



Sir Padampat Singhania Education Centre

Kamla Nagar, Kanpur.

School report for the month of September 2018.

1. Activity Report :

Date : **01 September 2018**
Event : **Exposition Scientifique**
Venue : **SPSEC**

Details : The Science Exhibition 'Exposition Scientifique' – An Exploration to Imagination, was held at school's premises. It emulated the hope and aspirations of young Singhanians in becoming geniuses of tomorrow. The students of Classes I to VIII participated and presented both still and working models. The parents and teachers were enthralled at the dedicated efforts and an outstanding show put forth by the young inquisitive minds. They appreciated their efforts and encouraged them to blend their ideas with a sound sense of science for a better world.

Date : **01 September 2018**
Event : **Janmashtami Celebrations**
Venue : **Foundation Block, SPSEC**

Details : The season of festivities has started and to expose our children to the essence of festivals and tremendous religious fervour, the Pre Primary section celebrated the festival of Janmashtami in the Foundation Block of Sir Padampat Singhania Education centre, Kamla Nagar, Kanpur on Saturday, 1st September, 2018. The event was graced by the Manager of S.P.S.E.C Mr. Ashish Bhargava, Officiating Principal Mrs. Bhawna Gupta, Vice Principal Mrs. Malika Arora and parents of Root, Bud and Bloom section. The vivacity of any occasion is in celebrating it together with friends and family. Janmashtami celebration was one such occasion which brought together the students, parents and staff of S.P.S.E.C as one big family.

The parents were accorded a traditional welcome by the children of Bloom section. Beautiful decorations were put up to make this event more cheerful and colourful. The classrooms of Root and Bud came alive with children who were brightly dressed up as Krishna, Radha, Gopikas and Gawalaas presenting live jhanki showing the important incidents from Lord Krishna's life. Commonly depicted scenes in jhankis were Shri Krishna's birth, his mischievous acts with his friends while stealing butter from the handi, killing of Kaalia Naag, jhanki representing his strength and celestial powers by lifting Govardhan Parwat, bond of eternal friendship with Sudama, his amorous encounters with Gopis and Radha, as a truly valiant warrior and the divine love of Meera. Parents could not stop applauding for the scintillating dance performance of the little Krishna's and Radha's of Bloom that represented the 'Raas Leela' and depicted the importance of the occasion. With their laudable performance, they lighted up the stage and mesmerized the audience. Parents and children were served charnamrit, makhana and mishri as prasad. The event was a grand success and everyone present enjoyed it immensely.

Date : **05 September 2018**
Event : **Teacher's Day**
Venue : **SPSEC**

Details : A good teacher has a greater influence in shaping the life of an individual even more than his/her parents. In our country's culture, a teacher has been given a place above the Almighty God. The Singhanians, to honour and acknowledge the contribution made by countless teachers in helping and moulding their careers and shaping their destiny, organized a grand Teacher's Day celebration for their teachers. The students dedicated beautiful cultural performances to their

teachers and it was highly appreciated by one and all. This day was made special by all the students for the teachers for their sincere dedication and efforts.

Date : **05 September 2018**
Event : **Inter-House Dance and *Nukkad Natak* Competition**
Venue : **Foundation Block, SPSEC**

Details : An Inter-House Dance and *Nukkad Natak* Competition was organized in school's Foundation Block. The theme for the Dance Competition was Dance Forms of Indian States. Students from all the four houses put forth a dazzling performance that found a ready echo in the hearts of the audience who appreciated it with a thunderous applause. The *Nukkad Natak* set the ball rolling with a blend of slapstick comedy and sarcasm that sent the audience in peals of laughter. Both the enactments were evenly received by the spectators. They were regaled thoroughly and the judges were left with a herculean task to pronounce the winner. The Inter-Dance Competition was won by Ganga House and the first position in *Nukkad Natak* was bagged by Yamuna House.

Date : **06 September, 2018**
Event : **Felicitation Ceremony**
Organizers : **Seva Sansthan, Kanpur**
Venue : **Seva Sansthan Bhawan, Raniganj, Kanpur.**

Details : SPSEC added exultation to its crowning glory when five of its teachers – Mrs Vandana Trivedi, Mrs Kavita Chadda, Mr Manoj Srivastava, Mrs Sangeeta Gulati and Mrs Komal Chabra, were honoured by Seva Sansthan, an NGO for their principled uprightness of character, dedicated and zealous services to the society as a teacher and setting examples for others to follow. The Management of our school wished them more success in the years to come.

Date : **06 September 2018**
Event : **Awareness Programme by JCI**
Venue : **SPSEC**

Details : Brahmavarta Jaycees is a community of young active citizens working for the development of community. SPSEC in association with Jaycees Group organized and 'Awareness Programme' for the students of classes VI to XII by demonstrating 'Quick Help' strategies in case of emergency around us.

Date : **06 September 2018**
Event : **Indian Intelligence Test**
Venue : **SPSEC**

Details : Human curiosity is perhaps the best secret weapon of all in struggle to unravel the workings of the natural world. In order to settle the intrusiveness of the students, SPSEC conducted the Indian Intelligence Test organized by Dainik Jagran in the school premises. The students of classes V to X participated in this competition.

Date : **07 September 2018**
Event : **Hindi Diwas (*Nij Bhasha Unnati*)**
Venue : **SPSEC**

Details : *Hindi Diwas* holds great significance for India as it stands as a patriotic reminder that despite the myriad languages, dialects and cultures across the country, India as a whole is represented by 'the official language of Hindi'. It is a day to revisit our cultural roots and celebrate its richness. The students of SPSEC took a pledge to cherish the Indian heritage and uphold the dignity of our mother language.

Date : **11 September 2018**
Event : **Real Talent Exam**
Venue : **SPSEC**

Details : Real Talent Exam organized by BYJU'S and Discovery Channel was conducted by SPSEC in its school premises. The students of Classes I to IX participated in the exam and explored the educational world, co-mixed with different paradigms of logical and reasoning temperament. Varieties of questions were asked from the stream of science, which proved to be a brain teasing format for the students.

Date : **12 September 2018**
Event : **Sanskarshala**
Venue : **Foundation Block, SPSEC**

Details : SPSEC conducted the programme of '*Sanskarshala*' organized by Dainik Jagran in the Foundation Block of the school. The event turned out to be a worthy initiative of Jagran Group which helped in creating a healthy environment by enlightening the students with moral values required for good character building.

Date : **15 – 28 September 2018**
Event : **Half Yearly Examination / Term Test**
Venue : **SPSEC**

Details: Examinations were conducted in school premises for classes I to XII. They were categorized as Test II (Class IX), Test III (Class X) and Half Yearly Exams for all the other classes. The students were tested in all their subjects to assess their learning and understanding.

Date : **24 – 25 September 2018**
Event : **Management Meeting**
Venue : **SPSEC**

**Minutes of the meeting of S.P.S.E.C, Kamla Nagar, Kanpur
held on September 24 & 25, 2018 in the Museum**

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**The following were present –**

1. Shri N.P. Agrawal – Director
2. Shri Partho Kar – Vice Chairman
3. Mr. Ashish Bhargava – Manager (Accounts & Finance)
4. Ms. Bhawna Gupta – Officiating Principal
5. Ms. Malika Arora – Vice Principal

**The following points were discussed –**

- I. A meeting was held of the teachers of classes IX and X with Mr. Partho Kar and Mr. N.P.Agarwal to discuss the performance of the students and the targets achieved till now in the session 2018 – 19.
  1. Introduction of Google Classroom digital app for giving assignments to students was encouraged and appreciated.

2. Sending circulars and messages to popularize the school website among parents to view school curriculum and lesson plans etc.
3. Introducing experiential teaching in classes 3,4,5 was suggested. Buy 3D glasses for students for the same.
4. All teachers should use Google app to browse for appropriate videos on the topics they are teaching and incorporate them in their lesson plan. Sharing the link with students as well.
5. Within a year or two every class room in the school should be digitized. There should be no need to write on the board.
6. Establishing Video – conferencing link between Kanpur and Kota so that teachers may conduct classes.
7. Curriculum mapping and alignment should be done to ensure that the learning outcome of each class is appropriate to make relevant changes wherever required. It will ensure excellent results at all levels.
8. Teachers have to upgrade themselves to keep abreast of the latest trends in education.
9. Discussing the academic performance , it was suggested that all students and mathematics teachers should connect to Khan academy and view/ practice math lessons.
10. Teachers should conduct a class to apprise the students of ideal answers to score 100/100, 80/100, 50/100 or fail. This will help them to frame better answers.
11. Class 10<sup>th</sup> teachers were asked to select 5 students who can score a 100 out of 100 in all subjects in class 10.
  - (a) A teacher should become the mentor of each of them and design a program for them to achieve the set goal.
  - (b) Involve the parents of these students too in this endeavor.
  - (c) Do the same for the bottom 50 students in order to enhance their performance.
12. To be strict with the students of class 9<sup>th</sup> while grading and granting promotions to ensure excellent results in class 10.
13. Make parents a partner in progress. Invite them every 2 months to discuss the achievements of their wards.
14. The efforts of the teachers were appreciated and they were asked to keep up the good work.
15. For Hindi –
  - i. It was suggested to give worksheets after every class.
  - ii. Monthly review to be taken.
  - iii. Processes to be documented.
16. Mr. Saurabh Singh & Mr. Hemant Verma were asked to meet professors of Robotics Department, IIT.
17. Presentation of survey on Robotics in next meeting.

18. Mark-sheet of students on Applane and access code to all parents to be provided.
19. The Director, Mr. N.P. Agrawal suggested to prepare budget to students exchange programme to U.S. & U.K.

## **II. Meeting with Teachers teaching class 12 -**

1. Mr.Partho was apprised with the comparative analysis of the result of tests 1 and 2 of class 12.
  - i. Class teachers of 12A,12B,12C,12D,12E,12F,12G and 12H explained each individual case of low achievers
  - ii. They discussed the reasons behind their underperformance.
  - iii. The problems related to their result , irregularity, behavioral issues, parents' neglect, loss of parents' control over their children, to cope up with the diverse syllabus both of coaching and school, medical issues were highlighted and discussed to the core to nip it in the bud while keeping the parents in confidence.
- iv. **Different measures that have been taken up are:**
  - Stern warning to the student in the presence of parents.
  - Counselling
  - Regular tests
  - One to one interaction with the Officiating Principal
  - revision worksheet
  - regular parent teacher meeting
- v. **Suggestions put forth by the teachers and the Officiating Principal**
  - Selective course will be taken up
  - intensive revision work
  - regular classes for all in the morning and in the afternoon for the weaker lot
  - more revision sheets
  - regular interaction with parents
- vi. **Suggestions by the Management**
  - weak performers should not be given admission at all
  - withhold the result of detainees
  - special cell to be created for regular counseling of the students
  - counseling in smaller groups
  - to improve language, students should be familiarized with grammarly App
  - At least 2 students from each stream to be groomed to achieve a position in top 10 in the country
  - parents to be involved in the journey of their academic performance.
  - google classroom teaching should be implemented.
  - purchase the app to make a 3D classroom for classes 3, 4 & 5.
  - A room for virtual reality to be created.
  - Digital classrooms be created as early as possible.
  - teachers should get themselves registered in Khan Academy
  - teachers must go through the National Curriculum Framework
  - get abreast by learning about The Alt School
  - 5 minutes counselling every alternate day for 25 students including all subject teachers.
  - Minutes of meeting to be sent to Mr. Partho P. Kar
  - Every Saturday group discussion with topper on how to secure 100%.
  - Coordinate with Khan Academy for conduction of demo in Kanpur.
  - Google classroom should be a part of pedagogy / experiential learning.

- Parents of VI to X must be informed about the 52 weeks lesson planning uploaded on the school's website.

i. **Measures adopted**

- the students who do not take studies seriously.
- the medical cases due to their irregularity and poor academic performance.

- I. Meeting with parents of Suhani Agarwal (XII-H)
- II. Meeting with 50 parents of weakest students of class XII.
- III. Meeting with Mr. Ashish Bhargava –
  - i. Fee discussion, details to be mailed tomorrow (ABA)
  - ii. Splash Pool to be done by next year.
  - iii. Advertisement Campaign to be prepare and sent.
- IV. Social Media / digital campaign by Mr. Manish Irridium.
- V. Approved budget for advertisement will be sent by Mr. Partho Kar.
- VI. The registration for new session to begin from 1<sup>st</sup> November, 2018.
- VII. The advertisement article must include the following points –
  - i. Digitalisation
  - ii. In Nature's Lap
  - iii. Speaker's Corner
  - iv. Monthly blog competition
  - v. Affiliated with U.P.C.A.
  - vi. Best Lawn Tennis Court
  - vii. Cricket Coaches
- VIII. Advertisement to be finalized.
  
- IX. Meeting with Primary school –
  - Review from parents for Primary School Music / Art / Dance classes.
  - Ms. Malika Arora to mail the reasons why parents are not fully satisfied (cc to Ms. Bhawna Gupta).
  
  - All subject workbooks to be prepared for primary classes . Work should be completed and sent for printing by December
  
  - Coding to be introduced in classes 4 and 5 in the next session. One period a week to be allotted .
  
  - One room in the junior school for digital experience and virtual reality .
  
  - All teachers should be digitally savvy
  
  - All Maths teachers to enroll with Khan Academy and follow the guidelines.
  
  - Splash Pool will be ready in the summer break of year 2019.
  
  - Prepare learning outcome for Music , Dance , Art and Craft

**Date** : **27 – 29 September 2018**  
**Event** : **Teacher's Exchange Programme**

**Details** : A 3 day teacher's exchange programme was conducted at Sir Padampat Singhania School , Kota from 27th September 2018 - to 29th September 2018. Four teacher Ms. Sangeeta Gulati , Ms. Meenakshi Gupta ,Ms Suman Rastogi and Ms. Harneet Kaur from S.P.S.E.C

Kanpur collaborated with faculty members of Kota (Ms. B. James , Ms. Purab, Ms. Hema Handa , Ms. Jasvinder Kaur and Ms. Joyce Das of S.P.S.E.C Kota) The teachers revised and discussed the workbook of English of classes I to V considering NCERT syllabus. Framing of EVS ( Classes I and II ) and S.St workbook (Classes III to V) was also discussed. It was an interactive and fruitful session to accomplish agenda successfully.

**Date** : **29 September 2018**  
**Event** : **Education World Award**  
**Venue** : **The Leela Ambience, Gurgaon**

**Details** : SPSEC high expectations have always resulted in high achievement which is yet again proved in its ambit by basking in the glory of accomplishments. SPSEC is ranked No.1 Co-ed Day School in Kanpur and 4<sup>th</sup> in the State – Uttar Pradesh by the Education World India School Rankings 2018-19. SPSEC was rated and ranked over thousands of India's top notch schools on fourteen parameters like academic reputation, faculty, competence, leadership quality, sports, education, etc. The most prestigious and coveted award was received by the Officiating Principal Mrs Bhawna Gupta at The Leela Ambience, Gurgaon.

## **2. Sports Activity Report :**

**Date** : **02 – 09 September 2018**  
**Event** : **1st R.C. Gupta Memorial Chess Tournament**  
**Venue** : **Palika Stadium**

**Details** : 1st R.C. Gupta Memorial Chess Tournament, recognized by Kanpur Chess Association, was organized by R.C. Gupta Memorial Chess Organization Committee at Palika Stadium. Anriudh Agarwal of Class X-D was the winner in Under-14 age group.

**Date** : **07 – 09 September 2018**  
**Event** : **CBSE East Zone Cluster IV Basketball Boys and Girls Tournament**  
**Venue** : **DPS Etawah**

**Details** : CBSE East Zone Cluster IV Basketball Boys and Girls Tournament was organized at DPS Etawah in which Girls Basketball team secured 3rd place in Under-17 age group. Boys Basketball Team reached up the quarter-finals in Under-19 age group.

**Date** : **14 – 16 September 2018**  
**Event** : **3<sup>rd</sup> UP Table Tennis Ranking Tournament**  
**Venue** : **Green Park, Kanpur**  
**Organizer** : **Kanpur District Table Tennis Association under UPTTA**

**Details** : 3<sup>rd</sup> UP Table Tennis Ranking Tournament was organized by Kanpur District Table Tennis Association under UPTTA at Green Park, Kanpur in which 400 players participated. Five boys and three girls represented SPSEC in this ranking tournament. Shristi Mishra reached the quarterfinals and secured 8<sup>th</sup> Rank in Uttar Pradesh. Advait Gupta reached pre-quarterfinals but lost to a player from Ghaziabad, while Aryan Arora cleared the second round in Under-12 category but lost in round 3.

I am also attaching the presentations discussed during the management meeting held in Kanpur School on September 24 & 25, 2018.

**Bhawna Gupta**  
**Officiating Principal**