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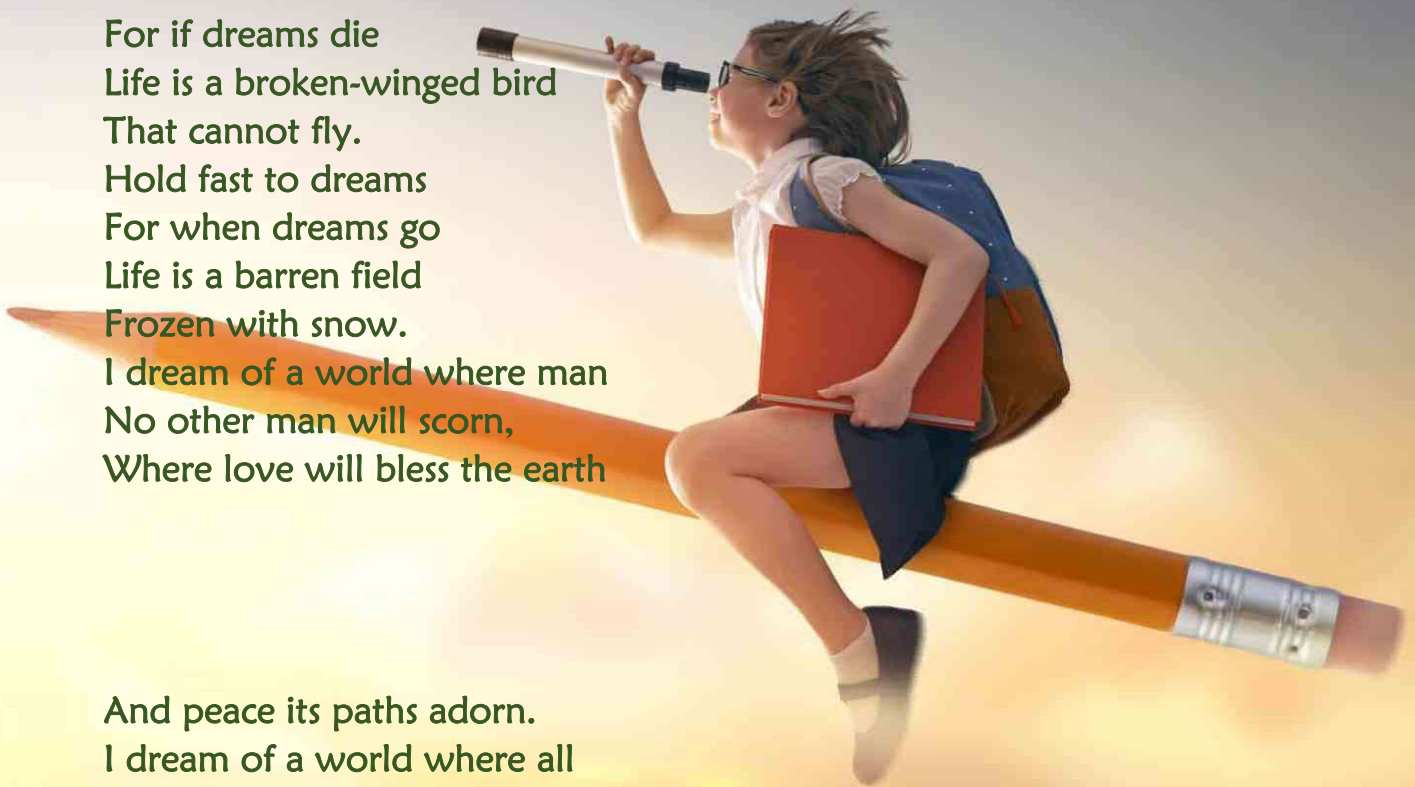
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DREAMS

Hold fast to dreams
For if dreams die
Life is a broken-winged bird
That cannot fly.
Hold fast to dreams
For when dreams go
Life is a barren field
Frozen with snow.
I dream of a world where man
No other man will scorn,
Where love will bless the earth

And peace its paths adorn.
I dream of a world where all
Will know sweet freedom's way,
Where greed no longer saps the soul
Nor avarice blights our day.
A world I dream of, where black or white,
Whatever race you be
Will share the bounties of the earth
And every man is free,
Where wretchedness will hang its head
And joy, like a pearl,
Attends the needs of all mankind-
Of such I dream, my world!

Langston Hughes



Welcoming Principal...

We take immense pleasure in introducing to you our revered Principal Sir, Mr. Chandra Shekhar who is a stalwart in the sphere of education. He is an ace educator with protracted experience of three decades of academic experience and management expertise across multiple curricula - Cambridge, IB, CBSE and ICSE. He is a thought provoking leader with exceptional organisational and operational skills. A staunch believer of progressing towards educational excellence through continuous efforts and a never ending passion for



learning, he is a dedicated and resolute preceptor and pedagogue.

Welcoming Head Mistresses..



Shri Ram Centennial School, Indore, takes prodigious pride in welcoming Ms. Neeta Khatri, a stellar preceptor, as the Head Mistress of the school. Ms. Khatri is a Master in Science, as well as, a Master in Educational Technology and Curriculum Development. With her sustained experience in teaching and administration, she is an indefatigable educationist with firm belief in progressing towards holistic excellence through continuous and never ending passion for learning. Under her leadership and guidance SRCS, Indore, hopes to reach the highest pinnacle of excellence.

Newspaper Appraisal 2020-21

It is with colossal pleasure and utmost pride, we share with all the momentous news that Shri Ram Centennial School, Indore has been able to make its mark as a top school in the state with its remarkable learning environment, coupled with its impeccably

designed infrastructure for a holistic development of children.

We proffer our ardent gratitude and heartiest congratulations to all the stakeholders for their unwavering support and unabating guidance.



MADHYA PRADESH TOP 10 DAY-CUM-BOARDING SCHOOLS

RANK	SCHOOL NAME	RANK	SCHOOL NAME
1	The Emerald Heights International School, Indore	7	DPS, Chhindwara
2	The Sanskaar Valley School, Bhopal	7	Macro Vision Academy, Burhanpur
2	DPS, Bhadbhada Road, Bhopal	8	Maharishi Vidya Mandir, Bhopal
3	The Daly College, Indore	8	DPS, Mandla Road, Jabalpur
4	Shri Ram Centennial School, Indore	9	International Public School, Bhopal
5	Gyan Ganga International School Jabalpur	10	Neel World School, Morena
6	DPS, Rau, Indore		

The complete day-cum-boarding schools league table is available on www.educationworld.in

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Students' Achievements 2020-21

It gives us joy and pride in sharing with you indeed very proud of our students' our Class XII CBSE Board result. We are outstanding success and achievements.



SHRI RAM CENTENNIAL SCHOOL INDORE



Class XII Results 2020-2021 Stupendous Performance!



BHAVYA JAIN
PCM 98.2 %
School Rank 1



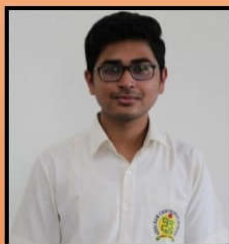
YUVRAJ SINGH BAIS
PCM 97.8 %
School Rank 2



RISHABH GOSWAMI
PCB 97.2 %
School Rank 3



ARYA CHAUHAN
PCB 95.8 %
School Rank 4



ADITYA BISEN
PCM 95.4 %
School Rank 5



ANUNAY SHUKLA
PCB 95.4 %
School Rank 5



ATHARV SACHDEV
PCM 95.4 %
School Rank 5



RATNESH JAIN
COMMERCE 95.4 %
School Rank 5



SHIROMANI JAISWAL
HUMANITIES 95.2 %
School Rank 9



KRISHNA SETHIYA
PCM 95 %
School Rank 10



SAKSHI SHARMA
PCM 95 %
School Rank 10

Student's Achievement's

We feel elated to announce the stupendous feat of Krishna Sethiya, a student of class XII(2020-21), on being selected for the premier institute of BITS Hyderabad. We congratulate the student and his parents for his outstanding performance.



Student's Achievement's Class X

SRCS feels exhilarated to announce the great academic accomplishment of our ebullient Grade X students for passing with flying colours. The school has been successful in achieving 100% result. The average of school

is 71%.

Team SRCS congratulates all the students for their stupendous result and wishes them good luck in the beautiful journey ahead. May they climb greater heights of success!!



SHRI RAM CENTENNIAL SCHOOL

INDORE

Class X Results 2020-2021

Splendid Performance!





VARSHIT CHOUHAN
93.3 %
School Rank 2



KRISHNA RAGHUWANSHI
96.5 %
School Rank 1



ABHISHEK CHOUDHARY
93.2 %
School Rank 3



Heartiest Congratulations to all!!

Student's Council 2021-22

Young people aren't the leaders of tomorrow. "They are the leaders of today and tomorrow"

Student councils are a great way for students to take on leadership roles, promote the voice of the student body, solve problems and impact his or her community. Student councils are powerful leadership and learning opportunities. In addition to boosting confidence, student councils improve communication skills. The function of the student council is based upon parliamentary procedures. Ideas are presented, voted upon and confirmed by the student body.

Secondary school youth need practical experiences in doing those things expected of adults in a democratic society. The school needs the student council because the quality of education is improved when students are involved in an assessment of the educational experiences provided and have input in the ways the school can better meet the needs of the student and society. The student council of SRCS, Indore is instilled with a similar sense of pride and admiration maintaining general student discipline, during break time and also on school buses.



Interschool Sahodaya Samagam Competitions

The students of SRCS, Indore have been able to present themselves as the best in not just academics but in various fields at various

levels and have been able to bring laurels to the school.

Power Point Presentation Competition

In a Power point presentation, PowerPoint is only half of the puzzle. The other half is giving a stellar verbal presentation to accompany the material. That's why presentation skills are an integral part of a PPT competition. A presenter needs to avoid merely reading off the slides and be able to adequately answer all questions.

Aadi Jain, a student of class X, has been adjudicated the best performer in the Sahodaya Samagam PPT making competition for classes IX to XII.



Story telling Competition



Storytelling brings language learning alive and creates a participatory and immersive experience that allows Young

Learners to enjoy hearing the language in a

dynamic, sometimes stylistic and entertaining way. Participation using key vocabulary and phrases can create an awareness of rhythm and structure. Rudransh Sharma of Grade IV has been the best performer in Sahodaya Samagam Storytelling competition (English).

Movie making Competition

Students have their voices heard through movie making competitions where creativity and ingenuity is highly in vogue. Winning films were chosen on the basis of creativity and the t Atharv Naresh, Dushyant Singh and Jayaditya Jadhav of grade VII were announced the best

ability to tell a story that leaves the audience better informed .



Heartiest Congratulations to all!!

Welcoming Children.....

After an erratic and fluctuant phase of unprecedented and unexpected turn of events where lives were muddled and greatly disturbed, a ray of renewed hope to usher in joys of learning and new opportunities of exploration was visible on the horizon as Shri Ram Centennial School, Indore welcomed back its students to the normal way of learning.



Following Covid- Safety measures

In order to reopen school safely and mitigate disease spread, special precautionary measures had been taken up in hygiene and cleaning of the school building and the school buses.

- Constant and continuous cleaning and sanitizing of commonly touched surfaces.



- Classroom desks and benches are properly wiped clean and disinfected before the students return back to school.
- High touched areas such as door knobs and staircase rails are wiped every two hours.
- Windows and doors are left open as much as possible to maintain ventilation.
- Computers are wiped after every use.
- School buses are cleaned in a detailed manner with spraying of disinfectants and wiping of each and every seat and bars.
- Masks and strict following of guidelines can mitigate the spread of disease in the school.
- Social distancing techniques coupled with careful hygiene, cleaning, proper use of masks and strict following of guidelines can mitigate the spread of disease in the school.
- Disinfectant and sanitizers are frequently sprayed all over the school, especially in the common areas.
- Toilets and sinks are cleaned 3-4 times a day.

Welcoming Students for off line

It was a moment of beatitude and felicity as junior students of grade 1 to 3 was back into the school building. This has been a success, despite the masks, cohorts, hand-washing, directional flow in hallways and physical distancing. It indeed was conspicuous to see shining eyes peeking over the top of masks, as students arrived ready for a new chapter.



There is physical distancing in every classroom when students are seated. The



cohort entrances and hand-washing stations have worked well. It is also a testament to the students' characters that everyone understands and respects the importance of the new protocols to keep everyone in the community safe.



Celebrations.....

8th Foundation Day 14th July 2021

A foundation provides the platform on which future stands.

Shri Ram Centennial School with its unparalleled commitment towards fulfilling the needs of the ever growing young minds, celebrated the 8th Foundation Day of the school. The day gave the SRCians an opportunity to take stock of the past and to

re dedicate themselves to face the new challenges that lie ahead. The celebration included the SRCS anthem, speeches by students as well as parents and teachers. The messages of the honourable principal and vice principal construed the herald of the upcoming glorious future of the institution.

Independence Day

As India enters its 75th year of independence, it's very important that we continue to cherish and practise the same ideals and values our great countrymen held

dear during their struggle to build an independent India. Happy Independence Day.



Children's Day Celebration

God has bestowed children with a magic to conquer the hearts of everyone. They are like buds in a garden and should be carefully and lovingly nurtured as they are the future of the nation and the citizens of tomorrow. SRCS, Indore celebrated Children's Day to appreciate the children for the happiness they bring to everybody's life with zeal, jubilation and effervescence. The Students of grade 3 to 5 were enthralled to watch their

favourite movie with popcorn in hand. The children of grade 6 to 8 were engaged in a treasure hunt where they participated with utmost vivacity and joie de vivre. The students of Grade 9 to 12 took part in a football match. The day was blithesome and full of vim and vigour.



Inter House Competitions.....

Celebrating Patriotism

School houses exist to inculcate in students a sense of belongingness, the habit of living in harmony and awareness of when to seek help and lead when the time arrives. Keeping in mind the benefits of House system and identifying the need of healthy contests, Shri Ram Centennial School, Indore held the inter house competitions for various levels.



Customs and Traditions Competition

Celebrating events and festivals is an integral part of learning and building strong cultural beliefs and understanding customs and traditions. With its staunch credence in the notion that education is meant to enable children to bloom, to blossom and to thrive

through various activities and celebrations of different Indian festivals, Shri Ram Centennial School, Indore organised inter-house events like Rakhi Making, Thali Decoration and Gift-Wrapping competitions to rejoice the glory of the rich Indian culture.



Ganesha Making Competition

School house system is the greatest vehicle towards offering outstanding pastoral care. It is a system which instills a myriad of the most wonderful and desirable attributes in the students. With an aim to identifying healthy competition with benefits of the house system and incorporate it with the staunch belief that children thrive and blossom through celebrations of festivals, Shri Ram Centennial School, Indore had organised Inter house competitions on the eve of Ganesh Chaturthi.

Miracles of Science:

Science competitions are a great way to engage students, build on their practical skills and test their knowledge. As an interhouse activity Miracles of Science paved the path



The competitions comprised of various art forms, such as Ganesha Drawing, Eco Friendly Ganesha Idol making etc.

for young prodigies to showcase their scientific temperament and understanding of the subject.



Heartiest Congratulations to all the winners!!

Pre-Primary Activities.....

Concept of Shapes

The ability to accurately identify shapes is a foundational mathematical skill, and it is quite rewarding for children because their world is full of shapes.. Students of Kg-1 enjoyed making a car, bus, rocket, boat, train etc with different shapes. A fun-filled and joyful activity provided the little ones a platform to develop and showcase their latent talents.



Song Presentation with Props

The nursery rhymes and songs pave the way for language, learning and communication for young learners. They are undoubtedly a conducive way to develop auditory skills. Rhyme recitation also helps students to build confidence as they learn to speak more accurately.

The tiny tots of class Nursery recited various poems and rhymes using different props. They were enlivened on being able to perform the

More and Less Activity

Play and learn about animals is a fun activity that provides brilliant assistance in helping children practice sorting animals into different categories. Sorting activity is a great way to encourage discussion of different types of pet, domestic and wild animals. A combination of both the activities improve and enhance the analytical and oratorical skills of the children.



Math Activity

Mathematics is not just about answer, it's also about process.

If we understand how Mathematics can be used in our day to day lives, we would be able to easily grasp it. Whether it is about organising competitions, number games or exciting puzzles, Mathematics is everywhere. Children as young as one year of age can enjoy learning numbers through fulfilled educational activities. Here is a glimpse of

the mathematical activities done by the Kindergarten students of SRCS, Indore.



Pink Day Celebration



Colour plays very important role in the early development of children. Pink signifies love, beauty and kindness.

To make the children explore more about the pink colour, pink day was celebrated by the children of Nursery class to acquaint the little buds with the concept of pink colour. Kids dressed up in different shades of pink colour & displayed pink colour objects. They enjoyed making Flamingo with pink colour.

Project based Activities

Children of class Kg-1 Ayansh Nahar, Prakriti Keshree, Adhyansh Nagar made static modals of different modes of transportation and winter season.



Pre-Primary Celebrations.....

Rainy Day Celebration

Rainy days give us the serendipity to spend time with ourselves and our families. Keeping this feeling of ebullience and mirth alive, SRCS, Indore, organized an activity for the students to spend some pleasantly precious moments with their family and friends.

Hindi Diwas Celebration



Hindi Diwas Celebration inspires us to value Hindi Language and infuses love for it. The language is rooted deep in our culture and every Indian must respect it.

Gandhi Jayanti Celebration

If we must bring peace in our world, we must begin with our children. So was posited by the father of the nation, Mahatma Gandhi. The extraordinary figure that he was, revered and followed by many, Mahatma Gandhi followed a simple lifestyle.

The students of nursery and Kindergarten of SRCS, Indore today participated in the celebration of Gandhi Jayanti to mark the 152nd birthday of the harbinger of freedom for India with great joy, pride and enthusiasm.



Keeping this in mind, SRCS celebrated Hindi Diwas on 14th September 2021 for the students of Classes Nursery to grade II. This Hindi Diwas celebration rejoices the beauty of the Hindi language and reminds us of its rich past. So here we are ready with yet another amazing video and pictures where children show their respect towards the language by sharing some melodious bhajans # poem & shlokas # Competitions were organized for the students which emphasized the importance and richness of Hindi.



Dussehera Celebration



Celebrations are fun filled entertainment and delightful engagements. Virtual celebrations proved to be equally exuberant and euphoric as the physical ones. The zeal of the kids and their energetic participation in various activities doubled the jollity and gaiety of the online celebration.

Diwali celebration

Diwali is a festival of light, of giving and sharing of love and joy! It heralds the onset of winter and one can see everyone gearing up for the festivals. To inculcate the fervour of celebration and love for tradition in the children of SRCS, Indore varied activities were conducted.



Children's day Celebration



Students of SRCS Pre-primary (Nursery, Junior KG, and Senior KG) participated in the

“Fancy Dress” competition which was held on 13th November 2021. It was the most awaited event of the year, as it is always a pleasure to watch the toddlers dressed up as different characters. It was overwhelming to see the little ones speak confidently. This activity helped the students of the preprimary section to overcome their stage fear, bring out their inner talent, give them a platform to build their self-confidence and explore their inner. Glances of the celebration held on 15th November

Pre-Primary Competitions.....

Poem Recitation Competition

The Poem Recitation competition inspired young poets of grade -II to come forward and recite poems which were written by themselves and also by other poets. Poems were recited with great confidence, expressions and rhythm.



Story Telling Competition

Children love stories as stories are magical; they can create fantastical, and wondrous

worlds where life can be marvellous, numinous and mystical.

Storytelling with participation uses experiential learning to ask about what is happening to the characters and what they should do next, or offers a student the chance to be that character.

The act of storytelling appeals to different learning preferences and personalities ensuring that from the shyest to the most active of students, everyone has a chance to participate in a way that they can enjoy.



Drawing Competition

"Every child is an artist" said Pablo Picasso. Keeping this in mind and to explore the creative potential in the young minds of our children, drawing competition was conducted for KG-I and KG-II children. Youngsters of SRCS took part with full passion, they enjoyed and the result was amazing.



Budding Writers.....

World War 2 is always remembered as one of the deadliest battles ever fought in the history of mankind in which more than 90 million people lost their lives, not just the war was deadly but many undesirable events also took place that were probably even more horrible than the bloodshed in the battlefield, one of such events were "The Holocaust". World War 2 started by Adolf Hitler invading Poland and then strong powers like Britain attacking Germany, when Hitler attacked Poland, he and his NAZI army captured more than 3 million Jews and sent them into either concentration camps or death camps, in concentration camps, people were simply kept and either tortured or remained about to be dead in the time and in death camps people were directly killed... Hitler had immense hatred towards Jews as he saw Jews as weak and undesirable kinds focusing on Charles Darwin's ideology "Survival of the Fittest", he created a chain of Jewish dead bodies in such camps. In concentration camps, the "Austwitch Concentration Camp" was the deadliest... Here people were brought in extremely small cargos. Wherever there was a space of 5 people, the NAZIS forced 20 people, many of them died just because of such conjugation. In the camps as well, the Jews had to stay in box like small rooms and weren't allowed to even excrete outside... Some were sent to gas chambers which used

to burn a human alive. This horrific event went for approximately 10 years which killed more than 2 million Jews. After the war was over, allied powers saved the surviving victims but a majority didn't survive. Many events start and end in history but only a few are terrific enough to be remembered even decades after they are over, holocaust was such an event that really shook humanity, many survivors are still alive and find it impossible to explain the situation they had to go through in the holocaust

Atharv Krishna X A

Investing in a Stock Market

When a middle class person is asked that what do you think I stock market, so he answers it is gambling but it is not reality. This initially is because people think every investment made in stock will be loss making but if this is reality how Warren Buffet, Rakesh jhunjhunwala, etc became prosperous if you make an investment in any asset you have to be patient as Albert Einstein said "Compounding is the 8th wonder of world". People invest in FD, property, gold but these are slow return investment and FD (Fixed Deposit) which gives 4% return annually and inflation is 5% so you are making loss indirectly. Investing in stock is not tough, just you have to understand the business model that will it be

profitable in future for example we all know how costly diesel, petrol is so people are shifting towards electric vehicle so the company who makes electric vehicle will be profitable and everyone has to take some risk in life. If we are driving a vehicle there is always possibility of accident but we drive, it is also a risk. Life seems to be like a stock market where relationships are traded and we can't judge when relationship will go high or low.

Ekansh Rathore X A

The inner turmoil of a farmer in India

Farmers are the backbone of Indian Economy. But most of the times they are the neglected lot. The number of deaths of farmers in every state of India is increasing every day. And this shameful attitude that is meted towards the farmer needs government attention. The agricultural sector should be valued more than before to prevent this.

Indian farmers, in most of the cases cultivate on someone else's land. In return they are supposed to give half of their crops to the landlord. They also borrow money from money lenders in high interest rate. After all their hard work, they are left with nothing on their hands. The same process keeps on happening on a recurring manner. It leaves them with no other option but death. After the farmer's sad death his son incurs all the

loss and interests. The son then starts walking on the shoes of his father. With no money left and no land to call his own the son too has no option left but to take the final step and commit suicide. The measures though taken up by government by

implementing various schemes, most of them still remain unknown to the farmers.

Until the time the government spends thought and money for the farmers and makes it possible for them to sell their crops in a proper and judicious manner, no change can be expected for the betterment of the farmers.

Shraddha Verma IX A

BOOK REVIEW ON "You Are Born To Blossom. Take My Journey Beyond."

The books written by APJ Abdul Kalam are always useful for students and even this book motivates students and tells about the process of the education. It gives motivation to lead a life that is meaningful. It focuses on the aspects of spirituality, education and many other spheres. Dr. Kalam had expressed his concerns about the current education system in India. He has shown how hollow the system is and how it suppresses the individuality of the students.

Tanisha Khanna IX A

The Poem Hunters

Who Am I, I often Ask

God sent me here with what task?
World is my cake I am it's cream
To make this cake better is my dream
Cheating is one deep well

Once you start it's easy to dwell
People will change tomorrow
Never lend and never borrow
Be one of the awesome kings
Never rest, use your wings
Don't give up to be a failure
Fight till the end and be a warrior

Atharv Krishna X A

Escaping the murder

She was only two days old,
When she heard the shot,
Her mother in hands of the hunter
Of an ugly cold heart.
She peeked out of the nest,
Struggling to understand what will happen
next?
She saw two scary red eyes,
Which were thinking to kill the magnificent lil
beauty, without any tenderness,
To get a wealthy price,
She snuck in swiftly and the hunter went
away,
But the lil beauty still feared,
That those scary red eyes will stay.
She thinks of it everyday,
To got out, to roam around, to play.
Everyday, she thinks to do something new,
But with her pity luck and fear, she cannot do.

After a week later,
Here comes the hunter,
You see! To kill her,
Just like he did to her mother,
But she tries to think of something clever,
To escape the murder.
She flaps her wings, tries really hard,
Although she is panicky now,
But with her courage,
She managed to go really far.
With her great leap, she lands at the land
of beauty,
Now, no one ever will hurt her, or
destroy her own beauty.
Finally, she can live here merrily,
Without any apprehension or timidity.
No one now will ever hurt her
All because she dauntlessly escaped the
murder.

Girishma Goyal X A

Our Real hero

On a warm winter day of Dec 5
Bilaspur district of Himachal Pradesh,
Could hear the patter of tiny feet
Of an audacious little child.
In the year 1996, on August 30,
He was recruited into 4 Para battalion of the
Parachute Regiment, an elite infantry,

Well known for their daredevil commandos
and their bravery.

After putting in over 20 years of service till
2020,

Kumar was evolved into a battle- hardened
soldier,

Doing numerous bold operations, being
gutsy.

To intercept & eliminate an infiltration track
of Pak sponsored terrorits,

On April 4, leading the Special Forces
Detachment,

He and his squad was heli dropped in the
Karen Sector of Jammu & Kashmir.
Right after gallantly eliminating and injuring
the terrorists,

By swiftly evacuating one of the scouts,
Reaching for the other one

Fire was opened heavily on the stout.

Still he neutralised one of the assassin

And wrote his own name for Kirti

Chakra,2021

Kissed his death and his fate

Securing a place in heaven.

On April 5, at the age of 43,Subedar Sanjiv
Kumar, Lived his name, he gave his life for
his love for our country,

Just like his name is defined in the
dictionary.

Leaving his wife and 13 year old son,

He got martyred with his heart beating
Vande Matram.

Salute to all the martyrs

Girishma Goyal X A

Believe

If you want to achieve a ginormous thing,

No matter what you like

You need a meticulous planning,

Be focused and stand upright,

Just set your feet

Be the super star that you dream of

And start on your route,

You have the potential to unlock

Make perplexities your friend

Be calm and clear as water and ice

Hassles your mate,

And my friend, That would suffice.

And shine like a hero.

A successful life if you want to create.

If you have nothing,

But only the desire to win

And achieve everything,

When you have the ability,

Bring in creativity.

Refrain from saying,'I am a Zero'

Nehal Gautam X A

Hello all,

I am Suryen, I want to be a Fireman.

Nowadays
jungles are catching fire, so I want to save
peoples and animals.

Don't cut trees, but plant more trees.

Fireman keeps fire trucks and helicopters
to rescue.

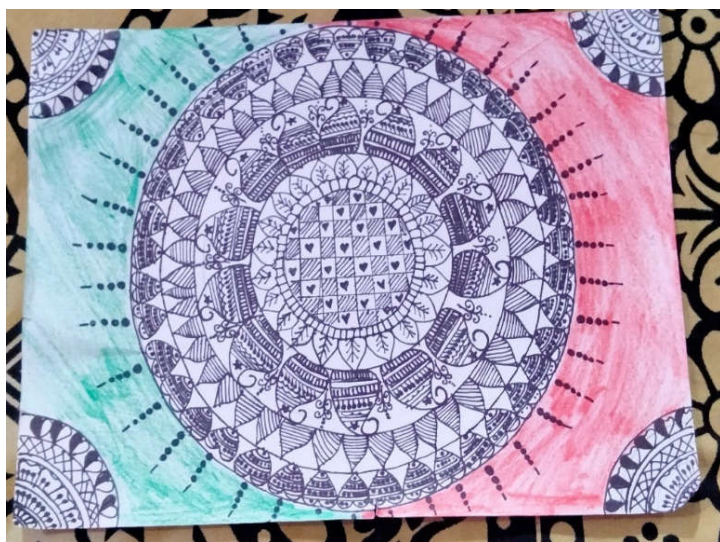
They are hard working.

They are very important community helpers.

I want to serve my society.

Suryen Jaiswal KG 2 A

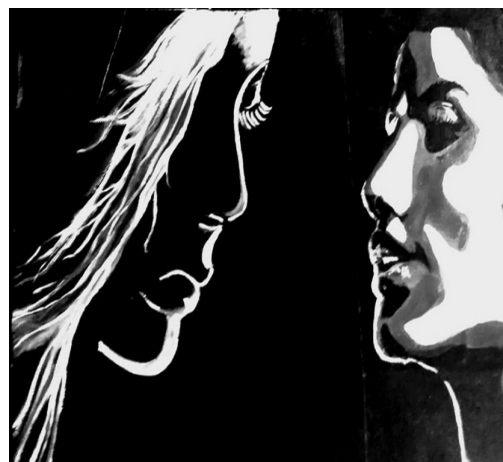
Creative Corner.....



By Nandini Tonke X A



By Nandini Tonke X A



By Sumana Sharma

Parent's Feedback.....

Dear Sir/ma'am

I would like to take this opportunity to express

my gratitude to you.

My ward is amongst the outgoing Xth batch for this academic year, and I want to express my gratitude and let you know of my appreciation. Thank you so much for your kind help and the support you provide to the students as well as a good learning environment. Your words of encouragement and advice during all available classes helped them to be where they are today.

Once again, thank you very much, and I wish you and the school continued success.

I would like to dedicate this to all teachers and staff of SRCS for their continued hard work and dedication

You bring out the best in others,

You brought out the best in me,

The results of all your efforts,

I hope are plain to see.

Your care and your dedication,

Always shines right through.

So teacher with my heart and soul,

I want to say thank you.

Sincerely,

Gopi Krishna

Father of Atharv Krishna

Xth A

Teacher's Corner.....

Solitude

In your company I forget the despondency,
That underlines my daily pursuits.
Yet when I am alone, I find myself,
In a vast mist of solitude.

The centre of me is always and eternally
A terrible pain,
A search for something beyond
what the world contain.

I have always longed for something
Divine and infinite;
The paradisiac vision of God,
I do not find it.

I have sought love,
Little of this I have achieved.
So far as possible,
Up towards the heaven it leads.

But echoes of cries of pain
Reverberate in my heart.
And always pity for mankind
Brings me back to earth.

I try to eradicate suffering
But have remained a loser.
I long to mitigate the evil
But cannot, and I too suffer.

Sunita Singh Chauhan