

#### SOUNDARYA

SCHOOL - CBSE

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Freedom Of Thought, Freedom of Expression



#### PRINCIPAL MESSAGE



Mrs. Suma S. Rao. CBSE Principal

### Fostering a Mindset for Excellence: A Call for Synergy

As I reflect on the conclusion of the first term, I recognize the need for a shift in the mindset and skill set to enhance our students' outlook. To bring about a meaningful transformation, it is crucial to establish a strong partnership between teachers and parents, working together in every detail of our children's growth. By guiding our students to set clear goals, embrace punctuality, develop good communication skills, and uphold strong values, we can encourage them to aim high. This collaboration will inspire students to strive for their best and unlock their full potential.

Along with academics, it's essential to focus on emotional intelligence, physical wellness, and social skills to prepare students for a balanced and fulfilling life. In today's techdriven world, equipping students with the right digital skills while ensuring responsible use of technology is vital for their future success.

Suma S Rao Principal

#### Spell Bee Competition

"Spelling is important because it aids in reading. It helps cement the connection that is shared between sounds and letters."

As language plays an important role in all-around development of a student. Appropriate words with correct spelling convey the right message and a school plays a vital role to train the child in this direction.

An Inter-school Spell Bee Competition was held on Saturday 3 August 2024 in Soundarya Schoo- CBSE. students from Soundarya School State Wing and Soundarya Central School participated with enthusiasm and exhibited sportsmanship in their conduct. It aimed at creating awareness of the possibilities of using varied words in oral and written expression and adding words to the active vocabulary of students. under the agies of department of English the competition was organised for grade 3 to 6.





























# FRIENDSHIP

One of the fondest memories every school student has is celebrating Friendship Day with his closest peers. Exchanging bands, hugs, and writing thoughtful notes to each other. To foster this sense of feeling and to have fond memories for students with their friends Soundarya School - CBSE celebrated Friendship Day in its campus.

In tune with the spirit of the occasion students of grade 7 performed dance, the lyrics of the song encapsulated the essence of friendship. Principal Mrs. Suma Rao, coordinators, and teachers were present on the occasion.











#### Hiroshima Day

Soundarya school - CBSE On August 6 commomerated Hiroshima Day and this year marks the 79 anniversary of the fateful event. It reminds the world that all wars are terrible and nuclear warfare even more so while reminding the world that diplomacy is the only option to navigate geopolitics.

Students from grade 7C brought the horrors of the day alive through news correspondence and conveyed the message to the gathered assembly that bombs bring destruction whereas peace talks are the way forward for the world. Principal Mrs. Suma Rao also spoke on the importance of peace to thrive in the world. Co-ordinators and teachers were present.













## Career Counselling (Students and Parents)

At Soundarya Institutions, we believe in shaping the lives of children through informed decision-making. To facilitate informed career choices for students, career guidance is essential. To support students and parents in navigating and making informed decisions, Soundarya School - CBSE organized a career guidance workshop for both students and parents.

The session was addressed by renowned career counselors, including Mrs. Ramya, a chartered accountant by education who has actively guided numerous students and has been a guest speaker on webinars and interviews hosted by various schools. On Day 2, the workshop was addressed by Mr. Shridhar Kumar, who possesses rich and varied industry experience and has provided guidance to over 500 students. Both speakers represented Lodestar Career Guidance Company, a well-known entity in the field.













#### Independence Day

Colours Of Tiranga At Soundarya School -CBSE

Soundarya School -CBSE celebrated 78th Independence day with pomp and festivities. Celebartions and slogans of Jai Hind echoed in the campus . Soundarya School -CBSE witnessed hoisting of the flag by the chairman Sri Soundarya Manjappa accompanied by Smt. Sunita Manjappa, SET Directors and heads of various wings of Soundarya, teachers and students.

Celebrations included cultural activities which aroused sense of patriotic feeling and sense of commitment to our nation. It was visual treat to eyes and patriotic song made their way to ears of everyone gathered. The day culminated with rally which included staff and students of Soundarya as well as reverbarations of slogans of "Jai Hind", "Vande Mataram", "Bharta Mata Ki Jai" was heard all along the way.

































































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"Every moment of life is worth a Celebration. The more you praise and celebrate life, the more there is in life to celebrate." The lines came alive on the occasion of Shri Krishna Janmashtami which was celebrated in Soundarya School - CBSE on 26 August 2024. The essence and Spirituality of the day was spread around as small children of our pre- primary were dressed as Radha and Krishna .It was joy to see them in beautiful attire ,more so accentuated festive spirit as they danced to the tunes of bhakti song. Principal Mrs Suma Rao addressed the assembly on the special occasion and retitarated the imporatnce of festival as well as philosophy behind celebrating the festival.

Happy Janmastami from Soundarya School - CBSE to our parent community!



















#### **Rakhi Celebration**

Soundarya School -CBSE recently celebrated Raksha Bandhan in the school. In this celebration, the rakhi became more than just a thread; it symbolized the spiritual bond between the students and fostered sibling relation among them. Rakhi symbolises the promise of protection, guidance, and unwavering support towards each other. Students wore colour dress on the occasion and celebrated the festival with beautiful rakhis.













#### Rashtriya khel Diwas

Soundarya School - CBSE celebrated National Sports Day also known as Rashtriya Khel Divas on 29 August 2024 on the birth anniversary of Hockey Legend, Major Dhyan Chand. To mark the significance of National Sports Day, a special assembly was organis and students of grade 6 performed on the song "Kuch Kariye" and spread the message of sportsmanship and how sports can increase physical and mental stamina and lead to discipline life. Principal Mrs Suma Rao spoke on the occasion and opined Sport is an integral part of student life and should be encouraged by parents and school.













#### **TeachersDay**

On the eve of Teachers' Day, Soundarya School - CBSE witnessed a celebration and eulogy of the imprint of teachers in the life of students. In a series of performances which included dance and song performances by grade 10, and a skit defining sacred bond between students and teachers by grade 8, all hailed the role and contribution of teachers in shaping and moulding life of students.

Well! Teachers are Empowerers, Creators Moulders, Definers and Contributors in Students' Life!!

































September 14 is celebrated as Rashtriya Hindi Diwas through the country. It was celebrated in the campus of Soundarya School - CBSE on the occasion. Day is celebrated to commomorate adoption of HIndi as Offical language on September 14 by Constututent Assembly. Children performed Nukkad Natak, potrayed great writers of Hindi and recited their poem and Dohas. Principal Mrs Suma Rao spoke about role of Hindi language and how it has become a unifying force in multilingual country like India.

















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#### Ganesha Idol making

It's monthof the year when Ganesh rules our mind and heart and omniprescence is felt.On this ocassion children of grade 4 and 5, created beautiful idols of Ganesha through clay. Children brought out their imagination to reality and result was environment friendly Ganesha, chemical free without any synthetic colours.

Children showcased their bhakti towards lord through message of healthy and clean environment.



#### Career counselling

Series of career counselling session for Grade 10 for the academic year 2024-2025 is being organised by Soundarya School - CBSE. New edition of the session was hosted recently in the campus with two eminent speakers Mr. Mayank Joneja, Module lead at Vimaan.ai and Ms. Shubangi Tripati Legal Associate at AZB and partners. Speakers threw light on opportunities in the field of Robotics Engineering and Corpoarte Law. The session was well received by students













#### **Achievements**



Soundarya School - CBSE takes pride in encouraging students to participate in various competitions. Saanvi R. Singh of grade 7 participated in yoga competition conducted by Bengaluru Urban District Yogasana Sports Association held on August 11, 2024 at Sports Authority Of India ,Gnana Bharati, Bengaluru. Miss Sanvi Singh was appreciated by Principal Suma Rao and teachers.

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Heartily congratulations to our student Vaishnavi Patil from grade 9 on behalf of the management of Soundarya Institutions,

principal Suma Rao and staff members for having qualified for national championship and having secured Gold medal in Karnataka State Taekwondo Championship 2024.

Soundarya School - CBSE is proud to announce our student Viharika Surya of Grade 1, participated in an Inter-School

competition hosted by Soundarya Central School and won a Bronze medal in the 25-meter Freestyle category. Management of Soundarya Institutions, the Principal and staff congratulate the student on her remarkable feat.





Delighted to announce student of Soundarya School - CBSE Ms. Viharika Suriya of grade 1 has bagged 3 gold medals in the Interschool Swimming Competition held at Dayanand Sagar Public School, Bengaluru. She won gold medal in 25 meters Kick board race, 25-meter Freestyle race and 25-meter Backstroke race. Principal Mrs. Suma Rao handed over the medal and congratulated the student for her remarkable feat.

Congratulations!!!!!!



#### **Basket Ball**

Ecstatic to share Basket Ball team of our school participated in "KREEDOSTAVA" organised by Soundarya PU College and secured "Runners up" position in basketball. The event saw participation of 8 teams, competing against each other. Our boys bagged Runners up position which is a testament to their on-field strategy and skillful training by the coach. The team was honoured and congratulated by principal Mrs. Suma Rao and Physical Education Instructors Mr. Arun, Mrs. Suma and Mrs. Alekya on the occasion.











#### **Tog Out Appearances**

On the Occassion of Rashtriya Khel Diwas Soundarya School - CBSE Conducted various activities to mark the occassion. Theme based show was organised where students dressed up as their favourite sportsperson. As students walked on to stage, they were greeted with applause by fellow students which underscores the popularity of sports personalities and sports itself in the recent years. It was treat to eyes to watch students as they spoke about their favourite sports personality.

















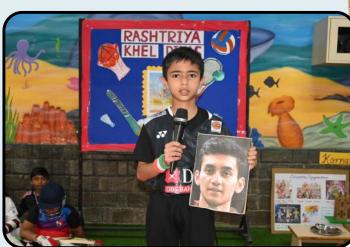




























## Abhivyaki Ankhan

#### Dear Reader,

We are introducing a new element with this edition. Selected articles, poems or literary piece of students to be published with an aim to provide platform to express their views and opinions.

#### "The inner voice"

In a war-torn land far away, I was all alone walking on dried clay, in the quest to find who I was, turned to what most would call a nightmare.

Few faint dots, which turned out to be heads, were scattered around, but they were not dead, the closer I got, the stranger it became, was I perplexed to find they were all the same.

Fragmented was I into different pieces, all of which fit into a single puzzle of my mind, It all came to an end, when I stopped to pretend.



Havish.S, Grade 8"A"

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## Champions Of Discipline

















#### **Adventure at Vama Retreat**

Students were greeted with enchanted view and numerous activities at Vama Retreat. Students and teachers took break from their routine activities and experienced new learning and acquainted themselves with lifeskills Vama at Retreat. Students first had hand experience of rifle shooting, rope crossing, balancing and many such activities which enriched their experience. It was curious to watch dogs follow the command of instructor and even students were served delicious menu. Students explored, learnt new skills and weaved beautiful memories with their peers and teachers.















#### Adventure at Sion Resort!"

On September 28, 2024, our Soundarya Preprimary students and teachers had an exciting day at Sion Resort. After a fueled breakfast, they enjoyed giant sized play equipment, and a fun filled rain dance. Post lunch, there was much more in store to explore and ride on. The day ended with a lively dance session, and there after a breeze bus ride home, happily sharing their favorite moments and creating lasting memories together.





































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