

SCHOOL ANNUAL REPORT
SESSION 2020-21

Pacific World School

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The pandemic brought about a transition in the field of Education, yet we kept moving; enabling our learners to learn, evolve and grow. It is our privilege and pleasure to present the Annual Report for the session 2020-21.

AWARDS AND ACHIEVEMENTS

Winning is our habit, and when we are on a winning spree, we are a force to be reckoned with!

It is our proud privilege to share with you all that in the session 2020-21, our school added various feathers to its illustrious cap, irrespective of the pandemic.

- On Nov 2, 2020, Pacific World School was declared a **CBSE Affiliated Senior Secondary School**.
- On Oct 2, 2020, the Times School Survey recognised Pacific World School as the **Top School in Greater Noida Innovators Category**.
- We proudly announce that our school was also declared as the **Best School in Greater Noida West by Go4 Reviews**.
- The students of Pacific World School made the school proud by winning accolades in various inter-school competitions:
 - I position in **Veer Raas Kavita** and **History in Making**, II position in **Kitchen Scientist** and III position in **Flags, Forks and Flavours** organised by The Manthan School (Edge 2020).

- I position in **Nose for News** and **Math Genius**, III position in **Hasya Katha** and **Coollest RJ** organised by Sarvottam International School (Spectrum).
- I position in **Doodle Artist**, **Sa Re Ga Ma** and **Ad Mad**, II position in **Poem (GEDICHT)**, III position in **MS Paint Master**, **Mask Making** and **Budding Artist** organised by Sarvottam International School (Rendezvous).
- II position in **Math Whizz** and **Song of Water** organised by G D Goenka Public School (Infinity).
- II position in **Hop-N-Prop**, III position in **Scrapkins of the Ramp** and **Celestial Being** organised by Deep Memorial Public School.
- III position in **Origami Art Competition** organised by The Millennium School (Kaalangan).
- I position in **I Know What I See** and III position in **The Incipient Minds** organised by BGS International School.
- I position in **Tribal Mask Making** and **Colour My World**, II position in **Little VJ's**, III position in **Mime and Innovative Minds** organised by Salvation Tree School.
- The students of Pacific World School also participated in the Quarantine-Online Debate **NewGen Round 'Behes 2020'** and **secured 5th,28th and 29th rank as Best Speakers** amongst 300 participants.
- The Pacificans bagged an award in the Special Mention Category in two **Online MUNs**- Sandipani Model United Nations 2020 and Erudite Virtual Youth Parliament.
- Our 'Three Musketeers' bagged the title of '**National Champions**' in the fundraiser debate organized by Behes Organisation in May 2020.
- Three of our students proved their mettle on the national stage by securing **All India Rank - 6,7 and 41** at **Unified Cyber Olympiad 2020**.

SCHOOL FUNCTIONS

● **EARTH DAY CELEBRATIONS**

Earth Day was celebrated with great vigour and enthusiasm at Pacific World School, various activities such as, the earth day special assembly, tree plantation drive, poster making and collage making competitions etc were undertaken to sensitise students to the plight of mother nature in the

21st century.

- **NATIONAL GIRL CHILD'S DAY CELEBRATION**

With the aim of creating socially aware citizens of tomorrow, a peer teaching session was conducted wherein the students of Class VIII organised a session on the Child Marriage (Abolition) Act for the students of Grade V. The session included students showing Powerpoint Presentations, Discussions, Quiz and a Reflection Activity.

- **TALENT SHOW ON CHILDREN'S DAY**

The COVID 19 pandemic had turned our lives upside down. Lockdowns, school closures, and physical distancing took a toll on the emotional and mental well being of children. In order to lift their spirits and celebrate the artist within each one of them, a Virtual Children's Day Party and Talent Show was organised.

- **CELEBRATION OF FESTIVAL OF LIGHTS - JOY OF GIVING**

The students and teachers celebrated the Festival of Lights with Music and Art. The mellifluous notes created a serene atmosphere and reflected the spirit of gratitude and love. Students participated enthusiastically in the campaign 'The Joy of Giving' by showing gratitude towards their grandparents, house-help, local vendors, guards etc. Respect towards Mother Nature was inculcated by upholding the flag of Green Diwali.

- **GANDHI JAYANTI CELEBRATIONS**

The Pacificans upheld the spirit of non violence and peace on the occasion of Gandhi Jayanti. They adorned themselves in Khadi clothes and discussed the importance of wearing homespun Indian clothes.

- **HINDI DIWAS**

Our mother tongue is reflection of our very personality. Students participated in various activities like poem recitation, story telling, debate etc. to pay homage to their mother tongue.

- **INTERNATIONAL DAY OF YOGA**

The morning of June 21, 2020 reverberated with vitality and positivity, as our students and mentors performed various yoga asanas in their homes. It was serene to watch our young Pacificans performing the asanas and understanding the significance of the day.

- **NELSON MANDELA INTERNATIONAL DAY**

On Nelson Mandela International Day, our students paid tribute to the anti-apartheid revolutionary political leader, 'Madiba'. They took a pledge to make a difference to our communities and make this world a better place. The young learners also recited the poem 'Invictus' by William Ernest Henley which motivated Nelson Mandela and other freedom fighters.

- **VIRTUAL INVESTITURE CEREMONY**

On Sep 29, 2020, a Virtual Investiture Ceremony to honour the Student Council Members for the session 2020-21 was organised. The sashes and badges were sent to student's home and parents were asked to do the honours on the virtual platform. Speaking on the occasion Principal Ms Seema Kaur extended warmest congratulations to all the office bearers and urged them to take up their responsibilities with utmost dedication and commitment.

- **VIRTUAL SCHOLASTIC BOOK FAIR**

In order to encourage our students to cherish reading and develop a steady friendship with books, Pacific World School, in collaboration with Scholastic, organised a virtual book fair. There was a vast collection of specially curated age-appropriate books for students to choose from. Children took a virtual tour of the fair along with their parents. The virtual book fair was an opportunity for parents to spend quality time with their children browsing through books. Scholastic ensured that the ordered books were delivered within a week.

- **CHRISTMAS DAY CELEBRATION**

Keeping the festive fervour alive, students presented foot tapping performances and sang in sync the Christmas Carols. The year was a tough one; yet the children kept their best foot forward spreading hope and optimism in every nook and cranny.

- **MENSTRUAL HYGIENE AWARENESS**

A workshop was conducted for girls of Grade VI to X by Procter and Gamble company. The objective was to create awareness and to highlight

the importance of good menstrual hygiene management among students.

- **MY SAFE PLACE AWARENESS**

Safety of each child is crucial and it all starts with how aware they are. The school took an initiative to conduct activities that made the children aware of Safe and Unsafe touch. How to respond in a given situation and the need to be alert was emphasised on.

WORKSHOPS FOR TEACHERS

The school also organised various sessions and workshops for teachers in collaboration with institutes of repute from time to time. COVID 19 did not deter our resilient teachers as they turned this setback into a comeback and seized this opportunity to invest in themselves and upgrade their skills. During the lockdown period they attended a number of webinars to embrace new teaching skills and be empowered facilitators.

Workshops for Teachers-

- Tips on Online Teaching
- Unterrichten- Tips and Tricks
- Making Mathematics Teaching Relevant in the 21st Century
- Value Education
- Emotional Intelligence
- Managing Virtual Classes
- Happy Classrooms
- Die Ikonen Der Deutschen Geschichte
- Lesson Planning for Effective Teaching
- Social and Emotional Development of Students in the Present Scenario
- Math Pedagogy Workshop
- Hindi Webinar
- How to Teach Children Online and Overcome the Physical Distance
- Engaging and Motivating Through Visible Progress
- Jolly Phonics
- Teaching/Learning French in India

- Online Rope Skipping- Coaches Webinar and Training Certification
- Story Time, Early Times and Millennial Moms
- Writing Matters
- Scientific Temperament
- Online Certification on Sport Medicine-Understanding Sport Injuries Athlete 365
- 10 Days National Yoga Workshop on Lifestyle Management Through Yoga and Fitness
- Webinar on Fundamentals of Artificial Intelligence
- Foundation Course in Aerobics, Gymnastics for Coaches and Players
- What Needs to Change in the Mathematics Education in the 21st Century
- Well Being and Relationships in Classrooms
- National Webinar on Covid 19 and Physical Education Teachers Training Programme- Challenges and Opportunities
- Practical Guidelines to Help Make the Shift from Face to Face Teaching to Online Teaching

SPECIAL ASSEMBLIES

Theme Based Assemblies are something that every student at Pacific World School looks forward to. From celebrating special occasions to value based topics, these assemblies covered a wide range of learning objectives.

- Independence Day Assembly
- Earth Day Assembly
- Eid Assembly
- Mandela Day Assembly
- Diwali Assembly
- Janamashtami Assembly
- Basant Panchami Assembly
- Lohri Assembly
- Ek Bharat Shreshth Bharat Assembly
- Republic Day Assembly

INTRA-CLASS COMPETITIONS

In order to provide ample exposure to the students, various intra-class

competitions were also organised from time to time in which participation of all the students of a class was mandatory.

- Drawing Competition on Road Safety Week- Prep
- Bring and Brag Competition- Prep and I
- Hindi Poem Recitation Competition- Prep - II
- English Rhyme Recitation Competition- Nursery and Prep
- Diwali Craft Competition- Prep - I
- Colouring Competition- Nursery and Prep
- Role Play Competition- Prep - I
- Show and Tell Competition- Nursery
- English Handwriting Competition – I -II
- Just a Minute Competition - II
- Role Play on Community Helpers – II
- Rangoli Making Competition - II
- Christmas Craft Competition – I- II
- English Poem Recitation Competition - III
- Painting Competition - III-V
- Character Portrayal Competition -III- V
- Hindi Story Telling Competition – V
- Einstein in Me Competition - VI
- Debate Competition - VII
- Article Writing - VI,VII and IX
- Poster Making Competition on National Girl Child Day- VI,VII and IX
- Slogan Writing Competition on Child Marriage- VIII
- English Speech Competition on National Unity Day - VIII

VIRTUAL PARTIES AND FUN TIME ACTIVITIES

The pandemic dampened the festivities and the joy to meet our loved ones. To keep the spirit of fun and frolic alive, several virtual parties and activities were organised to bridge the gap of social voidness. The mentors made an all out effort to engage the children, and keep the sparkle of happiness and laughter resonate in their life during these trying times.

- Our Superheroes
- Animal Carnival
- Disney Theme Party
- Halloween Party
- Monsoon Special Rain Dance
- Brunch and Munch
- Around the World in Five Days

- Dino-mite Dinosaur Meet
- Vroom Vroom Car Week
- State Ambassadors
- Fit-astic Week
- Math Week Math-O-Magic
- Pet Day

VIRTUAL TRIPS

Trips and Excursions play a crucial role in the all round development of a child's personality. But the menacing pandemic brought a halt to these trips and curbed the wanderlust of many. An initiative was taken by the school to organise Virtual trips to enhance the learning curve of our learners by 'Seeing, Observing and Learning' and also to break the monotony of online classes.

- The Golden Temple
- The Red Fort
- Qutub Minar
- Hawa Mahal
- Lotus Temple
- Taj Mahal
- Disneyland
- Vegetable Souk Market in Dubai
- School Library

INFRASTRUCTURAL DEVELOPMENT

Infrastructure is the backbone of any educational institution and has to be fortified and revamped according to the changing times. In the year 2020, despite the pandemic leading to closure of schools, the school management developed three well-equipped and specialised labs. These labs were developed for the three major disciplines of Science (Physics, Chemistry and Biology) that students will opt for in classes XI and XII.

Physics Lab

The equipments are in place for conducting all optic experiments especially for the Sr Secondary classes. Prism, glass slabs, voltmeter, ammeter, rheostat etc. are provided so that our learners are able to practice and conduct the experiments at ease.

Chemistry Lab

Keeping in view the learning objectives of all experiments, the lab is equipped with the best of equipment to foster the learning spirit of our learners. 'Learning

by Doing' is essential,hence the school has provided with all the required apparatus and chemicals for a joyful learning process and successful conduct of experiments like volumetric analysis,salt analysis etc.

Biology Lab

The lab is developed to carry on experiments like isolating DNA,observing pollen germination,analysing soil's PH,water holding capacity etc.High end microscopes,slides,spirit lamps,specimens etc. are provided for successful conduct of experiments.

EDUCATION REDEFINED- EMBRACING NEW LEARNING EXPERIENCES

Unhindered, Unprecedented and Unconventional . . .

The Show Goes on at Pacific World School!

Nothing could dampen the spirits of the Pacificans as they engaged in a plethora of online activities to keep the wheel of learning and evolving moving.For the learners of the Pre-Primary Classes, a multitude of age-appropriate activities were taken up in the Session 2020-21 such as Storytelling, Salt Tracing, Collage Making, Sharing Time, Making Sensory Stations, Finger Gymming, Origami, Bring and Brag, Digit Garland Making etc.to ensure a holistic development. The legacy continues this year too as students engage in activities like Numbola, Word Bingo etc.

On the other hand, for learners of the Primary and Senior Classes various Discussions, Debates, Project Based Learning, Peer Teaching, PowerPoint Presentations, Online Tests through MS Forms etc. were organised to ensure maximum learning outcome. We have taken a step ahead this year by introducing varied Clubs fostering the talent of our learners!

The school has a coherent mantra of empowerment, empathy and excellence and it ensured the empowerment of its educators through various training sessions and enabled them to use various Microsoft tools like OneNote, Forms, Teams etc.

We have and we will keep moving with zeal to bring a smile on our students' visage.

Together We Are Unstoppable!