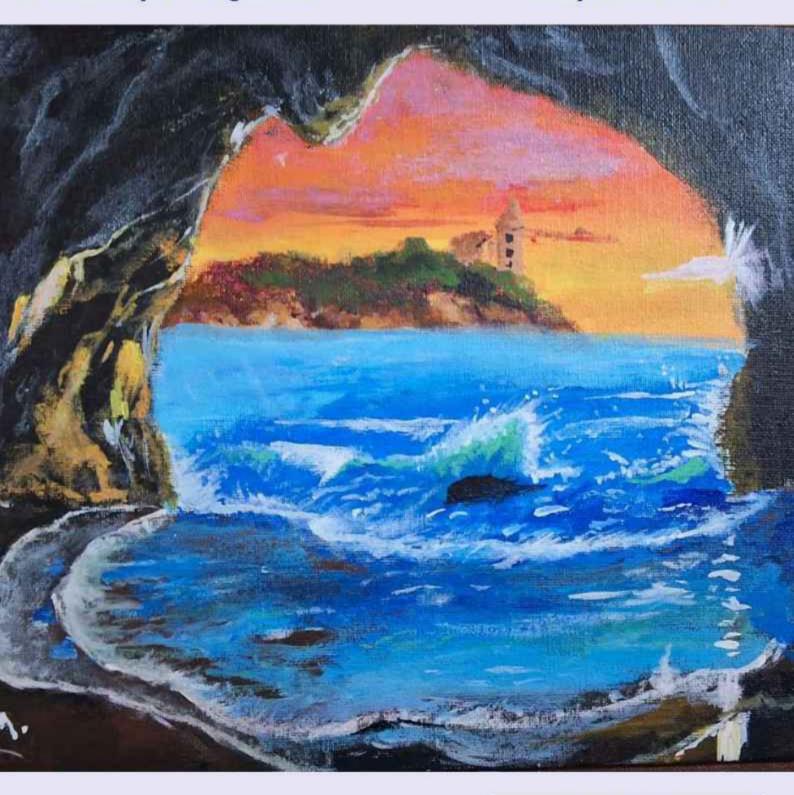
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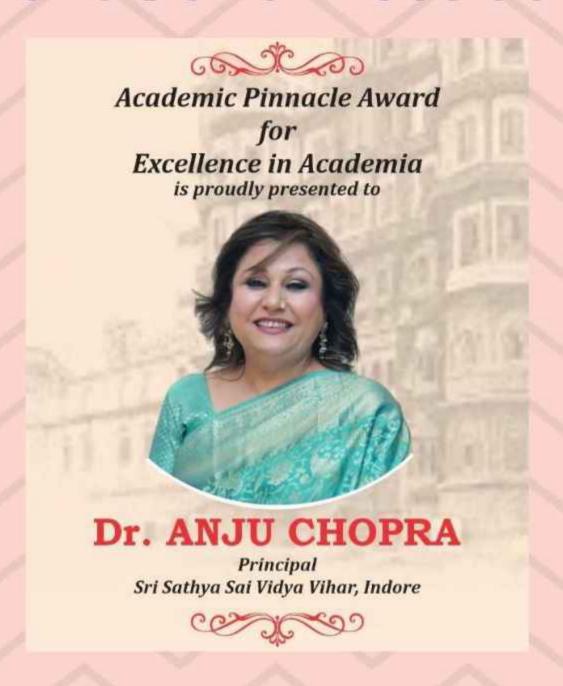
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## Awards and Accolades



We are ecstatic to share that a Certificate of Appreciation has been awarded by the Indian Association for the Blind to the school for voluntary contribution for empowering persons with visual challenges.

## Awards and Accolades



A matter of utmost pride that our Principal, Dr. Anju Chopra has been conferred with the Academic Pinnacle Award for Excellence in Academia by IIST on the occasion of International Women's Day.

### Sathya Sai's Wonder Kid creates a World Record

The 7 year old, wonder kid, Avirat Jain of class III E of Sri Sathya Sai Vidya Vihar, Indore has made the School and the city proud by successfully registering his name in 3 World records- International Book of Records, India Book of Records, India's World Records for the commendable feat of identifying and naming the flags of 195 UN approved countries within 80.77 seconds.

The School Management and the Principal, Dr. Anju Chopra congratulated Avirat for his amazing accomplishment.









THE NEW SCHOOL SESSION BEGAN FOR THE CHILDREN OF BALVATIKA 2 – IX AND XI ON A POSITIVE NOTE WITH PRAYERS AND DEVOTIONAL SONGS SEEKING BLESSING OF THE ALMIGHTY. THE CHILDREN WERE FELICITATED FOR THEIR ACHIEVEMENTS.

LOOKING FORWARD TO AN EVENTFUL SESSION.



## New Beginnings





BRIGHT BEGINNINGS



The delightful sojourn of the children of class IV drew to a close and a new beginning awaited them in class V in the Senior School.

In order to make this transition memorable and to inculcate a love and habit of reading, books were presented to the children as a memoir.



# GOOD PARENTING WORKSHOP

Children are like soft clay full of immense potential and creative talent. Parents and teachers can together mould them into a masterpiece with love and patience.

A 'Good Parenting Workshop' was organised for the parents of the newly inducted children of Bal Vatika 1 - 4 on Sunday, 7th April, 2024 in the School Auditorium.

The parents were apprised about the Sai Philosophy and Sai way of education. There were presentations and activities highlighting the beautiful way in which the 5 teaching techniques of Educare are ingrained in the teaching learning by the teachers in school. The workshop was followed by sumptuous lunch for all.

The workshop was attended by parents in large numbers, around 400 parents were there. The interactive sessions were enjoyed by the parents and they participated wholeheartedly in the various activities.



















## 'Unleashing the potential' by Mr. Girish Agrawal





The children of classes VIII to XII had the privilege to attend an interesting and insightful session on 'Unleashing the potential' by Mr. Girish Agrawal an alumnus of the 1st batch our school in the presence of Shri. M G Paranjape, Director, CA Shyam Bhatia, Honorary Treasurer and Principal, Dr. Anju Chopra. Mr. Agrawal is a committed tech-savvy individual, currently posted as a Member at the Mumbai Benches of Income Tax Appellate Tribunal. He has even authored an interesting book 'There is always a door'

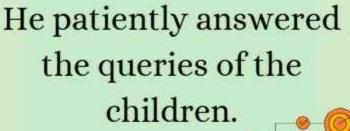


He highlighted the importance of being (our existence), then doing, having and then giving back to society.





He further reiterated that to unleash one's potential it is imperative to integrate mind, body and soul. One should live life with indulgence and involvement, as success can be achieved by paying attention to smaller things.





#### SRI SATHYA ARADHANA MAHOTSAVAM

24th April, the Aradhana Mahotsavam of our beloved Lord Sri Sathya Sai Baba is a solemn day and is the time for reflection, reverence, and spiritual upliftment. It is a day to pay homage and express our love for our Lord.

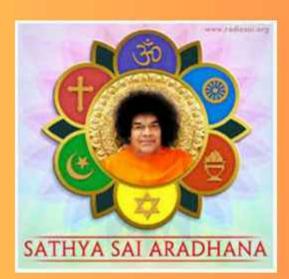












#### PHONE - A CURSE ?

The ubiquity of mobile phones brings undeniable convenience, yet the side effects cast a shadow on our well-being.

The talented kids (Bal Mandir) of Yamuna House shed light on the often overlooked side effects of mobile phone usage in our daily lives through a mime act.

The young performers left a lasting impression, encouraging everyone to be mindful of the impact of mobile devices on our well-being.







## NATIONAL SCIENCE DAY EXHIBITION

NATIONAL SCIENCE DAY IS A POWERFUL REMINDER OF THE INCREDIBLE IMPACT THAT SCIENCE HAS IN OUR LIFE. IT'S A CELEBRATION OF DISCOVERY AND INNOVATION. CHILDREN EXHIBITED EXPERIMENTS, GATHERED SCIENTIFIC INFORMATION THROUGH KNOWLEDGE WALK AND VIRTUAL WORLD OF VIDEOS.









## THE CLEVER RABBIT



The tiny tots of class Sr. Montessori 'A'
presented a beautifully coordinated role play
titled 'The Clever Rabbit'.





# Class Assembly

The children of class VIII A presented their class assembly on the life of the most erudite Dr. Bhimrao Ambedkar, whose efforts had gifted our Bharat the very dynamic and flexible Constitution.

The children depicted instances from his life through impressive role play, dance and song.

Principal, Dr. Anju Chopra appreciated the hardwork and creative presentation under the able guidance of the Class Teacher.

The parents appreciated the assembly too.



## जल ही जीवन है



Service is love in action. Sri Sathya Sai Baba says that the best way to love God is to love all; serve all. Personifying our Beloved Baba's words, we in collaboration with Sri Sathya Seva Organisation (M.P.) have put up a water hut outside the school premises to give respite from the scorching heat and quench the thirst of the people passing by.



#### **JOY OF GIVING**

Community service fosters empathy and solidarity, creating a stronger, more compassionate society where everyone's needs are considered. It empowers individuals to make meaningful contributions, driving positive change and building a sense of collective responsibility. As a part of the 'Joy of Giving' drive, the children of classes VII B and C went to the nearby slum and distributed hampers of sugar and biscuits on the pious occasion of the Sri Sathya Sai Aradhana Mahotsavam.







### Love All, Serve All

Aaradhya Yadav of class III D walked the path of 'Love all; Serve all' as taught in school. She rescued a bird and took good care of it. She says that Sai Baba teaches us that "we should pay more attention to those around us than to ourselves".

Loads of blessings to the thoughtful little munchkin.







#### ACT OF KINDNESSS



Advik Patwa of Class IV-E exhibited a remarkable gesture on his birthday. Following Baba's teachings that 'Service to mankind is service to God'. Instead of hosting a celebration at a hotel, he wholeheartedly shared his love with the young souls at the 'Matra Chaya' orphanage, all under the age of one. His generosity knew no bounds as he donated clothes, toys, and essential food items. Additionally, he humbly visited the goshala, deriving joy from serving grass to the cows, thus embodying the essence of compassion and kindness. These small hands, through their acts of kindness, wield immense power in fostering positive change.





## ह्नुमान प्जन

#### सिटी ब्लास्ट

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#### रिदित की हनुमान भक्ति ने सबका मन मोह लिया

सोशल मीडिया पर हुए वायरल वीडियो में पूर्व विधायक के पुत्र

> इंदौर 🌑 सिटी ब्लास्ट प्रतिनिधि।

सोशल मीडिया पर एक वीडियो वायरल हो रहा है, जिसमे एक बच्चे की हनुमान की भक्ति ने सबका मन मोह लिया है। मंत्र ध्वनि के साथ भक्ति भाव करते हुए आरती करता हुआ भी नजर आ रहा है।

इन दिनों छोटे बच्चों में भी भक्ति भाव की संस्कार देखें जा रहे हैं। जहां एक ओर आजकल के माता-पिता अपने बच्चो के हाथों में मोबाइल पकड़ा देते हैं, तो दूसरी तरफ आगर के पूर्व विधायक विपिन बानखेड़े ने उन्हें हाथों में मंदिर में उपयोग होने वाली घंटी पकड़ाने के साथ ही उन्हें मंत्र उपचार की भी शिक्षा दी हैं।

रिंदित शुरू से ही अपने माता-पिता के संस्कारों के चलते भगवान की भक्ति में झूमते हुए दिखाई देते हैं। आज हनुमान जयंती के 1 दिन पूर्व रिंदित हनुमान जी का श्रृंगार



करने के साथ उनकी आरती पूजा करते हुए भी नजर आए। रिदित वानखेड़े जोर जोर से मंत्र भी उक्त वीडियो में बोल रहे हैं। विपन वानखेड़े का कहना है कि बच्चों को छोटी उम्र से ही आध्यात्मिक शिक्षा देने के साथ ही उन्हें अच्छे संस्कार देने की जरूरत है। ईश्वर की मिक्त ही व्यक्ति को आगे चलकर के अच्छे मार्ग पर पहुंचती है ऐसे में विपन वानखेड़े की यह आध्यात्मिक शिक्षा सोशल मीडिया पर जमकर वायरल हो रही है।



Ridit Wankhede of Bal Vatika 1 D
(Nursery) impressed everyone with
his love and devotion
for Lord Hanuman.

#### **AVIATION WORKSHOP**

Flying as a career offers a thrilling journey into the skies, with a wide range of opportunities for those passionate about flying, aerospace and becoming a pilot that demands dedication, perseverance, and a strong commitment to safety. It is a challenging yet immensely rewarding career that offers the opportunity to travel the world, work in a dynamic environment, and experience the joy of flying first-



It was our privilege to have Captain Himanshu Goyal and Captain Preeti Mehadia amidst us to apprise the children of classes XI & XII about the career prospects of becoming a pilot. The session concluded with interesting demonstrations through simulation activities. A few children also got the opportunity to experience line control aircraft flying and drone simulator flying on the



## "Voting is not just a right, but also our responsibility and duty".

Students of classes XI G and XII G, took part in a road rally to create awareness regarding VOTING.

The students participated with full enthusiasm and responsibility.

They made the placards and spread their message with the help of rally and slogans on A.B Road at Sathya Sai Square.



VOTE



### TRIP TO MANALI!



Embarking on a journey, hearts set free,
Exploring realms where knowledge meets glee.
In the tapestry of nature's grandeur, we roam,
Excursion whispers tales,

leading us home.











The children of class X had set out on an excursion to Manali by flight They enjoyed a sumptuous lunch at Chandigarh and then embarked on a fun filled journey to Manali. They all had a memorable time there.









## FUN AT MACHAL

The world is a book and excursions and adventure trips lead to learning beyond the classroom. Around 200 tiny tots of Jr. and Sr. Montessori accompanied by teachers had a gala time at The Grand Machal.



























# VISIT TO THE DISTRICT COURT OF INDORE

Tihechildrenofclasses XII&XIIIwho have opted for Legal Studies had gone foravisit to the District Court of Indore. Itwasavery enlightening experience for thechildren. They gained alot of practical knowledge about the workings of the judicial system. Thechildren even had the privilege to interact with the District Judges Shri Gangacharan Dubey, Shri Rajesh Kumar Agrawal and Shri Asif Ahmad Abbasi (Secretary & District Judge











#### VISIT TO RRCAT, INDORE

National Science Day was observed at the RRCAT to commemorate the discovery of the Raman Effect by Prof. CV Raman.

Children of class XI visited RRCAT where, scientific exhibits were set up at the RRCAT Convention Centre and in different laboratories to explain the scientific and technical activities. There were exhibits related to technologies of accelerators, lasers, cryogenics, superconductivity, magnets and Fire & safety aspects.

## **Spring Renewal**

The first Inter -House Competition of Sri Sathya Sai Vihar, Spring Renewal was held on 20th, April 2024 with much gusto and zest.

All the four houses presented mesmerizing musical skits to bring out the mythological origin, cultural and scientific significance of the festivals that signify the onset of the Hindu New Year - Baisakhi, Gudi Padwa, Chetti Chand along with Ram Navami.

Ganga House was adjudged the winner of the competition followed by Yamuna and Kaveri House as the first and second runners up



# Slogan Making Competition



"A creative life is an amplified life."

An Inter-House Poster and Slogan Making Competition was conducted for the students of classes V to IX during the CCA period based on the theme 'Voting for a better tomorrow'.

The purpose of this event was to instill creativity with knowledge and to make them aware of the responsibility of mindful voting.

The students portrayed their innovative ideas in the form of amazingly beautiful posters.



### ART CORNER





Avirat Jain II E





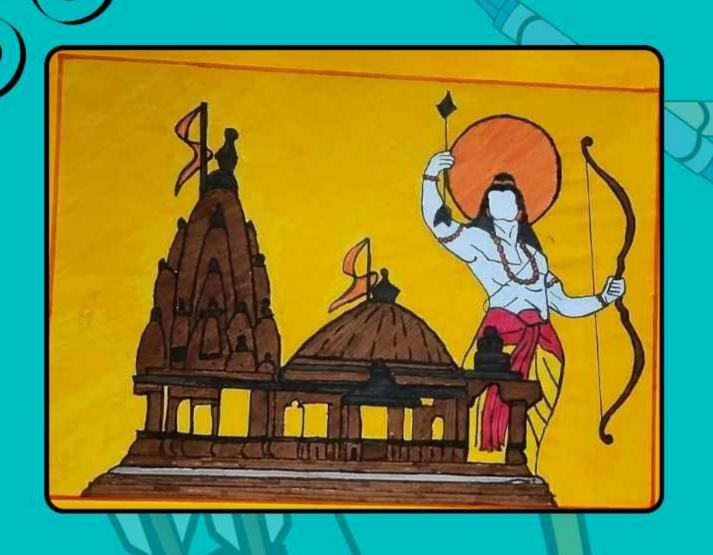


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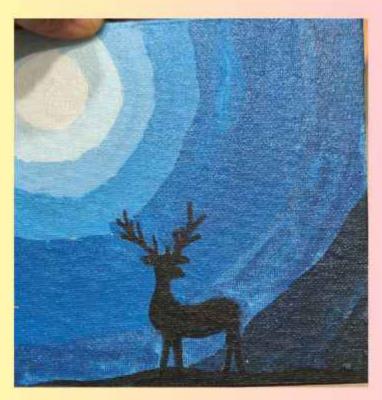




-Maitri Mishra IV C





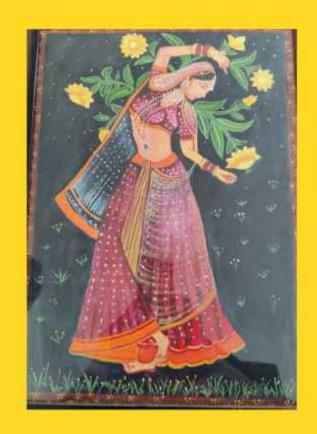






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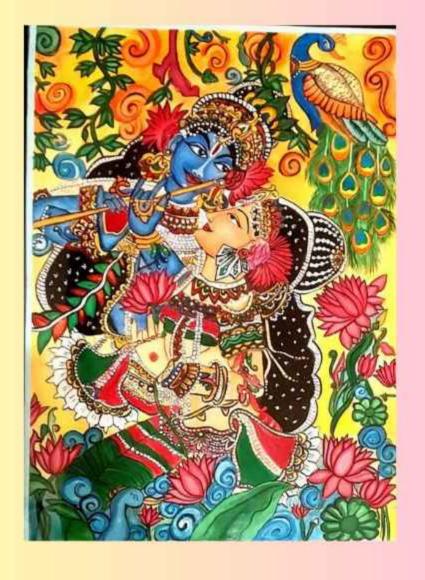




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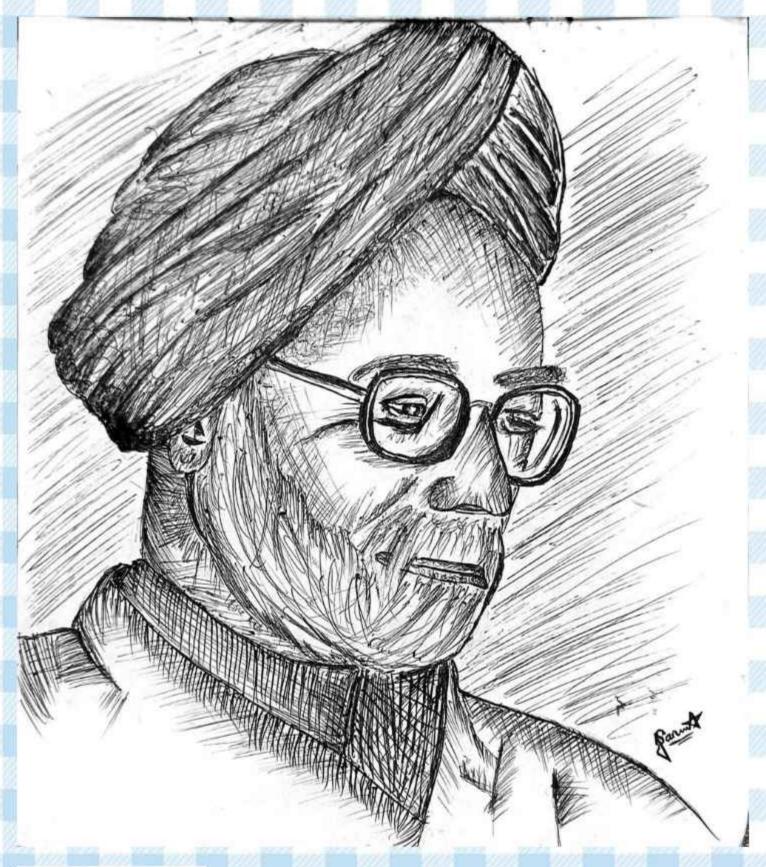








Hitanshi Agrawal X C





Sanay Jain X E



XI C

## WELLOWESCHOOL

Off to school, off to school To read and write and play
To learn new things each day
Here is school, here is school

Pencils and crayons,
scissors and glue,
erasers and paper;
And notebooks too;
We love our school,
We love our school,
we write, we sing, we run;
Going to school is fun.

Dhruv Sheth III B



# THE RAIN

On beatifically rain!

oh brautiful roin

where are you?

the hot summers are draining me out.

I so miss your wonderful speash,

I dream of the paper boot, muddy puddles

and colonful rain coats.

please come soon with all your friends

Mr. Black Cloud,

Mrs. Thunder storm, and

cute little prince Mr. Rainbow !!!



by -swallt Agrawal

## Zealandia

Zealandia is the supposed missing 8th continent that was discovered after 375 years. In 2017, a team of eleven geologists from New Zealand, New Caledonia, and Australia concluded that Zealandia fulfils all the requirements to be considered a drowned continent. Part of the microcontinent is on the Australian plate, while the other part is on the Pacific plate. Zealandia is a long, narrow microcontinent that is mostly submerged in the South Pacific Ocean. A microcontinent is a landmass that has broken off from a main continent. Zealandia broke off from Antarctica about 100 million years ago and then from Australia about 80 million years ago. Zealandia is about half the size of Australia but only 7 percent of it is above sealevel. Zealandia generally enjoys a mild temperature change. Its largest islands have glaciers. The northern part of Zealandia is very volcanic. There are many natural geysers and hot springs scattered throughout Zealandia. The mountain ranges of Zealandia are slowly getting higher through a process called tectonic uplift. The submerged part of Zealandia is rich in mineral deposits although New Zealand's government strictly controls undersea mining activity. There are also many natural fields scattered throughout Zealandia. Underwater Zealandia is of value to science. During glacial periods, sea levels fell and more of Zealandia was abovewater. Zealandia's submerged fossils provide valuable clues to life during those time periods.



-Sarthak Sirohi III D

# Bonding with my Grandparents

My grandparents are a treasure of love, A blessing to me from the God above. They share their wisdom, stories and more, and make me feel loved to the core. With them, I learn to laugh and play, and cherish every moment of the day. My Baba is kind and always gives me favour, Thank you God, he is my life saver! My Dadi is my loving teacher, always full of grace, With her blessings, I can never lose any race. So let's cherish our grandparents every day, And make them feel special in every way!



-Maitri Mishra IV C

#### **PANNA TIGER RESERVE**

Panna tiger reserve is a wonderful place. I went there with my family, my friends also came there. I went to my friend's room for a sleepover and she also came to my room to sleep with me. We had cottages there. The pillows were super soft. We also went on a jungle safari and saw many animals like deer, monkeys, peacock, crocodile, we also saw a mighty ferocious tiger! We saw it crossing the road when it came very close to our jeep. We all were thrilled!

After that in the evening we went swimming in swimming pool in our resort. We had lots of fun. We stayed in the Panna Tiger Reserve for a few more days having fun. It is situated in Madhya Pradesh itself and is a home to many beautiful animals.



Aashmi Agrawal IV E



### PRETTY FLOWERS

Pretty flowers, pretty flowers

Their fragrance shower

When I am feeling gloomy

Their fragrance makes me feel bloomy

They are very pretty
Like a kitty
Their petals are very delicate
And their touch is like velvet

Rose, Lily, Sunflower, Daisy When I inhale, I don't feel lazy

Pretty flowers, pretty flowers
Their fragrance shower
When I am feeling gloomy
Their fragrance makes me feel bloomy

Ishika Narang V A



### "IT IS NOT FOR GIRLS"

You say God has divided jobs for men and women.

But why can't I see it then?

Are girls just made to live and die in the kitchen?

While men work and even get recognition.

Though our hard work is better than men's,

Our efforts are never appreciated.

Even history is littered with women's exploitation.

Dowry deaths and sati pratha are the evidence.

Don't we feel suffocated?

Having no sky to fly in but being expected to reach the limit of it...

By the way, who treats us like humans?

We are regarded as a burden, I ask "Why?"

Society is filled with such orthodox thinking.

When will people understand our feelings?

The entire women's race is suffering because of such prejudices.

Discouragement has filled our lungs...

Now when will we breathe clean air?

That statement "it is not for girls"

Hasn't it polluted our surroundings?

If we aren't here, could you people live?

I ask the society, "Do you have any answer?"

Suhani Kothari VIII C



### CHILD LABOR IS A SERIOUS ISSUE

The poem has been written keeping in mind a twelve year old girl who has come to the city leaving her family in the village.

They need me for washing dishes, doing laundry, babysitting their child

They don't even pass a smile like my father did

They scold me if their child gets wild

I feel that they are just too guilty to admit

That they use me as their mere slave

They are so rich but they can't afford a bit of care that my family used to give

They just spare a pillow for me and make me sleep on the floor

Which feels harder than the earth of my village?
They don't let me meet my folks
Though they give me salary,

But how can it feel dearer that the pocket money I used to get a few years ago?

When I ask them for giving me a day off
They simply say "chores are to be done daily, you cannot
go"

When I say that I am seriously not interested in your job
They reply politely" oh! We will double your salary within a
month" and stuff..

Help me!

Save me from this child labor exploitation!

Suhani Kothari VIII C

### **POWER OF KINDNESS**

Kindness is a ball catching games transferring happiness from one person to another.

Kindness is a sleepy night where you can sleep with relief and no one could bother.

Kindness is a teacher which educates you to be confident.

Kindness is a book which teaches you to be independent. Kindness is a medicine and also a key.

Kindness is a habit that makes this world the happiest place to see.

Kindness is an amity where your companion trust you blindly.

Kindness which is present within you never makes you feel lonely.

What else would you want to be instead of being kind and show kindness.

When you understand the power of kindness.



GURNEET KAUR BHATIA VI E





Childhood, is amazing, isn't it?

I remember how my mother used to doll me up and I used to walk around without a care in the world.

Now I have to dress myself up stare at myself in the mirror for hours and cry trying to fit the standards.

I remember how easy it was to get anything by asking for it, if I still didn't get the thing pouting worked fine.

Now I've to work to achieve anything I wish to have, pouting doesn't work anymore, instead, I get labelled as "childish".

Everyone was truthful and didn't lie, they taught me how to be like them.

Now I just look at them and smile knowing they lied.

Back then everyone was my friend, the world was peaceful. Now I have to wonder who's not my enemy, the world seems too unfair.

Back then I hated summer vacations because it stopped me from socializing.

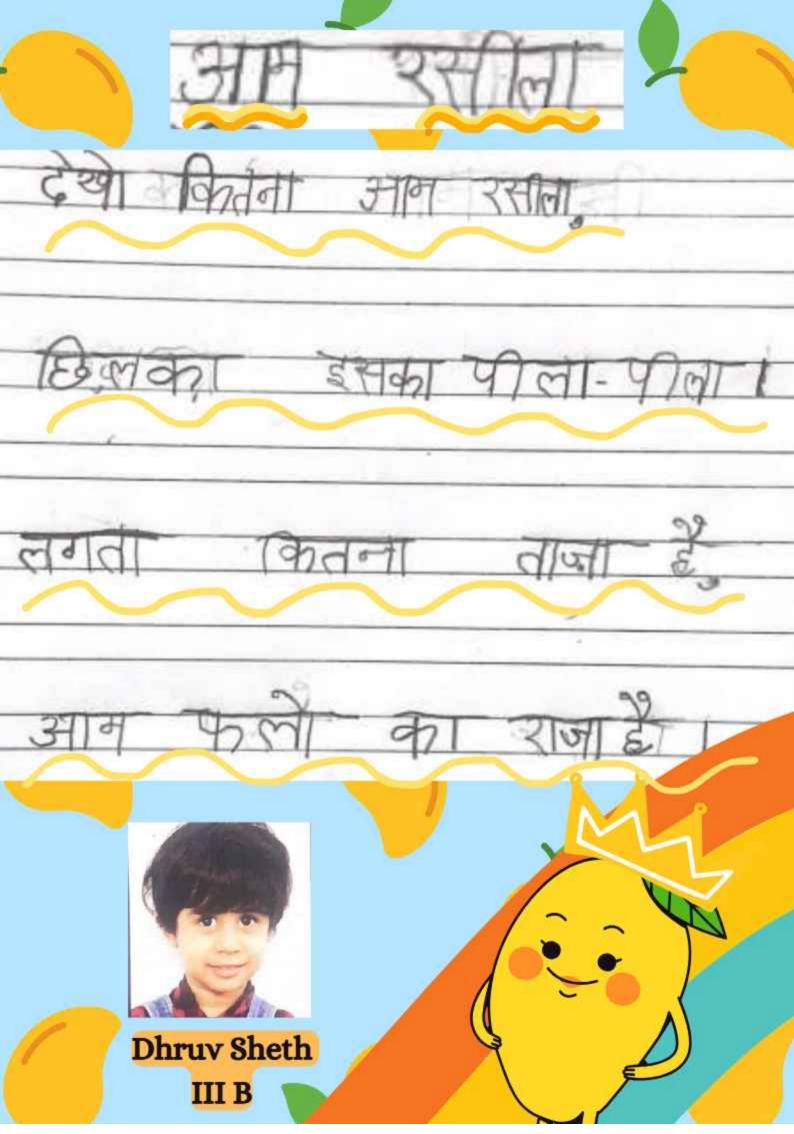
Now I love every second of the break knowing that I'm better on my own.

The rainbows were prettier and the sky was clearer. Now the rain seems comforting and the sky seems quiet.

Back then I wanted to grow up.

But now I understand how easy it was to think of that than to be grown up.

Lavanya Sharma XII E



### होली

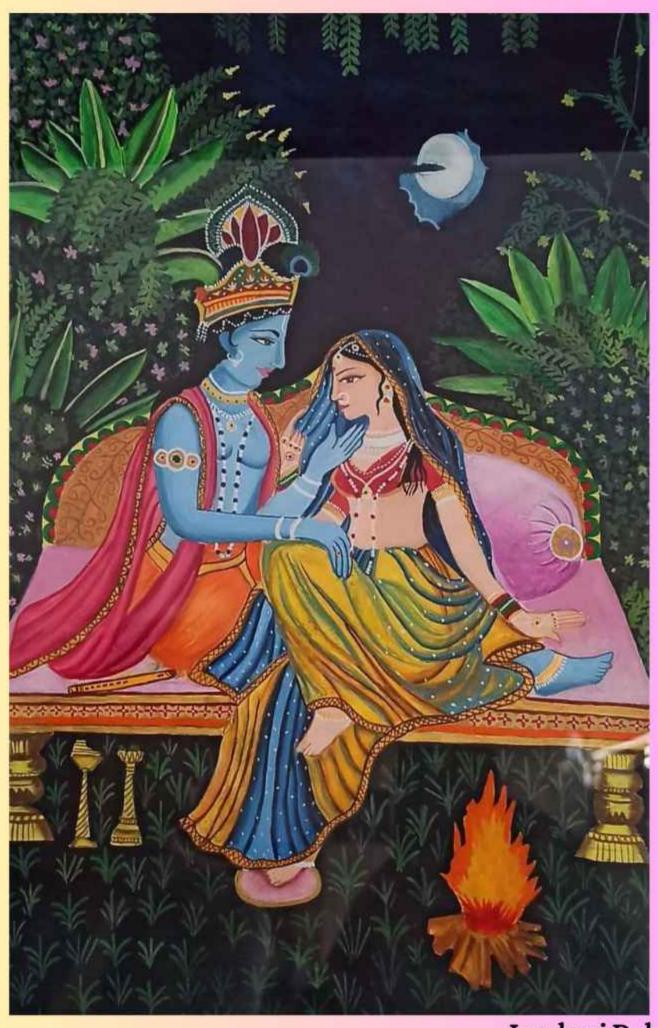
होली आई - होली आई, खुशियों को अपने साथ ले आई। छोटा, बड़ा, बच्चा और बूढ़ा, हर कोई है इस रंग में झूला। लाल ,पीला ,हरा ,नारंगी, सारे रंग है बहुत सतरंगी। रंग है इतने पूछो ना, हर जगह खुशियां ही खुशियां। होली है भाई होली है, रंगों की यह टोली है। इस रंग में मिल जाएंगे हम, फिर नहीं रहेगा कोई भी गम।





रुद्राक्षी सिंह VII E





Jaanhavi Dubey XII A