



Queen Mary's School

Northend, Model Town, Delhi

Highlights



February & March 2021



congratulations!

Proud Moments

12/12/20: Students from **classes I to V** participated in the **Online Painting competition** organized by **CBSE (Delhi Postal Circle) – Expression series on Art and culture on COVID- 19** from **1st Dec'20 - 15th Dec.'20**. Students painted their thoughts and expressions on paper and shared their views on the COVID -19 pandemic.

Daksha of class **V-C** secured **first position** and has won cash prize of **₹15,000/-**.



6/2/21: **Pranshi Anand** of **IV E** participated in **47th Delhi State Roller Skating Championship 2020-21**. She brought laurels to the school by winning **Bronze Medal**. She secured **Speed Skating-Quad Rink -III** under **9 to 11 years, Girl's category**.





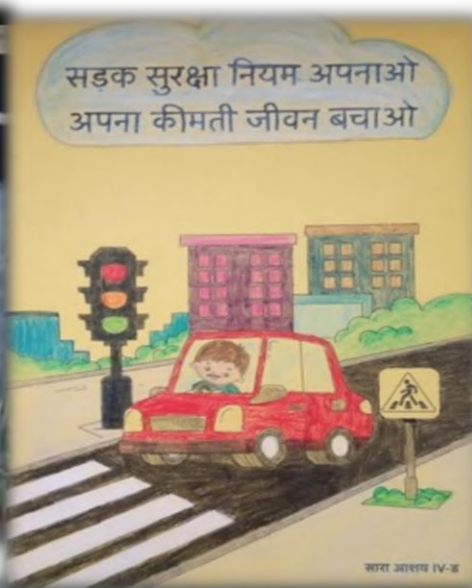
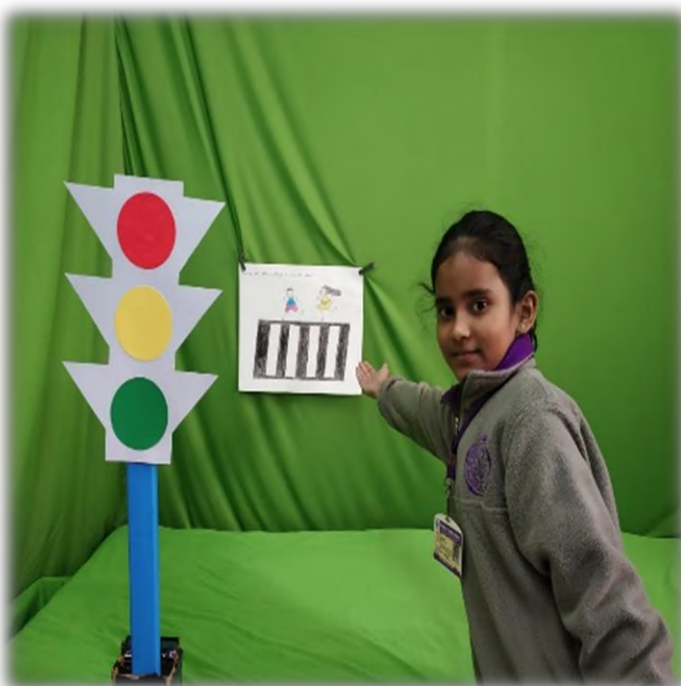
Road Safety Month

18 Jan'21 to 17 Feb'21

To emphasize on the urgency for adopting various road safety measures, **Road Safety Month** was observed by CSBE on the theme '**Sadak Suraksha, Jeevan Raksha**'. 'Road Safety Measures' is an integrated part of the school curriculum. To reinforce its importance among the students many educational videos were shown and various activities were organized for the students by their educators.

They are as follows-

Class	Activity
I	Jingle on Road Safety
II	Power Point Presentation followed by a Quiz
III	Role Play on 'Safety Symbols on Road'.
IV	Hindi Slogan Writing
V	Poster Making





12/02/21: Puppet Making activity: Puppet is an object, often resembling a human, animal or a mythical figure. There are different types of puppets like Hand Puppets, Finger Puppets, Paper Puppet, Socks Puppets, Stick Puppets etc. **Puppet making and puppetry is a traditional art which is an all time favourite of children.** Students of classes III-V prepared beautiful puppets using different sheets and enjoyed the activity.

9th R.L.Chopra Memorial Inter-School Quiz Festival – 'Qriosity'

13/02/21: Kavya Sharma of Class V-C and Vineesha Guha of V-E participated in this festival which catered to the quizzing skills of students. The event encompassed topics ranging from the Tropical Diversity of the Indian Subcontinent, Literature, Technology, Business, World Affairs, Sports and Entertainment. It was a great learning experience for our students as it enhanced their horizons in various fields of study and boosted their confidence.

24/02/21: Students of classes III to V participated in the competition organized by CBSE Expression Series 2021. **The theme of the competition was Students' Perspectives on Teaching and Learning.** Students prepared Paintings, Drawings, Slogans, Poetry, Cartoon Strip and Meme. Drawing on the topic: **'Education never stops'**, entry of **Svasti Lamba of class 3F** was selected as the **best in the primary category**. It was a great learning experience for our students as it enhanced their imagination, creativity and widened the scope for exploration and research domains.

"TALES OF SCIENTIFIC DISCOVERIES AND INVENTION"



26th & 27th February, 2021

On the occasion of **National Science Day**, Nehru Planetarium invited students from **classes IV and V** to be a part of two days long **online Story festival**. This was a great opportunity for the students to explore the stories of inventors, both famous and little-known. The word "inventor" may conjure images of men like Thomas Edison and Alexander Graham Bell, but the session focused on the history of women inventors from India. The session sensitized our young minds with the inspiring stories which will definitely help to build their scientific temperament and to gain better understanding of scientific discoveries & inventions from the history of India.





Webinar Attended by Teachers

15.02.21-Webinar on Digital Payments, Digital Literacy and Fraud awareness in Collaboration with National Payments Corporation of India (NPCI): The webinar was informative and interesting as it covered various areas on how we can keep our self-safe while banking online. The spokesperson Mr. Kshitiz Gupta talked about various cyber frauds that occur while transacting online and various security measures that should be taken for protection of our data. The Webinar emphasized on the safe and secure UPI transfer of money and the benefits of doing it.

Course on Experiential Learning and Competency based Education by CBSE on Diksha Platform

MODULE 1: The training focused on the understanding of CBE, difference between traditional and CBE system of education and benefits of CBE. CBE clearly defines the learning outcomes. It follows a flexible time frame where multiple pedagogies are followed. CBE has variety of engaging content both for the educators and the students which has a great impact as it enhances the teacher learner interaction and gives flexibility to use various strategies. CBE system of education is very beneficial as it encourages lifelong learning, it encourages the pupils to take ownership of their learning, gives flexibility to the educators to make decisions for the best of the students. CBE supports life-long learning and provides empowerment to the students. The pedagogical principles are designed to meet the actual learning needs of the students.

MODULE 2: This module emphasized on the Quality Design Principles for CBE which includes three major pillars – Purpose and Culture Design Principles, Teaching and Learning Design Principle and Structure Design Principle. The Purpose and Culture Design Principles of CBE ensures that all the students succeed. It prepares the students for their future roles and fulfills their visions. Its principles work to develop leadership in both the students and the educators through adaptive and distributive leadership. CBE nurtures a culture of learning inclusivity. Teaching and Learning Design Principle focusses on instructional approach based on learning sciences. They develop different academic skills, social and emotional skills and life experiences. It is learner centered, designed to meet the diverse needs of the students. Structure Design Principle is based on three pillars- Alignment Principle, Consistency Principle and Transparency. In the Alignment Principle the instruction, assessment and learning experiences are well aligned. The educators get an opportunity to plan, collaborate and create. Under Consistency the pupil outcomes are evaluated against a reliable and constant criterion. Teachers work collaboratively to help students. In Transparency the learning objectives and assessment criterion are transparent.

MODULE 3: This module emphasized on Teaching Practices in Competency Based Education. It explained the major principles that govern the teaching practices in CBE which include Base Pedagogy on Learning Sciences, Build Student Agency and Ownership, Focus on Development of Higher Order Skills, etc. The three capacities to encourage student agency were discussed in detail highlighting on the three aspects of coaching, meaningful information and opportunities. The role to be played by the teacher in CBE were discussed in detail. This module also covered the competencies and skills that the educators need to support student learning in CBE. These include- Knowledge Competencies, Intrapersonal Competencies and Interpersonal Competencies.

MODULE 4: focused on Classroom Management Practices in Competency Based Education. It clearly defines policies, practices and core features in every CBE classroom. The six features explained that the learning targets should be shared with the students and linked across all concepts and skills. Pacing and Progression is another important feature explained. This module also covered learning experiences in CBE which would help in developing understanding of designing classroom curriculum.



Dear Students,

As the session 2020-21 comes to an end we all pray for your bright future ahead. Always keep your beginning focused, optimistic and full of dedication. Another fresh year at school gives you an opportunity to look ahead and work harder to make it a better and brighter future.

Wish you lots of luck,





Prayer

*Loving God, Our creator, our saviour,
our companion, bless this journey of a new school year
that we undertake today.*

*Refresh our souls and renew our spirits as we embrace the
beautiful ministry you have called us to.*

*We welcome those who are new to this community
and ask that you strengthen them to share
the wonderful gifts you have given them.*

*Lord, make our hearts pure as we prepare for the return of
students to this school,
and may you guide them to return with open
hearts and minds eager to learn.*

Amen

Welcome to the new Academic session 2021-22

