

SIR PADAMPAT SINGHANIA EDUCATION CENTRE Kamla Nagar, Kanpur.



MONTHLY SCHOOL REPORT – NOVEMBER 2021 <u>ACTIVITIES</u>

Date : 01 November 2021

Event: Lit N Lites - A Diwali Party

Classes : Root, Bud & Bloom

Details: The pre-primary section of our school witnessed hearty bonding by celebrating Diwali through virtual platform on Monday, November 01, 2021. It commenced with a special assembly which was followed by a short explanation on Diwali festival symbolizing the triumph of good over evil, light over darkness and a new beginning.

The students were told the story of Lord Rama that how he returned to his kingdom from an exile of 14 years, with his wife, Sita and brother Laxman. The residents of Ayodhya were so delighted that they decorated the entire city with rows of lights. Children were also shown a short video on Diwali. Kids prepared tasty non fire sweets and beautiful craftwork in their home at the onset of Diwali. The entire environment was vibrating with color and excitement. The celebration ended with the Diwali song 'mere tumhare sab ke liye happy Diwali'.

Date : 08 November 2021

Event : Resuming of Offline Classes

Classes : I & II

Details: The offline classes for I & II resumed w.e.f. November 08, 2021 in a phased manner strictly adhering to the safety and social distancing guidelines mandatory for all students and staff members. The consent for the students reporting to school was collected during the PTM that was conducted for seeking consent of the parents. The parents were sent a circular regarding the guidelines that were supposed to be followed during the stay of the students at school. Special duty points were fixed for the staff to monitor their arrival and dispersal.

Date : 11 November 2021

Event : KSS Hindi Elocution Contest – Results
Organizer : Nurture International School, Kalyanpur

Winner : Garv Singh of Class V - First Prize

Details: Nurture International School had hosted the KSS Hindi Elocution Competition on 30th October 2021. The competition was held on an ONLINE mode. The video of the participant's oratory was shared with the organizing school. **Garv Singh of Class V** recited the poem with full enthusiasm and put his best foot forward by exhibiting self-confidence and amazing participating spirit. His voice modulation and eloquence was praiseworthy. Selection of poem, memory, pronunciation, pauses, body language and confidence were some parameters on which he was judged. He was awarded with **1st Prize** because of his wonderful presentation.

Date : 11 - 20 November 2021 Event : Pre-Board Term-I Exam

Class : X and XII

Details : Our school had organized Pre-Board Term-I exams for the students of classes X & XII.

The OMR Sheets designed on the similar pattern as that of the CBSE were given to the students for better practice. They were given all the required guidelines so that they do not find any difficulty in their exam. This way, they were provided with adequate practice for the upcoming Board exams. The exams were totally based on the latest pattern as prescribed by CBSE.

The self-assessment of the answer scripts helped the students to locate their problem areas, fix them, and enhance their overall performance.

The answer scripts were finally checked by the subject teachers to ensure the appropriateness of their working on the OMR.

Date : 12 November 2021

Event : Management Meeting with Teachers teaching Classes X & XII

Venue : Conference Hall

Chaired by : The Vice Chairman, Mr. Partho P. Kar

Attended By: 1. The Principal, Ms. Bhawna Gupta

- The Vice Principal, Ms. Kavita Chadha
 The Headmistress, Ms. Vandana Trivedi
- 4. Teachers of Classes X & XII

Details: In the meeting, the teachers of board appearing classes shared the difficulties being faced by them in preparing students for the Board Exams. They also discussed the measures being taken up by them to improve their performance.

Following points were suggested -

- Need to counsel the parents and share subject wise Do's and Don'ts with them.
- To have more of parenting sessions.
- To give more and more of practice sheets.
- The Vice Chairman Mr. Partho Kar shared that he would arrange a meeting with Mr. Nitin Vijay, a renowned physicist from Kota to help teachers know how to predict accuracy.
- He guided the Value System teachers in charge to choose the Common Values from the data presented in the meeting. After selecting the core values, three Core SPSEC values would be selected under which many other values are covered, which furthermore fall under the overall well-being of every Singhanian i.e. Being Healthful, Being Mindful and Being Soulful. This will be discussed in the next meeting.
- It was suggested to release a Coffee Table Book on the 40th year of school's establishment since 1982. The concept behind is to cover the
 - a. The saga of the erstwhile Chairman, Shri Govind Hari Ji Singhania highlighting an insight into his life, his philosophies, his contribution to the society, his meetings with dignitaries etc.
 - b The school's journey since its inception in 1982.

Pictures and story reminiscing all above will have to be compiled in the form of a book.

• On discussion with the admission team, it was suggested to plan hoardings at important sites, content of flyer insertion focusing on Pre Primary classes to be prepared.

• The blended teaching learning feedback form to be released to the parents.

Date : 15 – 16 November 2021

Event: Kith N Kin's Day- Children's Day Celebration

Classes : I to VIII

Details: Our school celebrated Children's Day with stupendous games and insatiable laughter. Various rounds of games such as - Score High, Dance and Freeze and Musical Chairs were played by the students of classes I to V. This enlivened their day and roused their spirits. The children danced to the rhythm of their treasured songs with their affable teachers and ever-charming friends.

In classes VI to VIII, the students and teachers played together some interesting games such as picking differences in two pictures and recognizing the product through its tag line. They also enjoyed the game of musical chair. The mentor-pupil bond was once again visible throughout the programme and the energy was high on both the sides. The aim of bringing happiness and joy was achieved as students appreciated the involvement shown by their educators in organizing the event. The celebration concluded with sweet distribution. The Children's Day celebrations were undertaken following strict COVID-19 safety measures.

Date : 17 November 2021

Event : Quiz on Freedom Fighters (CBSE Activity)

Classes : I - V

Details: In continuation with 'Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav'- CBSE Activity, a Quiz on Freedom Fighters was organized for the students of Classes I-V on 17th November 2021. A variety of quiz rounds were conducted on virtual mode to assess the knowledge of the students regarding the lives of well-known freedom fighters like Mohandas Karamchand Gandhi, Jawaharlal Nehru, Lal Bahadur Shastri, Subhash Chandra Bose, Bhagat Singh, Sarojini Naidu and many more. The interest and response of the students was amazing. This CBSE activity gave insight into the freedom struggle among the students. The students were told about the lives, sacrifices and areas from where the various leaders conducted their struggles for freedom. The students were also quizzed regarding the slogans given by the leaders and their valour. All the students participated enthusiastically in the activity.

Date : 18 – 29 November 2021 Event : Term 1 – Objective Exam

Class : XI

Details: Term -1 (Objective) exams commenced for the students of class XI. This exam was based on the latest CBSE pattern and the students used OMR sheet for answering the questions. The students were made aware of the manner the OMR sheet was required to be filled in. The exam was conducted for 90 minutes where 20 minutes reading time was also allotted to the students. The test was conducted observing all covid precautions.

Date : 20 November 2021

Event : Inter-House Hindi Elocution Competition

Classes : VI - VIII

Details: The school organized an *Antarsadniya Hindi Sumbhaashan Pratiyogita* on November 20, 2021, for the students of Classes VI-VIII. The judges of the competition were the senior teachers of the institution.

The proficient orators of the institution from all the four houses- Vindhya House, Himachal House, Yamuna House and Ganga House were selected through auditions.

The extremely bright stars, one from each house of Classes VI- VIII delivered their speeches perfectly well exhibiting self-confidence and sharp eloquence. The elocutionists contested enthusiastically putting up their best foot forward exhibiting self-confidence, leaving no stone unturned and giving a close competition to their fellow orators. The participants' voice modulation and eloquence were praiseworthy. Selection of text, audibility, memory, pronunciation, pauses body language and confidence were some of the parameters on which these speakers were judged and they succeeded in giving the panel of judges a tough time to give their judgment.

The Principal, Ms. Bhawna Gupta encouraged the participants and apprised them about the ways of enhancing their oratory skills.

List of Participants

House	Class VI	Class VII	Class VIII
Vindhya House	Aadhya Mishra	Yuvraj Singh	Suhani Arora
Himachal House	Anshika Gupta	Saksham Gupta	Lavanya Kushwaha
Yamuna House	Aditi Shukla	Yashi Pandey	Geet Rajdev
Ganga House	Ananya	Vedank Mishra	Krishnoor Kaur

RESULT:

Individual Prizes:

Best Speaker: Class VI : Aditi Shukla

Class VII : Yashi Pandey Class VIII : Geet Rajdev

Team Prizes : First : Yamuna House

Second : Ganga House
Third : Vindhya House
Himachal House

Date : 20 November 2021

Event : Entrance Examination (2022-23)

Classes : Root to IX

Details: Our school had successfully conducted the first round of Entrance Examination for the session (2022-23) for Classes Root to IX. The written examination was followed by interview and interaction with the parents and students. The medical test of the students was also conducted on the same day. The result of the examination was declared on Monday, November 22, 2021.

It was deduced from the interaction of parents with a team of teachers that they were keen for admission due to the recognition of SPSEC in the entire city and some of them were impressed with the all-round performance of the school reflected on social media. The power point presentation exhibiting our achievements and activities overawed them all.

While taking a round of the school, the parents appeared quite captivated to see the infrastructure of the school. They were amazed to see the organized arrangement of the entire event of entrance test.

Date : 20 November 2021

Event : KSS Inter School Elocution Competition

Classes : VI – VIII

Organizer : Delhi Public School. Kalyanpur.

Wiinber : Roshni Thapar of Class VIII– 2nd position.

Details: Roshini Thapar, the emerging elocutionist of SPSEC captivated the judges with her impressive magniloquence skills and secured the **2nd position** in KSS Inter-School Online English Elocution Competition (Classes VI-VIII) held on 20th November 2021. 20 participants of reputed CBSE schools of Kanpur participated in the same. The speakers in this category delivered motivational speeches. The time allotted to each speaker was 3 minutes to enthrall the judges. Roshni amazed the judges and was lauded for her wonderful performance.

Date : 22 November 2021

Event: Sankalp – The Eighth Stage

Classes : Bud to VIII

Details: Students of Grades Bud to VIII, being the environmentalists and earth saviours, shared their experiences seeing the plant growing and blossoming from a tiny seed in the eighth stage of Sankalp, the campaign to save environment and promote a sense of its preservation. In performing the task of taking care of GREEN GOLD, kids are contributing to society and inspiring others towards better environmental protection.

Date : 22 November 2021 onwards

Event : Morning Assembly

Classes : I to VIII

Details: To instill camaraderie and a sense of school spirit developing the ideas of belongingness, the morning assembly was resumed after a long span of time to provide the opportunity for kids to develop their confidence by speaking up and sharing their ideas. The assembly started w.e.f. 22nd November 2021. It was a sight to see children and teachers wearing a mask and standing at a distance engrossed in their prayers.

All the students enthusiastically participated in the assembly. It started with buoyant notion of morning prayer and vocalized bhajan "*Hey Sharde Maa*". Following this, thought of the day was shared by a student that shaped the mood of students for the entire day.

Regular Mantra chanting and fitness exercises were conducted. The vocabulary enrichment activities, news reading and teacher's address marked the success of the assembly.

Date : 22 November 2021

Event : Term 1 CBSE Board Exams 2021-2022

Classes : X & XII

Details: Term -1 Board Exams commenced at our Centre w.e.f 22^{nd} November, 2021. The following exams were conducted in the month of November, 2021.

Date	Day	Subject With Code	No of Candidates	Class
22/11/2021	Monday	Sanskrit (122)	10	X
25/11/2021	Thursday	Sanskrit Core(322)	03	XII
30/11/2021	Tuesday	Social Science (087)	379	X

Date : 22 – 27 November 2021 Event : Term 1 – Objective Exams

Class : IX

Details: Term -1 Objective exams for the students of class IX were held from 22^{nd} November to 27^{th} November, 2021 in all the subjects. This exam of 40 marks was based on the latest CBSE pattern and the students used OMR sheet for answering the questions. All guidelines were given to the students to fill the OMR answer sheet. After the collection of the OMR sheets, they were given answer key to know the right answer.

Date : 25 and 26 November 2021

Event : Scientifique

Classes : I - V

Details: Our school had organized 'Scientifique', a science activity, for the students of classes I to V. The motive of this activity was to deepen the understanding of Science and assert its importance. Keeping the convenience and safety of students in mind, the event was held on **both online and offline modes**. A series of activities and video presentations were done on the online mode. The experiments with power point presentations and the model presentation on offline captivated all. All these activities were enjoyed by the students immensely.

In classes 1 and 2, the teacher first introduced the activity to the students who had opted the online mode and made the students familiar with routine of the event. To create a better understanding of the objective, a video consisting of an engaging story and the biography of scientist, was also shown to the students. They performed the live demonstration of experiments like 'Air Occupies Space', 'Air Pressure'. A video involving the recent inventions was show to the students. This was followed by AMAZING FACTS, RIDDLES, and a VIDEO on EXPERIMENTS.

In classes 3 to 5 also, the teacher introduced the activity and the procedure regarding the same was explained. A story was narrated about a scientist that drew the students closer to their ambitions and inspired them. A student showed a presentation created by him/her. After that the students were acquainted with the recent inventions, with the help of a video. Another student presented his/her work in the form of a video. To make the activity fun, AMAZING FACTS, RIDDLES and EXPERIMENTS were shown through videos.

For the students attending the school on the offline mode, Live experiments based on Water Density, Air Pressure and general concept of Polymers were carried out with power point presentations for classes from 3 to 5. The experiments were exciting, and the students were delighted to do those on their own. Observing the magic and wonders of science the model presentations of the 'Water Cycle', 'Life-cycle' of a Butterfly and the Effect of Field Electromagnet were shown. The teachers explained about the harmful effects of plastic and also the use of green and blue dustbins to segregate waste in classes 1 and 2.

The list of some of the experiments performed by our students is as follows -

Class - 3

- 1. Anaya Dubey(3B) Working Model of Volcanic Eruption
- 2. Anay Pandey(3E) WorkingModelof the Respiratory System

Class - 4

- 1. Samrath Singh Grover (4A) -The Spinning Snake Experiment- Convection Current
- 2. Yash Dubey (4C) Rising Water Candle Experiment

Class - 5

1. Nishka Ludhiyani (5C)- Eno and Biscuits (Density) Experiment

The event witnessed the enthusiasm and keen interest of the students. It turned out to be a very interactive session between the teachers and the students. Students were enthralled and encouraged to step further into their interests of knowledge and work.

Date : 26 November 2021

Event : Storybeatz

Classes : Root, Bud, and Bloom

Details: To foster the skills of listening and reading, a virtual storytelling session was organised for the students of Classes Root, Bud & Bloom on Friday, November 26, 2021. Listening with rapt attention, the children were exposed to the basics of theatrical movements, voice modulation and the rhythm of storytelling. The main objective of the activity was to develop their confidence, communication skills and expand the realm of their imagination. Kids also enjoyed the non-fire cooking activity related to the story of Goldilocks and three bears. The yummy bear sandwiches were relished by our little ones. Overall, it had been a great learning experience which was thoroughly enjoyed by the children.

Date : 26 November 2021 Event : Special Assembly Occasion : Constitution Day

Details: Understanding the essence of inculcating the sense of reverence for the Constitution, the Constitution Day was celebrated with great enthusiasm on 26th November, 2021. Special assembly was conducted to honour the longest written Constitution of the world- The Indian Constitution which binds the nation in a robust thread of humanity and integrity. The Welcome Speech was followed by the prayer to seek the blessings of Almighty. Oath to uphold the principles of our vivid Constitution charged the atmosphere with a patriotic fervour. The students were apprised with the vitality of the Constitution and the far sightedness of the Constituent Assembly. The flag was hoisted by the Principal rejuvenating and revitalizing the vivacity of the day. The National Anthem was sung in chorus.

Date : 29 November 2021

Event : Resuming of Offline Classes

Classes : Root, Bud & Bloom

Details: The offline classes for Root, Bud & Bloom resumed w.e.f. November 29, 2021 in a phased manner strictly adhering to the safety and social distancing guidelines mandatory for all students and staff members. The consent for the students reporting to school was collected during the PTM that was conducted for seeking consent of the parents. The parents were sent a circular regarding the guidelines that were supposed to be followed during the stay of the students at school. Special duty points were fixed for the staff to monitor their arrival and dispersal. The school had planned the arrival and departure of all students in an organized manner in different time slots.

Date : 30 November 2021 Event : Special Assembly

Occasion : Birth Anniversary of Sir Jagdish Chandra Bose

Classes : III - VIII

Details: Our school had organized a special assembly on 30th November to celebrate birth anniversary of biologist, physicist, and botanist, Sir Jagdish Chandra Bose. The students of grades III-VIII participated in the assembly. They were apprised by a Senior Science Teacher about his contributions in the form of inventions and investigations in the field of science. The students were also told that Sir J C Bose is considered to be the Father of Bengal Science Fiction. A crater on the moon has been named in his honor. A short clipping was also shown to the students in the classrooms by their respective Science teachers.

Date : 30 November 2021

Event : Blog Writing Competition – November 2021

Details: The spirited bloggers of our school expressed their ideas aptly and asserted themselves through the monthly Blog competition.

Blog Topics for November 2021:

Pool A: 'My Rules...My Fun time.... this Children's Day'

Pool B : 'I am Earth...I request you to ban crackers, have mercy on me and your posterity....' **Pool C :** 'My parents, school, peers help me in combating examination related anxiety....'

Blog Winners for November -2021:

POOL A : Aastha Gupta (Class 5)
POOL B : Shubhi Tripathi (Class 8)
POOL C : Bhavjot Singh Saluja (Class 9)

Bhawna Gupta Principal