



HIGHLIGHTS

SEPTEMBER & OCTOBER 2024



Dear Parents,

We are delighted to share the insights into the enriching activities, events, and accomplishments at our school. Our focus remains on fostering an environment where children can thrive both academically and personally.

These months marked many memorable moments, each reflecting the dedication and joy that our children bring through their learning experiences. From engaging classroom activities to enriching extracurricular events, every moment proved as an excellent opportunity for growth and learning.

We stand firm on our goal to provide a holistic, nurturing environment every day where children have the space to explore, discover, and develop their full potential.

★ *Testament to Excellence*

Our school, was awarded '*Progressive Reading School Award*' on Wednesday, 4 September 2024 at India Habitat Centre, Delhi. The '*Reading Torch Award Felicitation Ceremony*' was organized by Primary Plus and our school was selected from a pool of nominees across all over India for its innovative reading programs, teacher dedication, and remarkable student progress. This recognition testament to our school's commitment to fostering love for reading among our students. The School Librarian, Ms Mahima Sharma received this award on behalf of the school.



🌸 *Teachers' Day Celebration* 🌸

On September 5, 2024, our school celebrated Teachers' Day, a day dedicated to honouring the contributions of teachers in the field of education and towards society.

The event commenced with a special assembly invoking divine guidance. The harmonious performance by the school choir was a touching tribute to the teachers. The students presented a beautiful skit that expressed their love and appreciation for all the teachers. The Junior Head Girl, Pratibha Thakur delivered a heart touching speech with grace and sincerity.

It was a day filled with joy, a reflection of our commitment towards our values. It served as a reminder of the profound impact teachers have on the lives of their students and reinforced the strong bond between them.



Workshops: Empowering Staff Members

Protection of Children Against Sexual Offences (POCSO Act. 2012)

Our school organized a comprehensive training session on the *Protection of Children Against Sexual Offences Act (POCSO)* on 10th Sep 2024 through *North District Legal Services Authority, Delhi*. *Adv. Kamal Koshore Bhardwaj*, a distinguished advocate was the resource person appointed for the day, His expertise and experience in the field ensured a thorough and insightful session for the staff members.



The training aimed to sensitize the staff members about the provisions of the act, raise awareness about child protection, and equip them with the knowledge and skills to identify and address instances of abuse.

Fostering Health & Wellbeing

10.9.2024: Our school organized a workshop on 'Health and Wellbeing' for the staff. The workshop was conducted by two distinguished speakers: *Dr. Achintya Sharma, Senior Consultant and Incharge of Vascular and Endovascular Surgery at Max Hospital, Shalimar Bagh*, and *Dr. Aditra Nag, M.D.S., an Oral Medicine Radiologist and Gold Medallist at Clove Dental*.

Dr. Achintya Sharma shared watchful insights on varicose veins and the prevention strategies highlighting the importance of self-care, while Dr. Aditra talked about the importance of oral hygiene and the available techniques of prevention and treatment.



World Animal Welfare Day

04.10.2024: On **World Animal Welfare Day** a special assembly was organised to raise awareness among students about the importance of animals and the need to protect them. The day highlighted the **Sustainable Development Goal 14-‘Life below water’ & 15 –‘ Life on land’** to encourage students to understand and act on the importance of preserving biodiversity and protecting endangered species. The event featured an animated movie on endangered animals and the Tiger Anthem, emphasizing the urgency of conservation. Students also created 3D paper toy animals, enhancing their creativity and engagement with the theme.



Celebrating Excellence, Innovation, and Growth

On **October 10th, 2024**, Founder's Day was celebrated with joy at Queen Mary's School, Northend, Delhi. The day began with a special assembly where students expressed gratitude towards Lord Almighty and the *Founder Chairman, Rt. Rev. Dr. Karam Masih* and his team.

To mark this special day, *Pratibha Thakur*, the Junior Head Girl delivered a captivating speech that resonated deeply with everyone. A skit presented by the students, creatively showcased the history and growth of the school. It highlighted key moments in the school's journey, celebrating the accomplishment and milestones aligned with the vision of the founders. It was a touching tribute to the school's legacy and a reflection of the values that have guided its success over the years.

The school *Principal, Ms Anupma Singh*, addressed the gathering and shared the remarkable journey of the school over the past years. She expressed her profound gratitude to the Almighty, the Founder Chairman, *Rt. Rev. Dr. Karam Masih*, *Chairman The Rt. Rev. Dr. Paul Swarup*, *Management committee members, staff, parents, and students* for their unwavering support for the school to thrive and attain a significant landmark in educating the girl child with love and dedication.



Veer Gatha Edition 4.0 Honouring Bravery Through Creativity

Theme: "My Role Model: A Gallantry Award Winner"

8.10.24: Gallantry Awards have been instituted by the Government of India to honour the acts of bravery and sacrifice. In order to disseminate the details of acts of bravery and the life stories of the brave-hearts among the students, various art-integrated activities were organised in school.

Through the initiative of CBSE, our students actively participated in creative projects such as poem, essay writing, painting, and multimedia presentations, thus learning about the lives of national heroes. This experience inspired them with real-life examples of bravery and dedication to society. By participating in Veer Gatha 4.0, our school fostered critical thinking and a sense of pride in India's heritage, encouraging students to contribute to the nation's future as responsible citizens.



Celebrating unity, peace, and progress on United Nations Day

International UN Day is celebrated on 24th October every year. On this occasion special assembly was conducted that highlighted the UN's mission to promote **peace, unity, and sustainable development**. Students showcased the **17 Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs)**, explaining how they address global issues like poverty, hunger, climate change and others. The students also formed the logo to symbolize the interconnectedness of the goals. The event concluded with a reminder that achieving these goals require collective effort and that, as future global citizens, we all have an important and responsible role to play.





Fostering Love for Reading and Literature

21st October to 26th October 2024.

The school celebrated **Book Week** from **21st to 26th October 2024** to promote the joy of reading among children. The event began with the inauguration of a vibrant **Book Fair** by the school Principal, **Ms. Anupma Singh**, who always encourages students to explore the world of books and develop a habit of reading.

Throughout the week, students of classes I to V participated in a variety of creative activities such as **bookmark making**, **crossword puzzles**, **writing book reviews**, and more, fostering creativity and literary interest.

The key highlight was the **Author's Meet** where students interacted with renowned authors. It was organised for two consecutive days. On day one students of class IV interacted with renowned authors **Ms. Sonal Sachdev Patel** and **Ms Ashley M. Johnson**, from the United Kingdom. On day two students of class V got the opportunity to meet and interact with **Ms Vinita Zutshi** from National Book Trust, Ministry of Education.

Ms. Vasudha Ahuja from NBT, took a **musical storytelling session** with class III students. The students thoroughly enjoyed these sessions.

The week concluded with students browsing the Book Fair and selecting books to take home. The celebration successfully inspired students to develop a lifelong love for reading and strengthened their literary skills.



Lighting up the spirit of joy, togetherness, and new beginnings this Diwali!

Diwali is a festival of lights that symbolizes the victory of good over evil, light over darkness, and knowledge over ignorance. On this joyous occasion a special assembly was organised. It focused on celebrating ecofriendly Diwali, teaching students to use natural decorations, avoid firecrackers, and share joy responsibly. It inspired everyone to honor Diwali traditions while being mindful of the environment, following our commitment to protect the planet.

Various Art & Craft activities were organized in school. These activities lit up the school premises with an atmosphere of togetherness and hope. Everyone enjoyed the celebrations wholeheartedly.

Class	Activities
I	Paper Folding Diya
II	Wall Hanging
III	Tea light Holder
IV	Hanging Diya
V	Wall Hanging

