



DMA NEWS

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HEART TO HEART

The role of a school is not only to pursue academic excellence but also to motivate and empower the students to be value oriented citizens, loyal to the society and nation, lifelong learners, productive members of an ever changing global society.

Gandhiji said, "Education draws out the best in man and child; mind, body and spirit".

It is a process of developing the human personality in the dimensions of the intellectual, physical, social and moral values. At present, like all schools, we are faced with the challenge of developing a good sense of discipline and moral values within the ever changing social norms of society. Children of these days are much more sensitive; they possess very high self-esteem and believe in independent thinking. Therefore, we ensure that the approach to motivate and get the best out of the children is based on the positive reinforcement of good work and good behaviour.

The goal of education is to make the people think and rethink on judging and decision making and enable them to make right choices and choose right values and priorities. It helps them to expose the treasures hidden in society and makes them grow in self appreciation and appreciation of the world with a sense of belonging to society and thus enables them to strive to build a just society.

Nelson Mandela asserts emphatically, "Education is the powerful weapon which you can use to change the world".

Dear students, you are blessed to have come to the portals of this school. And you have a long way to go in life. The years you are being moulded and equipped in institutions like this is like growing your roots, to rise high in life. In these days of pressure, trends of negative forces you must take much care not to become its victims. Yes and No are the two most important words that you will ever say. These are the two words that determine your destiny in life. When and how you say them affects your entire future. Saying no to lesser things can mean saying yes to priorities in your life. Enlightened person know where to say "yes" and where to say "no". You also have to train yourself to discern and choose the best. Every great person learned whom to obey, when to obey and how to obey.

In life may you never be ashamed of doing what is right, may you never lose the right track. Do all the good you can, in all the ways you can, in all the places you can, at all times you can, to all the peoples you can, as long as ever you can, whoever you become in life. Nothing brings greater joy to the heart of your teachers and parents than to see you children pursuing your purpose in life.

With warm regards and best wishes

Dr (Mrs) Ritu Dewan
(Principal)

ONLINE LEARNING PLATFORM

DISCOVER AND SHARE THE JOY OF READING

Reading brings joy, inspires minds and creates wonder. Reading also touches hearts and widens horizons. Reading is also the best way to enhance our knowledge, vocabulary and imagination. DMA has provided a unique reading portal for the students as well as the parents, which has thousands of books for all age groups. The school hopes that everyone would be enriched by participating in this unique reading and learning program.

To get access to the online learning resources visit:

http://exam.modischools.in/guru/world_book.html

ACTIVITIES

KRANTI DIWAS (9TH MAY 2022) (SPECIAL ASSEMBLY)

Martyrdom is a price one pays to ensure freedom for coming generations. Salute to all martyrs who ensured our freedom by sacrificing their lives.

The revolt of 1857 is one of the major events in the freedom struggle and on this day, Indians pay reverent homage to the patriots who incessantly fought and sacrificed their lives for India's independence.

To commemorate the Sepoy mutiny and the first spark of revolt which brought a turning point in the history of India, a special assembly was conducted by the students of Tagore house on 9th May, 2022.

The assembly initiated with the floral tribute to the martyrs followed by the prayer as a humble sublimation to the Almighty.

The students delivered an inspiring speech, recited an eloquent poem 'The Gift of India' and a well-articulated patriotic song 'Salam Un Shaheedon ko' which evoked the patriotic spirit in everyone present there. To pay tribute to the martyrs, the students presented a mesmerizing dance performance, 'Abhivyakti' that stirred the souls and ignited the feeling of pride, left everyone spellbound.

Following this the students presented a skit on Mangal Pandey, the man who fired the first shot against the Britishers. The skit exhibited effectively his trials and tribulations and relentless efforts in the Indian Freedom Struggle. The students were acquainted with the reason for the outbreak of the first mutiny. The skit ended with the revolutionary Urdu phrase Inquilab Zindabad! It also made them aware of the great sacrifices made in the past by great freedom fighters.

The program ended with distribution of certificates to all the fervent participants of different houses for their wonderful performance in various extracurricular activities.

In her enlightening words honourable Principal Dr (Mrs) Ritu Dewan appreciated the efforts and zealous participation of students. She emphasized that the hero we need today is inside all of us. All we need is to ignite the spirit, she further added that we should salute the brave spirits who made us feel proud of our nation and enabled us to breathe in free air. She also urged the students that love for country is above all things and like a true Indian they should carry Indian traditional values with them to make our country free from the clutches of poverty and corruption and to make India one of the greatest nations of the world.



COVID-19 VACCINATION DRIVE (11TH MAY 2022)

DMA arranged a COVID-19 vaccination drive on 11th May for students aged 12 to 14 years, under the guidance of a trained team of nurses and doctors deputed by the State Health Department. Students showed a great zeal in attending the vaccination camp. 145 students took the vaccine shot in the safe and secure environment of the school campus.



NATIONAL TECHNOLOGY DAY CELEBRATION (11th MAY 2022)

Each year, the National Technology Day honours technological achievements from the wheels to smart phones that impact our daily lives.

The day glorifies the importance of science in day to day life and motivates students to adopt science as a career option. It is a symbol of pursuit for technological creativity, scientific enquiry and the conversion of that pursuit into the well-being of the society in the field of communication, health and safety. To promote and celebrate the cause of technological education and to commemorate the success of Pokhran test on 11 May, 1998 Dayawati Modi Academy organized Science exhibition in the school premises. Students of classes VII to XII took active part in it.

Students had prepared working as well as still models. They presented them beautifully, explained the underlying concept. The students had prepared Model on use of Solar panels, smart city, ultra-modern methods of agriculture, distillation of water, artificial kidney device, Hydraulic power dam, rechargeable car, wireless electricity supply sewage treatment plant, auto street light, plantation without soil and many more. About 150 students participated in thirty categories.

The Principal Dr (Mrs) Ritu Dewan congratulated the staff and students for their wholehearted participation. In her address to the students she said that these exhibitions should be organized to boost the scientific temperament of the students. Vice principal Mr. Kapil Christopher, Senior Wing Co-ordinator Ms. Shashi Dhaka, all Science HODs along with science teachers were present on the occasion.

The day proved to be an inspiration to many would be scientists, researchers, engineers, etc., to work towards innovation in the field of science.



INTERNATIONAL FAMILY DAY CELEBRATION (12TH MAY, 2022)

Special Assembly

“Friends may come and go, but a family lasts forever.”

In order to reflect the importance of international community attached to families and to realize and perceive the value of family in their lives, a special assembly was organized by Gandhi House students. To add beauty in the ambience, bulletin boards were decorated with pictures and quotes depicting the importance of this day. Through an emotional music number, a meaningful skit and a thought provoking speech, the students of Gandhi House indicated that families are the centre of the society and provide an unconditional support to the family members of all ages. The assembly enabled the students to recognize that the family provides a sense of belonging and a unique identity to them. It also created a special emotional feeling in the students about their family and provided them with an opportunity to express their feelings about their family as well.

An Inter house Song and Dance Competition was also organised today in which the students participated with great zeal and won the hearts of everyone.

Honourable Principal Dr (Mrs) Ritu Dewan, addressed the assembly to motivate the students with her pearls of wisdom and informed the gathering about the importance of family in our lives. She called upon everyone to ensure regular interaction with their families even if we are separated by great distances. The Vice Principal, Mr Kapil Christopher also presented his views on the importance of families in our lives and presented the certificates to the winners of different competitions.



GIFT OF BOOKS (BOOK DONATION) (24TH MAY 2022)

"Giving is not just about making a donation. It's about making a difference".

Compassion and charity are the powerful tools of DMA. It once again took the opportunity to lead in the campaign of book donation and helped in setting up the libraries in rural areas.

A special event was organised on 24th May '22 in the school library to donate the books for the underprivileged who do not have access to read. The program commenced with the presentation of saplings, mementos and posy of flowers to the Chief guest - Chief Development Officer Meerut Shri Shashank Chaudhary, IAS, Shri Parminder Sagar from Navbharat Times and the Environmentalist and Socialist Shri Amit Agarwal and Shri Sanjay Sharma, the coordinators of the Book Drive Campaign.

The program was enriched by the rendition of prayer in Sanskrit sung by the choir group of the young students followed by a fusion dance on foot tapping songs leaving everyone spellbound.

The Chief Guest Shri Shashank Chaudhary, in his speech applauded and appreciated the efforts of the students for their wonderful performance. He assured that all the 2200 books donated from the school is a great help in setting up libraries and would reach safely in the hands of needy. He also stressed to dream big and never stop chasing them.

In her address, the Principal Dr (Mrs) Ritu Diwan expressed her gratitude to the dignitaries of the day. She stated that it was yet another successful initiative of young students in giving the social services to the community and assured to keep giving the services to the needy in future too.



WORLD NO TOBACCO DAY (31ST MAY 2022)

To commemorate World No Tobacco Day, as a part of the National Cadet Corps (NCC) of 70 UP Battalion NCC Meerut, the NCC cadets of Dayawati Modi Academy organised a public awareness rally and a skit (Nukkad Natak) on the theme "Eradicate Tobacco & Save the Environment" under the command of Col. Manish Dhawan, at Jambu Dweep in Hastinapur.

The main idea behind celebrating the day was to create awareness regarding the harmful effects of smoking and tobacco products consumption on our health, environment and social life etc. The NCC cadets presented a skit based on the theme of Eradicate Tobacco & Save the Environment for generating awareness about various deadly diseases caused by use of tobacco which was highly applauded by the audience.

Later, a pledge was given to the students and teachers that they will say no to tobacco and work towards making the society tobacco-free.

The Principal Dr (Mrs) Ritu Dewan said that use of cigarette and other tobacco products should be discouraged by generating awareness among youth. She urged the students to come forward to disseminate the information among the common masses. She also appreciated the efforts of the cadets and encouraged them to participate in such awareness activities in near future also.



SAVE SOIL

There is no point planting seeds after you become hungry - Japanese proverb

Save Soil is a global movement launched by Sadhguru, to address the soil crisis by bringing together people from around the world to stand up for Soil Health, and supporting leaders of all nations to institute national policies and actions toward increasing the organic content in cultivable Soil.

Students of DMA also actively participated in the drive launched by Sadguru to save the soil. The active participants were appreciated and presented certificates for thanking them for their letters written to the Honourable Prime Minister in support of the movement.



ACHIEVEMENTS

INTER SCHOOL ROLLER SKATING COMPETITION (15TH MAY 2022)

Star skaters of DMA won 9 medals in the Inter School Roller Skating Competition organized in Karan Public School, Meerut. DMA stars won 7 Gold medals, 1 Silver and 1 Bronze medal.

1. Manasvi IX-I Inline 1 Gold
2. Suryansh IX-H Hyper 1 Gold
3. Daksh Sain IX-A Inline 1 Gold
4. Aahana VII-F Inline 1 Gold
5. Shreshth IX-D Inline 1 Gold
6. Nayan VII-G Roller 1 Gold
7. Naitik VIII-E Inline 1 Gold
8. Harsh VII-E Inline 1 Silver
9. Piyush VII-F 1 Bronze



UNDER 14 STATE CAMP FOR BASKETBALL (25TH MAY 2022)

Mayank of class 9-F, Ishant of 8-E and Dushant of 8-E brought glory to the school by getting selected for the Under 14 State Camp for Basketball organised in MPS, Meerut.



DMA (PRIMARY WING) celebrated the following Special Days with full vigour and gaiety

MOTHER'S DAY CELEBRATION

Mother's day is a special day, for all children and mothers as, it celebrates the bond of love and affection that is everlasting. The students of DMA(primary wing),hosted their mothers on this special occasion. The event was held on 07th of May, as mothers were specially invited to spend a memorable day filled with fun & games. A host of performances were planned to honour and appreciate all mothers. Mothers were entertained by myriad presentations by the primary wing students followed by scrumptious refreshment. Rhyme recitations , songs, dance performances, mesmerized the audience, as the children put their best foot forward.





KRANTI DIWAS CELEBRATION

Kranti Diwas is observed to remember the historic day of May 10, 1857 and pay tribute to the freedom fighters who sacrificed their lives to liberate their country from the shackles of the British rule. The revolt was no sudden occurrence and was the culmination of a century long resistance to the British rule. To solemnize this historic day, Tagore House students conducted a special assembly. They dressed up as legendary freedom fighters and informed about 'Why Kranti Diwas is celebrated?'. The role play created an aura of patriotism amongst the students.



TREE PLANTATION BY STUDENTS ON THEIR BIRTHDAYS

"Planting a tree teaches us to gather strength from our deepest roots"

The students of grade VI enthusiastically participated in the endeavour to beautify nature, by gifting and planting trees sapling in the school premises on their birthdays. Name of few active contributors are Nitya Sharma, Nitya Jain, Nishika Jain, Viraj Nimesh and Aditi Jain. This drive initiated in students a sense of awareness and responsibility towards the need of having a clean and green environment.





SAVE SOIL CAMPAIGN

Save Soil Campaign, a global movement started by Sadguru, to motivate the world to face the crisis of soil in the coming times. The students of our school positively contributed to this programme by making charts, placards and planting tree saplings. They also appealed to the Prime Minister to make a policy for the conservation of soil in the letters addressed to him. A selected few were presented with a certificate of appreciation for their innate efforts .



