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It gives me immense pleasure to present this edition of our school newsletter, capturing the vibrant spirit and milestones achieved from October 2024 to March 2025. This period has been marked by excellence, creativity, and community celebration at K.R. Mangalam World School, Greater Noida.

Our students have made us proud with their outstanding performances across national and international platforms, reflecting the essence of holistic education we strive to impart. A atandout moment was our Annual Day, "Krishna: Inspiring Generations", which united grandparents, parents, and students in a powerful showcase of values, Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs), and 21st-century skills-echoing the vision of NEP 2020 and Sarv Shrestha Bharat.

The student-led Winter Carnival exemplified innovation, leadership, and entrepreneurial spirit-reinforcing our mission to prepare learners for future employability. We're equally proud of the launch of our synthetic turf football arena and the introduction of NCC (40 UP Battalion), enhancing physical and leadership development.

Our Skill and Innovation Centre continues to nurture creativity and problem-solving. With your unwavering support and our collective commitment, we're proud to be ranked No. 1 across all school categories.

Wishing our students greater heights in their journey ahead!

For more information, visit our school website: krmangalamgn.com

Warm regards,

Mrs. Sonia Anil Verma Principal

#### A SPECTACULAR ANNUAL DAY CELEBRATION



The school hosted its much-awaited Annual Day Celebration on March 01, 2025, with the theme "Krishna: Inspiring Generations." The event was a grand spectacle of culture, tradition, and artistic brilliance, attended by distinguished guests, proud parents, grandparents, and enthusiastic students.

The evening commenced with a soulful prayer, invoking divine blessings. The Chief Guest, Mr. Ashok Kumar, ADCP (Anti-Narcotics), was honoured for his exceptional service to society and law enforcement. The event also welcomed esteemed guests, which included Mr. Sanjay Vidyaarthi, a renowned

Music Director, and Mr. Atul Krishna Das, Centre Head, ISKCON, who graced the occasion with their inspiring words. In her keynote address, the Principal, Mrs. Sonia Anil Verma, highlighted the school's remarkable achievements and unwavering commitment to academic excellence, cultural heritage, and value-based education. She emphasized the significance of imbibing Krishna's teachings in today's world, fostered a generation of enlightened and responsible individuals.

The highlight of the evening was a mesmerizing dance-drama performance, portrayed the life and teachings of Lord Krishna. The students enthralled the audience with graceful movements, vibrant expressions, and flawless coordination, brought alive Krishna's journey from childhood to the Mahabharata era. The rich storytelling, captivating visuals, and immersive stage design transported the audience to the era of Dwapara Yuga, left them spellbound.

A special segment of the evening was the felicitation of grandparents, honoured them for their immense contributions to shaping young minds. Their presence added a touch of warmth and wisdom to the celebrations.

Parents highly appreciated the uniqueness of the event, praised the seamless integration of the Krishna theme, the cultural depth, and the stunning performances. They lauded the school for its commitment to holistic education, ensured students stay connected to their roots while excelling in modern learning. Many acknowledged that such initiatives contributed to "Viksit Bharat ka Nirman," instilling values and national pride in the younger generation.

The grand celebration concluded with a magnificent finale performance, left the audience in awe. The event was a resounding success, reflected our school's dedication to fostering excellence, creativity, and a deep-rooted sense of cultural pride.

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## SPECIAL ASSEMBLY ON MENTAL HEALTH DAY

The students of Grade VII of our school led a special assembly on October 16, 2025, featured a nukkadnatak on mental well-being. The play addressed key issues like stress, anxiety and mental health stigma, highlighted the importance of seeking support.

The audience participation fostered open discussions, promoted empathy and awareness of emotional challenges. It was followed by a meditation session, held by a team of 'Sahaj Yoga' for students of Grades VI to XII and helped them to manage stress, nurture mental health and self-care.

#### ASSEMBLY ON ROAD SAFETY



Our little toddlers presented a special assembly on October 18, 2024, themed "Road Safety".

They performed two dance routines related to road safety—one to an English song and another to a Hindi song, "Ae Bhai, Zara Dekh Ke Chalo." This was followed by a role play which demonstrated the meaning of the traffic light signals and its significance. The assembly concluded with a message that won the admiration of the audience. The assembly of Grade KG-A went smoothly, and it filled with enthusiasm among the learners.

#### ASSEMBLY ON "EMPOWERING OUR FUTURE WITH SKILLS"

#### **GRADE VIII**



The special assembly was hosted by the students of Grade VIII on October 23, 2024, on "Empowering Our Future with Skills".

This inspiring event highlighted the transformative impact of skill development on personal growth, community engagement, and national progress.

The assembly unfolded with a heartfelt prayer, seeking blessings for the day. The students emphasized the power of skills in unlocking potential.

The Mangalites showcased their creativity by dressing up as professionals, such as photographers, journalists, and artisans, demonstrated skills in real-life scenarios. Vibrant dance performances added energy to the event. Achievements were celebrated with a distribution of certificates of debate, and music competition winners.

The Principal addressed the assembly, stressed the importance of equipping students with essential skills for future success. The event concluded with a resounding call to action, urged students to invest in skills development and shape their futures.



The special assembly led by the students of Grade V-D on November 8, 2024, highlighted the importance of a safe and bully-free environment. A "Thought for the Day" encouraged kindness, and the students presented news update covered global to local events.

A group song on unity set a positive tone, followed by a powerful speech on respect and solidarity. A skit was also presented with the effects of bullying and the strength in peer support. The assembly concluded with a teacher's heartfelt message on empathy and collective responsibility. The students took a pledge to stand against bullying, marked an indelible impact of this theme on everyone.

# ASSEMBLY ON "THE ROAD TO SUCCESS: A JOURNEY, NOT A DESTINATION" GRADE IV-C



The Grade IV-C assembly began with a prayer. The students introduced the topic with a motivated thought on determination and hard work. A few students also gave a speech on how success is about growth and learning, not just the end goal, which was followed by a motivational song that inspired everyone to stay focused on their goals. The event featured the distribution of Sports Day medals by the guest Dr. Anil Vashishtha Sir and Ma'am Coordinator, celebrated students' achievements.

The assembly concluded with a motivational speech by Dr. Anil Vashishtha Sir, encouraged the students to stay resilient and focused on their journey to success.



## SPECIAL ASSEMBLY ON "FESTIVALS AND COFFEE MORNING SESSION" GRADE II-C

Our shining stars of Grade II-C presented an engaging assembly on the theme of Festivals. It began with a prayer and highlighted the significance of religious, national, and harvest festivals. The students performed Raag Bhupali, recited a poem, and concluded with an energetic dance performance, earned applause from the audience.

The event was followed by a Coffee Morning Session with the KRM team which fostered discussions on nurturing curiosity, creativity, and a strong foundation for the learners. The assembly reflected the students' enthusiasm and collaborative spirit.

#### **BEYOND CLASSROOM**

#### NCC ORIENTATION FOR STUDENTS OF GRADES VIII & IX

The school hosted an inspiring NCC orientation session for its Grade VIII and IX students in the Multi-Purpose Hall on November 05, 2024, led by ANO/CTO Mr. Adarsh Sharma. The session focused on the transformative role of the National Cadet Corps (NCC) in fostering discipline, leadership, and nation-building skills among youth. Mr. Sharma outlined the numerous benefits and opportunities available through NCC, encouraged students to explore this path of personal and national service.

The Principal, Mrs. Sonia Anil Verma, further motivated students by emphasized on its significance to build character development and resilience. The session left the students enthusiastic about joining NCC and inspired by it.





















#### RASHTRIYA EKTA DIWAS 2024

The proud Mangalites celebrated Rashtriya Ekta Diwas in the school premises on October 29, 2024 in honour of Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel. During the ceremony, the students took a pledge to uphold India's unity and integrity, reinforced values of harmony, brotherhood, and commitment to national security.

This observance served as a powerful reminder of our collective responsibility to nurture unity amidst diversity, inspired each participant to contribute towards building a stronger, more united India.

#### VIGILANCE AWARENESS WEEK

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A session was held for girls of Grades V to VIII to raise awareness about hygiene, well-being, and the biological changes during puberty on August 22, 2024. It was conducted by Ms. Ankita Sukhwal, Senior Executive CSR with Unicharm India. It included a presentation on personal hygiene, puberty and emotional health, followed by an interactive Q&A. The initiative aimed to empower students with knowledge and foster a supportive environment, helping them to manage their health and well-being confidently.



It was with great pride that our school celebrated Vigilance Awareness Week 2024 from October 30, 2024, to November 04, 2024, with activities to promote integrity and discourage corruption.

The students participated enthusiastically in a poster-making activity based on the theme, "Say No to Corruption "showcased impactful artwork that highlighted the importance of honesty. Additionally, Grades IX to XII took a solemn pledge in their classrooms to uphold integrity and avoid corrupt practices.

This observance instilled a spirit of vigilance and responsibility among students, aligned with the school's commitment to nurturing ethical values and creating a corruption-free society.













#### VISIT TO BHARAT SHIKSHA EXPO

The Mangalites of Grades IX and XI visited the Expo Mart Centre in Greater Noida on November 12, 2024 to attend the "Bharat Shiksha Expo." This educational exhibition aimed to showcase advancements, innovations, and various skills in the field of education.

During the visit, the students displayed keen interest in several exhibits, particularly in drone technology, robotics, and solar power utility. They had the opportunity to observe live demonstrations, interacted with industry experts, and learnt about the practical applications of these technologies. The visit allowed the students to engage with modern technological advancements and gained insights into the growing importance of these fields.

Overall, the visit to the Bharat Shiksha Expo proved to be an enriching experience, inspired the students to pursue their academic interests and consider emerging fields as future career options.



#### POSHAN ABHIYAAN ACTIVITY











Our school conducted various activities under the POSHAN Abhiyaan initiative, launched by the Hon'ble Prime Minister to improve the nutritional status of children and women from December 04-06, 2024 during Poshan Maah, the activities promoted health, nutrition awareness, and sustainability.

The program began with the Poshan Pledge, where students committed to maintain good health, promoted the message of healthy eating, and avoid junk food. A group discussion on

"Let's Talk About Anaemia" educated students on its causes, symptoms, and prevention, encouraged healthier choices. The students also participated in a sapling plantation drive to promote environmental care and an essay competition on "Shree Anna: The Powerhouse of Nutrients". They explored the benefits of millets and healthy eating practices. These activities reflected the objectives of POSHAN Abhiyaan and fostered awareness about nutrition, hygiene, and environmental responsibility.

#### **CONSTITUTION DAY CELEBRATION**













The Constitution Day was celebrated in the school on November 26, 2024, to commemorate the adoption of the Indian Constitution in 1949. The event aimed to nurture national pride and promoted awareness of constitutional values among students. The celebration began with the students viewing the live telecast of the Constitution Day program from Lok Bhawan, Lucknow, connected them to the larger national observance. Followed by a solemn pledge to uphold the Constitution and its principles.

A creative drawing activity was also conducted to engaged students, helped them to express their understanding of constitutional ideals through art. The event concluded with an inspiring human chain activity, symbolized unity and dedication to the values of justice, equality, and liberty enshrined in the Constitution.



## SUCCESSFUL COMPLETION OF NCC SELECTION PROCESS

The NCC selection process in our school was held on December 06, 2024, overseen by Sub Naseeb and PI staff from the NCC Unit. The process included physical tests, a medical examination, and a written test. AO Sub Lt (Retd.) Jitendra Kumar and Mr. Adarsh Sharma (ANO/CTO) were also a part of the selection process.

#### VISIT TO THE TIMES OF INDIA BOOTCAMP AT

#### MAYUR VIHAR, NEW DELHI

On December 23, 2024, twenty-eight students of Grade XI accompanied by two teachers, attended the Times NIE Bootcamp in Karthiayani Socio- Cultural Complex, Mayur Vihar, New Delhi in collaboration with the UK International London Beauty School. This seminar provided a comprehensive overview of the flourishing Beauty and Wellness Industry, highlighted career pathways, practical skill-building, and academic opportunities. The key highlights included career pathways, grooming workshop, career guidance, UGC Approved degrees and skill development.

The session stressed soft skills like communication, creativity and confidence.

The students found the event insightful and inspiring, and appreciated the hands-on learning and professional interactions. It emphasized the session's role in broadening their career perspectives.



## ACTIVITIES OF PARIKSHA PE CHARCHA 2025



The school organized various activities to celebrate Pariksha Pe Charcha 2025 as 'Jan Andolan' from January 12, 2025, to January 23, 2025. These activities included kho-kho game and poster-making activity.

These activities successfully raised awareness about PPC 2025 and helped students to prepare mentally for the exams.









#### ROAD SAFETY AWARENESS PROGRAM

The students of our school attended a Road Safety Awareness Program at Bharat Expo Mart, Knowledge Park-III on January 23, 2025, which was organized by the Traffic Department. The event featured a human chain and oath ceremony honoured Subhash Chandra Bose, along with demonstrations, virtual simulations, and mock driving sessions which promoted road safety and responsible behaviour. The program inspired students to act responsibly and spread awareness in their communities.







#### PARIKSHA PE CHARCHA 2025

Pariksha Pe Charcha 2025 took place on February 10, 2025, at 11:00 AM. Broadcast live across various platforms. The event focused on helping students to manage exam stress and cultivate a positive mindset. The broadcast was viewed by the students of our school within the school premises.

During the event, the Prime Minister shared invaluable advice on dealing with pressure, time management, and adopting a holistic approach to learning. The students engaged in an interactive dialogue, gained both motivation and practical strategies. The discussion underscored the importance of creativity, discipline, and the integration of technology in education. Furthermore, the session highlighted the need for students to strike a balance between academic and extra -curricular activities, promoted confidence and a stress-free approach to their exams.

#### STUDENTS LED INITIATIVES

#### "IMAGINE TOMORROW": AN INTER-SCHOOL COMPETITION

The school in collaboration with the Indian Institute of Art and Design (IIAD), hosted an Inter-School Competition on October 18, 2024. The event featured categories such as Fashion Design, Wall Art, Structural Design, Filmmaking, and Waste to Utility, with 150 students from eight schools of Delhi NCR.

The competition aimed to explore newage careers, promoted creative learning and fostered problem-solving skills among students. The event began with a traditional lamp-lighting ceremony and a dance performance titled "Awakening the Shakti Within."

The Principal, Mrs. Sonia Anil Verma, encouraged students to unlock their potential. The jury, included experts like Mrs. Boishali Sinha and Mr. Shivam, praised the participants' creativity and innovation.

Highlights of the winners included:

- Fashion Design: 1st Lotus Valley International School, Noida
- Wall Art: 1st Delhi Public School, Gautam Buddh Nagar
- Structures: 1st K.R. Mangalam World School, Greater Noida
- Filmmaking: 1st Delhi Public School, Gautam Buddh Nagar
- Waste to Utility: 1st Delhi Public School, Gautam Buddh Nagar



The event concluded with a vote of thanks and recognition for the jury and IIAD's efforts. The competition celebrated the blend of art, design, and technology, marked a successful and enriching experience for all.

#### **MOCK PARLIAMENT SESSION:**

#### "A STEP TOWARDS DEMOCRATIC LEARNING"







The event witnessed active participation from 25 students of Grades IX to XII, who took on diverse roles such as the Prime Minister, Opposition Leaders, Ministers, Speaker of the House, and Secretary-General. The session began with an opening ceremony, where the Speaker of the House provided a brief overview of parliamentary procedures. This was followed by the introduction of the Data Protection Bill, sparking insightful discussions. The Question Hour addressed various agendas, including the Farmer's Bill, Ayushman Bharat Card, NeVA Portal, Agniveer Scheme, and Bulldozer-Raj in Uttar Pradesh, simulated the functioning of a real parliamentary session.

The event concluded with the wider horizons of the students understanding of the workings of the parliamentary system and its role in governance, fostered an appreciation for the democratic process.

## CLASS REFLECTION CBSE NATIONAL ADOLESCENT SUMMIT 2024













The Central Board of Secondary Education hosted the National Adolescent Summit 2024 on December 20-21 at the National Bal Bhawan, New Delhi. The summit, themed "Life Skills, Mental Health, Safety, and Well-being," aligned with the vision of NEP 2020 and aimed to promote holistic student development.

Inaugurated by the CBSE Chairman Rahul Singh, the summit emphasized adolescence as a transformative stage, requiring education beyond academics to develop life skills and resilience. Himanshu Gupta, CBSE Secretary, highlighted the need for emotional and psychological support in schools to address student stress and mental health concerns.

Over 850 participants from India and abroad attended. Our school proudly participated in various events, which included:

- Health and Wellness Exhibition: Projects by Shivam Dass, Soumya, Pahul Kaur, and Aakarsh.
- Yuva Sansad: Shivam Dass debated on key youth issues.
- Kalakriti & Tarang: Art and classical dance by Shivam and Pahul Kaur.
- Manovriti, Samvedna, and Q-Smart: Film screenings, mentoring sessions, and a quiz competition.

The summit concluded with Rajat Sharma, advocated for ethical media practices and critical thinking among youth.

#### CAREER GUIDANCE AND MENTORING

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## CAREER COUNSELING SESSION FOR GRADES IX AND X

We were pleased to host a career counseling session for our Grades IX and X students on February 5, 2025, conducted by Mr. Uttam Kumar Roy, a seasoned career coach and corporate trainer from Career Launcher. The session aimed to guide students in making informed decisions about their future career paths.Mr. Roy shared his expertise on the importance of wise career stream selection, emphasized how this choice can significantly impact future opportunities. He guided the students on available career opportunities, explored various streams such as Science, Commerce, Humanities, and more.

The interactive session encouraged students to ask questions, engaged with the speaker, and gained valuable insights into their future career paths. Mr. Roy's engaging presentation style and real-life examples made the session informative, interactive, and enjoyable.









#### **EVENT HIGHLIGHTS**

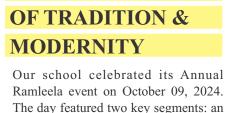
#### RAMLEELA CELEBRATION:











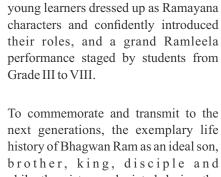
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engaging role-play activity by students from Pre-Nursery to Grade II, where





next generations, the exemplary life history of Bhagwan Ram as an ideal son, brother, king, disciple and philanthropist was depicted during the celebration. It was unique in respect of its presentation, dialogue delivery, sanctity, religious harmony and discipline. The entire school witnessed the performances, reinforced the significance of cultural traditions and values.

#### **SPORTS DAY CELEBRATION 2024**



The school celebrated its Sports Day on November 13-14, 2024, filled with enthusiasm, energy, and a spirit of healthy competition.

The first day witnessed a series of thrilling events and activities for the students from Grades VI to XI. The day began with a vibrant Zumba performance, followed by an impressive march past by the school houses. Each house demonstrated discipline and unity, setting the tone for the day.

The Guest of honour, Dr. Shitla Prasad, graced the occasion and applauded the school's efforts in promoting sportsmanship and discipline. Drawn from his vast experience as a mentor at the NDAAcademy, he inspired the students with his words of wisdom, emphasized on the importance of perseverance and teamwork in shaping future leaders.

Track events and fun-filled activities saw the participation of approximately 108 students, who competed with vigour and determination. The competitions offered the students with more opportunities to excel in various categories, fostered a

spirit of teamwork and achievement. The "Best House Trophy" was proudly claimed by Sapphire House for their outstanding performances across all events.

The second day merged the joy of Children's Day with the excitement of Sports Day, created an unforgettable experience for the students. Around 190 students participated in various activities and competitions. The celebrations began with their enthusiasm and competitive spirit.

The event was honoured in the presence of Lt Col Kautuk

Srivastav, an esteemed officer from the Armed Forces and a passionate sports enthusiast.

He commended the school for fostering a culture of physical fitness and holistic development, shared anecdotes from his life to inspire the students.

The two-day event was a grand success, filled with energy, teamwork, and the joy of participation. It not only showcased the students' talent and hard work but also emphasized the importance of sports in building character and fostering camaraderie.

#### WINTER CARNIVAL 2024

The Winter Carnival at our school was organized on December 28, 2024, was a delightful event that brought joy and excitement to students, teachers, and parents alike. The vibrant atmosphere was enhanced by numerous stalls offered handcrafted items, artistic creations, and fun activities like nail painting and fun experiences like "design your own cupcake," which were a hit among the visitors. Thrill-seekers, especially older kids, enjoyed the exhilarating dragon ride, while younger children had a wonderful time on fun rides like the carousel and trampoline. Prize-winning games such as "Pop the Balloon" and "Hit the Target" added to the excitement.

Adding to the festive cheer were beautiful dance and music performances by students and teachers, who showcased their talent

and brought everyone together with their enthusiasm. The lively performances, such as dance performances, rock n roll, Western dance with style jazz moves, Fancy Dress, Skit based on Jesus's birth, and Open Mic Program captivated the audience and added to the festive charm. Food stalls were another highlight, offered a variety of delicious options. Traditional winter treats like hot chocolate and roasted chestnuts were served alongside popular snacks like crispy dosas, noodles, fries, and cake pops. Sweet treats like freshly baked cakes and traditional Indian desserts further enhanced the celebrations.

Overall, the school's Winter Carnival was a perfect blend of fun, creativity, and community spirit, left everyone with cherished memories and a big smile.



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## BOOK EXHIBITION • FUN IN THE SCHOOL

Our students enjoyed an exciting Scholastic Book Exhibition filled with storytelling, creative workshops, and a fantastic selection of books on December 26-27,2024.

The event sparked curiosity and a love for reading and created magical moments for everyone involved.

A heartfelt gratitude to the team members of Scholastic, dedicated teachers, and supporting parents for their engagement in making this event a success.

Together, we're inspiring young minds to dream big and embrace lifelong learning!

#### SCHOOL RANKING AND AWARDS



#### **CBSE NATIONAL ADOLESCENT SUMMIT 2024**

The school has been awarded the esteemed SDG Recognition Award as ESD Champion for its exemplary contributions toward achieving the United Nations' Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs). The award ceremony, hosted by ARC (ARCedtech Solutions Pvt. Ltd.), was held on December 6–7, 2024, at the IMF Headquarters in Delhi, brought together leaders in education, sustainability, and innovation. The recognition highlighted the school's efforts to integrate sustainability into education and community development. Key initiatives include incorporating topics like waste management, water conservation, and climate change into the curriculum; organized plantation drives, plastic-free campaigns, and clean-up activities; and promoted green practices like rainwater harvesting and composting. Led by Ms. Vandna Thakur, the school delegation presented its initiatives to an esteemed panel. The award celebrated the school's alignment with SDG Goals 4 (Quality Education) and 13 (Climate Action), inspired continued efforts toward a sustainable future.

#### ACCOMPLISHMENT

#### **ROBO CUP JUNIOR NORTH 2024**

It was an elated moment for us as our school has once again demonstrated its commitment to academic excellence, skill development, and holistic growth. The school's participation in the prestigious RoboCup Regionals on November 9-10, 2024, marked a proud moment as two teams made an impressive debut among 78 teams from leading schools across North India.

- Team 1: Bhavya (Grade VIII), Aarush (Grade VIII), and Aadvan (Grade VII) secured 6th position.
- Team 2: Aradhya (Grade IX) and Vedansh (Grade IX) achieved 12th position.

Both teams have qualified for the national competition, scheduled to take place in Bangalore in January 2025.

The Principal Mrs. Sonia Anil Verma stated, on nurturing confident, skilled, and compassionate learners who can thrive in a rapidly changing world. The achievements of our students reflected their determination and the school's vision of education with empowerment."

The school continues to inspire excellence, preparing students for a bright future ahead.





#### ROBO CUP NATIONALS

RoboCup is a global robotics competition that promotes AI-driven problem-solving through challenges in rescue, soccer, and industrial automation. Regionally, it has grown into a platform where students apply machine learning, autonomous navigation, and sensor-based decision-making in real-world tasks.

Robo cup Nationals was held on January 11-12, 2025, in Bengaluru. Our students—Adhvan, Bhavya, and Aradhya—competed in the Rescue Line category. Their AI-powered robot autonomously navigated obstacles, identified victims, and performed rescue operations using sensor fusion and adaptive algorithms.

Despite being first-time national participants, their technical expertise and AI-driven strategies were praised.

This milestone reinforces our school's commitment to AI in education, inspiring students to explore automation, robotics, and intelligent systems for future challenges.

#### SPORTS ACHIEVEMENT

#### GREAT TRIUMPH AT DISTRICT GYMNASTICS CHAMPIONSHIPS



Divik Mishra of Grade II-D, a budding gymnast, has emerged as the overall gold medalist at the third Gautam Buddha Nagar District Gymnastics Championship, organized by the Gymnastics Association of Gautam Buddha Nagar, Uttar Pradesh was held on November 09-10, 2024.

It drew young talent from across the district. Divik's performance highlighted his dedication and skill, secured his place as one of the top young gymnasts in the region. He competed in the MAG (Men's Artistic Gymnastics) category for boys under six years. Divik secured a remarkable total of seven medals, including five gold and two silver.

We are proud of Divik's accomplishments and wish him continued success in future competitions.

#### STATE GYMNASTICS CHAMPIONSHIP

We are delighted to share that, Divik Mishra; a student of Grade II-D has proudly represented the school and the Gautam Buddha Nagar District in the 41st UP State Gymnastics Championship - Men's Artistic Gymnastics (MAG) under the Under-6 category.

The championship was held at Khel Gaon Public School, Prayagraj, Uttar Pradesh, from November 29, 2024, to December 01, 2024.

Divik Mishra showcased an exceptional talent and dedication, earned a bronze medal in the competition and brought immense pride to the school.

Heartiest congratulations to Divik on this commendable achievement.



#### DISTRICT SHOOTING COMPETITION

It was with great pride to announce that Veer Bhartiya, a student of Grade VII represented the school at the 4th Kamla Sukul Memorial District Shooting Competition held from November 16, 2024, to November 20, 2024, at Bhagirath Public School, Ghaziabad. The event witnessed participation from twenty schools across Delhi NCR, competed in the U-12 Air Pistol Man Category.

We are thrilled to share that he secured the second position, won a prestigious silver medal with a remarkable score of 331/400.



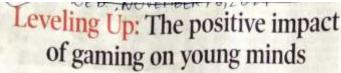
#### **MEDIA HIGHLIGHTS**











aming has become a popular activity for kids and teenagers all around the world. Many people think that playing games is just a waste of time, but that's not true! When done in a balanced way gaming can actually have many advantages.

#### Development of a Sound Mind

Playing games can help in the development of a sound and healthy mind. Many games require players to think carefully, plan their next moves, and solve problems. This can improve their thinking skills and make their minds sharper

#### Connects Us with Like-Minded People

It helps us connect with other people who share the same interests. When we play games, we can meet friends from all over the world. This helps us make new friends and build strong connections.

#### Helps in Critical Thinking

Many games are de-signed to make us think critically. They often have puzzles, challenges, and tasks that require players to think carefully about what to do next. This helps improve our critical think-ing skills.

#### **Boosts Teamwork**

A lot of games today require teamwork to win. In multiplayer games, players have to work together to achieve a common goal. This helps kids and teenagers learn how to cooperate, communicate effectively, and work as a team.

#### **Encourages Quick Decision Making**

Many games are fast-paced and require players to make quick decisions. This helps improve our ability to think on our feet and make decisions quickly Being able to make quick decisions is a valuable skill, especially in situations where we need to act fast, such as during emergencies or while playing sports.

#### Physical Presence is Not Required

One of the biggest advantages of online gaming is that it does not require people to be physically present in the same location. We can play with friends who live far away or even in different countries. It allows us to stay connected and enjoy

fun times together, no mat-ter where we are.

#### Conclusion

It helps develop a strong mind, improve critical thinking and decision-making skills, and teaches teamwork

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