



DMA TIMES

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Excellence is not a destination, it is a journey that never ends.



HEART TO HEART

With a paradigm shift in the field of education we aim not only at academic excellence but also promote holistic development of the child. Guided by the unparalleled vision and mission of our illustrious management, the school philosophy empowers the child to explore beyond the textbook and become lifelong learners, thus, embarking on a quest for excellence.

The school aspires to create an educational environ which focuses on the development of potential, encourages originality in thought and action, cultivates reverence for heritage, sensitivity for environment and promotes internationalism.

The core aspect of value education is deeply embedded in the comprehensive school curriculum. The plethora of events and activities help each child evolve as an academic achiever as well as an ethical and caring global citizen.

Infused with an iron clad will to succeed, the passion to excel and the perseverance to accomplish, each DMA student marches ahead setting historic benchmarks. Fuelled with higher aspirations and motivations, we carve out a luminous path each year and redefine success. I am confident that with renewed faith and vigour we will scale loftier heights and set benchmarks that make us all feel proud.

With warm regards and best wishes

Dr (Mrs) Ritu Dewan
Principal

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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.

<http://exam.modischools.in/guru/world book.html>



ACTIVITIES REPORT

VIGILANCE WEEK

“Vigilance Week” was organised in the premises of Dayawati Modi Academy wherein students from class 7th to 9th as well as class 11th actively participated in a well-planned series of activities. The program was organised by the Social Science Department of DMA with active contribution by the departmental teachers and the respective HOD. The event started with the presentation of a bouquet to the Principal Dr. (Mrs.) Ritu Dewan. This was followed by flag start of the exhibition by respected Principal by lighting of lamp in front of goddess Saraswati.

The activities were designed around the theme “Self-Reliance” and the participating students pulled out a great show through the demonstration of their abilities in various events. Post the inaugural stage of the week the activities like poster making-climate change, sustainable development, yoga, health, save water, bio-diversity and phone addiction were eloquently managed on 3rd July. Students beautifully showcased the damage done to the ecosystem and the alarming situation for the entire mankind as regards the drastic changes in the climate. A lot of emphasis was laid on the need for sustainable development, health consciousness through yoga and most importantly “Save Water” necessity. Students also enumerated the bad fallouts of phone addiction and the way it has negatively impacted the human mind, health and relationships.

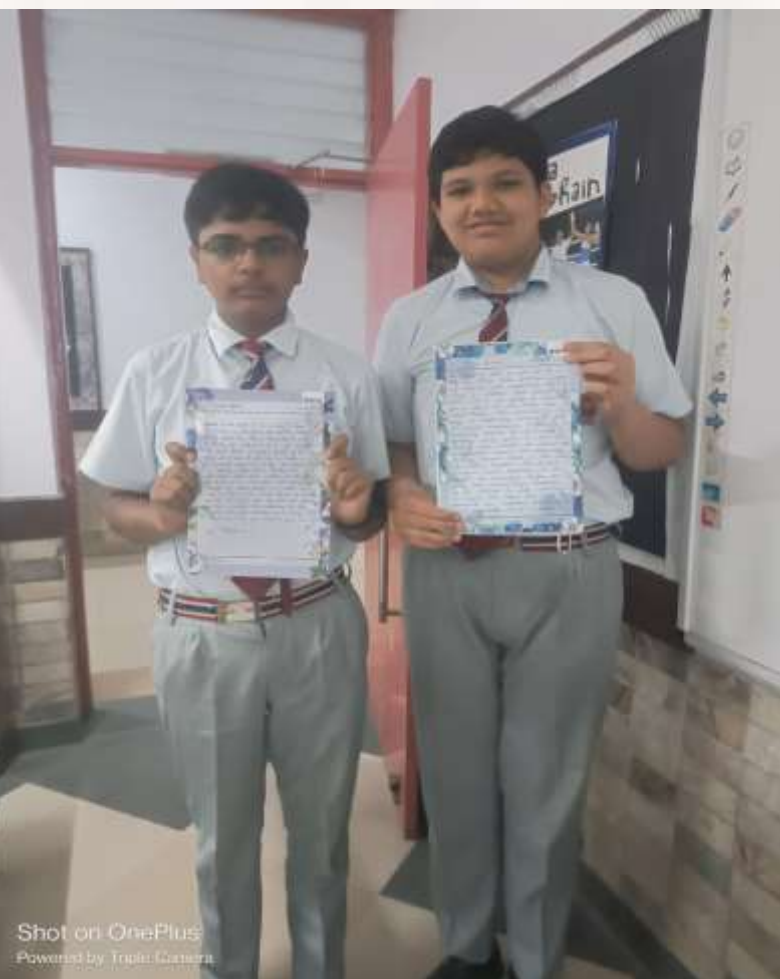
The other highlights of the week were slogan writing, quiz (written), elocution, culture boxes (States), historical role plays, first-aid box and importance of nutritional food. All the events brought to light the finesse and efforts of the participating students.

The stalwart performances of the students were concluded on 7th July and everyone witnessed an excellent roll out of “Exhibition”, which further established the facts as regards the sheer efforts being deployed on developing the student’s mind-set on a holistic way. Participating students brought the theme alive through their magnificent visualization depicted through the models and other tools.

One of the highlight of the week was the stall dedicated towards newly manufactured products under Made in India campaign and students were encouraged to adopt the home manufactured products.

The week concluded with a motivational and inspirational speech by Principal Dr. (Mrs.) Ritu Dewan which put a lot of focus on students taking inputs from our rich history and aligning the same with the modern age living for a brighter future and nurturing our great inheritance of culture and values. She said that the organization of such events not only educate young minds on the great value of their culture, tune them behaviorally and this also facilitates the spirit of co-competition and team work.





VIGILANCE WEEK



EXPRESSIONS MUN



Expressions Model United Nations hosted by MPS for Girls hosted its third edition on the 7th and 8th of July 2023. The conference provided a platform to the students to enhance their public speaking, diplomatic skills, problem solving and research techniques which help boost their confidence.

12 schools comprising of approximately 350 students participated in the conference. The agendas in the various Committees ranged from current issues of Russo-Ukrainian War to the historic agenda of the Cold War era, to pressing issues of loss of human rights in conflict prone areas, to sensitive issues of political and economic rights for women and sustainable mining practice.

9 students from DMA participated and among them Rishika of XII A received the best delegate award, Lakshit Vashishtha of XII-L and Manya Tripathi of XI -L got High Commendation Award, Umang Panwar of XI -L and Nandini Verma of XII-L got Special Mention Award, Shipra Siddharth of XII-L and Kr. Gargi received the Verbal Mention.

Students learnt the art of diplomacy and lobbying along with patience and tolerance. It was overall a wonderful platform for holistic development of children.



On July 7 2023, the recruitment process for Junior Wing JD and J.W. NCC cadets was carried out at Dayawati Modi Academy, Modipuram, Meerut. Under the direction of NCC 70 Battalion Officer Manu Kumar and 22 Battalion Colonel Mahesh Kumar Chauhan, the recruitment process was started under the guidance of NCC Third Officer Kamlesh Raghav and CTO Swati Mishra. GCI and PI gave information about NCC to NCC cadets and based on physical and written examination, the cadets were selected. Students participated enthusiastically in this process. 150 cadets participated in this process. On this occasion, the school's Principal Dr. (Mrs.) Ritu Devan encouraged the cadets and said that it is a means to awaken the feeling of patriotism and dedication towards the country among the youth of the country. Vice-Principal Mr. Kapil Christopher was also present on this occasion.



NCC ENROLLMENT



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INTERSCHOOL DEBATE COMPETITION

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"One secret of success in life is to be ready for the opportunity whenever it comes".

The much-anticipated XXVIII Bro. C.T Ritchie and XI Bro. G.P. Gannon Memorial Inter school debate 2023 took place on 22 July 2023 in St. Mary Academy, Meerut. The event, which drew participants from various schools across the city, proved to be a showcase of intellect, eloquence, and critical thinking.

The competition was divided into two categories: Junior and Senior. The Junior category focused on issues relevant to Artificial Intelligence a threat to humanity. The Senior category delved into more complex topic, such as Should the government regulate hate speech and misinformation on social media.

The judges' panel comprised distinguished academics professionals, and Doctors, ensuring the evaluation was fair and comprehensive. They lauded the participants for their articulate arguments, logical reasoning, and the ability to counter opposing viewpoints gracefully. The event wasn't just about competition; it was an opportunity for intellectual exchange. During the breaks, participants engaged in lively discussions, sharing insights and learning from each other's perspectives. This aspect highlighted the spirit of camaraderie that the competition aimed to foster. Our budding orators and representatives of DMA- Agrima Singh of X-F and Shony Mehta of class IX- A spoke in favour & against the motion respectively in junior category. In senior category Manya tripati of XI and Kumari Gargi of XII spoke in favour and against the motion. All the participants enthralled the audience with their great oratory skills. Participants of junior category brought glory to the institution by securing the Runners-up trophy.

The winners of both categories demonstrated exceptional prowess in crafting persuasive arguments and delivering them with confidence. However, it was evident that all participants had gained valuable skills in research, public speaking, and teamwork. The event would not have been possible without the collaborative efforts of the organizing committee, teachers, and the participating schools.

As the curtains closed on this year's debate competition, the legacy of thought-provoking discussions and intellectual growth remains. The event not only showcased the potential of young minds but also reinforced the importance of open dialogue as a tool for progress.



AWARD CEREMONY

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Honourable Principal Dr. (Mrs.) Ritu Dewan was felicitated and awarded for her outstanding contribution to field of education as well as her social initiatives by Bharat Vikas Parishad in the award ceremony “GURU VANDAN CHHATRA ABHINANDAN” on 24th July 2013.



VISIT BY ALUMNI MANU JAIN (19TH JULY 2023)

One of the luminary among the alumni stars of DMA, Manu Jain, the former Vice President and Managing Director of Xiaomi India, visited his alma mater on 19th July 2023. Warmly welcomed by honourable Principal Madam, Manu Jain shared his joy and happiness of visiting the portals of education where he was groomed for his successful future ventures.



ACHIEVEMENTS AND ACCOLADES

BOARD RESULT DISCUSSION AND TEACHER MOTIVATION

With great sense of pride and happiness the teachers who have produced 100 percent result, 100/100 scorers and have given board result subject average of more than 80 percent have been rewarded with cash incentives and bonus.

We're grateful to our magnanimous Management for this encouraging gesture.

Teachers who are yet to achieve their targets have been motivated and they have committed to make their best efforts.

MENTORING THE TEACHERS

Mentoring is a long term relationship that meets a development need, helps develop full potential, and benefits all partners – mentor, mentee and the organisation."

Suzanne Faure

The purpose of mentoring is to provide support, guidance and advice to teachers to enable them to enhance their teaching skills to develop professionally. Mentoring works best when it is carried out as part of a structured developmental program. It can involve all or any of the following:

identifying developmental needs and interests

identifying strengths and weaknesses

action planning

observing lessons and arranging peer observations

reviewing progress

DMA too ensures the same for its teachers. Principal Dr. (Mrs.) Ritu Dewan organized several meetings with various departments to mentor the teachers, appreciating teaching aids and assignments.



MEERUT SAHODAYA SCHOOLS COMPLEX MEETING

Meerut Sahodaya Schools Complex, was formed to provide a common platform to the schools to bring them together and networking them for a healthy interaction among themselves leading to enriching endeavours for a cooperative learning research based environment and enhanced convergence of resources.

Meerut Sahodaya Schools Complex meeting was hosted by DMA on 5th July 2023. Principals from 63 schools of Meerut attended the meeting for deliberations on NEP and other important points.



WORKSHOPS/ SEMINAR

CAREER WORKSHOP (26TH JULY 2023)

A career workshop was held at Dayawati Modi Academy on 26 July 23 conducted by Mr Shubham Varshney a renowned career counsellor and Founder of Self Selection Board. Mr Shubham Varshney is an alumni of 2013 batch. Mr Varshney completed his B.TECH as a Mechanical design Engineer and also having an experience of 2yrs working in Shanghai and France and cleared his exams of NDA, CDS and AFCAT. The insightful and inspiring career workshop was attended by the students to know about the various opportunities in Armed forces in India. Mr Varshney motivated the students by sharing his valuable experiences regarding the preparation of SSB.



WORKSHOPS/ SEMINAR

CAREER COUNSELLING WORKSHOP (27TH JULY 2023)

On 27th July 2023, Ria Sirohi, representative of University of Nebraska, Lincoln held a seminar on how to use the US College Application System. University of Nebraska, Lincoln doesn't work through agents, rather, directly recruits high-school students for their Undergraduate programs. She guided students about the importance of co-curricular activities and also told them about the varied courses available in the university.

Above all it wasn't just about a particular university she talked about but did inform them that she was ready to guide students about admissions abroad in any other university of their choice too. The ex-head boy Kartikey Sharma also shared his views on the occasion motivating students to improve their communication skills and develop their personality by engaging themselves in more and more activities held in the school. It was a very informative session.



A TALK ON CHILD MYOPIA AND EYE CARE (28TH JULY 2023)

The problem of Child Myopia was discussed in a talk by Dr. Prakhyat Roop and Dr. Shreya Nayak, leading ophthalmologists, who after passing out from AIIMS are now practicing in Meerut. They advised the parents on Child myopia, also known as near sightedness, which is caused by a combination of genetic and environmental factors. Children with one or both parents who have myopia are at a higher risk of developing the condition. Additionally, spending too much time on screens and not enough time outdoors can also contribute to myopia in children. The parents appreciated revered Principal, Dr. (Mrs.) Ritu Dewan for organising such informative session where many doubts were removed and suggestions given for the problems they were facing.



CANADA DAY

Every year on July 1st, Canada Day is celebrated. This day commemorates the confederation of the British territories in North America into one single entity called Canada.

The day brings an opportunity for our Maple bear students to know more about the Canadian culture. Students enthusiastically participated in various activities and were informed about the significance of this day.

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Cleanliness Week

The celebration of cleanliness week was organized at DMA (Primary Wing) from 3rd July to 7th July with great enthusiasm and dedication. An array of creative activities such as beautification of school campus, paper bag & dustbin making, slogan writing etc. were organized throughout the week by the Dept. Of Science with a view to sensitize the children about the importance of cleanliness practices and to motivate them to do their bit towards making their planet cleaner and more beautiful.

It was a great celebration which worked as a key to teach cleanliness practices to young children that helped them realize that even at a young age they can contribute to keep the planet clean & green.

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