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VISION, MISSION AND CORE VALUES

OUR VISION

'Personality Development for Nation Building'

We deliver excellent and holistic quality education for overall development of students and strive for their continual development in our endeavor of making them quality human beings and responsible citizens of our nation.

OUR MISSION

"India is on its growth path of developing through different industries and agriculture. World is becoming smaller and globalization has come to stay. In this process of inevitable changes in the world, there is a need to prepare value driven global citizens and technically competent socially conscious people for India.

In Bunts Sangha's S.M. Shetty Educational Institutions we will prepare the critical mass of human resources for preparing "New India". We will continually provide the environment and facilitate students to discover and develop their potential. This will be done through unique learning centres which will become the benchmark for academic institutions globally."

CORE VALUES

- ✓ Competent and committed academic staff
- ✓ Need based individual attention
- ✓ Holistic approach to child's development

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EDITORIAL

Dear readers,

It is with great pleasure and immense pride that we present to you the latest edition of our school's annual magazine. As the pages unfold before you, we invite you to embark on a journey through the tapestry of excellence that defines our institution.

In this rapidly changing world, education plays a pivotal role in shaping young minds, empowering them to navigate the complexities of life with knowledge, resilience, and compassion. Our institution has long been committed to providing a nurturing environment that fosters holistic development, and this magazine serves as a testament to that commitment.

Within the vibrant canvas of our annual magazine, you will witness the countless hues of talent, creativity, and achievement that adorn our classrooms, hallways, and playground. Each stroke of brilliance represents the collective efforts of our students, teachers, staff, and parents who strive tirelessly to create an environment conducive to growth and exploration.

The annual magazine showcases our expressions, highlighting the impact our students have made in the realms of sports, community service, environmental sustainability, and beyond.

However, the true essence of our institution cannot be encapsulated in words alone. It lies in the unwavering spirit of collaboration, inclusivity, and respect that permeates every aspect of our institution. Our annual magazine is a testament to the power of unity, celebrating the diversity of our student body and fostering a sense of belonging for all. It is a reflection of the tapestry of cultures, backgrounds, and perspectives that intertwine to create a harmonious symphony of ideas.

As we leaf through the pages of this annual magazine, let us acknowledge the dedication and perseverance of our students, who have invested countless hours of hard work to bring their visions to life. We extend our heartfelt gratitude to the teachers and staff who have nurtured their talents, providing guidance, support, and encouragement every step of the way.

To the parents and families, we express our sincere appreciation for your unwavering support and for entrusting us with the education and growth of your children. Together, we have created an environment where dreams flourish and achievements are realized.

Finally, to our readers, we invite you to immerse yourselves in the stories, images, and ideas presented within these pages. Let the voices of our students inspire you, the artwork ignite your imagination, and the achievements motivate you to strive for greatness. May this magazine be a catalyst for positive change, fostering a lifelong love of learning and a deep appreciation for the wonders of knowledge.

In closing, we extend our deepest gratitude to everyone who has contributed to this magazine's creation. Your dedication and commitment have transformed mere pages into a vibrant testament of excellence and possibility.

Welcome to our annual magazine, a celebration of the past, a glimpse into the present, and a beacon guiding us towards a future of limitless potential.

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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE



Praveen Bhoja Shetty President Bunts Sangha, Mumbai

Sangha's **Bunts** S M Shetty Educational Institutions have emerged as one of the finest educational institutions in Mumbai catering to the needs of students as young as tiny tots to the grownup professionals, fulfilling the motive of dealing with students from KG to PG to PhD. In addition to offering the future of our country with meritorious academic skills, we also impart skills that assure a well-rounded development for the students that help them to succeed in their fields of interests. As President of Bunts Sangha, Mumbai, I feel pride to be associated with such an illustrious institution

Bunts Sangha, Mumbai – the parent body, envisions to contribute towards education as we believe that the best form of expressing gratitude towards our society is by giving back to the society through education. The endeavor started with Powai by establishing Bunts Sangha's S M Shetty Educational Institutions in 1998. Bunts Sangha's Higher Education Institutions came to existence at Kurla in 2008. This year we commenced our highly enthusiastic school projects at IC Colony Borivali where we have created the best-in-class infrastructure conducive to catering to the needs of an International as well as a CBSE School. The sole purpose of growth of educational institutions is to reach out to the students who deserve to get quality education.

Coming back to the annual e- magazine Kaleidoscope, it is a wonderful platform for the students and the teachers to express their creative side that has been developed through hard work with innovative thoughts and authentic ideas. It's a testimony of our passion towards our institution and our affection towards our work. I appreciate and congratulate the entire editorial team for their continuous hard work and commitment which has resulted in the publication of the e-magazine. I am sure that the readers will enjoy reading the content of the magazine.

Bunts Sangha's S M Shetty Educational Institutions have been striving hard to achieve excellence. I extend my warm wishes to the Chairman, Office Bearers and Members of Powai Education Committee, Institutional Heads, Staff, Students and Parents and trust they will continue this great journey on the path of excellence.

CHAIRMAN'S MESSAGE



Ratnakar Shetty Mundkur

Chairman,

Powai Education Committee

Dear Students, Teachers, Staff, Parents, and Well-Wishers,

I feel humbled and privileged to address the readers of our very own annual e- magazine Kaleidoscope, as the Chairman of Bunts Sangha's S M Shetty Educational Institutions. It has been an incredible journey of learning and development. I feel a strong sense of joy and accomplishment with the fabulous academic results, cultural and co-curricular achievements, laurels in sports and accreditations. certifications and numerous acknowledgements that our Institution holds today. This is purely a result of the combined efforts and unwavering commitment of each and every individual associated with our institution- Management, Staff, Students, Parents and the Society.

It is indeed overwhelming to see the exponential growth of our educational institutions over the years. From humble beginnings, our institution has grown and flourished, nurturing generations of bright minds and fostering a spirit of excellence in education. With a vision of 'Personality Development for Nation Building', our institutions are committed to providing holistic education, nurturing young minds to become responsible global citizens. We as an institution aspire to harbor great minds and greater leaders who would be instrumental in leading our nation to its full potential. Over the years, we have strived to uphold this vision, continually adapting and evolving to meet the changing needs of our students and the world around us.

What we are today is a result of the hard work put in by our leadership teams and teachers. Bunts Sangha's S M Shetty Educational Institutions play an important role in training the teachers so that they could instill a growth mindset in their students and help them unlock their true potential. All the institutions conduct a range of events that help our students find their voice, follow it with passion and be get skilled to represent the global community. As a result of this, our students have achieved success in academic endeavors, sports, the arts, and numerous extracurricular activities. We have seen young minds undergo transformations when the virtues of integrity, empathy, and resiliency are instilled in them. We have seen the connections made within these walls, forging a solid sense of belonging.

Ms. Reshma Rao Principal

From the Desk of the Principal

Celebrating our Laurels and Charting the Path Ahead

Over the past two and a half decades, our institution has grown from a humble institution to a beacon of excellence in education, nurturing countless young minds and shaping the future leaders of tomorrow. This journey has been marked by numerous milestones, accolades, and the collective effort of our supportive management, dedicated staff, parents, and students.

Since our inception, we have been committed to providing a holistic education that focuses on academic excellence and the overall development of our students. Our innovative teaching methods, state-of-the-art facilities, and a nurturing environment have played a crucial role in our success. Over the years, we have consistently achieved outstanding academic results, with our students excelling in various competitive examinations and securing admissions to prestigious institutions worldwide.

Our institution's commitment to excellence has been recognized at various levels. We are proud to have received numerous awards and accolades, including being honoured as the best school in the ward for the past decade. This recognition is a testament to the hard work and dedication of our faculty, staff, and students.

As we look ahead, we remain steadfast in our mission to provide a world-class education that prepares our students for future challenges. Our future goals in education are centered around innovation, inclusivity, and sustainability. We aim to integrate cutting-edge technology into our curriculum, promote a culture of continuous learning, and foster an inclusive environment where every student can thrive. We are committed to enhancing our curriculum to include more experiential learning opportunities, focusing on exceeding in all the facets of education, arts, and humanities. By doing so, we aim to equip our students with the skills and knowledge they need to excel in a rapidly changing world.

At the heart of our institution lies a strong sense of social responsibility. We believe that education is not just about academic achievements but also about instilling values of empathy, compassion, and civic responsibility in our students. Our SSR activities include active engagement in various community service projects, and environmental conservation initiatives. These efforts aim to create a positive impact on society and foster a sense of responsibility among our students.

Our commitment to excellence is further underscored by our ISO accreditation. This prestigious certification is a reflection of our adherence to international standards in education and management. It is a testament to our continuous efforts to maintain the highest levels of quality in all aspects of our operations, from curriculum development to student services. As we move forward, we are filled with optimism and excitement for the future. Our vision is to continue building on our legacy of excellence, embracing new opportunities, and overcoming challenges with resilience and determination. Together, we will continue to create a nurturing and inspiring environment where every student can reach their full potential.

In conclusion, as we celebrate our momentous milestones, we take immense pride in sharing our journey and achievements through the pages of Kaleidoscope. This magazine not only reflects our past successes and future aspirations but also embodies the spirit of our vibrant institution. Through Kaleidoscope, we hope to inspire and engage our readers, showcasing the dedication and excellence that define our school. Here's to many more years of growth, innovation, and making a positive impact, together in the spirit of Many in body and one in mind.

Ms. Rutuja Raut Vice Principal

From the Desk of the Vice Principal

The Power of Team Spirit: Winning Together

The moment which made me proud as a member of my school family was the announcement of The Best School in the ward for 10 consecutive years. As I reflect on the achievements of our institution, it becomes clear that the cornerstone of our success is the unwavering team spirit and collective effort of every member of our institution. From the management, students and teachers to administrative staff and parents, each individual's contribution forms the foundation of our accomplishments.

At the heart of our institution lies a shared vision: to foster an environment where every member feels valued and empowered. This vision can only be realized through the strength

of our collective spirit. Team spirit is more than just a concept; it is a dynamic force that propels us towards our goals. It is the synergy that arises when we come together, supporting and uplifting one another, that transforms challenges into opportunities and dreams into realities, thereby fulfilling our vision 'Personality Development for Nation Building'.

Each member of our institution has played a pivotal role in our accomplishment of being the best school at the ward level for ten consecutive years. Our dedicated teachers continuously strive to provide top-notch education, fostering an environment where students can thrive academically and personally. The administrative staff ensures the smooth operation of daily activities, maintaining the structure and support necessary for our success. Our students, with their enthusiasm and commitment to learning, embody the spirit of excellence we aim for. Parents and guardians, as integral partners, contribute their unwavering support, encouraging their children and collaborating with the school. Together, this collective effort has allowed us to maintain our consistency and achieve this remarkable milestone along with many more achievements at different levels in various cometitions.

Every student brings unique talents and perspectives, enriching our institution with diversity and creativity. Whether it's excelling in academics, arts, sports, or extracurricular activities, each student's dedication and hard work contribute to our shared success. Similarly, our teachers play a pivotal role in guiding and inspiring students, nurturing their potential, and fostering a love for learning. Their commitment goes beyond the classroom, as they mentor, motivate, and model the core values we uphold.

Our administrative staff, often working behind the scenes, ensure the smooth functioning of our institution. Their efficiency, organization, and problem-solving skills create a conducive environment for learning and growth. Parents, too, are integral members of our team, providing unwavering support and encouragement, and partnering with us to create the best possible educational experience for our students.

It is this collective effort that defines us. Each member's unique strengths and contributions weave together to form the rich fabric of our institution. In moments of triumph, we celebrate together, and in times of challenge, we stand united, drawing strength from one another.

As we move forward, let us continue to embrace the spirit of collaboration and mutual respect. Let us recognize that our greatest strength lies in our unity, and that by working together, we can achieve remarkable things. The future holds limitless possibilities, and with our shared commitment to excellence, there is no doubt that we will continue to reach new heights.

This spirit of unity and collective success resonates perfectly with the essence of our e-magazine, Kaleidoscope. Just as each piece of a kaleidoscope contributes to its beautiful patterns, every member of our community contributes to the vibrant and dynamic environment of our institution. Through Kaleidoscope, we celebrate these individual and collective achievements, highlighting the diversity and strength that make our school a beacon of excellence.

In conclusion, let us take pride in the power of team spirit that defines our institution. Let us celebrate the strength of each member and acknowledge the invaluable contributions that make Bunts Sangha's S M Shetty High School & Junior College successful. Together, we are not just a team; we are a family, united in our pursuit of knowledge, growth, and excellence.

Ms. Kumudini Rana Head Mistress (Primary Section)

From The Desk of Headmistress Primary

Performance Vs Perfection

Performance and perfection, these two terms have always been confusing and a matter of debate at the same time. We often find one is on a higher level than the other.

Perfection is a subjective concept that varies from person to person. Generally, it refers to our state of being flawless in something where there is the absence of any mistakes or errors. It often involves striving for the highest possible standard and eliminating any mistakes or imperfections.

However, I personally feel that perfection is often unattainable and can be a subjective and ever-changing ideal. What one person considers perfect may not be the same for another. It is often a personal and subjective standard of excellence.

Both performance and perfection are important concepts, but they have different meanings and implications. Performance refers to how well someone is able to accomplish a task or achieve a goal. It focuses on the actual results and outcomes. On the other hand, perfection is the idea of reaching an ideal in a flawless state. Certainly it involves striving for the highest possible standard and eliminating any kind of error or imperfections.

In many situations, performance is more practical and achievable than perfection. It allows for continuous improvement and growth, as it emphasizes progress and effectiveness. Striving for perfection, while admirable, can sometimes be unrealistic and lead to unnecessary stress or dissatisfaction.

Ultimately, the choice between performance and perfection depends on the specific context and individual preferences. It's important to find a balance that aligns with our goals and values.

In the context of school life, both performance and perfection play important roles, but it's essential to find a healthy balance between the two.

Performance in a student's life refers to how well you are able to meet academic expectations, such as achieving good grades, actively participating in class, and completing assignments on time. It involves putting in effort, staying organized, and consistently working towards your educational goals. Focusing on performance allows you to track your progress, identify areas for improvement, and strive for academic success.

On the other hand, perfection can sometimes be an unrealistic and overwhelming pursuit. It may involve setting impossibly high standards for yourself, which can lead to stress, burnout, and a negative impact on your mental well-being.

In school life, it's generally more productive to prioritize performance over perfection.

Dear Students, so strive to do your best, set realistic goals, and focus on continuous improvement. Celebrate your achievements, learn from your mistakes, and remember that your worth as a student is not solely determined by perfection, but by your dedication, effort, and overall growth.

It's important to remember that making mistakes and experiencing setbacks are natural parts of the learning process. Embracing a growth mindset and learning from failures can be more beneficial in the long run.

From The Desk of Headmistress Pre-Primary





Ms. Neha Bhave Head Mistress (Pre-Primary Section)

Children can use play to express their creativity while also strengthening their physical, mental, and emotional fortitude, dexterity, and inventiveness. Play is essential for the normal development of the brain. (4–6 yrs.) From a very young age, children engage and interact with the world through play. Through play, children can construct and discover a world they can control, overcoming their fears and rehearsing grownup roles sometimes in cooperation with other kids or adult carers. Children can develop their group work, sharing, negotiating, conflict resolution, and self-advocacy abilities through unstructured play.

There is a decline in multi-generational households where grandparents and other family members can watch the children, and an increase in families with one working parent or two working parents. Children must be in child care or other places where they may be watched over by adults all day long because fewer families have adult supervision accessible in the home during the workday. Children that might otherwise be left with little to no adult supervision have great alternatives in the form of structured after-school programs and academic enrichment options.

The decrease in free play can also be explained by children being passively entertained through television or computer/video games. In sharp contrast to the health benefits of active, creative play and the known developmental benefits of an appropriate level of organized activities, there is ample evidence that this passive entertainment is not protective and, in fact, has some harmful effects.

Give your kids the freedom to experiment with various games and materials that will improve their abilities and foster their overall development.

ADMINISTRATIVE & NON-TEACHING STAFF

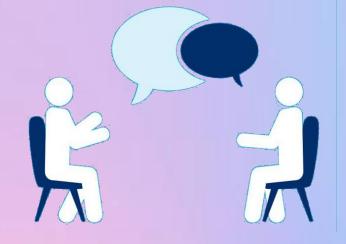


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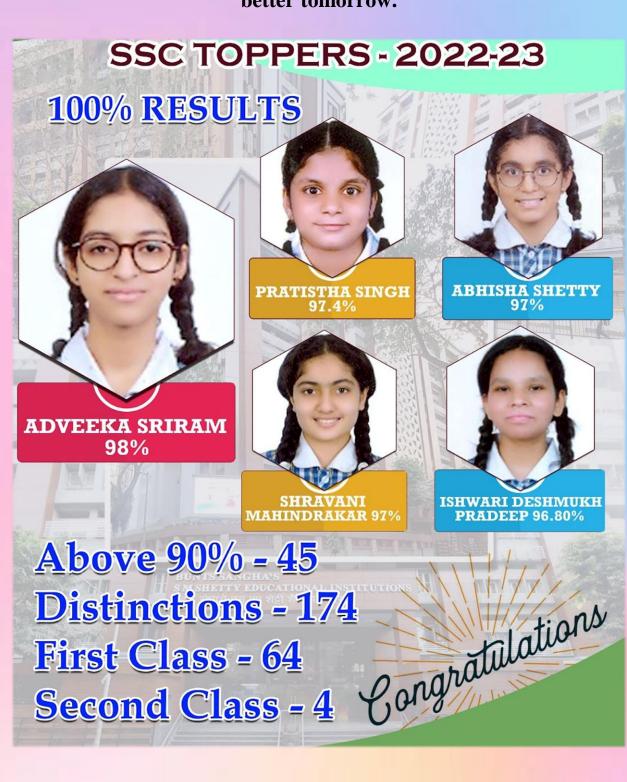


Counselling Centre THE TEAM

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Ms.Remya Urath	Special Educator

Annual Report: Reflecting on a Year of Transformation

Bunts Sangha's S M Shetty High School & Junior College is on a path of transformative change to empower and evolve as better individuals for a better tomorrow.



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Vision: Personality Development for Nation Building

Congratulations SSC TOPPERS 2023-24

Congratulations



Ms. NIDHI UPADHYAYA 97.40%



Ms. SAMRUDDHI SALVI 98.20%



Ms. SHWETA KAMBLI 97.20%

Total Students: 199

Above 90%: 36 students Distinction

(including above 90%)

:159 students

First Class: 38 students

Second Class: 2 students

Extra Marks in

Sports & Arts: 49 students

Achievements in Sports



Mast. Hrishit Shetty secured
Gold at the State level
Wushu Championship, bronze
medal in the District
level DSO Wushu Competition,
gold medal in the
Mumbai Inter Club Boxing
Tournament, first place in DSO
Kickboxing and Division Level
DSO Kickboxing,
and gold at the National Level
Kickboxing Championship.

Master Khush Bhanushali – new World Records India holder for being the youngest to complete 100 lunges in 1 minute

Mast. Gauran Akhade won the bronze medal at the District level DSO Wushu Competition and gold at the District level DSO Boxing competition. He secured the first position in DSO Kickboxing and second place in the Division Level DSO Kickboxing. He has won one gold and one bronze medal in the District Kickboxing Championship.





Ms. Neerja Chavan won second place in DSO Kickboxing and gold at the National Level.

 Mast. Om Lohot secured third place in the DSO Archery competition and first at the DSO Division Level. He won second place in Archery at Poinsur Gymkhana and third place in the overall competition.

We secured 16 prizes at the Taluka level and 5 prizes in the District level at the DSO Athletic Competition.

 Ms. Vidita Juwatkar secured the fourth position in Chess and Ms. Nidhi Shetty got the title of Best Performance in Kabaddi at the competitions held at Poinsur Gymkhana

 Secured the title of Best School at the Nisarg Run with 4 first and 2 second positions.

- Boys' Dodgeball team won second place; Girls' team won fourth in the Mumbai Association Dodgeball competition.
- Girls' Basketball team secured third place in the Nahar International School Basketball tournament.
- Won the Best School Award for the third consecutive year in the 9th Inter School Athletics Competition, along with 3 Best Athlete trophies, 24 gold, 10 silver, and 28 bronze medals.



Ms. Faariya Rain has been selected in the Mumbai Cricket Association.

She secured first place in the Decathlon Skating Competition too.































And that's not all, here are a few more remarkable achievements:

- Anusha Jain won 2nd in English Elocution at Vivekostav.
- Aayurtha Desai won 2nd in Voice of Powai final round.
- Rudula Patil secured 1st in Sanskrit Amarkosha recitation by Maharshi Vyas Vidya Pratishthan.
- Deivka Kumar secured 2nd in Eloquent Algorithms Elocution
- At Mani Bhavan Drawing Competition, Viona Patel won a special prize, Soumya Roy secured 1st place.
 Chinmay Desai won a special prize for Dholki player, and the primary music group won a special prize in the patriotic song competition.
- Anika Nair progressed to District level for her Innovation Idea of Weigh and Pay Food Waste Bin in Inspire Manak Award, receiving ₹10,000 to develop her idea.



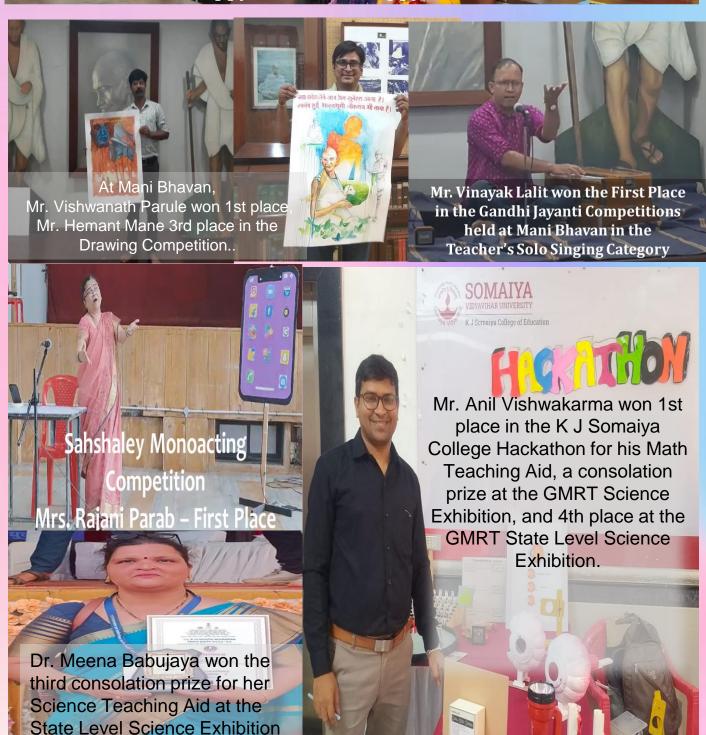
Let's celebrate

Staff Achievements

We are one of the winners of the Happy Staffroom, Happy Teachers contest conducted by

the AFS - West Zone





in Sawantwadi.

SSR Activities

- Stationery collected from students was donated to the Rishi Valmiki Eco School.
- 2700 rotis were collected during the Roti Donation drive to be donated to the Roti Bank Foundation.
- Students' paintings were exhibited and sold at the Kohinoor Continental Art Gallery.
- Rangrati Dandiya and Garba Night was organized to fund the Academic and Sports Scholarship and Sponsorship initiative.
- Diyas painted by students were sold to help generate funds towards the Care to Share initiative.
- Grains and other essential items were collected during the Grain Donation Drive and given to Akshaya Shakti's Akshaya Aahaar.
- Dildari ki Dukan was organized to provide housekeeping staff with amenities at the cost of Rs. 13



Eco Club Activities

- Monthly Mega Plastic Collection Drives: Championing plastic waste reduction and recycling efforts.
- •Climate Clock Installation: Unveiled at IIT Bombay to monitor time until a 1.5°C temperature rise.
- •Green Initiatives: Spearheaded tree planting and cleanliness drives in local communities.
- •Educational Excursions: Explored Maharashtra Nature Park and participated in a climate workshop at SIES High School.

•Eco-Friendly Workshop: Facilitated a clay Ganesha-making session for Std VI students.



Celebrations in the Year

- Welcoming the Academic Year 2023-24 was organized to formally welcome the staff and introduce the new management members.
- The interschool Silver Jubilee Oratorical Contest 'Orator' was conducted where a total 88 schools
 participated and winners were awarded with a trophy, certificate, citation and a cheque. Children's
 Academy, Thakur Complex got a rotating trophy for securing the maximum points in the student
 and teacher category.
- The **Investiture Ceremony** for the primary and secondary section was conducted to formally confer the duties to the Student Council of 2023-24.
- National Sports Day was celebrated by showing videos on incredible sportspersons in Indian history while Std X students celebrated this day on the ground with games such as marbles and top organized specially for them.
- We hosted the Sahshaley Ward Level Folk Dance Competition and the District Level Band Competition.
- Annual Day was celebrated on the theme Many in Body, One in Mind.
- Recreation Sports were organized for Special Needs Students while Sports Events were organized for parents and the Annual Sports Day was held for students.
- Interschool Football Tournament was organized with 25 schools participating in it.



Workshops for Students

- Environmental awareness sessions were conducted on topics such as Plastics & Recyclability,
 Ewaste, Eco-friendly Ganesha Making, Climate Clock at IIT Bombay, Different Plants species &
 Medicinal Plants at Maharashtra Nature Park, Climate Change at SIES school and Climate &
 Weather at IMD
- Wellness sessions were conducted on Dengue & Malaria, Body Awareness Education, FRIES
 Theory and Diet & Nutrition.
- A Career guidance session was organized on Relevance of International Education.
- Std X Exam guidance sessions such as **Ready or Not** by Dr. Harish Shetty, **Preliminary Examination Guidance** were conducted and **Marathi Moderator Session** were arranged.
- Safety related sessions were arranged on topics such as **Traffic Safety** and **Anti-bullying**.
- Student exchange sessions were held with Youth Collaborating for Compassion and Rishi
 Valmiki Eco School.
- Science based sessions were held such as Science Quiz & DIY at Shri TP Bhatia College of
 Science and Exhibits & Live Demonstration at IIT Bombay



Visits and Excursions arranged for Students

- Std VI & VII were taken for an educational visit to Bhavan's Nature and Adventure Park while
 VIII & IX were taken to Rocksport.
- The students were taken to **Imagica** for a picnic.
- Std X Students were taken for a Camp to Silvassa.
- The students went to **Bangalore**, **Mysore and Coorg** for the long tour.
- Selected students were taken on field visits to the Indian Meteorological Department, Radio Mirchi, IIT Bombay, Maharashtra Nature Park, TP Bhatia College of Science, SIES school and Rishi Valmiki Eco School.



Workshops for Teachers

- •XSEED Training was conducted throughout the year for teachers teaching the XSEED curriculum.
- •Dr. Harish Shetty conducted interactive sessions for teachers on different topics such as Connect, Connectivity and Connectedness, Yeh Philosophy Hai Japani Yeh School Hindustani along with Dr. Sandeep Singh and Flashbacks.
- •Inter Department Training sessions were conducted such as How to Design & Deliver Innovative Powerpoint Presentations, English Language Enhancement, Greeting Card Design and Critical Thinking Workshop.
- •Our Mathematics and Science Teachers attended a 7 session **Progressive Teaching** workshop organized by the Principal of Udayachal High School.
- •Physical Wellbeing sessions were also organised on Cancer Awareness, Prevention of Cervical Cancer and Breast Cancer Awareness.
- •Mathematics teachers also attended a session on teaching students about **Financial** Literacy.
- •A Fire Safety Training programme was also attended by the teachers

Workshops for Parents

- •Orientation sessions were arranged for each standard.
- •The Counselling Centre conducted a session for parents on A to Z of Parenteen.



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