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GANDHI JAYANTI SPECIAL ASSEMBLY[VI-VIII]

To mark the birth anniversary of Mohandas Karamchand Gandhi, Our Father of Nation, the students of grades VI-VIII presented a Special Assembly to Celebrate Gandhi Jayanti. The day is celebrated to “the universal relevance of the principle of non-violence” and the desire “to secure a culture of peace. The Assembly included the immense participation of the students in songs, talk, enactment, instrumental music, and Poem recitation to show the love and birth celebration of its iconic leader Mahatma Gandhi.

The screenshot shows a virtual assembly presentation. The main slide is titled "Non cooperation movement" and features four images: a large crowd of people, a group of men in white, Mahatma Gandhi sitting on a wooden chair, and a group of men in white. The next slide is titled "Civil disobedience" and features four images of people in white. The presentation is displayed on a screen with a time of 09:00 and a "Next slide" button. A vertical sidebar on the right shows five video thumbnails of participants: Pragyan School, Aditya, Dipti, kamakshi sharma, and Urvi Joshi. The bottom of the screen shows navigation controls, including a "Slide 6 of 8" indicator and a "No Notes" message.

GANDHI JAYANTI SPECIAL ASSEMBLY [IX-XII]

“Live as if you were to die tomorrow,
Learn as if you were to live forever”.

A well said quote by the great revolutionist, anti-colonial nationalist and political ethicist and who employed nonviolent resistance to lead the successful campaign for India's independence from British rule. Bestowed with honorific title of 'Mahatma' Gandhi Ji always worked for the upliftment of the people. 2 October every year is celebrated as Gandhi Jayanti and to revere this day, a special assembly on October 1, 2021, was organized to mark a tribute to the great soul. The assembly commenced with a live instrumental performance followed by some interesting facts, his literary works, and a description of the events that shaped Gandhian principles. Students profoundly displayed monologue and skits with an astounding interpretation on Swatch Bharat and Gandhiji teleported to Gen Z. The assembly culminated with the blessing from the Principal Ms. Ruchika Sharma. Her words of wisdom enthralled all.

GANDHI JAYANTI SPECIAL ASSEMBLY [IX-XII]



MORNING ASSEMBLY [IX-XII]

27 September- 1 October 2021. Students of grades IXA, XB, XIB, and XIIB once again gathered for their morning assembly. Tuesday to Thursday students presented their oratory skills through a debate on "parenting classes should be made compulsory and a talk on Azim Premji.



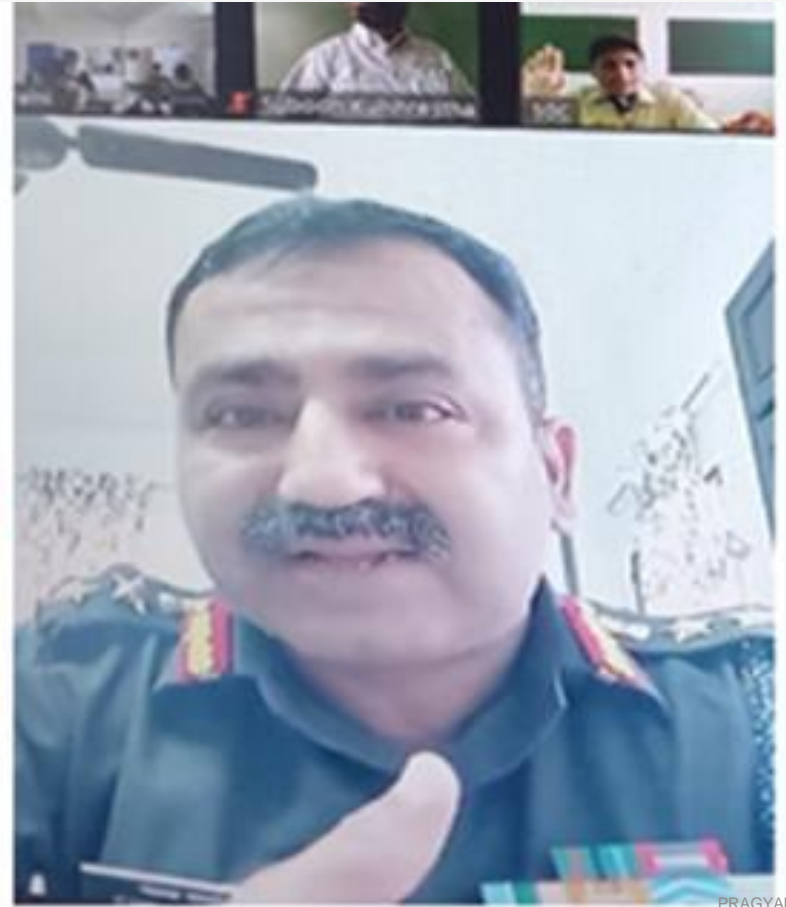
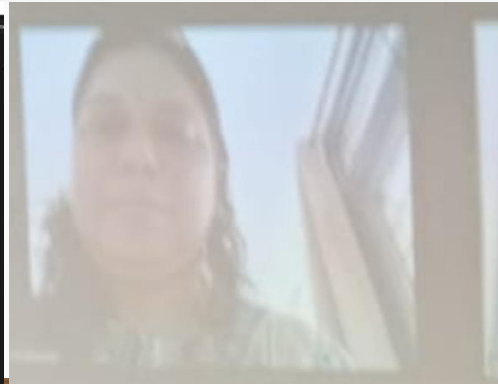
PARENTAL INVOLVEMENT [IX-XII]

On 27th Sep during the parent assembly, Col. Pankaj Maggo father of Kuhu Maggo of class XB talked about the role and responsibility of the Indian Army. He motivated the students to join such a prestigious job that provides ample opportunities in various fields of career. The students' queries were answered in person.

Class IX had teachers talk on the topic: - Gender sensitivity is still a far cry. Students also participated and shared their views on the same. Mr. Neeraj Kumar (Chief Executive – Quality Assurance) LG Electronics Limited and the father of Krish Kumar of class XI B. Mr. Neeraj introduced his organization LG Electronics and his workspace which is quite challenging. The students were briefed about concepts of zero defect, zero wastage, quality assurance, and lower cost of production. It was a very fruitful talk and Mr. Neeraj was kind enough to offer his assistance towards arranging an industrial visit to LG as and when possible.

Class XII attended parent talk on the topic, "Importance of well being for adolescents". The talk was conducted by Ms. Madhuri Mazumdar, mother of Aditya Mazumdar of class XII. Ms. Mazumdar is associated with organizations working in the field of health issues amongst adolescents. The enriching session included several references as to how adolescents must have the support, confidence, and resources to thrive in contexts of secure and healthy relationships, realizing their full potential and rights.

PARENTAL INVOLVEMENT [IX-XII]



ATAL TINKERING LAB

INTRODUCTORY SESSION

ATL, Atal Tinkering Lab is a NITI Aayog's flagship initiative to promote a culture of innovation and entrepreneurship in the country. Pragyan School has started with the ATL 'Atal Tinkering Lab' from this session. The introductory session was conducted in both offline and online mode for the students of classes IX-XII and VI-VIII. The students will be exploring and working on 21st-century tools and technologies such as the internet of things, 3D printer, robotics, miniature electronics, do-it-yourself kits, and many other activities.



POSHAN ABHIYAAN: NATIONAL NUTRITION MISSION

Students of class X presented PowerPoint presentations on “Nutrition, Health, and Junk food” to spread awareness about healthy eating habits for a healthy lifestyle among the students as part of the celebration of Rashtriya Poshan Maah in schools. Students of class XII presented a PowerPoint presentation on the topic, “Malnutrition and importance of balanced diet”. WHO data's on Malnutrition were discussed by students. Various options to include nutrition in our daily food were discussed. The positive responses of various programs of the Central Government such as ‘Pradhanmantri Garib Kalyan Ann Yozna’ to eradicate malnutrition from the country were discussed through the presentation.



SHAKESPEAREAN MONOLOGUE COMPETITION

“All the world's a stage, and all the men and women merely players.”

Shakespearean plays are full of spine-tingling moments when characters speak directly to the audience and tell them their inner feelings and desires. Such memorable moments were brought alive by the Pragyanians of class IX and X during the Shakespearean Monologue competition on the 30th September 2021. The participants spoke Elizabethan language with great ease to leave the audience spellbound. The costumes, props, and delivery created such a “cinematic and sophisticated effect” that the competition turned out to be an entire package of “brilliant work”. Poojita Chowdary of XB clinched the 1st position followed by Tanisha Kaushik XB and Manas Sharma of IXB in the 2nd place. The 3rd position was shared by Afifa, IXA, and Kautik Sahay, XC.



SOCIAL CLUBS

CLASS IX-XII



- DEBATING AND JOURNALISM CLUB
- INTERACT CLUB
- HEALTH AND WELLNESS CLUB
- ECOLOGY CLUB

DEBATING AND JOURNALISM CLUB



‘Speech is Power: Speech is to Persuade, to Convert, to Compel.’ - Ralph Waldo Emerson Speaking skills are one of the most crucial forms of versatility that makes an individual stand out of the crowd by expressing the best of the thoughts and notions. Hence, the Journalism and Debating Club of Pragyan took a step forth to organize a JAM (Just A Minute) session. The student members enthusiastically spoke on the topics of their choice and brought out the best of their narration skills.

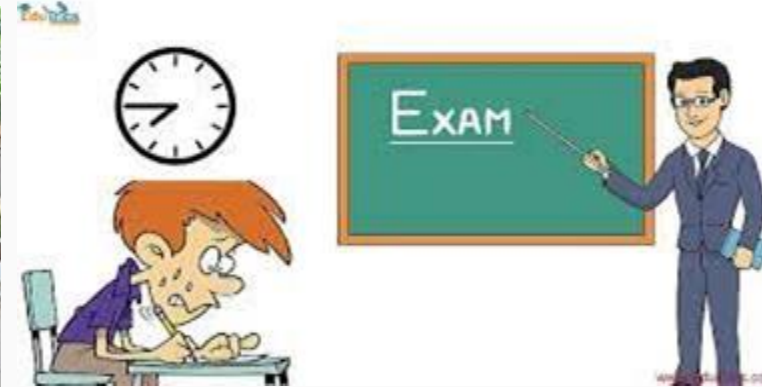
INTERACT CLUB: IX-XII



A workshop on traffic rules and road safety was conducted for the students of classes IX to XII on 28th September 2021, by the INTERACT CLUB, as a part of an ongoing Road Safety Campaign. The students were briefed about the various traffic rules that ought to be followed in order to maintain safety on the roads. They were encouraged to follow the rules because the slightest mistake on the road can lead to a fatal accident. The students were told how they must follow rules while cycling. Common and careless mistakes committed by people were described in the session. We are sure that our students are all geared up to spread awareness about Road Safety in the community also.

HEALTH AND WELLNESS CLUB

Test anxiety is a combination of physical symptoms and emotional reactions that interfere with students' ability to perform well on tests. Many students experience varying levels of test anxiety for a number of reasons. With this in mind an activity was conducted in which students were asked to share two examination stressors that they face during examination season and the ways how they overcome it. The idea was to make students understand that its natural to feel examination anxiety as they all strive for good results and that that who faces the situation is the one who comes up with the best possible ways of handling it positively



ECOLOGY CLUB

The Ecology club meeting was focused on the collection of e-waste and discussion on conservation electricity in school. The students were sensitized about the effects of avoidable electricity usage and its impact on the school, at home, and the environment as a whole. Students were urged to discourage energy wastage whenever and where so ever they witness electricity wastage.



CBSE WEBINARS







Name of the Participant	The topic of the CBSE webinar
Ms Megha Sharma	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Decision-making skills in adolescents• 21st Century skills
Ms Richa Palni	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• AI for all

HEALTH & WELLNESS CLUB



Healthy Lifestyle Tips

Ways to Maintain **Good Mental Health**

-  + Getting enough sleep
-  + Eating right & exercising
-  + Taking care of basic physical & emotional needs
-  + Staying connected socially
-  + Stopping to assess how things are going in life
-  + Managing the stressors in life

ECOLOGY CLUB



DID YOU KNOW?

The areas where we generate most CO₂ as individuals

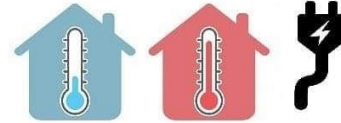
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TRANSPORT



2

ENERGY



3

DIET



Tackle these 3 areas in priority to reduce your carbon footprint significantly



