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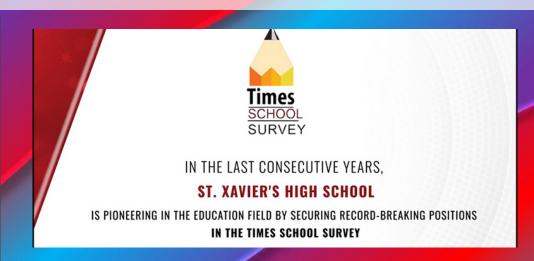
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St. Xavier's High School. Sector- 49 continued to work hard and deliver during these tough times of the pandemic. It speaks volumes about our dedication and commitment towards our profession. Its a proud moment for the school to secure the 3rd rank as Gurugram Leaders in times of India



"Everything you can imagine is real."

## CAMPUS BUZZ COLLOQUA



"The most overwhelming key to a child's success is the positive involvement of the parents and the teachers."

acquaint the parents about forthcoming assessments and answer their queries pertaining to the Pre-Mid and Mid-Term Examination, a special session of Colloquy- A Synopsis on Assessments was scheduled for 3rd July 2021 September, 2021 respectively students and parents of Grade V. The panel included the Headmistress and the teaching faculty of Grade V. We, at Xavier's, strongly believe that together we can give our children the roots to GROW and the wings to FLY. All queries regarding the assessment were addressed and resolved successfully.



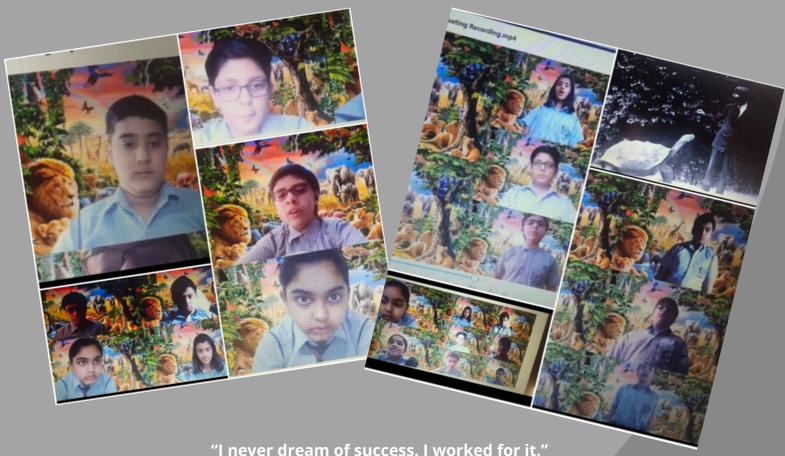
### MORNING ASSEMBLIES

The morning sets the day and the assembly paves the way for our students to rejuvenate their spirits, remain rooted in their moral values and unleash their vitality. Morning assemblies bring together the staff, students and cultivate a sense of belonging to the school. It gives a sense of pride to students as they get the best opportunity to display their hidden talents and imbibe new learnings with positivity. It is the beginning of each day that establishes a positive tone for teachers, students and encourages positive involvement of all students in the running of the assembly.

The students of Grade VG conducted their class assembly on July 7, 2021 which was based on the topic 'Caring for Wildlife' where the students shared the importance of wildlife in our lives.

The assembly began with Lord's Prayer followed by the thought and word of the day and National, International and Sports news. They discussed the requirement of wildlife for maintaining a balanced ecosystem.

The Assembly ended with the school song and National Anthem. All the students performed with great zeal and enthusiasm. Their performance was applauded by everyone.



#### VACCINATION DRIVE 2

St. Xavier's High School has always worked towards the sustainable development of society and its people.

The school firmly believes and works to bring more to the community. To offer convenient and exclusive access to the Covid-19 vaccine for all, the school (in partnership with Rosewood City) joined hands with Medanta Hospital to initiate the 2nd vaccination drive at the school campus. Many students and parents participated wholeheartedly and got themselves and their families vaccinated. It was a great initiative taken by the school for the betterment of society.



#### TECHNOVANZA



The Middle School was ecstatic to host Inter-Class Competition 'Technovanza: Innovating Ideas 8 Creating Working **Models'** students of Grades V competition aimed to enhance creative and logical thinking of the students by designing ingenious models outlining the importance of Science in our everyday life.

## Reading with KIDS A-Z

"That's the thing about books. They let you travel without moving your feet."

St. Xavier's High School proudly introduced Kids A-Z, which is a blended learning platform to enhance the 'Reading Skill' of the students. Kids A-Z collaborated with Raz Plus and included a robust collection of resources, lesson plans, activities, and quizzes. Resources are easily customized to fit any instructional model and promote 21st-century skills. It is a marvelous opportunity to let the students delve into the ocean of books with Kids A-Z, a great opportunity offered by the school for the benefit of its learners.



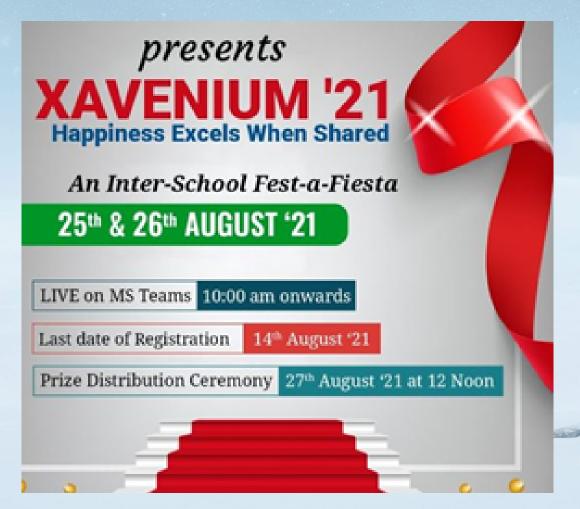
"If the plan doesn't work, change the plan, but never the goal."

#### Xavenium'21

'Happiness Excels When Shared'- Xavenium'21, an event designed and organised to give wings of imagination and bring out the uniqueness of each student.

Xavenium, An Inter-School Fest -E-Fiesta, a tradition of St. Xavier's High School, Sector- 49, which started in the session 2018-2019. The theme 'Happiness Excels when Shared' describes how we can multiply our happiness by sharing it with others. Xavenium 2021-22 was held for two consecutive days and was organized for grades K.G. to V. Day one event started with the curtain-raiser which included Lord's Prayer for His blessings followed by lamp lighting to wish all the participants good luck. Director-Principal Sir, Mr. John Rafi addressed the gathering and declared Xavenium, 2021-22 open.

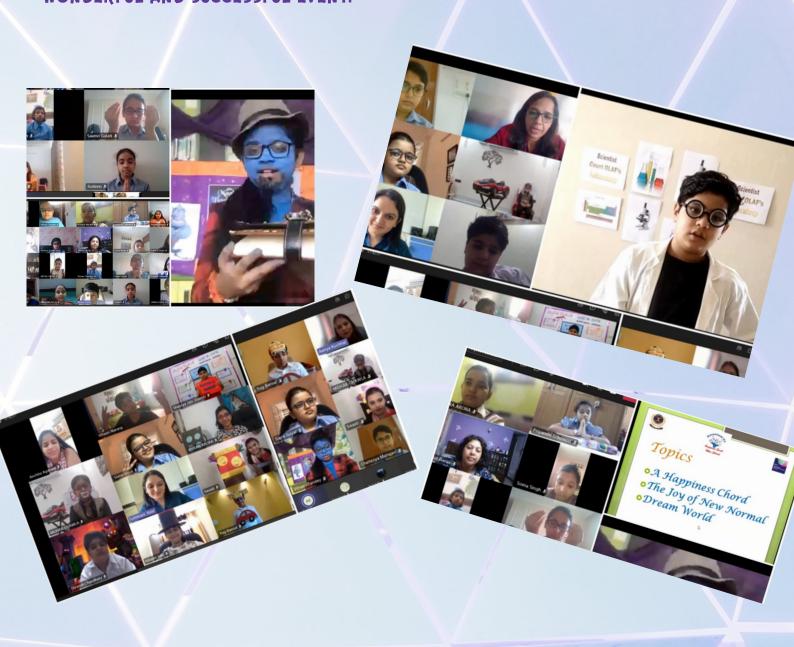
The competitions were a fusion of talent, creativity and imagination. More than 100 students participated from various schools in Gurgaon and other states. Though the physical presence of the students was missed in the school, the enthusiasm of the participants made it clear that going online cannot stop healthy competition and fun. Learning is possible in a virtual platform too.



## XAVENIUM'21 EVENTS

GRADE V CONDUCTED TWO ONLINE EVENTS FOR OUR GRACIOUS PARTICIPANTS "MAD ABOUT AD" AND "ARS POETICA". MANY ESTEEMED INSTITUTIONS PARTICIPATED ENTHUSIASTICALLY AND MADE THIS EVENT EPIC AND MEMORABLE.

UNDER THE AEGIS OF THE SCHOOL MANAGEMENT, XAVENIUM 21 TURNED OUT TO BE A WONDERFUL AND SUCCESSFUL EVENT.



## Welcoming the Director-Principal

"A leader is one who knows the ways, goes the way and shows the way".

St. Xavier's High School welcomed Mr. John Rafi, Former Principal of La Martiniere for boys, Kolkata, as the new Director-Principal of the institution. We are sure that with his energy, enthusiasm, as well as focus on education and learning our school, will achieve greater excellence. Under his leadership and guidance, the school will reach a new level of glory.

Being a Good Leader isn't about having power over others, but about instilling power in others."

#### St.Xavier's High School

SECTOR 49, GURGAON

Welcomes

the New Principal to join us in the journey of learning & growth and to support us in taking the revolutionary legacy of decades forward towards success.



Mr. John Rafi Director-Principal, St Xavier's High School, Sector 49

Formerly Principal of La Martiniere for Boys, Kolkata

"Freedom is never dear at any price. It is the breath of life. What would a man not pay for living?" - Mahatma Gandhi

The Independence Day Celebration gripped the XAVERIANS!! While it was natural to celebrate our national icons, there was also a need to recognize the contribution of the many unsung heroes whose countless acts of valour made the British guiver. We often take for granted the contributions of many, who are responsible for building the foundation of a free country. This year, the Xaverians proudly presented 'Shaan-e-Tiranga' on the occasion of 75th Independence Day to pay tribute and gratitude to the silent heroes, the fruits of whose selfless efforts are being reaped by us today. This consecutive mega event of 7 days at St Xavier's High School, Sector 49, Gurgaon commenced from 9th of August till 15th of August, 2021. The sevenday long journey showcased the "The **Unheard Tales of the Unsung Heroes of India"** 





"Many of the bravest never are known and get no praise. But that does not lessen their bravery!"

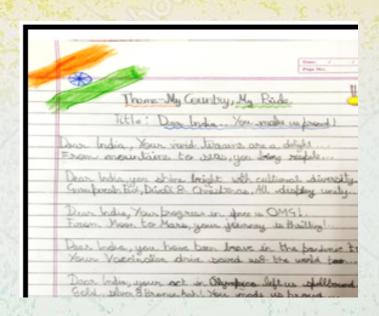
As part of our ongoing celebration on the occasion of the 75th Independence Day, the students of Grade V joined hands to pay tribute and gratitude to the silent and unsung heroes Senapati Bapat & Bhikaiji Cama. It was a stupendous webinar, magnificently coordinated. The students of Grade V were applauded and appreciated for their brilliant performance and delivery.

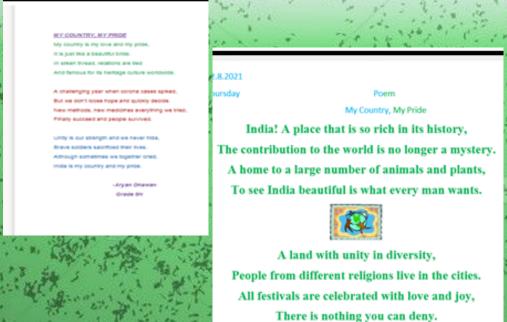


E-Competitions encourage students to adopt innovative techniques and develop their ideas and skills.

On the occasion of Independence Day, an 'Inter Class Poem Composition Competition' for Grades V was organized to motivate the students to exhibit their hidden potential. This competition "Words World" was based on the Theme- "MY COUNTRY, MY PRIDE". Students participated enthusiastically and made the event a grand success.

# My Nation, My Pride My Nation, My Pride my salute to the freedom fighters who died. Bodies battered and mind shattered. They still carried on because Freedom mattered. So many people like you and me, all led the freedom movement to set us free. Too many did we lose and too many did bleed, to free our nation and not for their need. Forget them not nor their deeds of yore, for they must be remembered and adored. This is the least we can do for those who died, with freedom in their mind and flag on their side. My Nation, My Pride, my salute to the Freedom fighters who died.







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INTER CLASS SOLO DANCE COMPETITION

#### MYSTICAL STEPS

On the occassion of the 75th Independence Day

An Inter-Class Solo Dance Competition

Theme: Incredible India

13th August 21 - Mystical Steps - Solo Dance
Competition

We at St. Xavier's High School, sincerely believe that every child has the talent, ability or skill to succeed in life. So, on the occasion of Independence Day, an Inter-class Solo Dance Competition for grade V was organized to motivate the students to exhibit their hidden potential and be a part of the magnificent competition- 'Mystical Steps', based on the Theme- 'Incredible India'. Shining stars of grade V indulged wholeheartedly and performed beautifully in the solo dance competition.









This 15th August we celebrated the 75th Independence Day of India. To mark the occasion, St. Xavier's High School hosted "Jashn-e- Azadi", an online musical evening with songs sung by the Xaverians to instill the feeling of Nationalism in each one of us. We all relived our memories of patriotic songs with the talented Xaverians who had woven the spirit of Independence. It



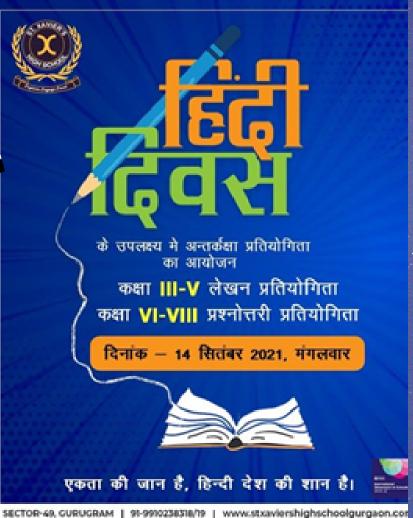


HINDI IS THE PRIDE OF INDIA,
HINDI IS THE IDENTITY OF EVERY INDIAN,
HINDI IS A UNIQUE TRADITION OF UNITY,
HINDI IS THE DESIRE OF EVERY HEART

Hindi Day is celebrated all over India on 14th September every year. We celebrate this day with enthusiasm every year to show respect towards Hindi language. Hindi is one of the main languages spoken in the world. It is a reflection of our country's culture and culture. Our official language is Hindi which is one of the world's languages. It is a simple language that is easy to speak and understand.

On this occasion various activities were organized by the School. For grade V, Hindi Writing Competition was conducted in which all the students participated with zeal





"Instead of wondering when your next vacation is, maybe you should set up a life you don't

18 need to escape from." XAVRONICLE:VOLUME II

## CONTEMPORARIES: COMPETITIONS

#### **Junior Math Championship**

Times NIE in association with Matific organized a Junior Math Championship for grades Nursery to 6th which was held on 11th & 12th August, 2021. This was India's First Online Gamified Math Competition.

This competition provided an opportunity for children to practice the subject, boosted their confidence, and developed a growth mindset in the subject. With no registration fee, free access to the platform to educate and prepare for the competition, it was a great way for students to revive their interest in Mathematics from the comfort of their homes. Many students of grade V participated in this epic event and bought laurels to the school.



#### **EUNOIA: An Inter School Competition**

We are proud to share the accomplishments of our young Xaverian in EUNOIA: An Inter-School Competition hosted by Shalom Group of Schools where the 2nd position for the event-'Masquerade Mask' was won by Praneel Bembey of V D.



"A champion needs a motivation above and beyond winning."

""When the root is deep, there is no reason to fear the wind"

#### TOURNEY OF CONTEMPORARIES: COMPETITIONS

**DYNAMIX - 2021** 

We are proud to share the accomplishments of our young Xaverians in an Inter School Competition- DYNAMIX held virtually by DPS, Maruti Kunj on 22nd August, 2021. 1st/Position was bagged by Myra Kaur of V A for Kavita Lekhan and Vachan.





"Your best teacher is your last mistake"

#### TOURNEY OF CONTEMPORARIES: COMPETITIONS

#### **MATHEMATICAL EUPHORIA'21**

We are ecstatic to share the exciting news of our shining star who have brought laurels to the school by excelling in the hallowalized Euphuria 21 organised by Salwan Public School, Sec-15 (II), Gurgaan, in association with Gurgaan

Dhruv Jain of Grade V- D bagged the First Position of Math Story Board.

Progressive Schools Council.

The school takes pride in his achievement!



"It's not whether you win or lose, it's how you play the game."

#### TOURNEY OF THE COMPETITIONS

"Monthly Battle for Being MOST **COGNIZANT - A Vigilant Eye"** 



ADIK JAIN

OF

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"THE MONTHLY BATTLE FOR BEING MOST COGNIZANT A VIGILANT EYE

> INTER CLASS CURRENT AFFAIRS QUIZ FOR THE

#### MONTH OF JULY

SESSION 2021-22





St. XAULER'S HIGH SCHOOL

Sector-49, Gurgaon

#### CONGRATULATES GRADE V WINNERS!



First Position ASHNA SAMTANI



GARVIT GUPTA



Third Position SAANAVI SAHU

OF

"THE MONTHLY BATTLE FOR BEING MOST COGNIZANT A VIGILANT EYE

INTER CLASS CURRENT AFFAIRS QUIZ

FOR THE

#### MONTH OF AUGUST

SESSION 2021-22





St. XAUIER'S HIGH SCHOOL

Sector-49, Gurgaon

(Affiliated to CBSE)

#### **CONGRATULATES GRADE V WINNERS!**



SAKSHAM ANAND



**VANYA THAPAR** 





ARYAN DHAWAN ANNYSA PATTANAYAK

OF

"THE MONTHLY BATTLE FOR BEING MOST COGNIZANT" A VIGILANT EYE

SPECIAL EDITION

DEDICATED TO THE FATHER OF THE NATION!

ON THE OCCASION OF GANDHI JAYANTI

SESSION 2021-22





## TOURNEY OF THE COMPETITIONS

#### Inter Class Poetry & Solo Dance Competition



ST. XAVIER'S HIGH SCHOOL

**Result Sheet** 

**Inter Class Poetry Composition Competition** 

Held On 12th August, 2021

Class V

**Words World** 

"MY COUNTRY, MY PRIDE"

Congratulations

Position	Winners
First	Prancel Bembey (VD)
Second	Andya Dua (VB) & Anrohi Srivastava (VF)
Third	Aryan Dhawan (VH) & Nitsa Sharma (V E)
Good Efforts	Allaha Singh (VG), Aricen Kaur Arora (VH), Mayukh Mitra (VA), Ranveer Dhankar (VA) & Reyansh Das (VA)







ST. XAVIER'S HIGH SCHOOL

**Result Sheet** 

**Inter Class Solo Dance Competition** 

Held On 13 August, 2021

Class V

**Mystical Steps** 

Theme- Incredible India

Congratulations

Position	Winners
First	Ananya Maheshwari (V C)
Second	Shagun Jain (V E) & Vanya Thapar (V C)
Third	Rahini Makin (V G) & Ashna Samtani (V A)
Good Efforts	Aryan Dhawan (V H), Mehr Kang (V A), Rubeen Arora (V D), Siana (V D) & Yashasvi Royzada (V I)
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## TOURNEY OF THE COMPETITIONS

#### **Hindi Diwas** Competition



ST. XAVIER'S HIGH SCHOOL

**Result Sheet** 

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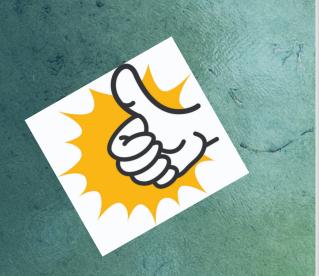
Held On 14 September, 2021

Class V

हिंदी दिवस

#### Congratulations

Position	Winners
First	Aadhya Amar (V B)
Second	Ananaya Mahoshwari (V C)
Third	Aaryan Dhawan (VH)
Good Efforts	Prachi Prakash (V B)
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ST. XAVIER'S HIGH SCHOOL

**Result Sheet** 

**Inter class Handwriting competition** 

Held On 14 September, 2021

Class V

**Hindi Diwas** Congratulations

Winners
Eshita Sharma (V I)
Arav Jain (V A) & Pranjal Choudhary (V B)
Ananaya Maheshwari (V C) & Shreya Suri (V I)
Aaliya Saproo (V E), Alisha Singh (V G), Anaya Chouhan (V D), Kanav Sukhija (V D), Mannan Gupta (V C) & Nandika Tanwar (VG)

## RESONANCE FROM THE PARENTS' HEART

Respected Geeta Maam, Firstly, congratulations to you and the entire staff for convening the virtual classes successfully for the steep of the staff of the students. The academics have continued without missing a heartbeat and it is due to the sheer hard work the second consecutive year. The academics have continued without missing a heartbeat and it is due to the students - that and the dedication of all of you! Wanted to take a moment to recognize the efforts put in towards a feedback I had to succeed the second of the session, I had conveyed to you an area of concern related to the "Writing Skills" of the session, I had conveyed to you an area of concern stated above is NO LOMEER A CONCERN they need more clarity, better structuring and practice. I must say that the concern stated above is NO LOMEER A CONCERN they need more clarity, better structuring and practice. I must say that the concern stated above is NO LOMEER A CONCERN they need more clarity, better structuring and practice. I must say that the concern stated above is NO LOMEER A CONCERN they need more clarity, better structuring and practice. I must say that the concern stated above is NO LOMEER A CONCERN they need more clarity, better structuring and practice. I must say that the concern stated above is NO LOMEER A CONCERN they need more clarity, better structuring and practice. I must say that the concern stated above is NO LOMEER A CONCERN they need more clarity or thank Deepa ma'am - Class Teacher of Grade SA. She made presentations explaining they need they need more clarity of the students and practice. I must say that the concern stated above is NO LOMEER A CONCERN they need they

VF PragunVerma
Thank you mam. Much appreciated.
Thanks for the opportunity and appreciation.thanks for your efforts too

VF-Riya Gupta
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With regards Kirti Gupta M/O Riya Gupta VA- Mayukh Mitra

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to overcome these difficulties; Whether it's really hard to think
exercises, or subjects. All our dearest teachers put their 100 percent
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Ritu Parna Mitra.

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VB- Prachi Prakash
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I am very happy with the class teacher of my ward Ms. Ruchi Gera. She is very responsible and humble person.

'Going halfway never gets you anywhere. Go all the way or don't go at all"

#### RESONANCE FROM THE PARENTS' HEART

VA- Aarav Dear Deepa ma'am,

It was a sheer pleasure and an honor to be part of Elocution Contest as part of Xavenium '21. Loved the energy of the kids and the topic itself - Happiness Excels when Shared, was so befitting for the times we all are going through. Listening to the young warriors brought a whiff of freshness and colour in lives paused due to the pandemic. The kids, full of chutzpah, wove a tapestry of vibrancy, emotions, engagement and empathy while enthralling the audience and sharing a beautiful message.

What I saw was kids pouring their hearts out and giving wonderful performances and kudos to them and their parents for the hard-work. WELL **DONE CHAMPS!** 

At the same time, the enablement and the preparation that goes behind such events is no small feat. So a big thank you to all the teachers, staff and management of St. Xaviers. The tireless energy and devotion put in by each of you, while juggling personal and professional commitments, speaks volumes of your efforts. No wonder, all of you are not just teaching but curating the future leaders for India and the world. Always has been a privilege to observe all of you and collaborate with you on such events. The flag of St. Xaviers continues to soar high and the teachers, the students, the staff and the management of St. Xaviers are the reason.

> Regards, Pooja







Learning is multidimensional and nowhere is it more true than the kid's foundational years, when their curiosity and questions are at their peak. At St. Xaviers, we have seen teachers put in extra effort to channelize and develop these attributes through a multitude of engagements that extend beyond the classroom, such as, 'news anchor covering Covid', 'discussion with doctors', 'capturing India's freedom struggle through livestream events", "Yoga Day," etc. Through these the students have learnt to work as a team, depend on each other, understand the nuances of sharing their points to a wider audience and prompted them to research on the topic so that they can be more participative. Have seen my son, rehearse on his own, feel some fear and anxiousness and then overcome it for the greater good. The message from the teachers has been, let's give our best and practice hard. Teachers go out of their way to prepare the students - it's a perfect tag team among students, teachers and the parents. Variation of the format and topics keeps the students engaged. Would encourage teachers and the staff of St. Xaviers to continue with these events. We as parents look forward to them as excitedly as the students. In my view, the skills they are picking will help them throughout their endeavors. As I read somewhere, "I hear and I forget. I see and I remember, I do and I understand ", and doing is nowhere more exemplified than in such intra / inter class / school events.

