला हो जाता था धरे।
और महाराणा करते प्रहार ऐसे, जैसे सियारों के झुंड पर शेर।
छोड़कर सारे सुख-दुख और वो सारे आरामदायक महल,
निकल पड़े राणा रखने मेवाड़ की आज़ादी की पहल।
घबरा जाता था अकबर तक, जब कोई लेता था उनका नाम।
आ जाता पसीना शीश पर, सुनकर उनके साहस के काम।
जब हो गए बाकी राजपुताने आदि सारे डाठ-बाठ के,
तब भी रण में लड़ते रहे वे, मुगलों के सिरों को काट-काट के।
आज के युवा, आज के बच्चे, आज के बूढ़ों से मेरा एक ही वंदन,
ऐसे महापुरुषों के चरणों में समर्पित करें अपना अभिनंदन।



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क्रिकेट का खेल

यह क्रिकेट का खेला है, महाकुंभ का मेला है।
हिंदू, मुस्लिम, सिक्ख, इसाई हर कोई इसका खेला है।
यह क्रिकेट का खेला है, महाकुंभ का मेला है।
छक्का मारे जो छक्कड़ है, आउट हुआ तो अपहेला है।
जीते तो ताली वाह-वाह, हारे तो टमाटर देला है।
यह क्रिकेट का खेला है, महाकुंभ का मेला है।
यह खेल बड़ा अलबेला है, यह क्रिकेट का खेला है।



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माँ सरस्वती के इस प्रांगण में मेरा सबको सादर प्रणाम! आदर्शपूर्ण मुख्य अतिथि प्राचार्य सैनिक स्कूल बालाचडी, अतिथि गण, शिक्षक गण एवं मेरे प्यारे मित्रों! आज मैं कैडेट रमन, गणतंत्र-दिवस के इस पावन अवसर पर आप सभी के समक्ष अपने विचारों को कविता के रूप में प्रस्तुत करने हेतु उपस्थित हुआ हूँ।

यह धरती वह व्योम जब बंदी था अंग्रेजी जेलों में,
वह कालखंड जब देशभक्तों की लाशें लटकती रेलों में,
जब सरेआम मानता का हरण होता था हिंद के मेलों में,
यह वह समय था जब मासूमियत का लहू मिला था शोक भरी बेलों में।
वह कालखंड जिसको दितकर भी सार नहीं दे सकता,
इतनी हिंसा जन्मी थी जिसका रावण भी भार नहीं ले सकता,
मेरा स्वर्णिम प्यारा भारत न कभी अंग्रेजी जेल का कैदी होता,
अगर न होता छल-कपट अपनों में और अगर न कोई अपना भीदे होता।
लाखों जानें केवट बनी लाने आज़ादी को किनारे तक,
गुलामी से आज़ादी तब थी जैसे पाताल से तारों तक।
न जाने उस दिन लाला पर लाठी से कितने बार हुए होंगे,
न जाने जलियावाले में कितने नादान बिना परिवार हुए होंगे,
और उस गणतंत्र के सफर में कितने ऐसे ऐतवार हुए होंगे,
और शायद ही तब किसी माँ को अपने वीर पुत्र के फिर से दीदार हुए होंगे।

जिन वीरों को मैंने गाया सबने प्राण गँवाए हैं,
तब जाकर हम इस आज़ादी को वापस ला पाए हैं।
लेकिन ऐसी आज़ादी को हम कैसे भूल गए,
हम उनको कैसे भूल गए जो पल में फँसी झूल गए।
सन् 47 में तब भारत का गौरव जीता,
उन शहीदों का जैसे सौरव जीता,
देव ऋषियों की परिपाटी जीती,
लाखों पूत गँवा अपने तब हिंद की माटी जीती।
जीता लाल लहू कोठारी

और तब आज़ाद हुई भारत माँ हमारी।
सुदीराम ने खुदारी से हेस कर जिसका दान दिया,
भगत सिंह ने चूमा फंदा और जिसे कुर्बान किया,
और आज़ादी में बुनियाद बनी जो संघर्षों के बोल की,
सुलग रही थी गरम नाल तब शेखर के फिरतोल की।
जब खिल रही थी रोम-रोम में आसफ़उल्ला खान के,
वह जवानी दौड़ रही खून में हिन्दुस्तान के।
चाहता हूँ कि कोई नेक काम हो जाए,
मेरी हर साँस देश के ही नाम हो जाए।
जो सिर उठे तो मेरे सामने तिरंगा हो,
और जो सिर झुके तो यतन को प्रणाम हो जाए।
जिस दिन बच्चे की बोली इंकलाब को गाएगी,
जिस दिन हिंद की हर नारी दुर्गा हो जाएगी,
जिस दिन बड़े दफ़ारों में रिक्त धम जाएगी,
उस दिन हों, उस दिन उन वीरों की कुर्बानी सफल हो जाएगी।



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“देश के लिए है जीता, देश पर ही मर मिटता,
देश की रक्षा हेतु दुश्मन का सीना छलनी करता।”

भारतीय सैनिक हमारा अभिमान है, जिस पर हर हिंदुस्तानी को गर्व है। यदि आज हम अपने घरों में सुरक्षित हैं तो वह इसलिए क्योंकि सीमा पर हमारे देश के जवान दिन-रात तैनात हैं। हमारी सुरक्षा के लिए अपने प्राण दौब पर लगाकर अपने घर परिवार से दूर सीमा पर खड़े हैं। सैनिक का जीवन बहुत कठिन होता है। यह उनका अपने देश के लिए प्रेम ही तो है कि वे अपने घरवालों को पीछे छोड़कर देश की सेवा के लिए चले जाते हैं। भारतीय सैनिक एक-दूसरे के कंधे से कंधा मिलाकर दुश्मन को हराते हैं। उन पर ही हमारा पूरा भारत निर्भर है। वे सियाचिन की ठंड से लेकर राजस्थान के रण में भी तैनात हैं।

“तीर के द्वारा लहू दुश्मन के छीनेगा,
यही तो मज़ा है सैनिक बन के जीने का।”



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मेरी मनपसंद जगह

मैं सैनिक स्कूल में पढती हूँ। मैं छठी कक्षा में तो पास हो गई परंतु मुझे कम अंक प्राप्त हुए। मेरे गम्भी-पापा ने मुझे प्रेरित कर सातवीं कक्षा के लिए शुभेच्छाएँ दीं। जब अर्द्धवार्षिक में मेरे फिर से बहुत कम अंक आए तो कुछ दिनों तक मैं बहुत उदास रही।

कुछ दिनों के बाद जब हमारी शिक्षिका हमें समुद्र किनारे लेकर गई थीं तब उन्होंने रास्ते में एक टूटे मकान के दरवाजे के ऊपर उगे पीपल के पेड़ को दिखाते हुए मुझसे कहा कि, “इस पेड़ से सीख। इसे पानी, मिट्टी, हवा कोई नहीं देता मगर यह बड़ा हो रहा है। वह हवा तो ऐसे ही लेता है, मिट्टी तो ऐसे ही उठती है तो वहाँ से लेता है और पानी कभी-कभार बारिश से या तो ओस से। तो तुझे भी कोई सबकुछ नहीं सिखाएगा। तुझे कुछ खुद से भी सीखना पड़ेगा और आगे बढ़ना होगा। तू उसे देख।”

इसके बाद मैंने अपनी सातवीं कक्षा पास की, वह भी छठी कक्षा के अंक से ज्यादा अंक प्राप्त कर। मैं इस पेड़ को हर दिन देखती हूँ, टेम्पल राउंड लेते समय। यह पेड़ ‘शिक्षक-आवास’ के पास है। इस जगह को मैं कभी भी नहीं भूलूँगी।



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विज्ञान एक चमत्कार

'उद्यमेन हि सिध्यति कार्याणि न मनोरथैः' अर्थात् परिश्रम करने से ही कार्य सिद्ध होते हैं, मनोरथ करने से नहीं। ये पंक्तियाँ श्रम की महत्ता का बखान करती हैं। मनुष्य ने परिश्रम के बल पर अरंभव कार्यों को भी संभव कर दिखाया है और मनोवांछित सफलताएँ अर्जित की हैं। विद्यार्थी जीवन में सफलता का विशेष महत्त्व है। किसी व्यक्ति को परिश्रम से जी नहीं चुराना चाहिए, क्योंकि परिश्रमी व्यक्ति को लक्ष्मी वरुण करती है।

मनुष्य को सभी प्राणियों में बुद्धिमान माना जाता है। इस बात से तनिक भी इनकार नहीं किया जा सकता कि विज्ञान के आविष्कारों ने मानव जीवन को सुखमय बनाया है। विज्ञान ने मनुष्य के जीवन में अनेक सुख-सुविधाएँ प्रदान की हैं। आज का युग विज्ञान का युग है। आज जिधर भी दृष्टि डालें, विज्ञान के चमत्कार नज़र आते हैं। विज्ञान ने मनुष्य को उन्नति की ओर अग्रसर किया है। नित नई खोजों ने मनुष्य के जीवन में खुशहाली एवं क्रांति ला दी है। आज धरती, गगन, पाताल आदि में विज्ञान के प्रभाव को देखा जा सकता है।

विज्ञान की उपलब्धियों का गुणगान कहाँ से शुरू किया जाए, यह सोचना कठिन हो जाता है। सुबह से शाम तक काम आनेवाली मनुष्योपयोगी घरेलू वस्तुएँ हों या बाहर निकलने पर यातायात के उन्नत साधन या आरामदायी कार्यालय हों, सब जगह विज्ञान का हस्तक्षेप हो गया है।

मनुष्य ने विज्ञान की मदद से दुर्गम स्थानों पर नहरों द्वारा पानी पहुँचाकर वहाँ की धरती को हरा-भरा बना दिया है। इससे वहाँ रहनेवालों के सूखे का खतरा नहीं रहता है। विज्ञान ने पहाड़ी इलाके में सुरंगें बनाकर सड़कें बना दी हैं तथा रेल की पटरियाँ बिछाकर आवागमन को सुगम बना दिया है। उसने रेडियो, सिनेमा, टेलीविजन, मोटर, रेल, वायुयान, समुद्री जहाज, फ़ोन आदि सुविधाएँ देकर जीवन को सुखमय बनाया है। विज्ञान की नई खोज कंप्यूटर के द्वारा ऐसे-ऐसे कार्य किए जा रहे हैं, जिनकी कल्पना भी नहीं की जाती थी। आज तो हम चंद्रमा पर अपने यान भेज रहे हैं तथा अन्य ग्रहों से दूरी घटती जा रही है। फ़ोन के द्वारा हम विदेश में बैठे अपने मित्र, मित्रेदार आदि से बातें कर लेते हैं। आज चिकित्सा के क्षेत्र में बड़े-से-बड़ा ऑपरेशन कर के मनुष्य को नया जीवन दिया जाता है, तो प्लास्टिक सर्जरी से कुरूप मनुष्य भी सुरूप नज़र आने लगता है। नित नई-नई औषधियों की खोज, लेजर तकनीक से होनेवाले ऑपरेशन ने चिकित्सा के क्षेत्र में क्रांति ला दी है।

वास्तव में विज्ञान ने मनुष्य को क्या नहीं दिया। विज्ञान के सिंच पर हाथ पड़ते ही सारा घर जगमगा उठता है। रिमोट के बटन पर अँगुली रखते ही टेलीविजन पर मनचाहे कार्यक्रम हमारा मनोरंजन करते हैं। विज्ञान ने कृषि उत्पादन बढ़ाने में अद्भुत योगदान दिया है। कृषि उपज बढ़कर तिरगुनी-चौगुनी हो गई है। शिक्षा के क्षेत्र में भी विज्ञान ने क्रांति ला दी है। आज घर बैठे-बैठाए पुस्तकों की जगह सी. डी. की मदद से रोचक ढंग से शिक्षा प्राप्त की जा सकती है। विज्ञान की मदद से मनुष्य ने हर क्षेत्र में सुख-सुविधा प्राप्त की है।

विज्ञान ने मानव को अनेक वरदान तो दिए हैं, पर उसने ऐसे विनाशकारी अस्त्र-शस्त्र भी प्रदान किए हैं, जिनसे लाखों लोग अल्प समय में ही काल के गाल में समा सकते हैं। पर, यह सब मनुष्य के विवेक पर निर्भर करता है कि वह इसका किस तरह उपयोग करता है। वास्तव में विनाश के लिए मनुष्य ही अधिक जिम्मेदार होगा, विज्ञान कम। विज्ञान के विवेकपूर्ण उपयोग से हम अपना जीवन सुखमय बना सकते हैं। इसका उपयोग मानव के हित के लिए करना चाहिए।

विज्ञान की मदद से मनुष्य ने अनेक अद्भुत आविष्कार किए हैं। उसने अपने जीवन को सुखमय बनाने के लिए नए-नए साधन खोजे हैं, किंतु तनिक-सी भूल और अविवेकपूर्ण उपयोग के कारण ये आविष्कार ही मानवता के लिए खतरा बनते जा रहे हैं। परमाणु से संबंधित आविष्कार भी इसी कोटि के हैं। आनेवाली पीढ़ियों भी इससे अप्रभावित नहीं रह सकेंगी। समूची मानवता पर खतरा मंडराने लगा है।

आज आवश्यकता है इसके विवेकपूर्ण उपयोग की, क्योंकि कुछ लोग इसका गलत उपयोग करते हैं। हमें इसका सदुपयोग करना चाहिए ताकि यह मनुष्य के लिए वरदान बना रहे। मनुष्य ने ही विज्ञान की खोज की है, इसलिए मनुष्य से बुद्धिमान कोई नहीं है, तो हमेशा अपने विचारों पर काम करो क्योंकि संघर्ष में ही मनुष्य ने ही दिग्गज लगाया है।



कैप्टेन अमीन धारा (6507)
आठवीं - 'ब', अहिल्याबाई सदन



पेड़ का महत्त्व

पेड़ लगे मैदानों में,
बस्ती में सुनसानों में।
घर के भीतर आँगन में,
खेतों में वन-बागों में।
पेड़ों से वर्षा होती,
वर्षा से खेती होती।
पेड़ों से हरियाली है,
जीवन में खुशहाली है।
पेड़ से हमें फल मिलते हैं,
पेड़ों से हमें जल मिलते हैं।
जल है तो फल है,
नहीं तो जीवन असफल है।
पेड़ों से किसी के घर बनते हैं,
पेड़ों से किसी के घर बसते हैं।
पेड़ को नहीं काटना है,
जीवन को बचाना है।
अब हम पेड़ लगाएँगे,
धरती को बचाएँगे।
पेड़ों से हरियाली है,
जीवन में खुशहाली है।



कैप्टेन आशीष रंजन (6485)
आठवीं - 'ब', नेहरु सदन



मेहनत

जो तेरे अंदर के साहस को पहचान लेता है,
कोई है जो तेरे हीसलों को उड़ान देता है...
छुपा नहीं रह सकता किसी फ़नकार के अंदर,
हर फन परिश्रमी को, मैदान देता है...
सिर्फ वही बदल सकता है सपनों को हकीकत में,
जो शख्स जिंदादिल रहकर अपनी जान देता है...
किस्मत भी कौन उठती है उसकी कोशिशों से,
जो शख्स जिंदगी को कर्मों का तूफ़ान देता है...
कहने को तो ईंसान है सिर्फ मिट्टी का पुतला,
हीरा है, जो तराशने वाले को शान देता है...



कैप्टेन अनुराग भौर्य (6270)
दसवीं - 'ब', आंध्र सदन



लक्ष्य

कुछ करना तो डटकर चल,
थोड़ा दुनिया से इटकर चल।
लीक पर तो सब चल लेते हैं,
तू इतिहास को पलटकर चल।
बिना काम के दाम कैसा?
बिना मेहनत के मुकाम कैसा?
जब तक ना हासिल हो मंजिल,
तो राह में राही आराम कैसा?
अर्जुन-सा निशाना रख,
लक्ष्य सामने है जो तेरे,
उसी पर अपना ठिकाना रख।
सोच मत, तू साकार कर,
अपने कर्मों से प्यार कर।
मिलेगा तेरी मेहनत का सिला,
किसी भाग्य का न इंतज़ार कर।
जो चले थे अकेले,
उनके पीछे आज लोगों के मूले हैं।
जो करते रहे इंतज़ार,
उनकी जिंदगी में आज भी हमले हैं।



कैप्टेन अनुराग सिंह फाडके (6278)
दसवीं - 'अ', टैगोर सदन



यार

किसी न किसी पे किसी को ऐतबार हो जाता है,
अजनबी कोई शख्स यार हो जाता है।
खुबियों से नहीं होती मोहब्बत सदा,
खामियों से भी अकसर प्यार हो जाता है।
किन लज्जों में इतनी कड़वी-कसैली बात लिखूँ,
में सच लिखूँ के अपने हालात लिखूँ।
कैसे लिखूँ मैं चौदनी रातें,
जब गरम हो रेत तो कैसे मैं बरसात लिखूँ।
समी संगीत साज़ में गाए नहीं जाते,
हर कोई महफ़िल में बुलाए नहीं जाते।
कुछ पास रहकर भी याद नहीं आते,
कुछ दूर रहकर भी भुलाए नहीं जाते।



कैप्टेन मिलन वर्मा (6217)
दसवीं - 'अ', टैगोर सदन



सफलता की कुंजी : मन की एकाग्रता

सफलता भाग्य से नहीं, कर्म से मिलती है। कर्म के लिए आवश्यक है; लगन और समर्पण। जैसे उतल लेंस सूरज की गर्मी को एकाग्र करके आग पैदा कर देता है, उसी प्रकार मनुष्य किसी कर्म में एकाग्र हो जाए तो अद्भुत सफलता पा सकता है। सर्कस में काम करने वाले नट मन की एकाग्रता के कारण ही आसमान में झूलते-कूदते रहते हैं। सो मीटर की दौड़ में भाग लेने वाले, क्या अगल-बगल के नजारा को देख सकते हैं? नहीं। उसे केवल अपना लक्ष्य ही दिखता है। अर्जुन एक महान धनुर्धर था। उसे

केवल मछली की आँख ही दिख रही थी।

सफलता पाने का दूसरा उपाय है - सतत अभ्यास।

करत-करत अभ्यास के जड़मति होत सुजान।

रसरी आवत-जात ते सिल पर पडत निसान।।

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जय हिंद!



कैडेट वैभव मिमानी (6258)
दसवीं - 'अ', टैगोर सदन



मेस की सब्जी

सब्जियों में झपट हो रही थी आज मेस में अति स्वादिष्ट सोयाबीन थी आज पूरे तैश में तर्क दे रही थी कि पक जाती हूँ मैं कम से कम गैस में प्यार से WASTE होने की सबसे आगे हूँ रैस में। तभी बैंगन भी झट से बोल पड़ा कि मैं चाहे ताजा हूँ या हूँ मैं सड़ा हमेशा थाली में अलग से पड़ा भाई आलू मेरा हर सब्जी में साथ खड़ा बैंगन अपने पकने के लिए खूब लड़ा। लौकी सब कुछ सुन रही थी पास में तभी बोली अपने बनने की आस में मुझसे ज्यादा स्वाद होता है घास में मेरी सब्जी देख भागने को जान आ जाए लाश में। सब अपनी-अपनी बात रख रहे थे एक-दूसरे को अच्छा परख रहे थे बच्चे इन सब का स्वाद वर्षों से चख रहे थे सब को भ्रम था कि मैं अच्छा दिख रहा हूँ और मैं भी इनके स्वाद से परिचित होकर ही लिख रहा हूँ। रसोइए ने देखकर सब्जियों की मात्रा कम आलू, टमाटर और गोभी को मिक्स वेज बनाने का लगाया हम सबको साथ मिलने का था कुछ गम लेकिन मिक्स वेज खाकर थोड़े खुश थे हम।



कैडेट रमन कुमार (6134)
ग्यारहवीं - 'ब', शिवाजी सदन

एस.पी. हाउस में 2023-24 बैच का हाल

सदरडे का दिन होता है, जिस दिन हर बच्चा रोता है। संडे के दिन बच्चा अपनी कहानी टीचर को बताता है। फिर टीचर पूछता है, क्या हुआ? बच्चा बोलता है, मेरा रगड़ा के साथ सदरडे को विवाह हुआ। टीचर जब अपॉइंटमेंट को डॉट लगाता है, तब बच्चा शाम को चैन से खाना खाता है। रात को काउंटिंग के बाद बच्चा सोने चला जाता है। सुबह जब बच्चा पाँच बजे नहीं उठता है, तो धर्मवीर सर की डॉट से सामना हो जाता है। आँख खुलते ही वह बड़बड़ाता है और पीटी के लिए भागता है। फिर पीटी करते समय पीटी में गुल्ली मारते हुए पकड़ा जाता है। फिर जब सूरज भईया बोलते हैं कि डिनर के बाद फ्रॉल-इन होना, तो बच्चा पूरे दिन बेचैन रहता है। फिर शाम को जब डिनर करने जाता है और डिनर में छोलें-भूरे मिल जाते हैं, तो वह सूरज भईया की बात को मूल जाता है। फिर जब उसे याद आता है तो वह फ्रॉल-इन होता है और फ्रॉल-इन में रगड़े की बजाय दो रिसेस लेके चला जाता है।

इतना होने के बाद भी कैडेट यही बोलता है-

सैनिक स्कूल इज माई टेंपल,
टीचर इज माई मॉड,
एन.डी.ए. इज माई ऐम,
कैडेट इज माई नेम।



कैडेट उज्ज्वल (6715)
छठी - 'ब', सरदार पटेल सदन

माँ

पैरों के बल रंगते-रंगते, कब घुटनों पर खड़ा हुआ?
तेरी ममता की छाया में, न जाने कब मैं बड़ा हुआ?
काला-टीका, दूध-मलाई, देती मुझे हर खुशियों की दुहाई।
तू ही तू है हर जगह, प्यार तेरा मैं कैसे मुलाऊँ।
सीधा-सादा, भोला-भाला, मैं ही सबसे अच्छा हूँ।
चाहे कितना भी बड़ा हो जाऊँ,
तेरी नजर में माँ, मैं बच्चा ही कहलाऊँ।



कैडेट आयुष आनंद (6798)
छठी - 'ब', सरदार पटेल सदन

पिता का कर्ज

जब भी पिता से मिलना, झुक के मिलना क्योंकि तुम्हारी जिंदगी में उससे बड़ा आदमी कोई और नहीं होगा।

वो सबसे बड़ा आदमी है, तुम्हारे लिए।

मेरे बाबूजी जैसा आलिशान और कौन होगा, जिन्होंने कुर्ते की फटी जेब में हाथ डालकर कहा- मेरे बेटे को जो चाहिए, सब मिलेगा।
उन्से बड़ा धनवान और कौन होगा?

माँ-बाप के बहाए पसीने का कर्ज चुकाना है न मुझे प्यार में पड़ना है

न मुझे वक्त बर्बाद करना है

मुझे अब बस, वदों में ही घर जाना है।



कैडेट शशि शंकर (6000)
बारहवीं - 'ब', आंग्रे सदन

राम

आशिम ब्रह्मण को एक शब्द में राम बतलाऊँ में, और आज इन दो शब्दों को लेकर त्रेता कलियुग सुनाऊँ में, जिस सन्ध्यासी ने रावण मारा जो सेतु चला कर आगे थे, जो पुरे युग में इतने महान, स्वयं शम्भू भी रघुवर गाये थे,

लक्ष्मण जिन को कहते थे भईया।

अति महान जिनकी पत्नी सिता मैय्या, माने जो रघुवर को अपना कष्ट मुक्त हो जाते हैं।

हम तो अति कनिष्ठ विरे, अन्तिम छण तो दशानन भी राम-राम ही गाते हैं।

सत्री के बेरों से जिसने कभी किया बेर नहीं।

रामराज अशिम हुआ है, यहाँ होती कभी अन्धे नहीं।

राम ऐसी कथा है जिसमें कोई विराम नहीं, राम वह असीम रेखा है जिसका कोई निश्चित मुकाम नहीं।
वो हृदय नहीं पत्थर है जिसमें बसते श्रीराम नहीं,

राम नाम एक सागर है, इसने जरा समाओ तुम,

राम पुरा व्योम है इसमें धुल जाओ तुम

यह हैं विष्णु, यह है ब्रह्मा इनको अपना बनाओ तुम

इनको अपना बनाओ तुम

इनको अपना बनाओ तुम



कैडेट रमन कुमार (6134)
ग्यारहवीं - 'ब', शिवाजी सदन



HOUSE REPORT

**HOUSE MOTTO:
IN PURSUIT OF KNOWLEDGE**

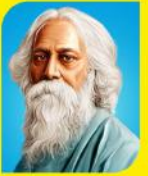
HOUSE MASTER	ASST. HOUSE MASTER	HOUSE TUTOR	WARD BOY
Mr S Sunil Kumar	Mr Dharmik N Jani	Dr Mahesh Bohra	Mr Bhupendra

House Captain	Cdt Gaurav Dhiman (6410)	S.No.	Event	Points Earned
House Vice-Captain	Cdt Adarsh Kumar (6184)	1	Co-Curricular Activities	48.5
Dorm Prefect-I	Cdt Deepanshu Chaudhary (6541)	2	UPSC -NDA	5.99
Dorm Prefect-II	Cdt Parth Jadeja (6265)	3	Academics	2
TROPHIES WON BY THE HOUSE IN 2023-24 Inter House Cross Country Championship Inter House English Debate Competition Inter House T-Shirt Painting Competition		4	Positive Points	2
		Total		58.49

Tagore House is named after **'Gurudev' Rabindra Nath Tagore** (7th May 1861-7th August 1941). Rabindranath Tagore was **one of the most legendary Indian poets and novelists of all times**. He was an eminent philosopher, patriot and rationalist. He started his journey as a writer at a very young age. He was popularly referred to as **"Gurudev"** by everyone. Rabindranath Tagore was awarded the Nobel Prize for Literature in 1913 for his anthology of beautiful poetry, Gitanjali. Scholars have excelled in academics, sports and cultural activities, contributing significantly to the overall spirit and achievement of the school.



TAGORE HOUSE



Scholars are consistent winners of academic trophy every year. This year also scholars have achieved a milestone in academics. **Cdt. Aman Kumar (6131)** secured 94.2% in class 10th CBSE Board Examination and he secured highest marks (95%) in **English** in class **10th CBSE Board Examination**. **Cdt Rohan Mehta** secured 1st position in class 11th with 96%. **Cdt Chirag Yadav** secured 2nd position in class 8th with 93%. **Cdt Jash Kapopara (6660)** secured 2nd position in class 9th with 91%.

We Scholars always excel in every Literary & Co-curricular Activities. **Cdt Adarsh Kumar (6184)** and **Cdt Aman Kumar (6131)** secured 1st and 2nd position respectively in Inter House Hindi Essay Writing Competition for the Session 2023-24. **Cdt Aditya (6259)** secured 3rd position in Inter House **Hindi Debate** Competition Group (B) **Cdt Aman Kumar (6131)** also secured 1st position in Inter House English Debate Competition and secured 2nd position in Hindi Debate Competition. **Cdt Jash Kapopara (6660)** secured 1st position in Inter House **English Debate Competition**. One of the brightest Cdts of our house **Cdt Priyanshu (6368)** has represented the School and went to **Sainik School Ambikapur** under **Ek Bharat Shreshtha Bharat** cultural exchange Programme in 2023. Scholars also secured 1st position in **Inter House T-shirt Painting Competition**.

Scholars have also exhibited outstanding skills and performance in Inter House **Sports and Games Events**. Scholars secured top positions in many individual events, showcasing a high level of Sportsman spirit.

Cdt. Adarsh Kumar (6184) received the Best **Volleyball Player award during the** Annual Athletic Meet 2023-24. He has secured 3rd position in 3000m Annual Athletic Meet. He has also secured 3rd position in **Javelin Throw** in the Annual Athletic Meet 2023-24. **Cdt. Aman Kumar (6131)** secured 1st, 2nd, 3rd positions in 4x400m relay, 100m, and 200m respectively. **Cdt Anurag Dhakad (6278)** secured 1st position in 1500m race, Secured 1st position in 800m, 1st position in 1500m race in **Saurashtra Sahodaya Sports Carnival** and also secured 1st position in Inter House Cross Country Championship. **Cdt. Deepanshu Chaudhary** and **Cdt. Lucky Sharma** have secured 2nd and 3rd position in Inter House Cross Country Championship respectively. **Cdt. Deepanshu** secured 1st position 100m Hurdles race. **Cdt Jash Kapopara (6660)** secured 3rd position in Long jump

Scholar's pursuit of knowledge goes beyond academic requirements, reflecting a genuine passion for learning and a proactive approach to personal and intellectual development. Besides this passion of achieving commendable height in academics, There are four scholars in a row, **Cdt. Rohan Mehta , Cdt. Lavish Chaudhary , Cdt. Gaurav Dhiman and Cdt. Lekh Vashishtha** who have cleared UPSC-**NDA** written examination and appeared for the **SSB** in their very first attempt.

Cdt. Rohan Mehta and **Cdt. Lekh Vashishtha** cracked **SSB** in their maiden attempt. Kudos! The Scholars under the guidance of the House Staff are always striving hard to improve their performance and achieve greater heights in the days to come.

Jai Hind!



HOUSE REPORT

**HOUSE MOTTO:
WE FEARLESS WARRIORS BELIEVE IN ACTION NOT IN WORDS.**

HOUSE MASTER Mr. Piyush Viramgama	ASST. HOUSE MASTER Mrs. Sunita Kademani	HOUSE TUTOR Mr. K K Vajpayee	WARD BOY Mr. Bhupender
House Captain Cadet Anup Pal (6072)	House Vice-Captain Cadet Yagnik Khunt(6090)	S.No.	Event
Dorm Prefect-I Cadet Shivam Gawar (6318)	Dorm Prefect-II Cadet Rudra Tejani (6253)	1	Co-Curricular Activities
TROPHIES WON BY THE HOUSE IN 2023-24		2	UPSC -NDA
Cock House Trophy		3	Academics
Public Speaking Trophy		4	Positive Points
NDA entry		Total	52.05
Best House in Sports			



PRATAP HOUSE



Pratap House, as we are recognized with the name of the great warrior Maharana Pratap. He was the greatest and the bravest man in the history of India. We the Warriors, as we are recognized in the whole campus have left no stone unturned, no war left to win. This academic year 2023-24 has been a great milestone for us.

In this academic year two of our Warriors, Cdt. Sachin Kumar and Cdt. Ronak Morvadiya have cleared UPSC and appeared for SSB interview.

As the academic year started, we Warriors became the pioneer Champions of the first event of IH Volleyball Tournament. In this event Warriors came up with flying colors. School Cadet Vice Sports Captain Abhishek Kumar of class 11th became the Best Volleyball Player. The volleyball squad of the Warriors, well led by Abhishek Kumar along with his whole team brought the trophy to the house. Not only in Inter House Competitions the Warriors have also shown their spirit in West Zone in which 4 cadets of our house were the part of the School Volleyball Team.

In the Inter House Football competition also Warriors became the Champions of Senior category. Cdt Jayant Singh was the team captain.

Warriors with their hunger to win the wars of events got first position in Inter House Athletic Meet 2023-24 and won the trophy and brought the laurels for the house. The warriors again showcased their sportsman spirit in all the track and field competitions. In SENIOR CATEGORY, munching up all the golds in many events such as Long Jump, Triple Jump, 100 M Race, 4x100 M Race, 200 M Race and also in Shotput.

In the Inter House Mathematics Quiz Competition we Warriors bagged Third position.

In the Inter House T-Shirt Painting Competition we Warriors showcased our drawing skills too and team Warriors comprising of Cdt. Abhishek Kumar, Cdt. Parth Makwana, Cdt. Bhautik Chavda and Cdt. Dharm Vaghani got the Second position.

School Cadet Vice Sports Captain Abhishek Kumar (6178) of class 11th was honoured with the award of Best athlete /sportsman of session 2022-23 because of his focus and dedication towards sports activities.

As this year was a charming one for the Warriors, we will try our level best to shine in every field of life we face. From the NDA recommendations to the Inter House Competitions, we Warriors, will try our best to shine like never dying stars.



HOUSE REPORT

**HOUSE MOTTO:
WE CARE ,WE SERVE, WE CAN**

HOUSE MASTER Mr. Ramesh J Makwana	ASST. HOUSE MASTER Mr. Shankar Rao Gandham	HOUSE TUTOR Mr. Lalit Yadav	HOSTEL SUPERINTENDENT Mr. Jagdish
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House Captain	Cadet Yogesh Parmar (6007)
House Vice-Captain	Cadet Rahul Rathore (6139)
Dorm Prefect-I	Cadet Abhishek Kumar (6297)
Dorm Prefect-II	Cadet Meghraj Gohel (6535)

S.No.	Event	Points Earned
1	Co-Curricular Activities	47.5
2	UPSC -NDA	1.33
3	Academics	4
4	Positive Points	10
	Total	62.83

TROPHIES WON BY THE HOUSE IN 2023-24
Inter House Junior Football



SHIVAJI HOUSE



Shivaji House has been named after the legendary king of Maratha empire, Chhatrapati Shivaji Maharaj. The king was born warrior with values like sharing, caring, compassion and love for his countrymen. The cadets of house see Shivaji Maharaj as their role model and try to imbibe the values of Shivaji in them.

This academic year 2023-2024 was yet new milestone for us. We Marathas did exceptionally well in Academics this time. We have added some glorious achievements to our credit unlike others it was an eventful year.

We have good number of cadets who have cleared UPSC Cdt Amandeep Singh (6428) .Cdt Om Raje (6418). We have good number of shining stars in Academics of every class to our credit. Cdt Romil Ghadiya scored highest marks in Hindi (91%) & Artificial Intelligence (99%) in class 10th Board examination. Cdt Aman Kumar scored highest marks in Social Science (96%) & Science (95%) in class 10th Board Examination. Cdt Dhruvil Makwana with 92% was 2nd in class 8. Cdt Abhishek scored 91.4% in class 9th.

Many cadets from the house represented the school in various events and they secured good position in it.

Cdt Rahul Rathore led School Senior Football Team in All India Sainik School Group Level National Games Competition and also got the award of Best Football player of the academic session 2023-24. He also got 2nd position in High Jump. Also Cdt Rahul and Cdt Aman participated in Sahodaya Shaurashtra Football Championship and won the Championship. Cdt Aman was the Best Player in Inter House Football and secured 2nd position in Shot Put showing exceptional sportsmanship. Cdt Raman and Cdt Harshit secured 3rd position in Hindi Debate. Cdt Abhishek from class 10th broke the school record in Javelin Throw and secured 1st position. He also secured 3rd position in English Debate. Cdt Prem secured 2nd position in Triple Jump. Cdt Kunal showing exceptional physical endurance and ability was the Runner-up in 3000m and 1500m. Cdt Meghraj secured 3rd position in 100 m Race. Cdt Atharv clinched the shining Trophy of the Best debater at All India Sainik School Group Level National Games Competition held at SS Chandrapur.

We Marathas were the Champions of IH Junior Football and were the second Runners-up in IH Senior Football Tournament. We were also the Runners-up for the Inter House Volleyball ,IH Basketball ,IH Hindi Debate and IH Maths Quiz Competition. We Marathas were 2nd Runners up in Inter House Drill Competition on the occasion of Republic Day in NCC-CATC 2024.

All in all, this year was eventful and fruitful. We are determined to hone our skills to our best and will try till blood mixes with sweat and will emerge Victorious.



HOUSE REPORT

**HOUSE MOTTO:
PATIENCE AND PERSEVERANCE**

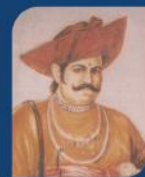
HOUSE MASTER	ASST. HOUSE MASTER	HOUSE TUTOR	HOSTEL SUPERINTENDENT
Mr. Umesh Karmore	Mr. B K Jha	Mr. J V Mehta	Mr. Jagdish Dhewa

House Captain	Cadet Shashi Shankar (6000)	S.No.	Event	Points Earned
House Vice-Captain	Cadet Raj Bamrotiya (6103)			
Dorm Prefect-I	Cadet Aameen Kanpariya (6289)			
Dorm Prefect-II	Cadet Dikshant Patel (6648)			
TROPHIES WON BY THE HOUSE IN 2023-24		1	Co-Curricular Activities	29
Best Contingent in IH Drill Competition		2	UPSC -NDA	0.29
		3	Academics	10
		4	Positive Points	4
		Total		43.29

This House (Sailors' Dockyard) is named after Kanhoji Angre also known as Conajee Angria or Sarkhel Angre (August 1669 – 4 July 1729) was a Chief of the Maratha Navy. This house is the one and only Light House in Balachadi and we call ourselves **"THE NEVER SINKING SAILORS"**. It's the House of a Braveheart, Martyr Major Rushikesh Ramani, SM an alumnus of the School. We Sailors express our joy by singing our own Anthem "Sea Shanty" chosen from the Album Wellerman, written and composed by Nathan Evans. As always, the Sailors didn't let their Ship Sink and achieved greater heights and brought laurels to the House.



ANGRE HOUSE



In Academics as always the Sailors achieved greater heights, **Cadet Tirth Patel (6104)** of class XI was ranked as 2nd Topper in Class X for the session 2022-23 by Scoring 92.6% and also scored Highest Marks in Science (95/100), Mathematics (90/100) and Hindi (91/100) and hence for he was awarded with Certificates and total Prize money of 4,500/- for his brilliant achievements. Then **Cadet Prince Raj (6269)** of Class X Stood as Academic Topper of Class IX by Setting a Tough Competition for his Competitors by scoring 94% for the Session 2022-23. **Cadet Dikshant Patel (6648)** of Class X participated in Aryabhata Ganit Challenge held on 3rd October, 2023 and secured 2nd Position at the initial Stage. **Cadet Koushik Das (6151)** participated in NDA Quiz also known as WizQuiz, conducted by NDA and Secured All India Rank 47. We Sailors are delighted to have such conquerors within us.

Cadet Krish Ninama (6429) cleared UPSC NDA Written Examination in his Maiden Attempt and appeared for SSB.

In Sports and Games, We the Seamen Continued the legacy in West Zonal Tournament. In Inter House Athletics Competition **Cadet Saksham Berwal (6295)** showing true sportsman spirit secured 1st Position in 3000 M Race & High Jump (best jump of 4.7 ft.) and also 3rd Position in 1500 M Race in Seniors Category. **Cadet Koushik Das (6151)**, **Cadet Yug Kanani (6109)**, **Cadet Raj Chhayani (6154)** and **Cadet Dikshant Patel (6648)** secured 2nd Position in 4 x100 m Relay race seniors, **Cadet Sarthak Shukla (6166)** Stood 3rd in Discus Throw in Seniors Category. In Sahodaya Saurashtra Sports Carnival **Cadet Shivam Raj (6031)** of Class XII participated in Football Championship as the Team Captain and secured 1st position and brought laurels to the school. **Cadet Prince Raj (6269)** secured 3rd Position in High Jump and 4x100 M Relay race in Juniors category. **Cadet Aameen Kanpariya (6289)** participated in Volleyball Championship and Secured 2nd Position. In Inter House Cross Country Championship **Cadet Saksham Berwal (6295)** and **Cadet Prince Patel (6326)** secured 4th and 6th Position respectively. By these achievements we Sailors defined the line that is **“The best motivation always comes from within.”**

Apart from Sailing we Sailors also **Won the Trophy for Best Contingent in 26th January Drill Competition** under the Word of Command and able Guidance of House **Cadet Captain Cadet Shashi Shankar (6000)** by displaying coordination among us and true discipline.

In Literary and Co-Curricular Activities again the Sailors knocked the doors for the triumph. **Cadet Sandeep Karmata (6135)** of Class XI was found most active in co-curricular activities, cultural programmes, better taste in Music, Mostly known for his Computer & Technical Skills, served school as Band Major for more than two years and hence for his remarkable achievements he was appointed as School Cadet Vice Cultural Captain for the 1st Term of the session 2023-24. **Cadet Rudra (6272)** of Class X secured 2nd Position in Hindi Debate. **Cadet Prince Raj (6269)** of Class X secured 3rd Position in Painting Competition On PPC at KVS Jamnagar. In NCC Activities Cadet Himanshu Jadav (6390) attended CATC and RDC Camps **and Cadet Prince Raj (6269)** attended All India Gujarat NCC Trekking Camp(SPNT). By these Achievements we Mariners proved that we are Unbeatable in Every Segment.

We The Never Sinking Sailors are Determined to sail constantly to reach our Goals.



HOUSE REPORT

**HOUSE MOTTO:
FIGHT TILL THE LAST**

HOUSE MASTER	ASST. HOUSE MASTER	HOUSE TUTOR	WARD BOY
Mr. Dau Dayal Purohit	Mr. Maitrik Jani	Mr. Raghesh PR	Mr. Asim Chad

House Captain	Cadet Dwij Trivedi (6420)
House Vice-Captain	Cadet Shubham Kumar (6181)
Dorm Prefect-I	Cadet Abhay Raj (6307)
Dorm Prefect-II	Cadet Kanan Shyara (6311)

S.No.	Event	Points Earned
1	Co-Curricular Activities	39
2	UPSC -NDA	0.31
3	Academics	6
4	Positive Points	6
	Total	51.31

TROPHIES WON BY THE HOUSE IN 2023-24
Inter House Hindi Debate Competition
Inter House English Essay Writing Competition
Inter House Hindi Essay writing Competition
Inter House Basketball Tournament
Inter House Mathematics Quiz

The **GARUDA HOUSE** also known as **EAGLES** is named after **“THE LORD GARUDA”**. Garuda is a divine eagle-like sun bird and the king of birds. Yajurveda text mentions Garuda as the personification of courage. He is described to be the vehicle mount of the Hindu God Vishnu. Garuda is a part of state insignia of India the Indian Army uses the Garuda on their Guards Brigade Regimental Insignia and Indian Air Force named their special operations unit after him as the Garud Commando Force.

We Eagles stepped into the session 2023-24 by following our house motto “Fight till the last” and tried to fly high just like an Eagle.

In Academics, **Cadet Aditya Kumar (6396)** of class 9th secured 1st position in session (2022-23) by scoring 95% in his exams and he was awarded with a cash prize of 1000/- and certificate. **Cadet Naveen Kumar (6020)** cleared UPSC NDA written exam in his 1st attempt and appeared in SSB interview.



GARUDA HOUSE



In Sports and Games, we secured 1st position in Inter House Basketball Tournament and **Cadet Deepanshu Kumar (6123)** was the top scorer of tournament so he has been adjudged as the Best Basketball player and was awarded with Ramkrishna Rao Memorial trophy with cash prize of 500/- and the certificate, he was also the School Basketball Team Captain and **Cadet Sahil Damor (6158)** was the School Basketball Team Vice-Captain. We were the Runners up in Inter House Football tournament and **Cadet Ankur Patelia (6349)** was adjudged as the Best Goal Keeper. We were also Runners up in Inter House Cross Country Championship, our three cadets were in top 10, **Cadet Hemal Bariya (6534)**, **Cadet Abhay Raj (6307)** and **Cadet Shubham Kumar (6181)** secured 7th, 8th and 10th position respectively. In Annual Athletic Meet 2023-24 we performed well. Cadet Ankur Patelia (6349), Cadet Virendra Singh (6329), **Cadet Abhay Raj (6307)** and Cadet Shubham Kumar (6181) were Runners up in 4 x 400 M Relay Race. **Cadet Abhay raj (6307)** secured 1st, 2nd and 3rd position in 400 M Race, 200 M Race and Long Jump respectively. Cadet Virendra Singh (6329) secured 3rd position in 800 M Race, **Cadet Aditya Kumar (6396)** secured 1st and 3rd position in Discus Throw and Shotput respectively. **Cadet Shubham Kumar (6181)** secured 3rd position in 110 M Hurdles.

Our cadets also performed well in various Zonal and Inter School events. Our 16 cadets participated in West Zone championship. In Sahodaya Saurashtra Sports Carnival (2023-24) **Cadet Abhay Raj (6307)** secured 2nd and 3rd position in 4 x 100 m Relay Race and Long Jump respectively, **Cadet Yaman Kumar (6345)** was part of school U-14 Football team who participated in Sahodaya Saurashtra Sports carnival (2023-24) and they secured 1st position in it. **Cadet Shubham Kumar (6181)**, **Cadet Naveen Kumar (6020)**, **Cadet Ayush Bhagat (6036)** were also part of U-17 Football team who participated in Sahodaya Saurashtra Sports Carnival and they also secured 1st position in it. **Cadet Shiv Mangal (6222)** was also part of Volleyball team, he participated in Sahodaya Saurashtra Sports Carnival (2023-24) and the team was Runner up in it.

In co-curricular and literary activities **Cadet Kanan Shyara (6311)** secured 1st position in INS Valsura Quiz and was awarded with a Rolling Trophy and continued the school's legacy. **Cadet Kanan Shyara (6311)** and **Cadet Abhinav Rai (6436)** participated in STEM Quiz organized by the Gujarat government and secured 25th rank in the quiz and as an award they got the privilege to visit DRDO, ISRO and IIT Jodhpur. **Cadet Aditya Kumar (6396)** and **Cadet Naveen Kumar (6020)** were adjudged as the Best All-rounder cadet for juniors and seniors respectively, they were also awarded with cash prize of 1000/-. We were also the champions of Inter House English Essay Writing Competition in which **Cadet Aryan Pandor (6159)** and **Cadet Prit Solanki (6412)** secured 1st and 3rd position respectively. We were also champions in Inter House Hindi Essay writing Competition in which **Cadet Abhay raj (6307)** secured 1st position in it. We were also champions in Inter House Hindi Debate Competition in which **Cadet Abhay Raj (6307)** and **Cadet Shubham Kumar (6181)** secured 1st position for against the motion and for the motion. We also won the Inter house Mathematics Quiz competition in which **Cadet Abhay Raj (6307)**, **Cadet Hemal Bariya (6534)**, **Cadet Kanan Shyara (6311)**, **Cadet Aditya Chavda (6187)**, **Cadet Prit Solanki (6412)**, **Cadet Dwij Trivedi (6420)** and **Cadet Monti (6435)** participated. **Cadet Aditya Kumar (6396)** and **Cadet Meet Katara (6351)** attended RDC camp in which **Cadet Aditya Kumar (6396)** has been adjudged as the best RDC camp cadet. **Cadet Prit Solanki (6412)** participated in English Story Writing Competition organized by Ahmedabad Book Club in which he ranked 4th in overall Gujarat. **Cadet Deepanshu Kumar (6123)** also represented our school in West Zone GK quiz



HOUSE REPORT

HOUSE MOTTO:
OUR GREATEST GLORY IS NOT IN NEVER FALLING BUT IN RISING EVERY TIME WE FALL

HOUSE MASTER	Mrs Veena Parmar Mrs Anju Yadav
ASST. HOUSE MASTER	Mrs Ankita Makwana
HOUSE TUTOR	Mr Mayura Joshi
WARD BOY	Mr Dharamveersinh Jadeja

House Captain	Cadet Aditya Kumar (6396) Cadet Tathaghat M (6534)
House Vice-Captain	Cadet Yugendra Kumar (6344) Cadet Marm (6348)
Dorm Prefect-I	Cadet Asif (6510) Cadet Ashish (6482)
Dorm Prefect-II	Cadet Suraj(6478) Cadet Naitik (6462)

Inter House English Essay Writing Competition	• Lovekesh • Aryaveer Parekh
Inter Class Hindi Essay Writing Competition	Class – VI B
Inter Class Hindi Poem Recitation	• Ujjawal • Anshuman
Inter Class Cross Country Competition	Class - VI A
Deen Dayal SPARSH Scholarship Scheme by Postal Dept. Each cadet won scholarship amount of worth Rs. 6000 /-	• Rhythm Ladani • Priyansh Charola • Uday Veer Singh • Aaryarajsingh • Aryaveer Parekh
Nature Education Camp at Khijadiya Bird Sanctuary Quiz Competition Winners	• Priyansh Charola • Navdeep Sangwan • Kanhan Sharma



SARDAR PATEL HOUSE



"Sardar Patel House for Freshers: A Vibrant Beginning"

A House is made of walls and beams but a home is built with love and dreams so we have a home away from home that is the newly constructed Sardar Patel House. On 8 July 2021 New building of SP House was inaugurated by the then Education Minister of Gujarat State. For the first time Sardar Patel House was especially allotted to Freshers Class VI only in August 2023, the halls of our school buzzed with excitement as the newest members of the Sardar Patel House .The air was filled with anticipation and enthusiasm as these budding talents showcased their diverse skills. During the session (2023-24) the house team left no stone unturned in shaping raw diamonds into the Shining Jewels.

All possible efforts were made to impart quality education and values among the cadets by organizing and participating various house level and Inter Class activities. The Cadets of Sardar Patel house also performed well at various school level activities and brought laurels to the house.From spirited performances on stage to impressive displays of sportsmanship on the field, the Freshers of Sardar Patel House left an indelible mark. Their passion, creativity, and camaraderie were evident in every activity, reflecting the vibrant spirit that defines our house.,

On 05th Feb our Young Titans put on the Khakhi Uniform and they proudly donned their house colour and marched as a unified force. It was a spectacle to behold as they cheered, chanted, and bonded with their fellow housemates, laying the foundation for a year filled with shared experiences and lasting friendships. The Freshers of Sardar Patel House carry with them a sense of pride and purpose, eager to contribute their talents and make a positive impact on our school, they embody the true spirit of Sardar Patel House by celebrating 'Ekta Diwas'- 31st Oct 2023 remembering the **"Iron Man of India"** for his Iron Will and serve as shining examples of leadership and teamwork for years to come.

As we reflect on the memorable moments of this year, we are reminded of the boundless potential that resides within each and every Cadet of our House. With Sardar Patel House leading the way, we look forward to a year filled with growth, achievement, and collective success



HOUSE REPORT

**HOUSE MOTTO:
WITH DETERMINATION, I WILL BE TRIUMPHANT**

HOUSEMISTRESS	ASST. HOUSEMISTRESS	HOUSE TUTOR	NURSING SISTER
Mrs Lajwanti Yadav	Mrs. Priya Sonagra	Mrs. E A Mini	Mrs Vanita Patel

House Captain	Cadet Dhvani Borad (6503)
House Vice-Captain	Cadet Akshara (6509)
Dorm Prefect-I	Cadet Amin Dhara (6507)
Dorm Prefect-II	Cadet Snehal Parmar (6508)

TROPHIES WON BY THE HOUSE IN 2023-24
Inter House English Essay Writing Competition
Inter House Hindi Essay Writing Competition
Inter House Hindi Poem Recitation Competition
Inter House T-Shirt Painting Competition
Inter House Cross Country Competition
BEST HOLDING HOUSE TROPHY
BEST IN ACADEMICS (JUNIORS) TROPHY

S.No.	Event	Points Earned
1	Co-Curricular Activities	8.5
2	Academics	6
	Total	14.5

Ahilyabai House has been named after the Legendary Queen - Rajmata Ahilyabai Holkar Maharani Ahilyabai Holkar (31 May 1725 – 13 August 1795) was the Holkar Queen of the Maratha Malwa kingdom, India. She is regarded as one of the most visionary female rulers of India. In the 18th century, as the Maharani of Malwa, she was instrumental in spreading the message of dharma and propagating industrialization. She is widely known for her wisdom, courage, and administrative skills. The queen who brought peace and prosperity with her wisdom. Ahilyabai Holkar is regarded as **one of the finest female rulers in Indian history**. Maharani Ahilya Bai Holkar was bestowed upon the title 'The Philosopher Queen' by British historian John Keyes. The prowess of Ahilyabai House had extended beyond leadership roles, as exemplified by the commendable participation and achievements of its members in various events.

"To accomplish great things, we must not only act, but also dream; not only plan, but also believe." - Anatole France



AHILYABAI HOUSE



The members of Ahilyabai House dream, plan, believe and finally accomplish great treasures. Dedication, discipline and diligence are the motto of our house and we walk on the same path to acquire success.

The year 2023-2024 brought roaring accolades for the Shaktis . We, the members of Ahilyabai House believe in having the seed of courage to do hard work and enjoy the fruits of success. With the motto of valour, hard work and determination, we loaded our bags with numerous trophies and certificates.

Domain of Hindi Poem Recitation was captured by our Hindi Poem Reciters. In Inter-House Poem Recitation Competition, we ,the Shaktis achieved 1st position in both Sub Junior category. We even tamed the tidal waves and surmounted the 1st Position in Inter-House English Essay Writing Competition . Following the House Motto in letter and spirit The Shaktis conquered the battlefield of Inter House Cross Country Competition with the top seven positions out of top ten in the house account. The Inter Hindi Essay Writing Competition was again a cakewalk for the Ahilyabai house cadets bagging the first position in the said competition. Myriad colours and splash of creativity was shown by the Shaktis in Inter House T Shirt Painting Competition bagging 1st position – the contribution of all four participant cadets was commendable -theme was 'Freedom of Spirit-75th Independence Day Celebration'.

The outstanding cadets of the house are as follows:

1	6590	Jiya Doshi	Academics (7th Class)	Academic Topper
2	6511	Ananya	Academics (8th Class)	Academic Topper
3	6503	Dhvani Borad	Overall	Shining Star 2022-23
4	6507	Amin Dhara	Aryabhata Ganit Challenge	1st Position
5	6590	Jiya Doshi	IH Hindi Poem Recitation Competition	1st Position
6	6511	Ananya	IH Eng Essay writing Competition	1st Position
7	6503	Dhvani Borad	IH Eng Essay Writing Competition	3rd Position
8	6590	Jiya Doshi	West Zone	2nd – 400 M Race (U-14) - 3rd – Solo Dance Performance
9	6511	Ananya	West Zone	2nd in Anchoring
		SAHODAYA SAURASHTRA	SPORTS	CARNIVAL
10	6589	Rutvi Dabgar	4x100 M Relay (U-14)	3rd Position
	6590	Jiya Doshi		
	6595	Laxmi Rajshree		
	6653	Bhumika Choudhary		
11	6595	Laxmi Rajshree	Javelin Throw(U-14)	1st Position
	6591	Nandani Kalsariya		3rd Position
12	6593	Divya	Javelin Throw(U-12)	3rd Position
13	6782	Jainavi Solanki	Broad Jump(U-12)	2nd Position
14	6590	Jiya Doshi	400 M Race (U-14)	3rd Position
15	6509	Akshara Bavaliya	Triple Jump(U-17)	3rd Position
16	6501	Tharul Choudhary	Shotput(U-17)	3rd Position
17	6596	Tanvi Sharma	Inter House Cross Country Race (Group-C)	1st Position
	6591	Nandani Kalsariya		2nd Position
	6595	Laxmi Rajshree		3rd Position
	6590	Jiya Doshi		4th Position
	6592	Arushi Sonawane		5th Position
	6594	Prachi Ranjan		6th Position
	6509	Akshara Bavaliya		7th Position in top ten positions
18	6705	Diksha	Inter Class English Essay Writing	3rd Position
19	6757	Parul Pandey	Inter Class Hindi Essay Writing	2nd Position
20	6696	Shreshthaba Jadeja	Inter Class Hindi Poem Recitation	1st Position

"Be aware of your own worth, use all of your power to achieve it. Create an ocean from a dew drop. Do not beg for light from the moon, obtain it from the spark within you."

We ignite a spark which turns into a ball of fire. Maintaining the legacy of pride and honour, following the rituals of courage, compassion and championship; we walk ahead with our head high, armoured with skills and talents ready to touch the infinite sky.

We, the Shaktis have many more dreams to achieve. Together, as a team we pledge to walk together under the guidance of our worthy and committed House Mistress and house members.

We hope that we will continue our winning streak in all fields and bring laurels to our beloved House.



HOUSE REPORT

**HOUSE MOTTO:
NEVER GIVE IN**

HOUSE MASTER	ASST. HOUSE MASTER	WARD BOY
MR. VINOD HARIMKAR - MS. ANKUR CHAUDHARY	MR. R S MISHRA	MR. ROHAN GOSWAMI

House Captain	Cadet Aditya Tomar (6398)
House Vice-Captain	Cadet Vishwas Kavar (6352)
Dorm Prefect-I	Cadet Karan Singh(6450)
Dorm Prefect-II	Cadet Rudra Pratap Singh (6486)

S.No.	Event	Points Earned
1	Co-Curricular Activities	5.5
2	Academics	4
	Total	9.5

TROPHIES WON BY THE HOUSE
Inter House Annual Athletic Trophy
Inter House T-Shirt Painting Trophy

HOUSE ACHIEVEMENTS:

1)Nehru House won the Inter house T-Shirt Painting

Cdt Shubham Pansuriya (6498),Cdt Shoyab Ansari (6644),Cdt Sanskar Dhanani (6665),Cdt Smit Patel (6576) had participated and secured 1st position.

2) Nehru House won the Inter House Athletic Competition. The details are as under :

A total of nine events were there for Sub Junior group. There were 02 teams from each house.

(i) 4 × 400m Relay Team 1 and Team 2 secured 1st and 2nd position respectively.

Team 1: Cdt Om Dhodi (6477), Cdt MD Asif (6510), Cdt Ashish (6482), Cdt Tanmay Kumar (6606)

Team 2: Cdt Karan Singh (6450), Cdt Dhruvil Modi (6449),Cdt Ansh Raj (6603),Cdt Sashi Shekhar (6611)

(ii) 4 × 100m Relay the following cadets secured 3rd position:

Cdt Karan Singh (6450),Cdt Dhruvil Modi (6449),Cdt Kush Karnik (6454),Cdt Ansh Raj (6603)



NEHRU HOUSE



- (iii) 100m Race Cdt Om Dhodi (6477) secured 2nd position. (iv) 200 M Race Cdt Om Dhodi (6477) secured 3rd position.
- (v) 400 M Race Cdt Ansh Raj (6603) & Cdt Tanmay Kumar (6606) secured 2nd & 3rd position respectively.
- (vi) 800 M Race Cdt Ashish (6482) secured 1st and Cdt Sashi Shekhar (6611) secured 3rd position respectively.
- (vii) the 1500 M Race Cdt Ashish (6482) secured 1st and Cdt Prince Rajpoot (6633) secured 2nd position respectively.
- (viii) Shotput Cdt Rudra Pratap Singh (6486) secured 1st and Cdt MD Asif (6510) secured 2nd position respectively.
- (ix) Long Jump Cdt Naitik Mistry (6462) secured 1st and Cdt Suraj Sharma (6478) secured 2nd position respectively.

(3) The House was Runner up in INTER HOUSE CROSS COUNTRY COMPETITION

(4) The House was Runner up in INTER HOUSE HINDI POEM RECITATION.

(5) In Hindi poem recitation Cdt Dhruvil Modi (6449) VIII B secured 2nd position.

Individual Achievements:

Cdt Ashish (6482) has been awarded with **Best Junior Athlete Award.**

Cdt Ashish (6482) and Cdt Prince Rajpoot (6633) secured 1st & 2nd position respectively in **UNITY RUN (3Km)** which was held at Jamnagar on 31st October, 2023.

Cdt Sanskar Dhanani (6665) VII C won State Level Certificate in **Painting Competition** organized by Asoy Explores and sponsored by Reliance Industries Limited.

Cdt Karma Dholiya (6645) VII C and Cdt Yaksh Makwana (6473) VIII A won district level certificate in **Maths Quiz** which was held in Dwarka.

09 Cadets of class VIII and VII participated in KHEL-MAHA-KUMBH at district Level and won the Tournament lead by Team Captain Cdt Rudra

Pratap Singh (6486). The following 09 Cadets are team member:

Cdt Rudra Pratap Singh (6486), Cdt Dhruvil Modi (6449), Cdt Kush Karnik (6454), Cdt Ansh Raj (6603), Cdt Tanmay Kumar (6606), Cdt Shoyab Ansari (6644), Cdt Prince Patel (6564), Cdt Vinay Meena (6599), Cdt Aditya Jagtap (6607)

Cdt Dhruvil Modi (6449) and Cdt Yaksh Makwana (6473) are gone for **NCC Camp at Ahmedabad** and both of them won certificate of appreciation and medals in which Cdt Yaksh Makwana won for Best leadership and Cdt Dhruvil Modi won for Best Cadet.

Sahodhya Saurashtra Athletic was held in our school.

In this Cdt Rudra Pratap Singh (6486) secured 3rd position in shot-put under 14, Cdt Ashish (6482) and Cdt Tanmay Kumar (6606) secured 1st and 3rd position respectively in 400 m race; Cdt Ansh Raj (6603) secured 1st position in Javelin Throw Under 12 and Cdt Sashi Shekhar (6611) secured 3rd position in Broad Jump Under 12.

Sahodhya Saurashtra Football was held in DPS Jamnagar.

In this our school bagged 1st position. In the team 09 cadets participated from Nehru House: Cdt Aditya Tomar (6398), Cdt Rudra Pratap Singh (6486), Cdt Naitik Mistry (6462), Cdt MD Asif (6510), Cdt Dhruvil Modi (6449), Cdt Kush Karnik (6454), Cdt Ansh Raj (6603), Cdt Tanmay Kumar (6606), Cdt Prince Patel (6564)

WEST ZONE JUNIOR FOOTBALL was held at SS Chandrapur. In this the school stood 3rd and 07 out of 16 cadets were from Nehru house.

Cdt Rudra Pratap Singh (6486), Cdt Dhruvil Modi (6449), Cdt Kush Karnik (6454), Cdt Ansh Raj (6603), Cdt Tanmay Kumar (6606), Cdt Prince Patel (6564), Cdt Shoyab Ansari (6644)

WEST ZONE VOLLEYBALL CHAMPIONSHIP was held at SS Chandrapur. In this the school stood 3rd and 03 out of 12 cadets were from Nehru House:

Cdt Aditya Tomar (6398) IX B, Cdt Vishwas Kavar (6352) IX B, Cdt Vatsal Lamba (6489)

A Quiz conducted by **"DEEN DAYAL SPARSH YOJANA"** postal services Govt. of India. In which our 03 cadets participated and cleared the Quiz & appeared for the second stage: Cdt Karan Singh (6450), Cdt Prince Awana (6616), Cdt Ansh Raj (6603)

*** Cdt Ansh Raj (6603) of VII A got certificate and received the cash prize of Rs. 6000.**



HOUSE REPORT

**HOUSE MOTTO:
SKY IS THE LIMIT OF THE SUCCESS**

HOUSE MASTER	ASST. HOUSE MASTER	WARD BOY
MR. ARUN V R - MR. BALRAJ	MR. A K SINGH	MR. ROHAN GOSWAMI

House Captain	Cadet Rudra Choudhary (6404)	S.No.	Event	Points Earned
House Vice-Captain	Cadet Mohit Sonawane (6393)	1	Co-Curricular Activities	4
Dorm Prefect-I	Cadet Shivam Das (6476)	2	Academics	2
Dorm Prefect-II	Cadet Rajveer Toliya (6460)		Total	6



SHASTRI HOUSE



HOUSE ACHIEVEMENTS:

Academic achievers

Cdt. Heer (6570) ,Cdt. Het (6672) , Cdt. Rajvardhan (6636), Cdt. Ansh (6604) , Cdt. Aman Raj (6652),Cdt. Vivek (6491) secured 2nd,3rd,4th,5th and 2nd position respectively in academics.

Co-curricular achievers

Our cadets are also good in co-curricular activities. Cdt. Neli Mithunraj (6585) secured 2nd and 3rd position in inter-house painting competition and Subhash Chandra Bose drawing competition. And our team secured 3rd position in T-shirt painting competition. Team members are: Cadet Rajveer Toliya (6460), Cadet Aryan Rathod (6456), Cadet Vansh Sharma (6582) and Cadet Virendra Bhosale (6609)

Cdt. Rishav Ranjan (6601) secured 3rd position in IH Hindi Poem Recitation

Cdt. Vivek Dabhi (6491) had gone to Sainik School Ambikapur for cultural EBSB (Ek Bharat Shrestha Bharat) camp.

Games and Sports

Shastrians secured 2nd position in Athletics.

Cdt. Divesh Yadav (6480) and Cdt. Shivam Das (6476) secured 1st and 3rd position respectively in 100 M . Cdt. Shivam Das (6476) and Cdt. Divesh Yadav (6480) secured 1st and 2nd position respectively in 200 M also.

Cdt. Aryan Rathod (6456) secured 1st position in 400 M. Cdt. Yuvraj Singh Jadon (6667) secured 2nd position in 800 M and 3rd position in 1500 M.

Our both teams secured positions in 4 x 100m relay. In 1st Team the members were:

Cadet Shivam Das (6476) Cadet Divesh Yadav (6480) Cadet Aryan Rathod (6456) and

Cadet Manav Tendulkar (6475). They secured 1st position. The second team secured 2nd position. Second team members were:

Cadet Bhavya Sajwan (6514) Cadet Rishav Ranjan (6601) Cadet Yuvraj Singh Jadon (6667) and Cadet Bhargav Parmar (6549)
4 x 400m Relay team secured 3rd position.

Cadet Yuvraj Singh Jadon (6667) Cadet Abhisek Kureel (6518) Cadet Aryan Rathod (6456)
and Cadet Manav Tendulkar (6475)

Cadet Krishiva Kore (6451) secured third position in Shot put. Cdt. Rajvardhan Singh Rathore (6636) secured 3rd position in Long Jump.

Cdt. Manav and Cdt. Shivam Das represented the school in Saurashtra Sahodaya Sports Carnival and secured 3rd position individual in Javelin Throw and 100 M. Our cadets participated in Khel Maha kumbh Junior Football and secured 1st position. They also participated in West Zone U-14 Football and secured 3rd position.

Cdt. Ajitesh Yadav (6566) and Cdt. Naitik Dabhi (6546) were the Best Emerging Players of Football and Volleyball.

Cdt. Aarsh Vasava (6517) was awarded as the Best Goal Keeper. Cdt. Divesh Yadav (6480) was awarded as the Best Football Player of Inter house and U-14 Football.



Academic Toppers



Class XII 2023-24



I Academic Toppers - Class X and XII

ACADEMIC TOPPERS CLASS X

S.No.	Roll No	Name	Percentage
1	6297	Abhishek Kumar	93.8%
2	6269	Prince Raj	93.2%
3	6660	Jash Kapopara	92.0%



Abhishek Kumar



Prince Raj



Jash Kapopara

ACADEMIC TOPPERS CLASS XII

S.No.	Roll No	Name	Percentage
1	6677	Rohan Mehta	95.0 %
2	6009	Akshay Kumar	87.4 %
3	5996	Ronak Morvadia	85.4 %



Rohan Mehta



Akshay Kumar



Ronak Morvadia



I NDA Course 151 and 152 - SSB Entries

NDA SELECTION & SSB TRAINING



**School Prepares The Cadets Academically,
Physically And Mentally For Entry Into NDA/NA**

SSB TRAINING TO THE CADETS WHO CLEARED UPSC NDA WRITTEN EXAMINATION



SELECTION IN NDA COURSE 151



5893
Cadet Vedant Kotadiya



5780
Cadet Avadh Vasoya

SELECTION IN NDA COURSE 152



6677
Cadet Rohan Mehta
(AIR56)



6196
Cadet Het Patel (AIR175)



5882
Cadet Aniruddh Singh Gohel
(AIR-444) Flying Fit

TECHNICAL ENTRY SCHEME



5675
Cadet Sudhanshu (TES)



NCC Activities



ADG NCC Directorate Gujarat, Dadra and Nagar Haveli Maj Gen R Shanmugam G visited the school on 7 Oct 2023



Jaliyan wala Baag (NCC Activity 13 Apr 23)



Col H K Singh, Gp Cdr, NCC HQ Jamnagar visited SS Balachadi

NCC DIRECTORATE GUJARAT
SARDAR PATEL NARMADA TREK 2023

GUJARAT DIRECTORATE (JAMNAGAR GROUP)
CONDUCTED BY NCC GP VADODARA
GUJARAT NCC LEADERSHIP ACADEMY, JEETNAGAR (RAJPIPLA)

NARMADA TREK : GUJARAT
28 NOV-05 DEC 2023

JUNAGARH RANGE **KARJAN DAM**

04 JD CADETS AND 01 ANO PARTICIPATED IN SARDAR PATEL NARMADA TREK (SPNT-II) 2023 HELD AT RAJPIPLA NCC LEADERSHIP ACADEMY, NARMADA DISTRICT FROM 28 NOV-05 DEC 2023. THE CADETS LEARNT LEADERSHIP SKILLS, TEAM WORK, RISK MANAGEMENT, YOGA, SPORTS AND SSB TRAINING, SPORTS AND YOGA.

PARTICIPANTS WERE CDT SHIVAM GAWAR, CDT PRINCE RAJ 6269, CDT ATHARV KUMAR 6271, CDT DHARM 6244 & ANO T/O BALRAJ.



I Visits of Dignitaries



Gp Capt Ravinder Singh, Command Education Officer, Vayu Shakti Nagar, Gandhinagar



Maj Gen SS Virk, General Officer Commanding, 11 RAPID (H)



ADG NCC Directorate Gujarat-Maj Gen R Shanmugam G visited the school on 7 OCT 2023



All in one Mini Science Lab being presented to our school





Col H K Singh, Group Commander
NCC Gp Headquarter Jamnagar



Col H K Singh, Group Commander NCC Gp
Headquarter Jamnagar being briefed at the
Sand Model of SSB



Shri Praful Chhaganbhai Pansheriya, Minister of State,
Parliamentary Affairs, Primary, Secondary & Adult
Education, Higher Education, Gujarat



Mr Alexander Danda (Consulate General,
Consulate of Poland, Mumbai) along with his team



Janmashtami Celebration



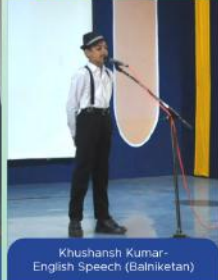
Independence Day



Cdr Aryan - English Speech



Niyatiba Jadeja - Hindi Speech (Bainiketan)



Khushansh Kumar - English Speech (Bainiketan)



Cdr Aryan - Hindi Speech



I Republic Day



Academic Staff with Chief Guest



Administrative Staff with Chief Guest



Deshbhakti Kavita - Cdt. Raman



Hindi Speech - Cdt. Shreyansh

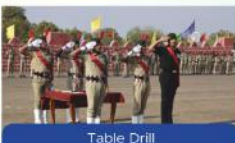


Table Drill



Pyramid Formation



CG Reviewing The Parade



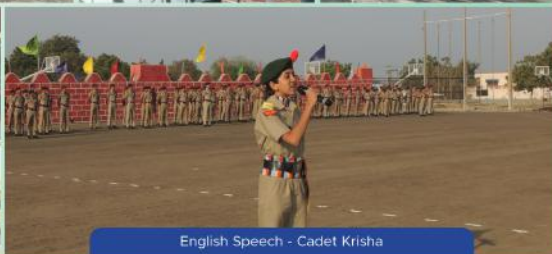
Best House Contingent - Anglo House



Balniketan Kids - Mass PT Presentation



Aerobics



English Speech - Cadet Krishna



Passing Out Parade- Class XII - ANTIM PUG



Investiture Ceremony



Teachers' Day Celebration



Welcome Party for Freshers of class VI at Vice Principal's Residence



Hobby Clubs

ART CLUB

The purpose of art club is to provide students who have an interest in art, an opportunity to explore art and craft forms beyond what is offered in the curriculum. It gives students the opportunity to work individually and in groups.

The main objective of art club is to encourage the students in various art activities. To help the students develop their leadership abilities, To improve the imagination skill in entertainment. Clubs help you to improve your academic Performance and boost your mental health.

There are total 35 members in the Art Club.

Medium used for paintings: Water Colour, Poster colour, Pen and Ink, Oil colour and Glass colour etc.

Competition organised –

05 Cadets participated in KV No 2 Jamnagar. Cadet Prince Raj got 3rd Prize and 60 Cadets participated in the Inter House drawing and painting competition.

I/C ART CLUB
Mr RS Mishra



ASTRONOMY CLUB About the Club

Astronomy Club is dedicated to promoting the knowledge of astronomy among students. The club's primary aim is to develop scientific curiosity in students and encourage them to explore astronomy. This group allows students to explore their passion for the universe, learn from experts, and participate in various astronomy activities.

The astronomy club exposes the students to the scientific study of celestial objects such as stars, planets, comets, galaxies and phenomena that originate outside the Earth's atmosphere such as the cosmic background radiation.

Activities

Starazing Event: Under this event club members can see mesmerizing different planets & stars at night under the open sky with high resolution Telescope.

- Expert Lectures & Seminars related to astronomy are organized every year.
- Telescope Training is organized for the club members.
- Movie shows related to astronomy were arranged for club members on the topics like Space, ISS, Black-hole, Different phases of moon, etc.
- Visit to the Observatory/Science Centre has been planned.
- Charting the constellations.
- Calculating the rise and set times for a star.
- Camping out on a clear night and make observations or making it a photography workshop.

Learn about the history of the study of astronomy and the devices they used (like the astrolabe), heavenly bodies, space in leisure time by using the library extensively.

To shape their hobby, cadets were suggested to prepare 3D Models of different Astronomical structures. After listening to the applauds about the Boasting activities of Astronomy Club, many Freshers also have shown interest to join our Astronomy Club, which has fulfilled the objective of Creative & Innovative activities of Astronomy Club.

Plans for Future - Asking an expert to give talk at our school, Talk to local universities, clubs, and community colleges to find speakers. To invite local astronomer to school to share their Astro photos.

Overall, the astronomy club serves as a hub for exploration, learning and inspiration, enriching the school experience and nurturing future scientists and enthusiasts alike.

SHINING STARS of Astronomy Club are:-

Cdt. Darsh Patel, Cdt. Shubom Fansuria, Cdt. Caris, Cdt. Aditya Kumar, Cdt. Kush, Cdt. Daksh, Cdt. Harshit, Cdt. Anshuman, Cdt. Ujjwal, Cdt. Pit, Cdt.

Abhi, Cdt Darsh

Coordinators

Mr Lalit Yadav

Mr Raghesh P R



BOOK REVIEW CLUB

"The more that you read, the more things you will know. The more that you learn, the more places you'll go." Dr. Seuss

Our Book Review Club is for the Cadets who share a common interest in books. This club is open to anyone willing to read, review and discuss books and to become a member. Members of this club post reviews on books they have read and give their opinion about the books they have read. The Club is formed with a target to read different books from different authors, genres and publishers.

Our club is designed to let readers gain the most from books by reading the book together and discussing it informally. The point of the book review club is to meet, each with a copy of the book, for a short informal discussion. Cadets get exposure to new and exciting literature; learn about new authors, and so much more. When it comes to the pleasure one gets by reading his/her duly adored book, it's difficult for one to raise a price for it, especially those that they have been waiting for a long time.

At our Book Review Club, book lovers meet at a particular time and place for the sole purpose of reading and discussing a book that has been chosen by them. However, not all participants need to read all of the books. Some of the best discussions and reviews happen when some members haven't finished the book. Each member is free to state opinions and ask questions and counter statements as they see fit.

Coordinators

1) Mrs Sunita Kademani

2) Mrs Anju Yadav

Gardening Club

Junior class cadets (Class VI, VII & VIII) are the part of the club.

The Gardening Club aims to foster a community of gardening enthusiasts who share a passion for plants, horticulture, and sustainable gardening practices. The club was dedicated to promoting gardening skills, environmental stewardship, and camaraderie among its members.

It also aims to create awareness of the diversity of plants, and to allow members to acquire skills on ways to care for Nature. Gardening Club members are involved in basic gardening activities like weeding, watering and pruning to ensure that the plants grow healthily. They also learn to reuse and recycle garden finds to create art and crafts.

With the help of the QM section we brought around 50 plants sapling from Jamnagar and planted all these saplings around the campus.

Activities undertaken by the club

- To make scrap books by collecting different plant leaves and mention the details about them.
- To find out different plant sapling names using Google Lens.
- Making of bird feeders using waste material.

We created digital plans of what we wanted to plant and where we were going to plant, and also used our phones to create some beautiful photography of the school's grounds and natural environment. This was enjoyed by all.

Gardening Club has been an excellent opportunity to get outside and have a distraction from school work while doing something that benefits the environment and ourselves. All members thoroughly enjoyed it and we are looking forward to the bright future of gardening in the coming months and years.

Club I/C

Ms Ankur Chaudhary





Cycling Club

Introduction: Sainik School Balachadi's Cycling Club serves as a platform for promoting fitness, camaraderie, and sportsmanship among students through the exhilarating activity of cycling. Throughout 2023, the Cycling Club has remained committed to its mission of fostering a culture of cycling within the school community. **Activities and Events:** Regular Campus Rounds - Balachadi Beach Rounds - Khiri Trips - Lecture on Trips - Presentation on Maintenance Tips

Participation: Had the highest number of Participants i.e., 25 Cadets. The selection was a difficult process. All-rounders were given preference. **Infrastructure and Resources:** There are 40 cycles and an amateur mechanic (Mr Akram Dal, Casual Labourer - GE)

Challenges and Solutions: At times the rough roads result in flat tyres. The routes followed were short and the shifting for repair was easy. **Future Plans:** To ensure stamina building and skilled riding. **Acknowledgments:** The club members thank the administration, QM Section and PTIs for the resources provided and for the constant guidance. **Conclusion:** Happy faces are the hallmark of the members in Our Cycling Club at Sainik School Balachadi.

Coordinators

Mr Piyush Viramgarna

Mr S Sunil Kumar

Cadet Secretary: Cdt Jay Nakiya



ECOLOGY CLUB

In our school we have an Ecology Club which performs the activities to save environment, encourage others to reduce pollution, plant trees and many more eco-friendly activities. The Eco Club in all contains 40 cadets of class VI to IX. The I/Cs of the club are Dr. Venkateshwar (PGT Chemistry) and Mrs. Priya Sonagra (TGT Maths). Under the guidance of I/Cs, cadets performed various activities. Such as: 1) Under the theme Reuse of plastic, different articles were made like bird feeder, pen stands etc. 2) Old plastic bottles were used to plant small plants. 3) For making people aware of pollution and its effects on environment, Poster making Competition was also organized. 4) Cleanliness Campaign in the premises was also the part of activities. 5) Using the organic wastes in the school mess, a small project of making manure was also done by the cadets. An Ecology Club thus build attitude to help individual and social group acquire a set of values and feelings of concern of Environment and motivation for actively participating in environmental improvement and protection. Thus, an effort to create awareness about the clean/green environment amongst the young generation is the motto of the Club.

Coordinators

Dr Venkateshwar

Mrs Priya Sonagra



| OBSSA Homecoming -1973 Batch



Literary Events



VI-B won Inter Class Hindi Poem Recitation Competition



ARYABHATTA GANIT CHALLENGE COMPETITION



AHILYABAI HOUSE - WINNER OF INTER HOUSE HINDI POEM RECITATION COMPETITION



Painting Competition on Chandrayan (25-9-23)



Inter House Lecturette Competition



VI B won IC Hindi Essay Competition 2023-24



SP House - Winner of IH Lecturette Competition



Inter House Hindi Debate Competition





Cdt Amin Dhara won the Aryabhata Ganit Challenge Competition held at the School Level



Inter House English Essay Writing Competition



Garuda House -Proud Winners of IH Hindi Essay Writing Competition (Group A)



Cdt Dikshant Patel- Winner of Aryabhata Ganit Challenge Competition at the School Level



AHILYABAI HOUSE CLINCHED THE COVETED INTER HOUSE ... HINDI ESSAY WRITING COMPETITION TROPHY (GROUP B)



Tagore House - Winner of IH English Debate Competition (21 Apr 23)

IH Football Sr and Jr Tournament 2023-24



Inter House Cross Country Competition



Inter House Basketball Tournament 2023-24



Marathas - Runners Up



Garuda House - Winner of IH Basketball Tournament



IH Volleyball Tournament 2023-24



INTER HOUSE ANNUAL ATHLETIC MEET 2023-24





Annual Day Celebration



Holi Celebration



NAVRATRI CELEBRATION



MUSICAL CONCERT AT SAINIK SCHOOL BALACHADI (SPIC MACAY)

A musical concert was organised in Sainik School Balachadi, Jamnagar in association with Society for the Promotion of Indian Classical Music And Culture Amongst Youth (SPIC MACAY), Jamnagar Chapter on 15 Oct 2023. It was conducted by renowned Satvik Veena player Pandit Salil Bhatt, and Shri Himanshu Mahant, Tabla Player. Pandit Salil Bhatt is the creator of 'Satvik Veena' and the son of the world famous Mohan Veena player and Grammy Award winner Padma Bhushan Pandit Vishwa Mohan Bhatt.



| Saraswati Pooja



| New Year Celebration



I Rakshabandhan Celebration



I Christmas Celebration



In Campus Activities



Swachhata Abhiyaan



Principal's Address in Assembly



Pariksha Pe Charcha



OBSSA VISIT



INS Valsura



EBSB Activity



Career Counselling for joining the Prestigious Indian Navy by INS Valsura





National Mathematics Day Celebration

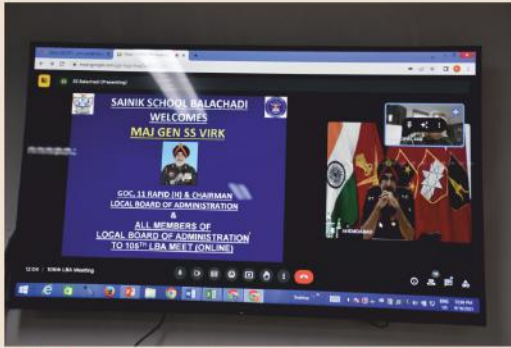


Assembly



Cadets Witnessed Successful Landing of Chandrayaan 3 Mission





Online LBA Meeting in progress



Online LBA Meeting in progress



SPACS Inauguration in SP House



Kargil Vijay Diwas

Sainik School Balachadi, Jamnagar observed 'KARGIL VIJAY DIWAS' in School campus on 26 July 2023, on the 24th Anniversary of the victory of the Indian Armed Forces in Operation Vijay against the infiltrating Pakistani troops.



School Raising Day Celebration



SAINIK SCHOOL BALACHADI CELEBRATED 62nd SCHOOL RAISING DAY



I JAKLI Platinum Jubilee Celebration



Friendly Volleyball Match between SSB and 13 JAKLI



13 JAKLI Cycle Rally Being welcomed in Sainik School Balachadi





ગુજરાતી લેખ

ગુજરાતી સામયિક લેખ-પ્રવૃત્તિ દિકરી

શિયાળાની કડકડતી ઠંડી હોય અને પિતાના છેલા શ્વાસ હોય ત્યારે પિતા કહેકે, મારે મારી દીકરીનો ચહેરો જોવો છે.

ત્યારે દીકરી આવે ને પિતાને એક ચમચી પાણી પીવડાવે. પિતા કહેકે, દીકરી તું નો હોતતો હું આજ મારા અંતિમ શ્વાસે મને એક ચમચી પાણી પીવડાવવા પણ કોઈ ન આવત એટલે કહીએ કે, બેટી બચાવો... બેટી પઢાઓ...



કેડેટ - હિરલ ડેર
રોલ નંબર - ૬૭૭૭

પતંગિયું

પતંગિયું રે પતંગિયું,
લાલ-પીળું પતંગિયું.
લીલા-પીળા ફૂલે ફરતું,
લાલ-પીળું પતંગિયું.
સુંદર-સુંદર પતંગિયું,
લાલ-પીળું પતંગિયું.
ઉડતું-ઉડતું બીજા ફૂલે જાય,
લાલ-પીળું પતંગિયું.
ફૂલો પર બેસતું પતંગિયું,
લાલ-પીળું પતંગિયું.
સરસ મજાનું પતંગિયું,
લાલ-પીળું પતંગિયું.
પતંગિયું રે પતંગિયું



કેડેટ-ખુશી શિયાળ
રોલ નંબર - ૬૮૧૫



“માં”

જીવનમાં સૌથી મહત્વપૂર્ણ એનું સ્થાન રે ...
માતાનો પ્રેમ ભેરુઓ નહિ જડે રે લોલ ...
ખુબજ મહેનતુ એનો સ્વભાવ રે ...
માતાનો પ્રેમ ભેરુઓ નહિ જડે રે લોલ ...
સખત મુલ્યવાન એનું કામ રે ...
માતાનો પ્રેમ ભેરુઓ નહિ જડે રે
વ્યક્તિત્વએનું ખુબ પ્રતિભાશાળી રે ...
માતાનો પ્રેમ ભેરુઓ નહિ જડે રે લોલ ...
વિશ્વની સર્વશ્રેષ્ઠ એતો જનની રે ...
માતાનો પ્રેમ ભેરુઓ નહિ જડે રે લોલ ...
મારું ભવિષ્ય એતો કરે ઉજ્જવળ રે ...
માતાનો પ્રેમ ભેરુઓ નહિ જડે રે લોલ ...



કેડેટ-પ્રત્યક્ષ ચુડાસમા
રોલ નંબર-૬૫૭૧



“ભારતમાતા બોલે છે”

માં ... અરે ... માં... તું ક્યાં છો ? કેમ જવાબ નથી આપતી? શું થયું છે માં તને ?
અરે બેટા આવ, હું અહિ જ છું. ક્યાંય નથી ગઈ ! પરંતુ બેટા,
મારો સમય ચાલ્યો ગયો છે. જ્યારે, સતયુગ હતો
ત્યારે તો અહિ ઘી-દુધની નદીઓ વહેતી હતી. ધન-ધાન્યની રેલમછેલમ હતી
પ્રજા સુખી હતી. જ્યારે આજે ચારેબાજુ
અત્યાચાર, અનિષ્ટોની ભરમાર છે.
અરે... આ દિવસે ને દિવસે વધતા અત્યાચારને લીધે મારું હૃદય ચીરાઈ ગયું છે.
એ વ્યથા માં હું જીવું છું. બસ મારી ઈચ્છા એ કે મારો સતયુગ નો
સમય જલ્દી પાછો આવે. તો હું જરૂર પાછો આવીશ.



કેડેટ-પ્રથમ કોરડીયા
રોલ નંબર -૬૫૮૪



કિસ્સા-ટુચકા

વિદ્યાર્થી: શુભ સવાર મેડમ.
શિક્ષિકા: ગણિતને વંચાય નહી લખાય
વિદ્યાર્થી: તો પેપરમાં વાંચ્યા વગર કેમ લખું?
છગન: દોસ્ત તને ગણિત કેટલું ગમે ?
મગન: જેટલું તને નાપાસ થયું ગમે .



કેડેટ- ખુશ વાછાણી
રોલ નંબર -૬૬૩૦



“ખોટી જીદ”

એક હતો છોકરો, તે ભણવા જતો તો ...
ભણતા-ભણતા રીસાણો,
કોઠી પાછળ ભીસાણો.
કોઠી પડી આડી...
છોકરાએ બુમ પાડી અરરર...માડી.



કેડેટ- ઘુમીલ ચોહાણ
રોલ નંબર -૬૫૮૪



“ભગવાનનું વરદાન”

સર્વોત્તમ વરદાન ભગવાનનું રે.
એને માતા કહેવાય જો.
ભગવાનનું હીરા જેવું વરદાન જો.
પ્રહલાદ જેવા ભક્તને વરદાન મળ્યું જો.
વરસાદથી ઝડપી થાય કામ જો.
ભગવાનનું હીરા જેવું વરદાન જો.
નવ મહિના દુખ સહી બલિદાન દે .
એને માતા કહેવાય રે.
ભગવાનનું હીરા જેવું વરદાન જો.



કેડેટ-જવલ લાખાણી
રોલ-નંબર -૬૬૮૭



ધોળા ધોળા બગલા

ધોળા ધોળા બગલા તમે ક્યાં ચાલ્યાં?
એવા ધોળા ધોળા તમે ક્યાં ચાલ્યાં ?
અમે નદી કિનારે જઈએ.
ઝટપટ માછલાં વીણી લઈએ.
એવા ધોળા ધોળા અમે બગલારે છીએ.
ધોળા ધોળા હંસલા તમે ક્યાં ચાલ્યાં ?
અમે માન-સરોવર જઈએ.
સાચા મોતી વીણી લઈએ.
એવા ધોળા ધોળા અમે હંસલારે છીએ.
ધોળા ધોળા સસલાં તમે ક્યાં ચાલ્યાં ?
અમે વનવગડામાં ભમીએ.
કુણા તરણા વીણી લઈએ.
એવા ધોળા ધોળા અમે સસલાંરે છીએ.



કેડેટ-મંથનકુમાર ડાભી
રોલ-નંબર- ૬૪૪૭



પપ્પા

રોજ ઝાકળનાં ઝરણાં વહાવતી કલમમાંથી
અચાનક બરફ પાડવા લાગ્યો.
થીજેલી લાગણીઓનો.
સ્પર્શતા ફૂલ જેટલી જ કોમળ લાગતી કલમ.
ભારે થવા લાગ્યો.
તેનો ભાર એટલો વધ્યો કે,
મારા હાથ ઝૂકવા લાગ્યા.
મારા હાથ કલમના ભારથી સાવ નીચે ઝુકી જાય
તે પહેલા,
કોઈ મજબુત હાથે મારું બાવડું ઝાલ્યું,
મેં જોયું,
એ બાવડું ઝાલનાર હાથ હતો.

પપ્પાનો.



કેડેટ-આયુષ રાબડીયા
રોલ-નંબર -૬૨૫૭



અપમાન એ દુઃખ છે.

એક અનાથ આશ્રમ હતો.ત્યાં એક દિવસ એક શ્રીમંત ઇંપતી આવેલું તેણે ત્યાં એક છોકરી ને આશ્રમ માં કામ કરતા જોઈ તો તેણે તે છોકરી વિષે તપાસ હાથ ધરી ત્યારબાદ તે છોકરી ને તે સાથે લઈ ગયા. તે છોકરી તેની સાથે રહેવા લાગી અને ઘરનું કામ પણ કરતી તેમાં એકદિવસ ઘરનું આંગણું સાફ કરી રહી હતી તે વખતે તેણે એક કાંટ લાગેલો સિક્કો મળ્યો. તેણે તે સિક્કો પોતાની પાસે રાખ્યો.નવરાશના સમયમાં તેણે તે સિક્કાને લીંબુ વડે સાફ કર્યો. થોડો કાંટ ઓછો થયો હતો.એવામાં ત્યાં એક બોદ્ધસંપ્રદાયનું ટોળું આવેલું તેઓને લોકો કંઈક આપી રહ્યા હતા.તેણી એ જોયું તો તેણે થયું આ સિક્કો જે તેની પાસે હતો તે આપવાનું નક્કી કર્યું.તે દોડીને સિક્કો આપવા ગઈ.તો બોદ્ધસંપ્રદાયના એક માણસે તે લેવાની ના પાડી અને લોકો હસવા લાગ્યા. ત્યારે છોકરી દુઃખી થઈને પછી આવતી રહીને પોતાનું કામ કરવા લાગી.

એ ટોળું બધુ સોનું ઓગાળી મૂર્તિ તૈયાર કરવા લાગી ગયું. જોતજોતામાં મૂર્તિ બની પણ તેનો ચહેરો ઉદાસ બન્યો. તેથી તેના ધર્મગુરુએ કહ્યું તમે દાન લેતી વખતે જરૂર કોઈને નકાર્યું હશે ત્યારે બધાને પેલી છોકરી યાદ આવી અને તે છોકરી પાસે ગયા અને પેલો સિક્કો માંગ્યો ત્યારે છોકરીએ સિક્કો આપ્યો ત્યારબાદ ફરીથી મૂર્તિને ઓગાળીને બનાવવામાં આવી અને સુંદર મુખાકૃતિ બની. જે હાસ્યનો ભાવ ચહેરા પર હતો.

આથી ક્યારેય કોઈને તુરંચ સમજીને અપમાન કરવું જોઈએ નહિ કારણકે, ઈશ્વરની દ્રષ્ટિમાં બધા એક સમાન છે.



કેડેટ-શ્રેય ચોહાણ
રોલ-નંબર-૬૨૨૨૦

“માં”

“માં તે માં બીજા બધા વગડાના વા”

માં એક એવો શબ્દ છે જે બોલવામાં એકદમ સરળ છે. જ્યારે છોકરો અથવા છોકરી જન્મે છે. ત્યારે પહેલો શબ્દ માં બોલે છે. માં તેમના બાળક માટે કેટલી પીડા ભોગવે છે.કવિ બોટાદકર ના જનની કાવ્યમાં માનું વર્ણન છે.

જનની ની જોડ સખી ની જડે રે લોલ...

માં જેવું દુનિયામાં કોઈ નથી. પરિવારની જવાબદારી નિભાવે. એટલેજ, સંસ્કૃતમાં કહેવાયું છે કે, જનની-જન્મભૂમી સ્વર્ગ થી મહાન છે. અહિં માં વિષે તો જેટલું લખી તે ઓછું જ પડે તેથી મારી વાણીને વિરામ આપતા એટલુજ કહું છું કે માં તે માં .



કેડેટ-ભરતપટેલ
રોલ-નંબર -૬૫૮૭



“ગુરુવાર”

ગુરુવારનો દિવસ છે, આવ્યો.
જુવો શું ખાવાનું લાવ્યો ...
બપોરે છે બિરયાની તો રાત્રે ભટુરા લાવ્યો.
છોકરાને આવ્યું યાદ,
તો તેના મનમાં આવ્યો વિચાર ...
આપડે આજે ખાસું ભટુરા.
અને ભણીશું રાત્રે મોડા-મોડા.
ત્યારે સિનીયરને આવ્યું યાદ,
તેણે કરી ફરિયાદ આઝાદ
તેણે કરાવ્યું કદમતાલ...
છોકરા થયા બેહાલ .
ખાતા-ખાતા બધાએ વિચાર્યું
શું કામ આવ્યો ગુરુવાર .



કેડેટ- હર્ષિલ શ્રીમાળી
રોલ નંબર- ૬૬૩૯

Thursday



સાચું સુખ ક્યાં છે ?

પચાસ માણસોનો એક સમૂહ એક પ્રશિક્ષણ કાર્યક્રમ માટે હાજર હતો.ત્યાં અચાનક દરેકને એક ફૂલેલો ફુગ્ગો હાથમાં આપ્યો, અને તેના પર પોતાનું નામ લખવા કહ્યું. ત્યારબાદ તે બધા ફુગ્ગાને લઈ લેવાયા અને બાજુના ખંડમાં મૂકી દેવાયા.

થોડીવાર પછી બધાને તે ખંડમાં બોલાવી પોતાનું નામ લખેલો ફુગ્ગો શોધવા કહ્યું.માત્ર પાંચ મીનીટમાં તો ધમાચકડી મચી ગઈ પણ કોઈ ફુગ્ગો શોધી શક્યું નહિ. તેથી દરેકને જે ફુગ્ગો હાથમાં આવે તે લઈ લેવા કહ્યું અને જેનું નામ ફુગ્ગા પર લખ્યું હોય તેણે આપી દેવા કહ્યું.તો માત્ર પાંચ મીનીટમાં બધાને પોતાનું નામ લખેલો ફુગ્ગો મળી ગયો.

ત્યારે પ્રશીક્ષકે કહ્યું કે,આપુજ આપણા જીવનમાં પણ બનતું હોય છે.દરેક માણસ આસપાસ સુખ શોધે તો ના મળે . પરંતુ વાસ્તવિક રીતે બીજાના સુખમાં જ આપનું સુખ છુપાયેલું હોય છે. સુખ વહેચવાથી વધે છે.



કેડેટ-જય નાકિયા
રોલ-નંબર- ૬૨૯૪





“ આજનું શિક્ષણ”

આ સઘળા કૂલોને કહોકે યુનિફોર્મમાં આવે. પતંગિયાને કહો સાથે દફતર લાવે. મનફાવે ત્યાં માછલીઓને નહિ તરવાનું, સ્વીમીંગપુલના સઘળા નિયમોનું પાલન કરો. દરેક કુપણને કમ્પ્યુટર ફરજિયાત શીખવવાનું. લખી જણાવો વાલીઓને તરત ફી ભરવાનું. આ ઝરણાને સમજાવો સીધી લીટી દોરે. કોયલને કહી ડો કે ના ટહુકે ભરબપોરે. અમથું કઈ આ વાદળીઓને એડમિશન દેવાનું, ડોનેશનમાં આખેઆખું ચોમાસું લેવાનું. એક નહિ પણ મારી ચાલે છે અઠાવન સ્કૂલો. આઉટડેટ થયેલો વડલો મારી કાઢે છે ભૂલો.



કેડેટ-પ્રેમ દલસાણીયા
રોલ-નંબર- ૬૬૪૧



જંગલની સ્વચ્છતા

એક મોટું જંગલ હતું. તેમાં ઘણાબધા પ્રાણીઓ રહેતા હતા. તેઓમાં એકતા એટલી હતી કે તેઓ દરેક કામ સાથે માંડીને કરતા. તેમાં તેણે સફળતા અવશ્ય મળે. આ જંગલમાં લોકો હરવા-ફરવા આવે પણ કચરો ગમે ત્યાં ફેંકે તેથી જંગલ કચરાથી ભરાઈ ગયું હતું. એ વખતે હાથીભાઈ બોલ્યા, આમને આમ રહેશે તો એક દિવસ જંગલ ગંદગીનું ઘર બની જશે. આપણું સ્વાસ્થ્ય બગડશે.

તેથી બધા સાથે મળી સફાઈ કરી ને જંગલમાં સ્વચ્છતાનું અભિયાન ચલાવીએ. સસલાભાઈ કહે, હા...હા... ચાલો સાથે મળીને કરીશું તો જલ્દી થઈ જશે. આમ બધા પ્રાણીઓ કામે લાગી ગયા. કોઈ પાવડો લઈ તો કોઈ ત્રિકમ લીધો. તો કોઈ કચરાપેટી અભિયાન ચાલુ કર્યું. પરંતુ કાગડાભાઈએ આખો દિવસ કાં...કાં...કર્યું. કાંઈ કામ કર્યું નઈ. એક દિવસ કાગડાભાઈ તો ઉડતા-ઉડતા વાંદરાભાઈ પાસે ગયા. વાંદરાભાઈ કહે,

કાં... કાં... કરું છું, ઝાડ-ઝાડ પર ફરું છું,
ચાલો વાંદરાભાઈ જોડાઈ જાવ, જંગલ ને હું મંગલ કરું છું.

વાંદરાભાઈ કહે, "અરે કાગડાભાઈ બધા પ્રાણીઓ જંગલની સફાઈ કરવા લાગ્યા છે. તમને ફરવાનું સુઝે છે. આ જંગલ આપનું ઘર છે. આપને સફાઈ ના કરીએ તો કોણ કરે ? કાગડાભાઈ તો ત્યાંથી ઉડતા-ઉડતા નીકળી ગયા, અને હાથીભાઈ પાસે ગયા. કહેવા લાગ્યા,

કાં... કાં... કરું છું, ઝાડ-ઝાડ પર ફરું છું,
ચાલો, હાથીભાઈ જાડાભમ્મ, તળાવે જઈ તરું છું.

હાથીભાઈ કહે જંગલની સફાઈ એકલા હાથે ની બધા સાથે મળીને કરાય. કાગડાભાઈ તો ત્યાંથી ઉડીને શિયાળભાઈ પાસે ગયા શિયાળભાઈને કહે,

કાં... કાં... કરું છું, ઝાડ-ઝાડ પર ફરું છું.
આવો શિયાળભાઈ પૂરી ખાવા, ગરમ-ગરમ તેલમાં તળું છું.

શિયાળભાઈ કહે અરે કાગડાભાઈ તમને ખાવાની પડી છે, આ બધા કેટલો પરિશ્રમ કરે છે. આમ કહી શિયાલભીએ બધા પ્રાણીને બોલાવ્યા અને કહ્યું, બધા પ્રાણીઓ સફાઈમાં લાગ્યા છે. પણ આ કાગડાભાઈ તો સફાઈ માંથી છટકવા લાગે છે, તેથી કોઈએ તેમની મદદ કરવી નહિ. વાંદરાભાઈએ સહમતી આપી. હાથીભાઈએ કાગડાભાઈને જંગલમાંથી જ્યાં-જ્યાં પ્લાસ્ટીકની થેલી હોય તે બધી ભેગી કરવા જણાવ્યું ; કાગડાભાઈ ઉદાસ ચહેરે તેમને મળેલું કામ કરવા લાગ્યાં.



કેટેટ-યુગ કોરડીયા
રોલ-નંબર-૬૭૬૫





જીવન જીવતા શીખવાડનાર ભગવાનશ્રી કૃષ્ણ

અર્જુન અને શ્રીકૃષ્ણનો સંવાદ છે જે શ્રીમદ ભાગવત માં વેદવ્યાસ સંજયના માધ્યમથી બતાવે છે.

અર્જુન શ્રીકૃષ્ણને કહે છે કે, પોતાના સગા-વહાલનો વધ કરી મને જે સામ્રાજ્ય મળશે તેનું હું શું કરીશ ? ત્યારે ભગવાન શ્રી કૃષ્ણ અર્જુનને ધર્મ અને અધર્મનું જ્ઞાન આપે છે. તેથી અર્જુન પૂછે છે કે, ધર્મના માર્ગે ચાલીને જીવન કેવી રીતે જીવવું ? ત્યારે ભગવાન અર્જુનને ત્રણ યોગ શીખવાડે છે. (૧) સાંખ્યયોગ (જ્ઞાનયોગ) (૨) કર્મયોગ (૩) ભક્તિયોગ માનવ શરીરમાં આત્મા છે તે પરમાત્માનો અંશ છે. તે સાંખ્ય યોગ સમજાવે છે. મનુષ્યે દેહમાં રહીને કર્મ કરવાનું તેવું કર્મયોગ સમજાવે છે. તેમજ કર્મ કરો પણ ફળની આશાના રાખો એ ભક્તિયોગ સમજાવે છે. મનુષ્યે પોતાના સમગ્ર જીવન, ઈચ્છાઓ, સુખ-દુઃખ વગેરે ઈશ્વર ને સમર્પિત કરીને જીવવું જોઈએ.

આ રીતે ભગવાન શ્રીકૃષ્ણ અર્જુનને આ ત્રણ યોગથી જીવન જીવતા શીખવાડે છે. ભગવાન કહે છે કે, આ ત્રણ યોગના માધ્યમથી ચાલનાર વ્યક્તિ ઈશ્વરની પ્રાપ્તિ જરૂર કરે છે. તેમજ તેમનું જીવન સફળ થાય છે.



કેડેટ-નંદની કલસરીયા

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IITE Refresher Training for Sainik Schools' Teachers - PRATIBADDHATA - Batch 1 and 2

GURUDIKSHA REFRESHER PHASE (PRATIBADDHTA) IITE TRAINING FOR SAINIK SCHOOLS' TEACHERS (INDIAN INSTITUTE OF TEACHER EDUCATION, GANDHINAGAR)



In The Induction Phase (first Year) 741 Teachers Got Trained In The Year 2022-23. In The Refresher Phase (PRATIBADDHTA), 200 Teachers Will Get Trained Every Year For Five Years Beginning From 2023-24 To 2026-27. Training For Two Batches Was Completed By 31 Oct 2023




BATCH - 1



BATCH - 2



Capacity Building Programmes by CBSE




NATIONAL CONFERENCE

Empowering Teachers for Promoting Mental Health and Well-being in Schools

14th -16th December 2022
Blended Mode (Online/Offline)
Time- 10.00 am - 5.30 pm

Live Streaming on YouTube NCERT Events
 Link: <https://youtube.com/ncertevents157>

Organised by
North East Regional Institute of Education (NERIE), Shillong



National Council of Educational Research and Training
 Sri Aurobindo Marg, New Delhi- 110016

MR ARUN VR, TGT SCIENCE AND MS ANKUR CHAUDHARY, TGT MATHS ATTENDED 'NATIONAL CONFERENCE ON EMPOWERING TEACHERS FOR PROMOTING MENTAL HEALTH AND WELLBEING IN SCHOOLS'. IT WAS THREE DAYS ONLINE WORKSHOP.



MR DN JANI, TGT SCIENCE, MR PIVUSH VIRAMGAMA, TGT SCIENCE, MS ANKUR CHAUDHARY, TGT MATHEMATICS AND MRS PRIYA SONAGRA, TGT MATHEMATICS ATTENDED THE ONE-DAY CAPACITY BUILDING PROGRAMME ON THE TOPIC - 'LEARNING OUTCOMES AND PEDAGOGIES' AT RADHIKA EDUCARE SCHOOL, JAMNAGAR



MR AK SINCH, PGT BIOLOGY, DR MAHESH BOHRA, PGT MATHS, MR RACHESH PR, TGT S.S.C, MR BK JHA, TGT HINDI AND MRS ANJU YADAV, TGT ENGLISH ATTENDED ONE DAY WORKSHOP ON 'LEARNING OUTCOMES AND PEDAGOGIES'. IT WAS CONDUCTED AT MODI SCHOOL, PADADHARI, RAJKOT ON 12 AUG 2023.



MR S SUNIL KUMAR, TGT ENGLISH, MRS LAJWANTI YADAV, TGT ENGLISH AND MRS ANJU YADAV, TGT ENGLISH ATTENDED ONE DAY CAPACITY BUILDING WORKSHOP ON 'STORY TELLING AS A PEDAGOGY'. THE WORKSHOP WAS HELD AT GD GOENKA PUBLIC SCHOOL JAMNAGAR ON 23 MAR 2024.



CBSE WORKSHOP

Three teachers Mr Lalit Yadav, TGT Social Science, Mrs Lajwanti Yadav, TGT English and Mr Ramesh Makwana, TGT Social Science attended one day CBSE workshop on topic 'Learning outcomes and Pedagogies' conducted at Modi School Rajkot on 25 Nov 2023.



CAPACITY BUILDING PROGRAMME BY CBSE

Five teachers Mr Maitrik Jani, PGT Computer, Mr KK Bajpayee, PGT Physics, Mr RS Mishra, Art Master, Mr Mayura Joshi, TGT Mathematics and Mr Arun VR, TGT Science attended one day CBSE workshop at Gangotri International School Gondal Rajkot on 02 Dec 2023.



CBSE WORKSHOP

Four teachers Mrs Sunita Kadernani, PGT English, Mrs EA Mini, TGT Hindi, Mr S Sunil Kumar, TGT English and Mrs Veena Parmar, TGT Computer Science attended one day CBSE workshop on topic 'National Education Policy 2020' at Podar International School Jamnagar on 13 Dec 2023.



TRAINING ON LEARNING OUTCOMES AND PEDAGOGIES

Three staff members Mr S Sunil Kumar, TGT English, Mr Balraj, TGT English and Mr Piyush Viramgama, TGT Science attended one day training on 'Learning Outcomes and Pedagogies' at Sarvodaya Secondary School Rajkot on 17 Feb 2024.



TRAINING ON CYBER SAFETY & SECURITY

Five staff members Mr Maitrik Jani, PGT Computer Science, Mrs Veena Parmar, TGT Computer Science, Mr Arun VR, TGT Science, Ms Ankur Chaudhary, TGT Mathematics and Mr Umesh Karmore, TGT Social Science attended one day training on Cyber Safety and Security at Shree Satya Sai Vidyalaya Jamnagar on 10 Feb 2024.

WEBINAR SERIES ON SQAA FRAMEWORK - SYSTEMS THINKING

On 28th July 2023, CBSE organized a webinar series on School Quality Assessment & Assurance Framework (SQAA) - Systems Thinking. The session was attended by Mr S Sunil Kumar and Ms Ankur Chaudhary attended the session Live on YouTube channel.

CBSE WORKSHOP ON 'STRENGTHENING ASSESSMENT AND EVALUATION PRACTICES'

Mr RS Mishra, Art Master, Mrs Veena Parmar, TGT Computer Science and Mrs Priya Sonagra, TGT Mathematics attended two days CBSE workshop on the topic 'Strengthening Assessment and Evaluation Practices' at Shree Satya Sai Vidyalaya, Jamnagar on 15 & 16 March 2023.

EDUCATORS SESSION UNDER 'CANVA FOR EDUCATION-I'

Under the Canva for Education Program by CBSE, the online session on the topic 'Design in Education and Canva in Classroom' was witnessed by all the staff members on 27 Feb 2024.

EDUCATORS SESSION UNDER CANVA FOR EDUCATION-II

Under the Canva for Education Program by CBSE, the online session on the topic 'Digital Storytelling' was witnessed by all the staff members on 05 March 2024.



Sahodaya Saurashtra Sports Carnival 14 Oct 2023

SAHODAYA SAURASHTRA SPORTS CARNIVAL (ATHLETICS) 2023-24

Sainik School Balachadi, Jamnagar hosted the 'Sahodaya Saurashtra Sports Carnival (Athletics) 2023-24' on 14 Oct 2023. It was a mega sports carnival where eleven schools from Saurashtra region- Delhi World Public School Morbi, The Aditya Birla Public School Veraval, Tatachem D.A.V Public School Mithapur, SDCCL Public School, Reliance Foundation School, Radhika EduCare, Sanskar International School, Nand Vidya Niketan, Podar International School, JP Modi School and Sainik School Balachadi took part in all track and field events (U-12, U-14 & U-17 Girls & Boys categories) at the School Athletic ground. Sainik School Balachadi and Delhi World Public School Morbi won the trophy for Under-12 (Girls) and Under-12 (Boys) category respectively. For Under-14 (Girls) and Under-14 (Boys) category, the trophy was won by Reliance Foundation School and Sainik School Balachadi respectively while Nand Vidya Niketan was the winner in both Under-17 (Girls) and Under-17 (Boys) category.



Sayonara - Farewell to Adm Officer, Mr Venkateshwar, Sub Pratap Singh Gurjar & PTI



Adm Officer Squadron Leader Mahesh Kumar, Dr Venkateshwar and Sub Pratap Gurjar were bid adieu on 5th Jan 2024



PTI CHM Rana was bid farewell on 30 Sept 2023



Farewell of PTI CHM Rana



Ek Bharat Shreshtha Bharat Exchange Programme to Sainik School Ambikapur

10 CADETS ATTENDED EK BHARAT SHRESHTHA BHARAT
CULTURAL EXCHANGE PROGRAMME AT SAINIK SCHOOL AMBIKAPUR,
CHHATTISGARH FROM 13 – 17 OCT 2023



All India Sainik School National Games Group Level Competition 2023



ALL INDIA SAINIK SCHOOL NATIONAL GAMES GROUP LEVEL COMPETITION 2023
HELD AT SS CHANDRAPUR, 16 – 23 JUL 2023



Cadet Atharv – Best Speaker
English Debate



Sainik School Balachadi secured
1st Position in English Debate



Cadet Jiya Doshi bagged 2nd Position in
400 M Race and 3rd Position in Solo Dance



Cadet Prince Raj, Cadet Parthraj and Cadet
Ananya bagged 2nd position in Anchoring



Best in
Discipline
Trophy
SSB set the
Benchmark of
Discipline





Posting in of New Administrative Officer -Lt Cdr Hari Ram Poonia



New Appointments - Staff



Mr Aseem joined as Wardboy (Contractual)



Mr Bhupender joined as Wardboy (Contractual)



Mr Dharamveer joined as Wardboy (Contractual)



Mr Rohan Goswami joined as Wardboy (Contractual)



Mr Vijaysinh Vaghela joined as LDC (Temporary Basis)



Mrs Ankita Makwana - joined as TGT Gujarati (Contractual)



Mrs Vanita Patel joined as Nursing Sister (Contractual)



Ms Babli joined as Counsellor (Contractual)



PTI CHM Sandeep Pandey

WELCOME (POSTING IN)

NEW APPOINTMENTS



SUB KISHAN SINGH
JCO



HAV ABHAY RATHOD



HAV MANUJ CHAMBIYAL











































HAV (CHM) SANDEEP PANDE

















































Passing out Banquet and Farewell Party -Class XII on 19-3-24



CLASS 12 (2023-24) 'Journey from being Naive to Well Groomed Cadets'

 <p>DAKSHRAJSINH JADEJA ROLL NO. - 6426</p> <p>"Laughing Buddha" • Doctor of the school • Sports Juggernaut by his smiling face • Most charming personality in school</p> <p>2020</p>	 <p>VARUN MISHRA ROLL NO. - 6437</p> <p>"Extrovert" • Dandi pati of the school • A Good Volleyball Player • Knows the situation the sage Rishab ka Shakti hai</p> <p>2024</p>	 <p>BHAVESH VADHER ROLL NO. - 5683</p> <p>"Electrician" • Chief of the House • Always Found Chilling With Juniors • Prominent Member of NCG (Nasta - Staying Gang)</p> <p>2024</p>	 <p>AMANDEEP SINGH ROLL NO. - 6428</p> <p>"Lassi" • Flag of the School • Cozy Face of the House • Always Motivating Juniors</p> <p>2020</p>	 <p>AMIT PARMAR ROLL NO. - 5961</p> <p>"Silent Chap" • Airtight Singh of the Batch • Dilyanchand of the school • Frank with Juniors</p> <p>2017</p>	 <p>DIVYARAJ CHUDASMA ROLL NO. - 5935</p> <p>"Chaloo" • Nasta Lover • Team Captain of BB Interzone Team • One of the Best Player ever found on Basketball Court</p> <p>2024</p>	 <p>GAURAV DHIMAN ROLL NO. - 6410</p> <p>"Patty Officer" • Lecture done like Khayyat hai • True Scribe • Cleared UPSC in First Attempt</p> <p>2024</p>	 <p>HARSH KUMAR JADAV ROLL NO. - 5975</p> <p>"Fashion Icon" • Good Volleyball Player • Favourite of Juniors • A Jolly and Humorous Person</p> <p>2020</p>	 <p>ARJUN RAJ SAHANI ROLL NO. - 6012</p> <p>"Chettii of the house" • Death Bot of the Batch • Self Motivated and self Dependent • Aspire to become an officer</p> <p>2017</p>	 <p>KULESHWAR KUMAR ROLL NO. - 6018</p> <p>"Dilyanchand" • Best Hockey Player • A Good Runner • Always Highly Motivated</p> <p>2024</p>	 <p>ADITYA SHAH ROLL NO. - 6024</p> <p>"Chaloo" • Great Basketball player • Very Humble Person • Has Addiction of Clicking Pictures</p> <p>2024</p>	 <p>VIVEK SAHANI ROLL NO. - 6035</p> <p>"The Orator" • Remains of the House • Hockey Wizard • Staunch Hindi Debater</p> <p>2020</p>	 <p>LEKH VASHISHTHA ROLL NO. - 6038</p> <p>"Defiant" • Good Brawler and Artist and is Staunch • Pandit of the house • Bohna sir's Favourite</p> <p>2017</p>	 <p>SUJAL SHARMA ROLL NO. - 6048</p> <p>"Airtight of the House" • Excellent in Volleyball • Good in Academics • A Good Runner</p> <p>2024</p>	 <p>SHYAM KANJARIYA ROLL NO. - 6059</p> <p>"Computer Wizard" • Computer Geek of the School • Electrician of the house • Was Part of School Band</p> <p>2024</p>	 <p>AMIT GURJAR ROLL NO. - 6082</p> <p>"Baba" • Rastan Master of the house • Always in search of snacks • Commander of NCG</p> <p>2024</p>	 <p>BHUMI PARMAR ROLL NO. - 6067</p> <p>"Dada" • Compater Virus • Favourite of Teachers • Sincere Cadet</p> <p>2017</p>	 <p>AJAY KUMAR ROLL NO. - 6071</p> <p>"Bhishma Pitamah of the house" • Inter Zonal Basketball Player • Out Standing in Academics • True Sportsman</p> <p>2024</p>	 <p>PRINCE DOBARIYA ROLL NO. - 6076</p> <p>"Silent Topper" • Biology Topper • Chief of the House • Obsessed of wearing Shopping Complex</p> <p>2024</p>	 <p>VISHVREET CHAHAL ROLL NO. - 6432</p> <p>"Boo" • Vlogger of the House • Good in Academics • Good Volleyball Player</p> <p>2020</p>	 <p>RACHET KUMAR ROLL NO. - 6433</p> <p>"Haan Bhai" • Favourite of Juniors • Polite and Calm Nature • A good Volleyball player</p> <p>2020</p>	 <p>ROHAN MEHTA ROLL NO. - 6677</p> <p>"Mr. Impeccable" • Topper of the Batch • Cleared UPSC and SSR in 1st Attempt • A Simple And Staunch Person</p> <p>2024</p>	 <p>ANUP KUMAR PAL ROLL NO. - 5955</p> <p>"Supporter of every Junior" • Favourite Senior of Juniors • Backbone of the house • Best Maggi Maker of the house</p> <p>2024</p>	 <p>ATUSHKUMAR PABALIYA ROLL NO. - 5965</p> <p>"Psycho" • Sincere cadet • AmBani of the house • Also called Affluent man of the house</p> <p>2024</p>	 <p>JAI KUMAR SOLANKI ROLL NO. - 5977</p> <p>"Turtleneck Preacher" • Mantra master • Lives with a motto • Free fire player Live Life King Size</p> <p>2017</p>	 <p>HARSHAD OTRADI ROLL NO. - 5982</p> <p>"Harshad Mania" • Always docilest in every field • Crime Jockey Batsi Shumbha • Ye kis bhi cheez se Football khel Sakta hai</p> <p>2024</p>	 <p>KRUPANSHU GODHANI ROLL NO. - 5986</p> <p>"Effort putting guy" • Best Basketball Player • Team Leader of Free Fire Squad • Screen Time is 46L...</p> <p>2024</p>	 <p>KUMAR DEEPANSHU GUPTA ROLL NO. - 5987</p> <p>"Captain Bhavai" • Best Basketball player of the school • Always Motivated for Joining NDA • A Gentleman in Making • Silent observer of every junior</p> <p>2024</p>	 <p>MEET KASWALA ROLL NO. - 5990</p> <p>"Aghori" • Good Photographer • Arbitrator in every fight • Favourite of both Juniors and seniors</p> <p>2017</p>	 <p>RONAK KUMAR MORVADIA ROLL NO. - 5996</p> <p>"Creativity ka Bhandar" • Cleared UPSC in 1st attempt • 4 languages but Hindi • A hidden ACB(NCO) of the house</p> <p>2024</p>	 <p>KRISHNA KUMAR SHAH ROLL NO. - 6016</p> <p>"Romeo" • Bodybuilder • Programmer and supporter to Juniors • Excellent Basketball player</p> <p>2024</p>	 <p>ROSHAN HASNUKH PARMAR ROLL NO. - 6029</p> <p>"Shatru" • Best Mantra maker • Good English Speaker • Favourite Miss Food - Shatru</p> <p>2024</p>	 <p>SACHIN KUMAR ROLL NO. - 6030</p> <p>"Mr. Perfect" • Always Motivated and Motivator to join NDA • Cleared UPSC in 1st attempt • Conscience of the Batch</p> <p>2017</p>	 <p>MANTIAN GALADHARIYA ROLL NO. - 6073</p> <p>"Trader" • Always found on bed • Specialist of the house • Crime Trader of the house</p> <p>2024</p>	 <p>KRISHNA BODAR ROLL NO. - 6079</p> <p>"Staunch Guy" • Silent Topper • Always focused in afternoon Studies • Consistent and hard working</p> <p>2024</p>	 <p>BALRAJ MEENA ROLL NO. - 6411</p> <p>"Marwad" • Biggest Friend of the batch • Good Football player • Peaceful and Loving Nature</p> <p>2020</p>	 <p>SIDHARTH CHAUDHARY ROLL NO. - 6414</p> <p>"Anime Lover" • Guy having so much of potential • Best in Second hand • Sweet Nature</p> <p>2020</p>	 <p>DEV SINGH PARMAR ROLL NO. - 6419</p> <p>"Good Orator" • Best Debater • Best Speaker • Always motivated for joining NDA</p> <p>2024</p>	 <p>PUNAY VEER SINGH ROLL NO. - 6439</p> <p>"Lethargic" • Guy affected by hypomania • Popular among his batchmates • Never out of doubt</p> <p>2024</p>	 <p>YOGESH PARMAR ROLL NO. - 6007</p> <p>"Captain Kaptaan" • Ramming of the House • Always found with new Junior • Fond of Playing Video Games</p> <p>2024</p>
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 <p>ANANT KUMAR ROLL NO. - 5962</p> <p>"Ghoda" • Chief of the house • Member of NSG • Bhai Babu of the house</p> <p>2017</p>	 <p>KRISH SOJITRA ROLL NO. - 5981</p> <p>"Panda" • Good Volleyball Player • Good in Studies • Black Panda of the House</p> <p>2024</p>	 <p>RUDRASIN CHAUHAN ROLL NO. - 5983</p> <p>"Kodnar" • Hockey wizard of the house • Good Volleyball Player • Gullizard of the House</p> <p>2024</p>	 <p>SHAMJI GABU ROLL NO. - 5998</p> <p>"Babu" • Black Beauty • Good Basketball Player • Electrician of the House</p> <p>2024</p>
 <p>SARTH SUDANI ROLL NO. - 6028</p> <p>"Night Owl" • Orificating School Captain • Fond of eating snacks of Juniors • Musician of the House</p> <p>2017</p>	 <p>SUNIT RAJ ROLL NO. - 6034</p> <p>"Mr Lazy Bones" • Sloth of the house • Always Friend in Study room • Michael Jordan of the house</p> <p>2024</p>	 <p>CHRIS FRANCIS ROLL NO. - 6053</p> <p>"Senu" • Stylish Personality • Supportive in nature • Supplier of the batch</p> <p>2024</p>	 <p>MEETRAJ CHAVDA ROLL NO. - 6082</p> <p>"Cheeda" • Dryarchand of the house • Loves sleeping during exam time • Always found in dormrooms</p> <p>2024</p>
 <p>YUVRAJ LALKIYA ROLL NO. - 6083</p> <p>"Lala" • Favourite Dancer of all Juniors • Michael Jordan of the School • Big Fan of Rishi Khanna</p> <p>2017</p>	 <p>OM RAJE ROLL NO. - 6418</p> <p>"Pani Puri" • Artist of the house • Para Puri Lover • Good in Academics</p> <p>2024</p>	 <p>ATHARVA NAVEEN SHAH ROLL NO. - 6421</p> <p>"Pogo" • Nigma Solver • Great Chess Lover • Silent beauty</p> <p>2024</p>	 <p>PUNEET SINGH TOMAR ROLL NO. - 6422</p> <p>"School up-kaptan" • Crest of the house • Best Speaker of the house • Good Football player</p> <p>2024</p>
 <p>AARADHYA ASTITVA ROLL NO. - 6424</p> <p>"Apsahi" • Visits Hospital Daily • Great in coding • Always found Burning</p> <p>2020</p>	 <p>ADARSH PILLAI ROLL NO. - 6431</p> <p>"Allen" • Good Badminton Player • Arjit Singh of house • Unsung Lost Alien From PM Movie</p> <p>2024</p>	 <p>KISHAN RAJ KUMAR ROLL NO. - 6438</p> <p>"Konda" • Flak Marsha of the house • Always Sings songs • Never ever found in Study room</p> <p>2024</p>	 <p>SHASHI SHANKAR ROLL NO. - 6000</p> <p>"Jaan" • A Very Fine Sportsperson • A Good Motivator • Inko No. 6 Sa Bhot Pyar he</p> <p>2024</p>
 <p>VRAJ DHAMSAMIYA ROLL NO. - 6005</p> <p>"Bhajiya" • A Good Volleyball player • Cook of the House • Inke Exam ke EK Do pehle Maggie Banane ka bada shak hai</p> <p>2017</p>	 <p>AKSHAY KUMAR ROLL NO. - 6009</p> <p>"Manraj" • Good in Academics and Sports • The Best NDA Aspirant • Sincere and Dedicated Towards his Work</p> <p>2024</p>	 <p>KUNJ PATEL ROLL NO. - 6019</p> <p>"Baldi" • A Good Basketball Player • Chota Packet bada Dhamaka • Loves to play Free Fire</p> <p>2024</p>	 <p>SHIVAM KUMAR ROLL NO. - 6031</p> <p>"DJ" • Ronako of the House • Dancer of the School • Obsessed with Vlogging</p> <p>2024</p>
 <p>PRANSHU BOHRA ROLL NO. - 6052</p> <p>"Bhalu" • Good Personality • Good in Academics • Never found in Academic books during School Hours</p> <p>2017</p>	 <p>SAURABH SINGH ROLL NO. - 6055</p> <p>"Jati" • Great Athlete • A very Gentle & Determined person • Silent beauty</p> <p>2024</p>	 <p>PRATIPAL SINGH VAGHELA ROLL NO. - 6063</p> <p>"Jadya" • A Good Volleyball player • Rappa of the house • Puchal Likhai se nista nahi hai</p> <p>2024</p>	 <p>RAHUL PATEL ROLL NO. - 6074</p> <p>"Taks" • Good at Computer • Silent Killer • Good at Athletic Events</p> <p>2024</p>
 <p>UTSAV BUSA ROLL NO. - 6077</p> <p>"Bhusa" • Good Motivator • Silent Beauty • Inka Chitne ka Tarka bada Casual hai</p> <p>2017</p>	 <p>KRISHNA RATHOD ROLL NO. - 6081</p> <p>"Haddi" • A Stolen Skeleton of Ito lab • Scared of being flown away by winds • Good Runner</p> <p>2024</p>	 <p>AMIT KUMAR GURJAR ROLL NO. - 6222</p> <p>"Khatke" • Best sportsperson in West Zone • Always found in House During School Hours • Hard Working Personality</p> <p>2024</p>	 <p>SHYAM SINGH ROLL NO. - 6408</p> <p>"Maharaja" • Good at Academics • Nigma Lover • Muscle man of the House</p> <p>2024</p>
 <p>JEEL DABHI ROLL NO. - 6427</p> <p>"Java" • IT Lover • Fond of eating Tempra round • Punctual Towards School Routine</p> <p>2020</p>	 <p>NINAMA KRISHKUMAR ROLL NO. - 6429</p> <p>"Gyani" • Motivator of the house • Full of Josh to join NDA • Cleared UPSC in 1st attempt</p> <p>2024</p>	 <p>AVINASH KUMAR ROLL NO. - 6430</p> <p>"Machhi" • Nigma Lover • Sleeping Beauty • Inki To Dinki Shuruaat Hi trailer se Bhoti</p> <p>2024</p>	 <p>ARVIND CHAUDHARY ROLL NO. - 6442</p> <p>"Maderi" • Best Goalkeeper of Hockey • Online Gangster of the school • Silicious Guy</p> <p>2024</p>
 <p>DWIJ TRIVEDI ROLL NO. - 6420</p> <p>"Penguin" • Famous for his Walking Style • Good at Academics • Paraly a Bhot</p> <p>2020</p>	 <p>UDAY KOTHIWAL ROLL NO. - 6441</p> <p>"Camel" • Never Found Studying • Basketball Lover - Always Found in Basketball Court</p> <p>2024</p>	 <p>DHARWESH BAVARIYA ROLL NO. - 5968</p> <p>"Baboon" • Wants Fundamental Rights • Very Silient Guy • NEET aspirant</p> <p>2024</p>	 <p>KARAN BAGDA ROLL NO. - 5978</p> <p>"Bagda" • Good Basser and Volleyball Player • Inka Bhi Chame ka tarka bada Casual hai</p> <p>2024</p>
 <p>TIRTHRAJ PARMAR ROLL NO. - 6002</p> <p>"Mochi kaka" • Dull of the House • Cabbler's Favorite • Flank with Juniors</p> <p>2017</p>	 <p>NAVIN KUMAR ROLL NO. - 6020</p> <p>"Gandhi" • Ronako of the House • Great in Mathematics • Cleared UPSC Exam in First Attempt</p> <p>2024</p>	 <p>NIRAJ KUMAR ROLL NO. - 6022</p> <p>"Midnight Reader" • Jyoti Sema • Good Hockey Player • Highly motivated to join NDA</p> <p>2024</p>	 <p>SHREYANSH PANDEY ROLL NO. - 5022</p> <p>"Outspoken" • Bab of the school • NDA aspirant • Good Hindi Debater and Excellent in Basketball</p> <p>2024</p>
 <p>SHREYANSH PATEL ROLL NO. - 6033</p> <p>"Pogil" • Best in all games • Fond of collecting Keys • Member of NSG</p> <p>2024</p>	 <p>AAYUSH BHAGAT ROLL NO. - 6036</p> <p>"Bhoot" • Sergio Ronaldo of the house • Member of NSG • Very kind to Juniors</p> <p>2024</p>	 <p>PRIYANSHU ROLL NO. - 6070</p> <p>"Ghoda" • Goals of the House and Good athlete • Dryarchand of the School • Always found Shooting</p> <p>2024</p>	 <p>ABHINAV BAI ROLL NO. - 6436</p> <p>"Jamorant" • Loves to play Basketball and Football • Good Hindi Speaker • Chief of NSG (Nasta Stealing Gang)</p> <p>2024</p>
 <p>PRIT SOLANKI ROLL NO. - 6412</p> <p>"Kuposhil" • Supporter ka Bakkar • Gullizard of the House • Studious guy always found studying in Arts room</p> <p>2020</p>	 <p>MONTI KUMAR ROLL NO. - 6435</p> <p>"Pilla" • Also Known as Black Puppy • Excellent in Mathematics • Good Bonds with Juniors</p> <p>2024</p>		



Inter School Competitions



CDT ASHISH KUMAR (1ST) AND CDT PRINCE RAJPUT (2ND)
141ST BIRTH ANNIVERSARY OF SARDAR VALLABHBHAI PATEL
UNITY RUN AT JAMNAGAR BY INDIAN AIR FORCE
31 OCT 2023

Three Cadets(Class VI- VIII) Participated in 1st District Level Inter School Maths Quiz Competition Conducted By Tatachem Dav Public School Mithapur



Cdt Princeraj

Cadet Princeraj (3rd in Inter School Painting Competition at KV 2 Jamnagar held on 23-01-2024



Cadets of SS Balachadi in Inter School Painting Competition (KV 2 Jamnagar)

SAINIK SCHOOL BALACHADI LIFTED TROPHY IN BOTH FOOTBALL, U-14 AND U-17

SAINIK SCHOOL BALACHADI BAGGED 2ND POSITION VOLLEYBALL, U-17

CDT RIDRA SINH CHAUHAN(CLASS XII) & CDT KANAN SHYRA(CLASS X) WON INS VALSURA INTER SCHOOL GK QUIZ ROLLING TROPHY FOR THE 5TH TIME IN A ROW ON 14 OCT 2023.

SAHODAYA SAURASHTRA SPORTS TOURNAMENT, DPS JAMNAGAR

SAHODAYA SAURASHTRA SPORTS TOURNAMENT, RAJKOT



DEEN DAYAL SPARSH SCHOLARSHIP YOJNA 24 JAN 2024

SL. NO.	ROLL NO.	NAME	CLAS & SEC.	SCORE
1	6733	CDT RHYTHM LADANI	VI B	5P
2	6702	CDT PRIYANSH CHAROLA	VI C	5P
3	6779	CDT UDAY VEER SINGH	VI C	5P
4	6716	CDT AARYARAJ/SINH JADEJA	VI C	5P
5	6714	CDT AARYAVEER PAREKH	VI A	5P
6	6385	CDT THAKUR YATHARTH SINGH	IX B	PRATAP



THREE CADETS(CLASS VI- VIII) PARTICIPATED IN 1st DISTRICT LEVEL INTER SCHOOL MATHS QUIZ COMPETITION CONDUCTED BY TATACHEM DAV PUBLIC SCHOOL MITHAPUR

WIZQUIZ 2023
 ALL SCHOOLS PAN INDIA AND REACHED THE SECOND ONLINE ROUND TO BE IN THE TOP 600 SCHOOLS OF THE COUNTRY

ONE TIME SCHOLARSHIP OF RS. 6000/- FROM DEPT. OF POST TO EACH CADET

CDT YACNIK GADHAVI AND CDT KRUSHIL SORATHIA PARTICIPATED IN G20 THINK QUIZ BY INDIAN NAVY, NAVY WELFARE AND WELLNESS ASSOCIATION, 08/10/2023

BATTLE OF MINDS QUIZ COMPETITION WAS CONDUCTED BY INDIAN ARMY (PARTICIPANTS WERE CDT PAL CDT ABHISHEK AND CDT ANANYA)

Out of 12 Participants of 6 Teams, 02 Cadets, Cdt Dav Singh Parmar 6419 and Cdt Sachin Yadav 6036 were selected from Sainik School Balachadi. The Cadets performed very well and brought laurels by emerging as 3rd in Position from the State. They won 3 Telescopes, 3 Drones, 1 Tab, 2 Shields and Certificates of Merit. Col Shreyash Mehta, Principal congratulated the Winners, Parents and Staff on this achievement.



AT NATIONAL LEVEL CDT KANAN OF CLASS X AND CDT DEV SINGH PARMAR OF CLASS XII REPRESENTED OUR SCHOOL

08 Cadets Participated in INDIA'S BIGGEST S.T.E.M. (SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY, ENGINEERING & MATHS) QUIZ 2.0 at Gujarat SCIENCE City, Ahmedabad on 10 May 2023. After the Screening [based on OMR Results] of around 546 Participants from all over Gujarat 12 Participants were selected for Studio Round

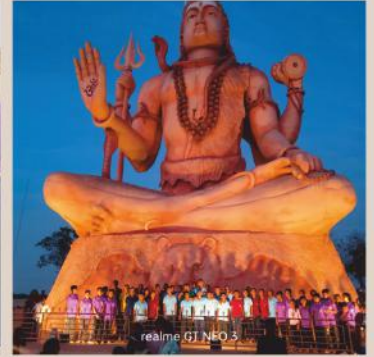


Online Debate Competition: Valley of Words
 Two Cadets of Sainik School Balachadi participated in Online Debate Competition- Valley of Words: National Debate for Schools on 31 Oct 2023. Topic for the Prelims round was 'The UN is dead and Long Live G20'. Cadet Raman (Hindi) For the Motion 'secured first position and Cadet Atharv (English) 'Against the Motion' secured second position. Both the Cadets qualified for the next round.



Educational Tours

ON 27 MARCH 2024 SCHOOL ORGANISED ONE DAY EDUCATIONAL TOUR OF NEWLY CONSTRUCTED SUDARSHAN SETU AT OKHA. TOTAL 66 CADETS OF CLASSES VI TO VIII ALONG WITH MRS E A MINI AND MR DAUDAYAL PUROHIT VISITED SUDARSHAN SETU WHICH CONNECTS OKHA TO BET DWARIKA THEN ALL VISITED BET DWARKADHISH TEMPLE, DWARKADHISH TEMPLE AT DWARKA AND NAGESHWAR MAHADEV TEMPLE . ALL CADETS ENJOYED THE TOUR AND TAKEN THE BLESSINGS OF GOD FOR THEIR BRIGHT FUTURE.



School organised educational NDA TOUR PUNE for Class XI to motivate them to join Defence Forces. Total number of 45 cadets of class xi along with Dr Mahesh Bohra and Mr Dau Dayal Purohit started their journey of Pune from Balachadi on 25 November 2023 by train and visited various defence establishments at Pune and Ahmednagar Maharashtra like CME PUNE, NDA KHADAKWASLA, APTC PUNE, INS SHIVAJI PUNE, TANK MUSEUM AHMEDNAGAR, SAI BABA TEMPLE SHIRDI AND SHREE SHANI SINGNAPUR TEMPLE. Tour culminated at Balachadi on 2 December 2023.



Educational Cum Motivational Tours



CLASS VII GOT THE PRIVILEGE TO ATTEND
02 DAYS ADVENTURE CAMP AT KHIJADIYA
BIRD SANCTUARY



CLASS VIII HAD GOT THE CHANCE FOR 02 DAYS
ADVENTURE CAMP AT NARARA MARINE
NATIONAL PARK, JAMNAGAR



BALNIKETAN'S SPORTS DAY



Mrs Dolly Rawal Headmistress- Balniketan





Miscellaneous events



COL HK SINGH, GP CDR NCC GP HQ, JAMNAGAR
FOR ADM INSPECTION OF NCC COY
30 JUN 2023



BIRTHDAY CELEBRATIONS AT THE END OF EACH MONTH



ORGANIZATION OF A MEDICAL CAMP BY OBSSA
28 JUL 2023



WING CDR KALE CONDUCTED THREE DAYS MOTIVATIONAL SESSION
04 TO 06 SEPT 2023



NCERT Third Party performance review of Sainik Schools - The Team visited the school on 19th and 20 Feb 2024



VISIT OF GP CAPT RAVINDER SINGH, Ex PRINCIPAL
02 AUG 2023



Pradhan Mantri Kaushal Vikas Yojana
Drone Manufacturing



ASSEMBLY TECHNICIAN



Mou With Stemrobo Tech Pvt Ltd,
Noida To Provide Training & Conducted Classes



Kargil Vijay Diwas



21 June - International Yoga Day



PRINCIPAL'S
INTERACTION
WITH
PARENTS OF CLASS 10



SAINIK SCHOOL BALACHADI
"Miles to go, before we sleep..."
62nd
SCHOOL RAISING DAY
06 JULY 2023



Swachhta Abhiyan



School Raising Day



Painting Competition on Chandrayan (25-9-23)



Aryabhata Ganit Challenge Competition



Tree plantation at Sainik School



To pay homage to Mahatma Gandhi on his 154th birth anniversary, the cadets and staff of Sainik School Balachadi under the campaign, 'Swach-

hata Hi Seva' took part in a Tree Plantation drive recently in order to make the school greener and environmental friendly. It was an apt occasion to spread the

teachings and values of the Father of the Nation. On this occasion, cadets participated with full enthusiasm and pledged to plant more trees.

Cadets shine during the championship



Inter House Cross Country Championship 2024-25 was organized at Sainik School Balachadi, Jamnagar in three different categories. The cadets participated in the championship with great zeal and zest. Group 'A' was conducted for Cadets from classes IX to XI, in which they covered 9.8 kms successfully. Cadets of class VII and VIII participated in Group 'B' category and all covered 6.8 kms. And Group 'C' was for class VI. Cadets who covered 3 kms successfully.

Tanvi, class VII of Ahilyabai House and Cadet Janvi, class VI of Ahilyabai House bagged first positions in Group 'A', Group 'B' and Group 'C' respectively. The Championship Trophy was won by Tagore House and Ahilyabai House in Group 'A' and Group 'B' respectively.

Col Shreyash Mehta, principal, Sainik School Balachadi, felicitated the winners with medals and certificates. He also commended the winners and all the Cadets for their stamina, hard work, and successful completion of the run. He advised to excel not just physically, but mentally.

Inter House Football Championship at SAINIK SCHOOL BALACHADI

Inter House Junior and Senior Football Championship 2024-25 was organized in Sainik School Balachadi, Jamnagar recently.

Five Senior and two Junior House teams participated in this Championship. The Championship was conducted on League Basis. Garuda House and Shastri House clinched the title in Senior Group and Junior Group respectively.

The Championship was organized by the In-charge Mr Ramesh J Makwana, TGT Social Science whereas CHM Sandip Pande and HavManujChambiyal were the referees for the matches.



The Chief Guest, Col Shreyash Mehta, Principal, Sainik School Balachadi gave away the Championship Trophy and the prizes to the winners. While addressing the gathering, he congratulated the winners and participants. He said Cadets need to improve and develop the skills along with talent and hard work and also the more a Cadet plays the game the more he learns. Officers, Staff and Cadets were present on this occasion.

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26 Jan 2024



Sainik School Balachadi, Jamnagar organizes Educational cum Motivational tour from time to time to motivate Cadets to join Defence Forces. Recently the School organised four days Educational cum Motivational Tour to National Defence Academy, Khadavasi, Pune, College of Military Engineering, Army Physical Training Institute, INS Shivaji Lonavala and Armed Forces Centre School, Ahmednagar for 45 Cadets of Class XI selected by Dr Mahesh Bohra and Mr DD Punj.

On the first day, Cadets visited College of Military Engineering, Pune. In the establishment, the Cadets gained the knowledge as to how the training of personnel of the Corps of Engineers is carried out along with training in important areas of Central Engineering and CBRN protection. It was followed by visit to INS Shivaji, Lonavala where the Cadets were introduced to a career in Indian Navy. They were taken to Fire Facilities Wing and to the Museum.

On the second day of the tour, Cadets witnessed Commandant's

Review Parade and visited various training infrastructure at National Defence Academy, Khadavasi, Pune. It was a special motivational moment for the Cadets as they also interacted with ex-Balachadians who are now undergoing Officers training at NDA. It was followed by visit to Army Institute of Physical Training, where they witnessed Swimming Pool, Indoor Basketball and Volleyball courts, Gymnasium and Yoga Centre.

On the third day of the tour, Cadets visited Armed Forces Centre School, Ahmednagar, where they had lunch and were taken to Cowley Tank Museum. On the last day of the tour, Cadets got opportunity to visit famous Shirdi and Shri Sai Temples. After returning from the tour, Cadets were much more motivated and inspired to join the Defence Services as Officers.

MUSICAL CONCERT ENTHRALLS ALL



A musical concert was organised in Sainik School Balachadi, Jamnagar in association with the Society for the Promotion of Indian Classical Music and Culture in America (SPICMCA), Jamnagar Chapter on 06/01/24.

It was conducted by renowned Satrik Venaik (former Pandit Salli Bhat) and Himanshu Mahant, Tabla Player, Pandit Salli Bhat (the brother of Satrik Venaik and the son of the world famous Mohan Venaik player and Grammy Award winner Padma Bhushan Pandit Vishva Mohan Bhat).

The program was conducted in the school auditorium where the guest was welcomed with a bouquet presentation and a brief introduction about him was delivered by Dr Atharv and Cadet Yashu. The mesmerizing and joyful performance by Pandit Salli Bhat and Himanshu Mahant performed their splendid performance and conveyed his

love for the music. He performed the Raag 'Bhupali' with classical instruments in succession with musical notation by Mahesh Bohra, HOD Mathematics. It was a memorable evening for all Balachadians and spectators and his various

Grand Republic Day celebrations

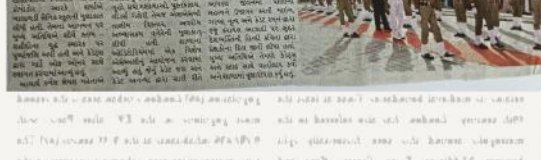


Sainik School Balachadi celebrated the 75th Anniversary of the Republic of India on 26th January 2024. The school organized a grand Republic Day parade on the school ground. The parade was led by the school principal, Col Shreyash Mehta, followed by the school staff and cadets. The parade was a grand affair and was witnessed by the school community. The school principal, Col Shreyash Mehta, addressed the school community and congratulated the school staff and cadets for their hard work and dedication. He also wished the school community a happy and prosperous future. The school principal, Col Shreyash Mehta, also addressed the school community and congratulated the school staff and cadets for their hard work and dedication. He also wished the school community a happy and prosperous future.

समीक्षा केन्द्र से गार्ड ऑफ़ होनर समीचीन स्वागत करतें, जास रसेलमेन्ती योग्यता, विद्यार्थीनां हाथ रहला

दिल्लीनी सैनिक स्कूल सोसायटीना निरीक्षक आलायडी

सैनिक शाालानी मुलाकात लय छात्रो साथे वार्तालाप करतें



सैनिक शााला, जामनगर में 26 जनवरी 2024 को 75वां आजाद भारत दिवस मनाया गया। स्कूल में एक बड़े पैमाने पर आयोजित कार्यक्रमों के माध्यम से छात्रों को देशप्रेम और राष्ट्रवाद का संदेश दिया गया। स्कूल प्रिंसिपल, कोल श्रेयाश मेहता, ने कार्यक्रम का शुभारंभ किया और छात्रों को उनके उत्कृष्ट प्रदर्शन के लिए बधाई दी। उन्होंने कहा कि छात्रों को अपने शैक्षणिक और अतिरिक्त कौशल को विकसित करने और अपने देश के प्रति समर्पण को बढ़ावा देने के लिए प्रोत्साहित किया। कार्यक्रम में छात्रों ने अपने देश के इतिहास और संस्कृति के बारे में प्रस्तुतियां दीं। प्रिंसिपल ने छात्रों को आशा की कि वे अपने शैक्षणिक और अतिरिक्त कौशल को विकसित करेंगे और अपने देश के प्रति समर्पण को बढ़ावा देंगे।

सैनिक शाळा बालाचारी डेटर्ससुं भाटे वैसायिक डम प्रेरक प्रवास

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सैनिक स्कूल बालाचारी, जमनगरमां ताजेतुं भाटे 'नेतिक मुळवो वें विना तिस्रा व्याय और निवले हे' विषय पर आंतर गुरू द्विती ययां सुपधी 2023-24नुं आयोजन करवायें आयुं.

नेतिक मुळवो वें विना तिस्रा व्याय और निवले हे. सैनिक शाळा बालाचारी डेटर्ससुं भाटे वैसायिक डम प्रेरक प्रवास. सैनिक शाळा बालाचारी डेटर्ससुं भाटे वैसायिक डम प्रेरक प्रवास.

AVSM for ret'd naval officer

AVSM for ret'd naval officer. Madhavji Ret'd Admiral Dhanraj Vaid was a gallant hero in the Indian Navy. He was awarded the AVSM for his gallantry in the 1971 Indo-Pakistani War.

BALACHANDRIANS CELEBRATE NATIONAL YOUTH DAY

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Sahodaya Saurashtra Sports Carnival hosted

Sahodaya Saurashtra Sports Carnival hosted. Sahodaya Saurashtra School hosted the annual sports carnival, which was a great success.

जमनगरनी सैनिक स्कूल बालाचारीमा लखरी परेशरा मुयुध पठलसुं समारोड

जमनगरनी सैनिक स्कूल बालाचारीमा लखरी परेशरा मुयुध पठलसुं समारोड. The school celebrated the birth anniversary of Mahatma Gandhi with a program.

जमनगर बालाचारी सैनिक शाळा मुलाकात लई मेजर जनरल डेडेट्सने प्रोत्साहित कर्यां

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सैनिक शाळा बालाचारी द्वारा ७२वो भाटे स्थापना दिनसुं उत्सवयो

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सैनिक स्कूल बालाचारी, जमनगरमां आंतर सदन वीवीबीएल वेयिप्यतिपु २०२३-२४नुं आयोजन करायुं

सैनिक स्कूल बालाचारी, जमनगरमां आंतर सदन वीवीबीएल वेयिप्यतिपु २०२३-२४नुं आयोजन करायुं. The school organized an inter-school VVBL competition.

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'SWACHHTA DOOTS' OF SAINIK SCHOOL

'SWACHHTA DOOTS' OF SAINIK SCHOOL. The school has a team of Swachh Doots who promote cleanliness.

FRESHERS PARTY ORGANISED

FRESHERS PARTY ORGANISED. The school organized a party for the new students.

Admin inspection at Sainik School

Admin inspection at Sainik School. The school was inspected by the administration.

जमनगर (लखरी परेशरा)

जमनगर (लखरी परेशरा). A group photo of the school staff and students.

DIGNITARIES' REMARKS

DATE	NAME	ADDRESS	SIGNATURE
02 Aug 23	Gp Capt Ravinder Singh	Command Education Officer South Western dir's Command Vayu Shakti Nagar Lekhanwala Gandhinagar	A visit first to successful hearing to see that school continuing to tread along the path of excellence. My best wishes to the Principal Staff and Cadets for all their future endeavours. God bless Dishant

DATE	NAME	ADDRESS	SIGNATURE
09 May 23	Comd JS Dhara	Commanding Officer INS Velva Jammaga	Janardhan Singh Please to visit the school and experience the energy and motivation of the cadets, the committed and dedication of the staff under the able leadership of the Principal Col SN Mehta. I share with a sense of confidence that all work of the school will be achieving stars in the fields they pursue. BEST WISHES.

DATE	NAME	ADDRESS	SIGNATURE
23 Nov 23	Maj Gen S S Virk	General Officer Commanding 11 RAPID (H) PIN- 908411 & Chairman Local Board of Administration Sainik School Balachadi	Wonderful to meet young & motivated cadets. Well led by Col SN Mehta & his team Best of luck!! 3/11/23

DATE	NAME	ADDRESS	SIGNATURE
9/01/2024	Maj Gen Gaurav Thoma (Retd) Roll No - 4897	Comdop Velva ACHC, Chota Budei, Bangalore	Nostalgic to meet old Alma Mater and former cadets well got
9/01/2024	Dr. Anita Marit Thomas	318, 1 st Main Talaravary layout- Hannalambatti, Bangalore - 92	Will always cherish my visit to my Alma Mater plus more and they welcome who remember them!!
9/1/2024	Austin Thomas	15, Whiskering, Whitefield Malluraballi, Whitefield Bangalore	SSB made us where we are we are always a family. All the best I have you Mehta

DATE	NAME	ADDRESS	SIGNATURE
07 Oct 23	Maj Gen Ramesh Shanmugas	Additional Director General NCC Dte Gujarat Gujarat, Dada Nagar, Haveli Dici and Daman Ahmedabad - 380003	Truly impressed, the way cadets are growing transform into wonderful future leaders of Bharat. Appreciation and contribution are outstanding Best wishes Ramesh

DATE	NAME	ADDRESS	SIGNATURE
27 Dec 23	Abis Comd S Jacob	Inspecting Officer Sainik School Society.	A warm and pleasant stay with namely endorsed campus. All the very best to Col Suryash Mehta and team. Good bless Jacob

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27 Dec 23	Maj Gen (Retd) A VERMA	Stor, Mumbai	A fantastic hospital by a dedicated team at a great location. Kudos to Col Suryash Mehta and his team. THANK YOU Verma	

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