



# Pearls of St. Joseph's School Naini



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## School Anthem

*For St. Joseph, our patron, we stand  
United in both head and heart.  
Our lips shall always speak of his praise,  
Our minds and hearts to him we raise.*

*In praise of our College we sing  
As the glad hosannas ring.  
Since you have shown the way to victory,  
Our motto then shall always be-  
Semper Sursum our Alma mater,  
Semper Sursum, always aim high.*

*To St. Joseph, our patron, we pray,  
Teach us to labour day by day.  
Our flagging zeal and courage renew,  
To keep our cov'nant ever true.*

*Let us unite, all Josephites,  
Let us all strive for greater heights.  
Love, truth and peace our guiding stars,  
Will lead us on to happy hours.*



*St. Joseph,  
our holy Patron,  
Pray for us*



*Blessings from Pope Francis*



*Blessings from our Chairman  
Most. Rev. Raphy Manjaly*



## From the Principal's Desk

Dear Parents, Teachers, students and all the well wishers,  
We have successfully completed the 3rd academic year 2018-19 and I take joy & pride in presenting to you the 3rd volume our school magazine PEARLS OF ST. JOSEPH'S SCHOOL, Naini, which will give you a kaleidoscopic picture of our school and its activities.

Today, the role of a school is not only to pursue academic excellence but also to motivate and empower its students to be lifelong learners, critical thinkers, and productive members of an ever-changing global society. Here at St. Joseph's, we provide an atmosphere to our students for multifaceted development, where children are encouraged to channelize their potential in the pursuit of excellence. This can only be possible in a holistic, student-centric environment. The talents, skills, and abilities of each student need to be identified, nurtured, and encouraged so that he / she is able to reach greater heights. Students need to be provided with a platform to think, express, and exhibit their skills. It is necessary to empower them to negotiate several issues that confront them, with the teacher being a facilitator.

The school is striving hard to make the best possible efforts to inculcate strong values combining with academics and extra-curricular activities in the children. Converting every individual into a self-reliant and independent citizen, the school provides an amalgam of scholastic and co-scholastic activities.

While academic excellence is our major thrust, the school is also devoted to prepare the students for life, groom them to face the challenges of tomorrow, and encourage them to be socially relevant. We constantly endeavour to always live up to this ideology and inculcate this into everything we do, with the aim that we will be able to ensure that the children grow to their full potential, while constantly being groomed to pass out as men and women competent to bear responsibility in all walks of life.

Education is a shared commitment between dedicated teachers, motivated students and enthusiastic parents with high expectations. I wish to thank all our parents, teachers and students for the combined efforts that they have put in, in the growth of this institution. A special word of appreciation to Mrs. Srishti Srivastava, the Chief Editor, and to all the members of the editorial board for their hard work in bringing out this magazine.

SEMPER SURSUM- ALWAYS AIM HIGH

Fr. Jacob Bona D'Souza  
Principal

## Editorial

*"Magazines are the best source to highlight all the creativity of the students and the school under one head"*

*-Oliver Jene*



We heartily welcome our dear parents, students and all the well-wishers of St. Joseph's School, Naini family to the third edition of our annual school magazine "**Pearls**". We are really proud and exuberant to acclaim, that we are ready with all new hopes and hues to bring out the third issue, which is surely going to unfold the unravelled world of the most unforgettable and precious moments of our school.

At St. Joseph, every educator strives to unlock the wealth of inner abilities, hidden in our children. We have been nurturing the young minds of our locality for the past three years, believing that "The heart of education is the education of the heart".

"**Pearls**" is to be viewed as a launch pad of the children's creative urges to blossom naturally. In this dynamic era when children's curious minds know no bounds and the internet world is an answer for all their queries, it is the responsibility of the teachers and the parents to guide these little ones in a way that they are able to distinguish between the right and the wrong and thus gather information to satisfy their thirst for knowledge from the appropriate sources. As the saying goes "**Children must be taught how to think, not what to think**".

Through the various competitions, activities and celebrations, we focus to create hunger for excellence in them, in every field, helping them to reach the unreachable star.

Through this medium, I would like to appeal to all the parents to kindly monitor that the same flow of knowledge and discipline which is earned by our young minds during six hours in the school is maintained in the comfortable environment at home and to kindly come up with innovative ideas to train the innocent minds towards excellence.

I am sure that the creative write-ups of our budding writers will draw the attention of our readers. The annual achievements portal would prove to be the milestone that marks our growth, unfolds our imaginations and gives life to our thoughts and aspirations.

I pray for the success, good health and happiness of all our readers, well-wishers and also pray for the upliftment of our society.

**"With warm wishes and blessings of the Almighty"**

Chief Editor  
Mrs. Srishti Srivastava

# School TOPPERS

Congratulations...!



1st-ARADHYA  
(100% LKG-A)



1st-RITI SINGH  
(100% LKG-A)



2nd-ANVI SINGH  
(99.8% LKG-A)



2nd-ARINDUM KARMAKAR  
(99.8% LKG-A)



2nd-NANDANI SHUKLA  
(99.8% LKG-A)



2nd-RISHABH KUSHWAHA  
(99.8% LKG-A)



3rd-TARSH MEHTA  
(99.6% LKG-A)



3rd-AARAV AGARWAL  
(99.6% LKG-A)



1st-ARNAV PRATAP SINGH  
(100% LKG B)



1st-PRANJAL SINGH  
(100% LKG B)



2nd-SHAURYA SING  
(99.3% LKG B)



3rd-AARAV KUMAR SINGH  
(99.1% LKG B)



1st-ARADHYA MISHRA  
(100% LKG C)



1st-PRAKHAR MISHRA  
(100% LKG C)



1st-RIDDHI CHAURASIA  
(100% LKG C)



2nd-SUDHANSHU AGARWAL  
(99.6% LKG C)



3rd-ADVIK SINGH  
(99.5% LKG C)



3rd-ARPITA SINGH  
(99.5% LKG C)



1st-DEEPANKSHI VERMA  
(100% UKG A)



2nd-SANSKRITI YADAV  
(99.9% UKG A)



3rd-AVIRAL PANDEY  
(99.4% UKG A)



1st-URVASHI TIWARI  
(100% UKG B)



1st-VEER PRATAP SINGH  
(100% UKG B)



2nd-DIVYANSHI SINGH  
(99.1% UKG B)



3rd-ANKIT YADAV  
(98.9% UKG B)



1st-ARYAN PATEL  
(99.6% UKG C)



2nd-ANSHUMAN SINGH  
(99.5% UKG C)



3rd-SHIVANYA SINGH  
(99.4% UKG C)



1st-ARUSH PATEL  
(99.5% UKG D)



2nd-AMAN YADAV  
(99.1% UKG D)



3rd-SONANCHAL S.  
(98.91% UKG D)



1st-TANMAY DUBEY  
(99.6% I-A)



2nd-ADITYA  
(99.5% I-A)



3rd-GARGI JAISWAL  
(99.2% I-A)



1st-SOMESHWAR P. SHRESTH  
(99.9% I-B)



2nd-AKHIL YADAV  
(99.7% I-B)



2nd-SHOMILI DAS  
(99.7% I-B)



3rd-GUNIKA SONI  
(99.6% I-B)



3rd-PARTH JAMBOLKAR  
(99.6% I-B)



3rd-RUDRA SINGH  
(99.6% I-B)



1st-ARPIT SINGH  
(99.3% I-C)



2nd-ARNAV MISHRA  
(98.6% I-C)



3rd-AYUSH K. YADAV  
(96.6% I-C)



1st-SAMPANN KHERA  
(99.87% I-D)



2nd-SHABD SRIVASTAVA  
(99% I-D)



2nd-YUVRAJ S. KUSHWAHA  
(99% I-D)

# School TOPPERS

Congratulations...!



3rd-HAMZA SIDDIQUI  
(98.8% I-D)



1st-ADYA SHARMA  
(98.7% II-A)



1st-CHAHEK SHUKLA  
(98.7% II-A)



2nd-RICHA SINGH  
(98.6% II-A)



2nd-SHASHWAT SRIVASTAVA  
(98.6% II-A)



3rd-ARUSH SINGH  
(97% II-A)



1st-ARYAN MISHRA  
(99.06% II-B)



2nd-NITYA SINGH  
(99% II-B)



3rd-AVI SRIVASTAVA  
(98.97% II-B)



1st-SHRUTI KESHRI  
(99.87% II-C)



2nd-AVIRAL ATTRI  
(99.6% II-C)



3rd-SHUBHENDRA P. SINGH  
(98.93% II-C)



1st-KRISHNA SINGH  
(98.4% III-A)



2nd-AARAV GOND  
(97% III-A)



2nd-RISHITA MISHRA  
(97% III-A)



3rd-AARYAN SINGH  
(96.8% III-A)



1st-TVISHA NAGAR  
(97.9% III-B)



2nd-KRISTI KUSHWAHA  
(96.5% III-B)



3rd-SATYAM KUMAR JHA  
(96.3% III-B)



1st-PRIYANSHU GUPTA  
(97.3% III-C)



2nd-RIMI KUMAR  
(96.75% III-C)



3rd-ANKUR PANDEY  
(96.65% III-C)



1st-ASTHA PANDEY  
(99.6% IV-A)



2nd-ISHAN MISHRA  
(97.9% IV-A)



3rd-SAUMYA YADAV  
(97.4% IV-A)



1st-RAKSHA SINGH  
(97.1% IV-B)



2nd-AKSHAT SRIVASTAVA  
(93.6% IV-B)



3rd-SHIVANSH KUMAR TIWARI  
(93.1% IV-B)



1st-BHOOMI VARSHNEY  
(94.4% IV-C)



2nd-ANSH TIWARI  
(92.4% IV-C)



3rd-AYUSH SINGH-I  
(91.95% IV-C)



1st-ARYAN YADAV  
(97% V-A)



1st-AYUSH JAISWAL  
(97% V-A)



2nd-VAISHNAVI NISHAD  
(92.55% V-A)



3rd-ANJALI MAURYA  
(88.8% V-A)



1st-SHIVAM YADAV  
(95.5% V-B)



2nd-ALOK PATEL  
(92.2% V-B)



3rd-SHANTANU MISHRA  
(90.25% V-B)



1st-PRAGYA SHUKLA  
(98.5% V-C)



2nd-SHAHEEN ALI  
(97.6% V-C)



3rd-ARYAN SINGH  
(97.2% V-C)



1st-ANSHIKA SRIVASTAVA  
(95.9% VI-A)



2nd-AKARSH TRIPATHI  
(94.5% VI-A)



3rd-ANUP KUMAR  
(93.8% VI-A)



1st-PRAGATI BALA PANDEY  
(91.6% VI-B)



2nd-RAHIT PANDEY  
(91.4% VI-B)



3rd-SAKSHI SINGH  
(82.8% VI-B)

# 100% Attendance Club



1-B ARJUN DIXIT



1-B ASAD RAZA



1-C SHRUTI YADAV



1-D SAMPANN KHERA



2-A CHITRANSH BIND



2-B NITYA SINGH



2-B SIDDHI DWIVEDI



2-C AKHILESH DWIVEDI



3-B AJEET YADAV



3-B ANANYA DWIVEDI



3-B DIVYANSHI DIXIT



3-C CHITRANSHI



3-C KAVYANSH KUMAR SINGH



3-C RAHUL YADAV



3-C VIRAT SAMDARIYA



4-B RIDDHI DWIVEDI



5-A ARUNODAY KUMAR JAISWAL



5-A AYUSH JAISWAL



5-A VAISHNAVI NISHAD



5-C PRAGYA SHUKLA



5-C VISHVESH PRATAP SINGH



6-A ADARSH SINGH



6-A KUMUD SINGH



6-A UTKARSH SINGH

# School CABINET



HEAD BOY  
VEDANSH BHASKAR



HEAD GIRL  
AYUSHI KUMARI MISHRA



SPORTS CAPTAIN (BOY)  
ABHAY TIWARI



SPORTS CAPTAIN (GIRL)  
RAUNAK YADAV



BLUE HOUSE CAPTAIN  
PRAGATI BALA PANDEY



GREEN HOUSE CAPTAIN  
SUVIBHA



RED HOUSE CAPTAIN  
ANSHIKA SRIVASTAVA



YELLOW HOUSE CAPTAIN  
AKARSH TRIPATHI



ART ASSOC. PRESIDENT  
ASHISH SINGH



LITERARY ASSOC. PRESIDENT  
RITI KESHARWANI



ENVIRONMENTAL CLUB- PRESIDENT  
ARUNODAY KUMAR JAISWAL



G.K. ASSOC. PRESIDENT  
MANAS SRIVASTAVA



HINDI ASSOC. PRESIDENT  
PRASHANT SINGH



MUSIC ASSOC. PRESIDENT  
SABA BANO



I.T. ASSOC. PRESIDENT  
DRISHTI DWIVEDI



SCIENCE ASSOC. PRESIDENT  
SHIVANSH TRIPATHI

# Chronicles 2018-19

01/04/2018	Inauguration of the new session
27/04/2018	Inter House Carom competitions for classes IV to VI
28/04/2018	Investiture ceremony
29/04/2019	School Library was inaugurated
30/04/2019	Inter House chess competition for classes IV to VI
01/05/2018	Labour Day & Workers day celebrated
05/05/2018	Compulsory Parent Teacher Meeting
12/05/2018	Modified school website was launched.
08 to 12 May	1st Unit test
14/5 to 13/6/18	Summer camp organized
30/06/2018	Teachers' Orientation by Rev. Fr. Sebastian Francis
02/07/2018	School re-opened
07/07/2018	Compulsory Parent Teacher meeting to show the answer scripts
09/07/2018	English Rhymes comp. for KG section & English Poem Recitation for classes I & II
10/07/2018	Solo singing comp. for classes III to VI
14/07/2018	Special assembly was conducted by the English Literary association.
16/07/2018	Farewell was given to Mr. Rama, our gardener
21/07/2018	Van Mahotsav was celebrated.
06/08/2018	English Essay writing competition for IV to VI
10/08/2018	English story telling competition for classes I & II
11/08/2018	Fancy dress competition for KG section.
13/08/2018	House wise Patriotic group song competition.
15/08/2018	Independence Day was celebrated: Ex commissioner Mr. Badal Chatterjee was the chief Guest.
18/08/2018	English Elocution competition for classes III to V.
25/08/2018	English speech competition for KG section, English dictation competition for classes I & II, Rakhi making competition for classes III to V was conducted.
26/08/2018	Raksha bandhan was celebrated in the school
27/08/2018	Special assembly by Science association was conducted.
28/08/2018	English Dictation was conducted for classes I to VI.
29/08/2018	Special assembly was conducted by IT association.
01/09/2018	Krishna Janmashtami was celebrated.
04/09/2018	Greeting card making competition for classes III to V.
05/09/2018	Teachers day was celebrated

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07/09/2018	Tables competition for classes I to III was conducted.
10/09/2018	Hindi Diwas was celebrated with special assembly and competitions like speech competition, Kavita competition, Hindi Ginti competition, Kavita Lekhan, Nara Lekhan, Poster making, collage making. A Hindi debate was also organized on that occasion.
17 to 29/09/2018	1st term exams were conducted.
02/10/2018	Gandhi Jayanti & Swachh Bharat Abhiyan was celebrated and it was celebrated as talent day with different competitions like paper bag making, door mat making, paper flower making, paper cloth bag making, charkha making.
6 to 8/10/2018	Inter house football matches were conducted
9 to 10/10/2018	Inter house chess competitions.
11/10/2018	Colouring comp. for KG section.
13/10/2018	Compulsory PTM was conducted.
15-16/10/2018	Inter house Kho Kho competitions for Girls.
20/10/2018	Junior Josephest at SJC Alld.
22/10/2018	Drawing competition for classes I to III & Mask making competition for classes IV to VI.
26/10/2018	Best out of waste comp. for classes III to VI.
30/10/2018	District level Roller skating : 3 students won the gold medals.
03/11/2018	Children's picnic: KG children campus picnic, I & II - company bagh, III & IV to Mangarh, V & VI to Jhusi Nandan Khanan water park.
14/11/2018	Children's day celebrated: Same day KG section sports day was conducted
15/11/2018	Primary section sports day
22/11/2018	Little champs athletic meet was organized by Bethany school for classes I & II. Our participants won over all champions shield with 13 gold medals, 2 silver medals and one bronze medals.
30/11/2018	School annual day EXOTICA was organized.
08/12/2018	Compulsory Parent Teacher Meeting
10/12/2018	Collage making competition
18 to 22/12/2018	2nd Unit test was conducted.
22/12/2018	Christmas was celebrated in the school. Same day a group of students took part in the Christmas programme held in the Naini Central Jail.
23/12/2018	Christmas celebration with slum children for class VI students
26/12/2018	Christmas for the poor children of our area:
29/12/2018	School re-opened after the winter vacation.
12/01/2019	Compulsory Parent Teacher Meeting
17/01/2019	Principal's day was celebrated.
23/01/2019	Vaccination for students was done.
26/01/2019	Republic Day celebrations
23/02/2019	Talent Gallery- School Exhibition
28 Feb to 18 March 2019	Final Examinations
23/03/2019	Compulsory Parent Teacher Meeting
28/03/2019	Final Results

# New MISSION

" School bells are ringing loud and clear; vacations over, school is here " - Winifred. C. Marshal

It is that time of the year again when we woke up early, happy and cheerful, anxious for the day to start. We started the new session on the 3rd of April 2018. The " Welcome Assembly " was organized by the students of class VI. Our toppers of the last session were honoured with certificates and medals. It all seemed serene as the students and teachers together under the leadership of our Principal Rev.Fr. Jacob Bona prayed to God for a successful year ahead. Assembly was concluded with the inspiring words of our Principal, where he motivated the students to excel all the activities of the school.



## MOTIVATING THE MENTORS

"The difference between success and failure is the difference between doing exactly right and almost right". *Anonymous.*

Reaffirming our commitment to the concept of providing quality education, St. Joseph's School, Naini organized teachers' Orientation Program on 29th June 2018. We had an opportunity to be blessed with Resource Person Rev. Fr. Sebastian Francis, the Manager of St. Xavier's Inter College,

Kanpur.

The session was very inspiring and played the role of an eye-opener for everyone. He pointed out each and every aspect of being an effective teacher. He not only emphasized on the role of a teacher in the classroom, but also discussed on the factors that are responsible to be an effective teacher.





# SHARING *The Responsibilities*



" Leadership is practiced not so much in words as in attitude and in action" - Harold. S. Geneen  
To inculcate the leadership qualities in students and to give them a feel of functioning of the administrative body, a school council was formed in the school on 18 July 2018.

The ceremony was initiated by offering prayers to the Supreme Power followed with the introduction on the day. Special prayers and thought for the day were shared by the students.

Head Boy Vedansh Bhaskar was felicitated by the Principal Rev Fr. Jacob Bona D'Souza and Head Girl Ayushi Kumari Mishra was felicitated by Vice Principal Sr. Annette. House captains were felicitated by their house mistress and Presidents of different association by the association heads.

Our Principal Rev. Fr. Jacob Bona D'Souza congratulated all the office bearers and briefed them about their responsibilities and duties and also told them that their actions are being watched and followed by their juniors and so they need to be progressive and impressive.



SHARING *The Responsibilities*

# Work is worship

"No work is insignificant. All labor that uplifts humanity has dignity and importance and should be undertaken with painstaking excellence" - **Martin Luther King, Jr.**

A special assembly was organized by St Joseph's School, Naini, on the occasion of 'Labour Day' on 1st May 2018. The assembly was initiated with the prayers followed by the introduction and expression of gratitude by the students for our co-workers.

All possible efforts to make the day memorable for our workers were done by the members of St. Joseph's School family under the guidance of our Principal.

Many games which made everyone to laugh and enjoy were conducted by the teachers in which our co-workers happily participated and won the prizes too. Some gifts were also given to them as a token of gratitude for them and food packets were also distributed in their honour.

Our Principal in his speech expressed his gratitude and love for them and gave them the credit for the clean and green campus.



# Memories for ever

**"The people go from the institutions, but their impression is inseparable".**

To honour the hard work of each member of St. Joseph's family is our tradition. The hard work of our gardener Mr. Ram Asre was also identified and honoured with a lot of sweet appreciative words, respect and love by our principal on the occasion of his superannuation.

Mr. Ram Asre was given guard of honour as he was escorted by our Principal and students, followed by a heart-touching speech honouring his hard work and devotion for the institution for so many years. Our school choir sang an emotional song 'Kabhi Alvida Na Kehna' which let everyone into tears. He was offered garlands by the Principal, Vice Principal, teachers and class monitors of all the classes and was given gifts.

Our Principal in his speech thanked Mr. Ram Asre for the greenery and beautiful flowers blooming in the premises of St. Joseph's School and wished good health and God's abundant blessings in the evening of his life.



# Interactions in English



"Command in Language will provide concrete platform for your growth". Anonymous.

To promote love for the English language among the students, Literary Association organized a special assembly on 14th July 2018. The assembly was initiated with an introductory speech followed by prayer and hymn and a dance-drama presentation on the topic 'Tense' which was appreciated and applauded by the students. Students also presented a poem which motivated the students to be spontaneous and updated.

The mistress of literary association addressed the students and motivated them to always express themselves in English and also promised to conduct various essay, debate and elocution competitions to provide them exposure.

Our Principal Rev. Fr. Jacob Bona appreciated the presentations, informed about the need of English in the present time and asked the students to take active part in the competitions held by all the associations to build up their personality.



# Emotional Bonding



*"Blessed and treasured are those, who are blessed with siblings by the almighty"*

Celebration of the bond of love, and togetherness between a brother and sister i.e. Raksha Bandhan was celebrated on 26th August 2018, with full zeal at St. Joseph's School.

The young, innocent shoulders of the Josephites of class III took the responsibility of conducting a special assembly for the celebration. A beautiful skit on Mughal Emperor Humayun and Rani Karnavati displaying the importance of Raksha Bandhan was presented by the students. Our Principal Rev. Fr. Jacob Bona also shared his own feelings about the celebration and appealed to the students to always value the pure bond of love between a brother and a sister. After the assembly, Rakhi making competition was held for classes I to VI in which the competitive spirit and excitement was displayed by the students.





*" Plant a tree, grow a flower, let's give Mother Earth back her power" - Anonymous*

We at St. Joseph's School, promote the thoughts to save our environment for the future. That is why we organized a special assembly on 22nd July 2018, to emphasize the need to celebrate this day and practice its message throughout the year to save our Planet.

The programme was full of alarming messages displayed on charts expressing the alarming situation of today's environment. The assembly presented speeches, dance-drama, songs and important messages which were worthy to be followed.

Our Principal Rev. Fr. Jacob Bona appreciated the efforts of the students and congratulated for the wonderful assembly. After the assembly classes 1 to 6 participated in the sapling plantation activity in the school premises.



# The Joy of Freedom

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***"Those who won our independence believed liberty to be the secret of happiness and courage to be the secret of liberty" - Anonymous***

Our Josephites are always filled with patriotic fervor and display their love for the nation by their activities which are always centered for the nation. On 15th August 2018, the celebration began with the arrival of our Chief Guest Mr. Badal Chatterjee, Ex-Commissioner of Allahabad Division, who was escorted by our Principal Rev Fr. Jacob Bona and Vice Principal Sr. Annette. After the Flag hoisting, many cultural programmes honouring the martyrs were presented by the students which included skits, dance performances and speeches.

Our Chief Guest Badal Chatterjee was overwhelmed to watch the enthusiasm and patriotic spirit of the students. He motivated the students to be always just for the people and also to never tolerate injustice and be brave to fight against it.



# Experiments of Science



"Factual Knowledge with experiments help us to choose the right way ahead". Anonymous.

A great morning and a great start on 27th August 2018, to sow the seed of interest and love for science among our Josephites was initiated under the guidance of Our Respected Principal Rev. Fr. Jacob Bona and was given wings by the science teachers of our school.

The assembly began with the prayers and was followed by a number of chemical reactions presented by the students of classes V & VI, with full confidence; reactions which displayed the effects of a catalyst; things that changed from liquid to solid; formations of stronger bonds; liquids changing colour and bubbling and smoking. It was very satisfying to see the students enjoying the presentation in absolute attention and interest.

A beautiful song on science with lyrics explaining the importance of science and its presence everywhere was also presented by the students.

Our Principal Rev. Fr. Jacob Bona expressed his happiness and appreciated the informative science Assembly and also guided the students saying that all the chemical reactions are always to be performed under the guidance of the teachers only in the laboratory.



# Virtual World



"Information Technology makes the world succinct and accessible". Anonymous.

On 29th August 2018, a special assembly was conducted by the IT Association, to draw the attention on the usage and misuse of digitalization.

The assembly's message for the students was that we should take the benefit of the technology and should not allow ourselves to be a slave of technology.

Many visuals were used in the assembly to explain the widespread usage of technology everywhere. Students explained how useful it is for our growth and development and at the same time emphasis was laid on the demerits of technology.

Association head also shared some more important aspects of the growing need of technology, their merits and demerits. Our Principal motivated the students to be the beneficiaries of the technology and not a victim.



# A Day to Thank Our Mentors

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"I like a teacher who gives you something to take home to think about besides homework".- Lili Tomlin

We celebrated St. Mother Teresa's Day and Teachers' day with great enthusiasm on the 5th of September 2018. The teachers were given a grand welcome by the students by putting tika and offering flowers. The celebration began with the prayers followed by the various dances and drama presentations by the lovely Josephites who tried their best to bring smile on the faces of their teachers.

Our Principal Rev. Fr. Jacob Bona D'Souza in his address thanked the teachers for their wonderful work and told them that the this institution is growing in a steady pace because of the committed and dedicated teachers.



# Effective Satya Ahinsa

# Children's Day



" Peace is the most powerful weapon of mankind. It takes more courage to take a blow than to give one" -

**Mahatma Gandhi**

Gandhi Jayanti and Swacch Bharat Abhiyan was celebrated on 2nd October 2018, at St. Joseph's School, Naini to pay homage with full devotion to the Father of our Nation.

A devotional ambience prevailed as the prayers were followed by a poem on Gandhiji. An eye-opener skit on cleanliness which was based on washroom manners was presented by class V students. To check the knowledge and interest of the students on the life history of M.K. Gandhi, a quiz competition was also held in the assembly. To inspire everyone with such notion, Gandhiji's favorite song 'Raghupati Raghav' was sung by the school choir.

Rev.Fr. Jacob Bona D'souza addressed the students and the teachers by congratulating everyone on the special day of Gandhi Jayanti and Lal Bahadur Shashtri's birthday. He emphasized on Gandhi Ji's teachings of Truth and non-violence and also explained the significance of Gandhi ji's saying 'Be the change you want in this world'. After the assembly this special day was celebrated as ' Talents Day ' by organizing different competitions for the students.



On 14th November 2019, the birthday of Pt. Jawahar Lal Nehru was celebrated as the children's day in the school. A special assembly was organized by the teachers to entertain the students. A melodious prayer song was sung by all the teachers and thereafter the little ones paid the floral tribute to Pt. Nehru. Mr. Aman and Mr. Anand acted out a comic skit and entertained the students. Thereafter the lady teachers enthralled the students with two group dances. Our Principal in his address gave a message to the students that each of them is like a rose bud which has the capacity to blossom and spread its fragrance everywhere in the world.





# Junior Josephest

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"Accept the challenges so that you can feel the exhilaration of victory" - **George. S. Patton**

This was the second year when our Josephites took part in the junior Josephest held at St. Joseph's College, Prayagraj, on 28th October 2018, with the theme 'Luceat Lux Vestra' i.e. let your light shine.

Our students participated with great fervour and brought laurels for us with their remarkable presentation and confidence.

We participated in all the categories this year and gave a tough competition to all the other schools of the city.

Our Josephites presented a dance performance on the theme 'Social evils', which was awarded with the second prize. It was wonderfully presented by the students of classes IV and V choreographed by Mrs. Nidhi Pandey & Ms. Doris David.



# Satisfying the Quench



Picnic works as the source of recreation which makes us energetic". **Anonymous.**

The most exciting day for the students is their Picnic Day. From the time, the news of the picnic was announced, our Josephites were filled with joy.

This year the picnic was organized on 3rd November 2018. Our tiny Josephites of classes LKG and UKG enjoyed their picnic in the school premises along with their teachers. Classes I and II went to Company Garden, Prayagraj, classes III and IV went to Mangarh, Pratapgarh and classes V and VI went to Nandan Kanan Water Park.



With the blessings of the almighty all the children along with their teachers enjoyed thoroughly and also had a safe and comfortable journey.

It was very refreshing for the students and the teachers.



# Satisfying the Quench



# Annual Sports Day

'Sports do not build character. They reveal it' - **John Wooden**

On 14th November 2018, Children's day was celebrated as the Sports day of KG section. During the morning assembly all our teachers were seen on the stage, dancing, singing and acting to make the day memorable one for the children. Thereafter, different types of races like frog race, biscuit race, ball race etc for the tiny tots and on 15th November 2018, Primary section sports day was celebrated. We started day with the march past competition followed by PT drill competition among the four houses. Then the races like 100 mtr, 200 mtr, relay race and much more were organized. There was a special competition of "Tug - o - War" amongst the four houses which became the source of sheer excitement and joy for our Josephites and ultimately it was the Yellow house for the boys and Red house for the girls came out victorious.

All the winners were awarded with medals and certificates on the same day.



# Annual Sports Day



# Beating the Best

"Champions keep playing until they get it right"  
- Billie Jean King

Our tiny little Josephites of class I and II participated in the Bethany little champs sports competition in which fourteen other schools participated and our little Josephites gave them a tough competition and the individual championship trophy was won by little Ayushi Pandey of Class I.

Various race competitions were held between the students of different schools and our energetic, sporty students actively participated in it.

Eleven gold, 2 silver and one bronze medal were bagged by our participants.



# हिन्दी दिवस



विद्यालय प्रांगण में हिन्दी पखवाड़ा 14 सितम्बर से 17 सितम्बर तक विभिन्न प्रतियोगिताओं के साथ मनाया गया।

प्रतियोगिता	कक्षा
कविता पाठ, गिनती लेखन	1
कहानी पाठ, गिनती लेखन	2
दोहा पाठ, कविता लेखन	3
नारा लेखन (हिन्दी भाषा), टिप्पणी पाठ	4
पोस्टर प्रतियोगिता (प्रदूषण), भाषण हिन्दी भाषा	5
कोलॉज (हिन्दी साहित्य जगत), वाद-विवाद (कम्प्यूटर शिक्षा लाभ या हानि)	

हिन्दी दिवस के अवसर पर पूरी प्रार्थना सभा को हिन्दी में संचालित किया गया। हिन्दी में जन्म दिन गीत भी गाया गया व के०जी० के विद्यार्थियों द्वारा हिन्दी कविता भी गायी गयी विद्यालय के गीत सदस्यों ने हिन्दी भाषा की विशेषता से परिपूर्ण गीत प्रस्तुत किया। हिन्दी विभाग की विशेष प्रार्थना सभा में हिन्दी के वर्णमाला का प्रस्तुतीकरण बहुत ही अच्छे तरीके से प्रस्तुत किया गया, जिसमें प्रत्येक छात्र-छात्रा एक वर्ण स्वर तथा व्यंजन के बनें थे जैसे क वर्ग क से ज्ञ तक आदि। सभी ने शब्दों के उदाहरण द्वारा मात्रा की पहचान व उच्चारण करना सिखाया। अन्त में प्रधानाचार्य के भाषण व राष्ट्रगान के द्वारा प्रार्थना सभा का समापन किया गया।





" Intelligence must be in the hand and feet as well as in the head"  
- Marty Rubin

On 30th November 2018 St. Joseph's School, Naini presented their third annual day which was delivered with full enthusiasm and zeal. The entire school participated wholeheartedly for the grand success of this grand event.

The function was presided over by Msgr. Louis Mascarenhas, the Vicar General of Allahabad diocese and our Chief Guest was Mr. Arpit Gupta, the SDM of Karchana.

The event started off with a prayer dance followed by magical dance performances of the students of L.K.G and U.K.G, Class I. Class II and III presented beautiful dances displaying the "cultural heritage" of our nation while class IV presented an emotional skit ' Paa ' which showcased the sacrifices of all the fathers and brought the audience into tears, and class V presented a wonderful show on ' Kumbh ' in which glimpses of the grand Kumbh was beautifully displayed on the stage in few minutes, Our Chief Guest Arpit Gupta appreciated the hard work of the students and expressed his concern for the people of Kerala in his speech.

Our President of the programme Most Rev. Fr. Louis Mascarenhas congratulated our Principal, teachers and students for putting up such beautiful presentations, he also praised the students for their confidence on the stage. The event closed with National Anthem. It was indeed a spectacular display of talent and fervour.





# Joy to the world

# Christmas in the Slums



"Christmas waves a magic wand over this world, and behold, everything is softer and more beautiful". **Anonymous.**

Christmas was celebrated at St. Joseph's School, Naini with high spirit and in different ways. On 22nd December 2018, it was celebrated in the morning assembly with demonstration of a beautiful skit on the birth of Saviour, songs and the grand entry of Santa distributing sweets which is loved by our students. Our Principal Rev. Fr. Jacob Bona wished each one a very happy Christmas and told the students that the one who has the light of kindness and truthfulness in his heart can feel the joy of Christmas every day.



On 23rd December students of class VI B along with their Principal, sisters and teachers went to the slums, where students interacted with the children deprived of the luxuries of life. Children of the slums welcomed each guest of SJS family and performed a beautiful dance. They all were happy to see Santa distributing sweets and food packets to them. Our Principal Rev. Fr. Jacob Bona D'Souza showered his love and blessings on the slum children and motivated and appreciated them for their progress.



# Christmas in Naini Central Jail



# Celebrating the self Rule



**CELEBRATING THE SELF RULE**  
"This Republic was not established by cowards; and cowards will not preserve it"- Elmer Davis

The 69th Republic Day was celebrated in all its solemnity and grandeur at St. Joseph's School, Naini. The celebration started with the morning assembly and the atmosphere was filled with patriotic fervour. Our principal hoisted the National Flag and thereafter, students presented a beautiful skit on Republic and the importance of our constitution, and patriotic dances were also presented. Inspiring and motivating speech by the students filled in the spirits of patriotism in everyone.

Our Principal Rev. Fr. Jacob Bona emphasized on the meaning and worth of Republic in his speech and also made the students realize their roles for the growth of nations





# Talent Gallery- Annual School Exhibition

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"Creativity is allowing yourself to make mistakes, Art is knowing which ones to keep" - Anonymous  
St. Joseph's school, Naini, Prayagraj, presented its second annual exhibition 'Talent gallery 2019' on 22nd Feb 2019. Students and teachers worked hard with their heart and mind to make the exhibition a successful one. Our Chief Guest for the day was Rev. Fr. Reginald D'Souza, the director of Nazareth Hospital. Mr. Akhil Patnaik and Sr. Roshni CSN were the judges for the exhibition.



The premises echoed with the praises and compliments for the beautifully prepared and displayed demonstrations. Our guests, parents, students from different schools, everyone who visited the exhibition were left spellbound.

The talent gallery was spread in six classrooms covering seven different subjects and each subject's demonstration was a masterpiece. Our Chief Guest in his address congratulated the little Josephites for the wonderful creative works of their hands.



# Leisure Time

# Winners of Roller Skating Competition

Resting is an exercise which has the benefits of meditation. After the strenuous work all through the year, the teaching and office staff of the school went to Lucknow for a picnic, to refresh themselves on 17th February 2019.

We visited the Zoo, where train's joy ride was enjoyed by all followed by the interesting and knowledgeable visit to the Science City.

Teachers had a grand lunch at ' Aryans ' in Lucknow and then moved towards the ' Eco Park. Everyone had great fun there surrounded with the greenery, and then moved to 'Jeevan Jyoti'- school for the blind, where watching the performances of those talented blind children was heart touching. We also received a warm welcome at St. Peter's College, Raebarely, where we met Rev.Fr. Louis Mascarenhas, Principal of the college who offered us the delicious dinner and also prayed for our safe journey back to Prayagraj. Thus it was refreshing, relaxing and memorable for all the teachers.



# Inauguration of New Library

# Bulletin Boards



# Fancy Dress K.G. Section



# Fancy Dress Class - I & II



# Principal's Day

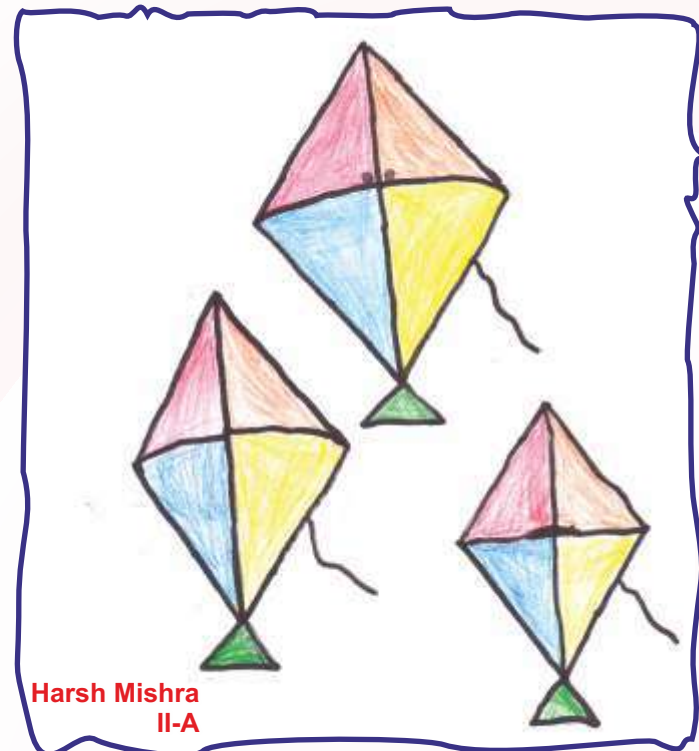
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Ashish Singh  
VI-B



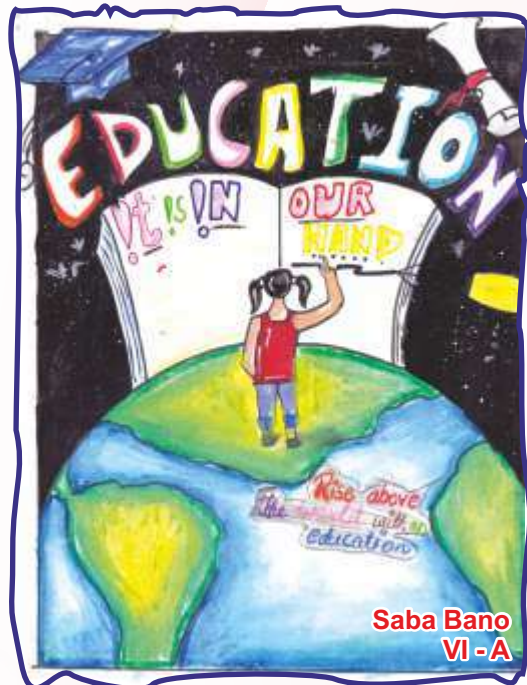
Harsh Mishra  
II-A



Vanshika Yadav  
VI-A



Jyoti Kumari  
II-C



Saba Bano  
VI - A



Yash Yadav  
V-C



Gunika Soni  
I-B



Saba Bano  
VI - A



Naman Rajvansh  
V-C



Kavya Singh  
VI-B

## CLASS III

- Utkash Singh Yadav
- Kartikey
- Shruti Keshri
- Devansh Dwivedi
- Ghaniya Zahra
- Arush Singh
- Chandra Shekar Singh
- Shristi Singh
- Shashwat Srivastava
- Neelu
- Shubhendra Singh
- Rishika Pandey
- Swekcha Tripathi
- Rachit Tripathi
- Nitya Singh
- Tejash Verma
- Shashank kesarwani
- Mrityunjay Verma
- Aviral Attri
- Siddhi Dwivedi
- Udyad Yadav
- Vedant Sharma
- Saumya Kushwaha
- Aradhya Dwivedi
- Adya Sharma
- Shreeja Mishra
- Ashmit Sharma
- Karthik Singh
- Divyank Singh

- Chahek Shukla
- Katyayani Dutt
- Shreya Srivastava

## CLASS IV

- Rebekah Jiju
- Om Srivastava
- Aarav Gond
- Abhinav Mishra
- Aditya Srivastava
- Aradhya Singh
- Aryan Yadav
- Avirat Chaudhary
- Dev Singh
- Rishita Mishra
- Tejasvi Singh
- Saurya Mishra
- Adarsh Yadav
- Abhinav Deep
- Abhishgt Dwivedi
- Ambikesh Shukla
- Anchal Patal
- Arav Mani Tripathi
- Kristhi Kushwaha
- Saksham Tiwari
- Tejas Kesarwani
- Tvisha Nagar
- Anurag Dubey
- Divyanshi Dixit
- Manya Singh

- Yashashvi Dwivedi
- Ananya Dwivedi
- Harsimar Singh
- Chitranshi
- Anchal Yadav
- Sarthak Singh
- Devan Singh
- Aryan Singh
- Tanmay Mishra
- Khushi Poniya
- Avni Pandey
- Kavyansh Singh
- Rimi

## CLASS V

- Aman Verma
- Raksha Singh
- Ansh Tiwari
- Anandita Bharti
- Shatakshi Singh
- Ishan Mishra
- Astha Pandey
- Ishika

## CLASS VI

- Shashwat Singh

## CLASS VII

- Anshika Srivastava





# Inter House Chess

# Inter House Carom



# Inter House Kho-Kho

# Inter House Patriotic Group Song



# Class Photographs

# Class Photographs



Ms. Rahil Mahdi & Mrs. Poonam william

LKG-A



Ms. Safiya Khaton & Ms. Shraddha Srivastava

LKG-C



Mrs. Namita Brave & Mrs. Leena Daniel

LKG-B



Ms. Anam Fatima & Ms. Doris Lusiya

UKG-A

# Class Photographs



Ms. Shivani Sharma & Ms. Karuna Srivastava

UKG-B



Ms. Jagriti Sharma & Mrs. Charmel John

UKG-D



Mrs. Neela Das & Mrs. Nidhi Pandey

UKG-C



Mrs. Amita Rajwade

I-A

# Class Photographs

# Class Photographs



Mrs. Salma Khan

I-B



Ms. Himanshi Chhabra

I-D



Mrs. Savitri Dass

I-C



Mrs. Diposhree Gupta

II-A

# Class Photographs



Mrs. Sonali Verma

II-B

# Class Photographs



Sr. A Christinal Mary

III-A



Mrs. Juhi Moses

II-C



Ms. Ankita Yadav

III-B

# Class Photographs



Mrs. Rashmi Singh

III-C



Ms. Mahima Noel

IV-B



Ms. Kanchy Jaiswal

IV-A



Mr. Anand Mohan

IV-C

# Class Photographs



Ms. Jyoti Pandey

V-A



Mrs. Antima Mishra

V-C



Mr. Aman Kumar

V-B



Mrs. Srishti Srivastav

VI-A



# Class Photographs



Sr. Maria Anthonette Lobo

VI-B

## EDUCATION IN MY OPINION

Physics is an electronic shock  
 Chemistry an acid explosion  
 Biology a deadly epidemic  
 Maths and number sided polygon  
 English a grammatical error  
 Computers an internet virus  
 Hindi prem chand ki bhool  
 Sanskrit kalidas ki shakuntala  
 Geography Norway ka midnight sun.

KEERTI SINGH  
 IVC



## ENVIRONMENT

The environment with its treasure  
 Also countless to measure.  
 Fish and whale in the deep  
 Blue water life in the sea, so alive.  
 Grasslands and forests  
 With terrestrial life.  
 Cold Freezing Mountain peaks,  
 Hot tiring deserts  
 Life among the trees and sand, so alive  
 Sky so blue with air so clean  
 Only sun, moon and stars to see  
 Eagles' and vultures take their turn  
 Life in the sky, so alive, so alive.

SHRISTI SINGH,  
 2-B



## A SALUTE TO THE SOLDIERS

We the sentinels of the nation,  
 We the defenders of the motherland,  
 Arunachal to Rann of Kutch,  
 On borders vigil we stand.  
 Rail, hail, storm and snow.  
 Dark nights or days bright,  
 Himalayan heights or desert sands,  
 We stand rock like, ready to fight,  
 We will defend each inch of soil,  
 As long as we live and breathe,  
 Shedding our last drop of blood.  
 To you, our mortal remains we will banquet.  
 Write no obituaries, send no wreaths,  
 Just drop each one of us in tricolor,  
 And to grant peace to our souls,  
 Think of us and shed to tear.



ISHAN MISHRA  
 4A

## EDUCATION

Education is a most important thing in the world, education means knowledge, It is basic thing in the world, It provides us ability to do some work if we have gain education, then we can become- IAS Officer, PCS, DM, CM, PM etc. We can get education from



subject books and notebooks.

By education we become aware, alert from cheat by any person and thing, with the help of education we can toper of class and also become very good stent, In the future education gives us help and also we become very higher person and with education we can become truthful, honest, polite and helpful person with the education we give any answer from the question.

Tanay Pandey  
 IV A



Our Dedicated Co-Workers

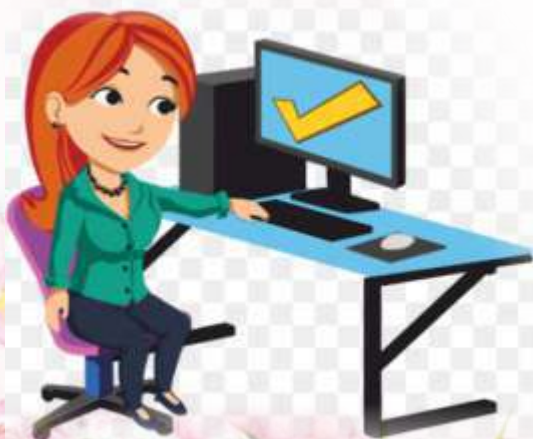
## "IMPORTANCE OF DISCIPLINE IN LIFE" "USES AND ABUSES OF MOBILE PHONE"

**INTRODUCTION :** Discipline means orderly and controlled behaviour. It inculcates in us, a sense of duty. It is a training of mind and character. It aims at producing self-control and obedience.

Discipline is necessary not only in schools and colleges but in all walks of life. Nothing can be attained without disciplined life. Father of the Nation, Mahatma Gandhi set himself as an example of success by leading such a disciplined life. We need to learn to discipline our senses, our habits, our passions, etc. The absence of discipline leads to chaos and confusion in life. There will be no happiness in the family if the members are not disciplined. It is absolutely essential for the growth and development of an individual and a healthy society. Discipline must be taught early in life. The home is the first place where a child learns the basics of discipline.

**CONCLUSION :** To sum up, we can say that Discipline is the very essence of life and it is equally important in the political, social and economic life of a nation. In order to lead a successful life, one has to learn to stay disciplined in all walks of life.

SHIVANSH KUMAR TIWARI,  
IV B



**INTRODUCTION :** Nowadays, mobile phone has become a basic need for us. It has completely changed our lives from past few decades. It is because of the mobile phone that we can easily talk to a person sitting in the other corner of the world. No doubt, a mobile phone has many uses but it also has negative effects on the mankind. It plays an anti-social role in mankind. So, we can say that a mobile has uses as well as abuses depending entirely on the user. Let us discuss both the sides of it.

**USES OF A MOBILE PHONE :** A mobile has plenty of uses. It is an integral part of our daily communication. Its small size, relatively low cost and many other uses make this device very valuable to those who need it for daily communication.

Nowadays, a smart phone which has the features of a phone as well as a computer, carries all sorts of information which is available through internet. Information regarding politics, current affairs, weather and all that is related to mankind can be found in this device. It also has all the information, a student needs to excel in his academics. It also plays as a relaxing factor when one needs to watch movies or play games.

**ABUSES OF A MOBILE PHONE :** Having discussed above the uses of a mobile phone, it also has some disadvantages as well. To start with, the biggest disadvantage is that the students and teenagers are easily influenced by the evil side of a mobile. Instead of using it for their benefits, they seem to be wasting their valuable time indulging in listening to music, playing games and spending much time in social networking sites. According to a medical study, excessive use of a mobile phone can cause health hazards.

**CONCLUSION :** At present, the mobile phone is the most popular and useful gadget. Though there are some disadvantages of it but we cannot deny the usefulness of it in our daily life.

PRAKHAR KUMAR  
V A

## "SOCIAL MEDIA AND ITS EFFECTS UPON THE STUDENTS"

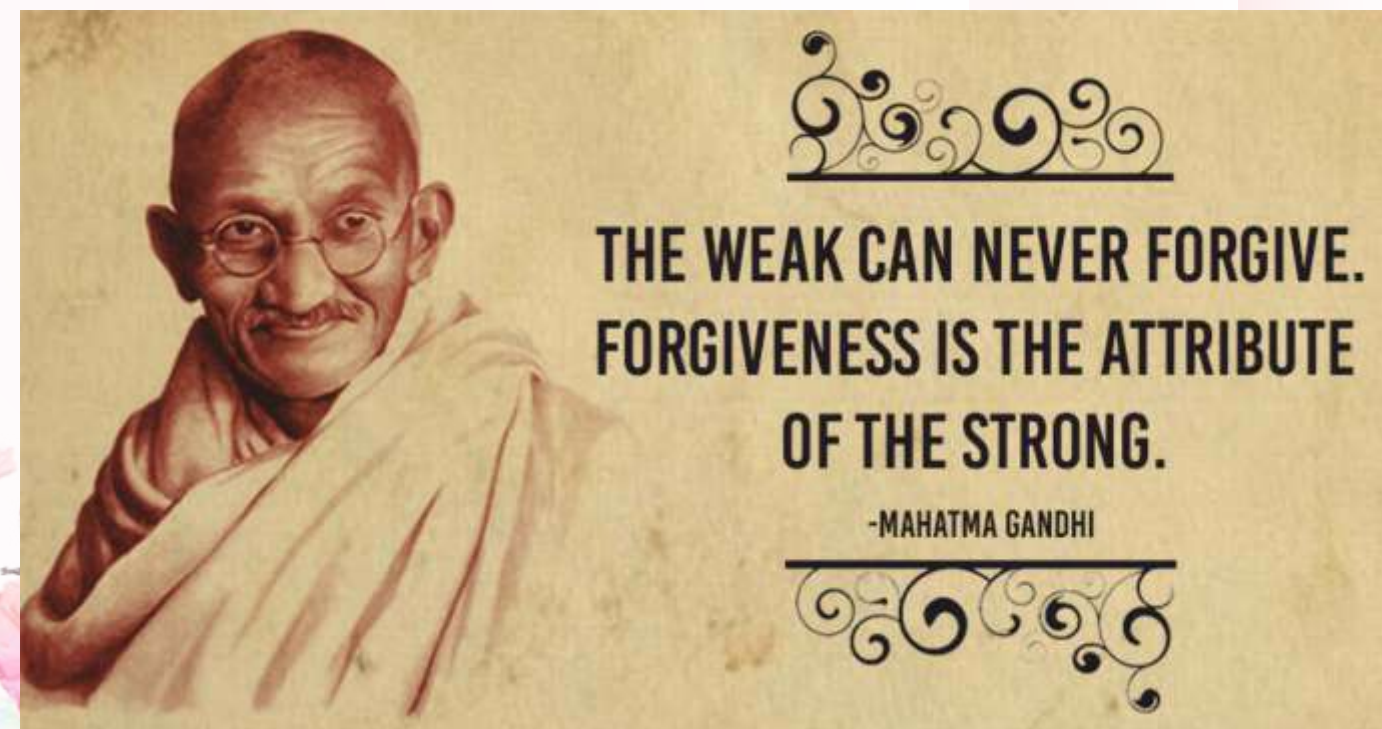
It is amazing how the social media has changed the lives of the people. It has provided our world with a different means of communication and is easily accessible to everyone. It is because of the social media that now distance is not at all a hindrance in communicating with anyone. We can easily contact with whomever we want to, both verbally and visually. It also helps in sharing useful information.

Despite of all the beneficial aspects of social media, as the users of social media increase, so does the debate whether it gives a good influence to the individuals or not. Many people say that social media is one of the most common ways of distraction for the students and has a negative impact on them which ultimately decreases their grades academically. Networks like Face book, Whatsapp, Twitter and Instagram are very hard to ignore as they constantly update new information or notifications like posting the photographs, updating status from time to time, etc. Many

students have also admitted that social media is the cause of their academic downfall. Since, it is easily accessible, students waste a lot of time on it without even realizing. They do not understand the harm they cause to themselves when they take so much of time in checking their accounts when they are really supposed to study. Addiction of social media also causes health issues like eye-strain, lack of sleep as well as social withdrawal. The biggest drawback is that the students take friendship in a different sense while communicating to each other through social media which actually becomes the main cause of pulling the students away from their books.

To summarize, social media has caused a disturbance on students' focus and has set a different definition of friendship in their minds. We cannot deny that social media keeps us updated about what's happening around us which is good to know but we should make sure that we don't become the slaves of it.

BY ANSHIKA SRIVASTAVA  
VI A



## "TEACHING : A SERVICE; NOT A JOB"

On the day of vaccination in the school, my student asked me, "Ma'am, we are so scared of injections and moreover our parents are not here with us. Will you please stand there for us? Please do not go anywhere at that time." I calmly replied, "I'll surely be there. Do not worry." And the next moment, I could see a big sigh of relief on all the faces. It was when I realized how much they feel attached to me, how much they trust me. It was altogether a different feeling for me. I was already in love with them but after seeing that expression, that relief, the love increased manifolds.



That actually is the love shared by a teacher and students. It is so pure and deep. You know why? Because a teacher helps a student to know his/her own worth. A student gets to know about the strengths and weaknesses because of a teacher. A teacher makes the students fall in love with the subjects. A teacher, in need, becomes a friend, a guardian, a councilor, a comforter and what not.

No wonder, a teacher today, is adorned with the title of "THE NATION BUILDER". So students, keep adoring your teachers and teachers, make sure that it is a calling for you and not just a simple job as teaching is neither simple nor it's a job. IT'S A SERVICE

**MS. MAHIMA NOEL**

## STUDY WITH CREATIVITY

Practice makes man perfect". This is a well known proverb to all of us but how about changing this proverb to "only perfect practice makes man perfect."

In order to be successful we need lot of practice and hard work but if all our hard work is in the wrong way, we will never be able to score success. Most of the time in our studies we like to study only those subjects we like the most or

which we need to learn for an examination the next day. We like to read or learn only those answers we like or in other words which we already know deciding that rest are not the cup of my tea and that's how we leave out the most important things and scoreless. How about to use this technique "Study with creativity".

Let's learn few techniques

- 1) The study signal technique:- Just put Red dots on the answers you find most difficult, yellow dot on the ones you know little and green dot on the ones you know best and each day try to lessen the red dots.
- 2) Once more! Once more!- Do not run to next answer when you find it difficult. Learn to say once more! Once more! Till you learn it.
- 3) TBS and TAS-" Think before you study and think after you study.
- 4) Sing your answers:- Recite or sing your answers aloud and you will memorize them for a long time.

"Only perfect practice makes man perfect".

**SR. ANTHONETTE LOBO, DSH**

## TIME MANAGEMENT

Time is one such element in life that needs to be utilized or tackled in a very calculative way. It is, therefore, rightly said that time once lost can never be recovered. Time management is the process of organizing and planning how to divide your time between specific activities. It is of utmost importance that one should know how to strategize his/her whole plan so that the outcome is achieved in a smarter way. Failing to do so damages ones effectiveness and causes stress. The question may arise that if we have only 24 hours then how can everything be planned in a smarter way within this time period. The answer lies in one key point and that is "Time Management". Effective time management boosts an individual's morale and makes him confident. Individuals who stick to a time plan are the ones who realize their goals

and objectives within the shortest possible time span. In order to achieve a desired goal in a planned and calculative way one must set priorities, must make sure that assignments are done within the stipulated time frame.

Apart from this it is also requested to understand the difference between urgent and important work, stay focused and set realistic as well as achievable targets.

One must not forget that time is the most powerful element that has the power to establish or destroy.

**NEELA DAS**



## KNOW MORE ABOUT MATHS ...

1. October 14 is celebrated as World maths Day.
2. Zero (0) is the only number which cannot be represented by Roman Numerals.
3. Plus (+) and minus (-) sign symbols were used as early as 1489 AD
4. 2 and 5 are the only primes that end in 2 or 5
5. Among all shapes with the same perimeter, a circle has the largest area.
6. Among all shapes with the same area, a circle has the shortest perimeter.
7. 'Four' is the only number in the English language that is spelt with the same number of letters as the number itself.
8. 'Forty' is the only number with letters in alphabetical order, while 'One' is the only one with letters in reverse Order.
9. From 1 to 1000 the letter 'A' only appears in 1000 (One Thousand).
10. Opposite faces of a die always add up to seven (7).
11. Abacus is considered the origin of the calculator.
12. Multiply any number with 9 and then sum all individual digits of the result to make it single digit, the sum of all these individual digits would always be 9.

13. If you add up the numbers 1 - 100 consecutively (1 + 2 + 3 + 4 + ..... ) the total is 5050.
14. A 'Jiffy' is an actual unit of time for 1/100th of a second.
15. Number that reads the same backwards and forwards are called Palindrome Numbers. e.g. - 123454321
16. Numbers that is the sequence of numbers wherein a number is the result of adding the two numbers before it are called Fibonacci e.g. 1, 1, 2, 3, 5, 8, 13, 21, 34 and so on.
17. In a room of 23 people there's a 50% chance that two people have the same birthday.
18. An icosagon is a shape with 20 sides.
19. The product of 11,111,111 X 11,111,111 is 12,345,678,987,654,321.
20. Every odd number has an "e" in it.

**By Anand Mohan**

## MY SIX STRING EUPHONY

Blend with melody, oh! My six string euphony  
My six string replies me with every pluck and strum  
When i find myself in deep lonesome  
Filled with all negativity and envy

It talks to me, oh! My six string euphony

The mocking echoes, through out the halls  
And the annoying sound through out the walls  
But i opened my eyes and realized,  
That the taunts were all in my head  
That made my mind paralyzed  
I reach out my hand, hoping for a split triggers  
That my six strings will fill in the space between my fingers

A soft running hands, though mild, it whispers  
The harmony it creates, through my fingers  
The strings shines like silver ray  
It promises to take all the voices away

Yes! It talks to me, oh! My six string euphony

**-JAMES TOPPO**

## परवरिश

आज के आधुनिक परिवेश में, अपने बच्चों के प्रति अभिभावकों की उदासीनता बच्चों को उदंड, शिथिल एवम् अनुशासनहीन बना रही है। मेरा आशय यह कदापि भी नहीं कि, सभी अभिभावक अपने बच्चों को गम्भीरता से नहीं लेते या, उनके भविष्य के प्रति गम्भीर नहीं है। अगर ईमानदारी से बात की जाये तो केवल मुठ्ठीभर अभिभावक ही अपने बच्चों की परवरिश भलि भाँति कर पा रहे हैं।

तो क्या बाकी लोग अपने बच्चों को नज़रअंदाज़ कर रहे हैं? यदि उत्तर "हाँ" मे हो तो इसमें आश्चर्य की कोई बात नहीं है क्योंकि, आज के दौर में अभिभावक गण अपने बच्चों से उमीद करते हैं कि, वह हर क्षेत्र में उपलब्धि प्राप्त करे, साथ में वे उनकी तुलना अन्य, बच्चों से करते हैं और उम्मीद करते हैं कि उनका स्वयं का बच्चा प्रथम पंक्ति में सदैव स्थिर रहे।

हमें यह भी समझना पड़ेगा कि, कर्तव्य में बरती गई कोताही हमें नमाफिक परिणाम नहीं दे सकती। हम अपने बच्चों से उम्मीदें लगा कर बैठते हैं परंतु उनके प्रति अपने कर्तव्यों के पालन में भूल चूक जैसी प्रवृत्ति रखते हैं। हम अपने बच्चों को सुचित समय नहीं दे पाते एवम् उनका भावनात्मक रूप से उनको मज़बूत करने में असक्षम रहे हैं। हम अपने बच्चों को मँहगी से मँहगी वस्तुएँ तो उपलब्ध करा देते हैं परंतु, उनके साथ घड़ी दो घड़ी नहीं बिताते। अपनी आठ वर्षों के शिक्षक रूप में सेवा प्रदान करने के पश्चात् मैदने अनुभव किया कि, केवल संसाधन मात्र उपलब्ध करा देने से या माता पिता द्वारा दण्डित किये जाने से बच्चों का सर्वांगीण विकास संभव नहीं है। आज के दौर में बच्चों को भलि भाँति समझा बुझा कर उनमें अनुशासन, शालीनता एवम् स्फूर्ति उत्पन्न की जा सकती है।

बच्चों को उचित दशा तक पहुँचाने का दायित्व माता, पिता अभिभावक, गुरू एवम् समाज का होता है क्योंकि, आज का



बच्चा ही कस के समाज की एक महत्वपूर्ण ईकाई है। अतैव जिस प्रकार आपस में उलझ गए धागों को बड़ी सावधानी, एकाग्रता एवम् स्थिरता से अलग किया जा सकता है, तथा उत्तेजना से धागों को अलग करने का प्रयास, धागों को और उलझा देता है एवम् उनको हानि भी पहुँचा सकता है, ठीक इसी प्रकार बचपन से ही बच्चों को प्यार, दुलार, समर्थन देकर उनको उनकी क्षमताओं से परिचित करा कर और उनके साथ पर्याप्त समय बिता कर, उनकी इच्छाओं को समझकर, बच्चों को अनुकूल वातावरण उपलब्ध कराकर उनकी उत्तम परवरिश की जा सकती है।

यदि हम अपने बच्चों को अच्छी परवरिश देना चाहते हैं तो, हमें उनके साथ अच्छी परवरिश देना चाहते हैं तो, हमें उनके साथ अच्छा खासा समय बिताना पड़ेगा, बेवजह की उम्मीदों का भार, उन पर देने से बचना होगा एवम् उनके साथ भावनात्मक रूप से जुड़ना होगा। तभी हम उनके परवरिश की सम्पूर्ण जिम्मेदारी एक श्रेष्ठ अभिभावक की तरह कर सकेंगे और एक सभ्य, शिक्षित और श्रेष्ठ मानव संसाधन युक्त समाज का निर्माण कर सकेंगे।

Mr. Aman Kumar

## सकारात्मक दृष्टिकोण

"हमारी सोच हमारी कार्यक्षमता को प्रभावित करती है। हम जैसा सोचते हैं, वैसा ही कार्य करते हैं।"

24 घंटों में दस घंटे नकारात्मक बातें करने से धीरे-धीरे हमारी सोच भी नकारात्मक होने लगती है। इसलिए यदि हम अच्छा सोचेंगे तो सब अच्छा ही होगा। आइये एक सकारात्मक दृष्टि को रखने के लिए कुछ अच्छी अथवा महत्वपूर्ण बातों को सीखें।



अच्छा सोचें- यदि हम ये ठानकर चलें की आज दिनभर हम जो भी सोचेंगे, अच्छा ही सोचेंगे तो निश्चय ही हमारा दिन अच्छा जायेगा। यही प्रयोग हम सप्ताह के लिये भी कर सकते हैं। उसके बाद देखिए आपके जीवन में क्या परिवर्तन आता है।

हर रोज कुछ नया करें- सकारात्मक सोच के लिए अपनी जीवन शैली में करना आवश्यक है यदि हम रोज सुबह उठकर कुछ नया काम करें जैसे आइने के पास जाकर बोसे मैं आज कुछ अच्छा करूँगा आज कुछ नया होगा, आज ही मेरा जीवन बदलेगा, आज मैं एक सफल इंसान हूँ। इस छोटी सी बात से आप अपना जीवन बदल सकते हैं।

क्रोध ना करें- कई बार व्यक्ति का काम इतना तनावपूर्ण रहता है कि वह क्रोध करता है और उसके दिमाग में नकारात्मक विचार आते हैं। यदि आपके साथ भी ऐसा होता है तो आप स्वयं को किसी ऐसे कार्य में लगाइए, जिससे आपको मानसिक शांति मिले।

यह सत्य है कि हम जैसा सोचते हैं, वैसा ही प्राप्त करते हैं। नकारात्मक सोच जहाँ हमें निराशावादित और नाकामी की ओर ले जाती है, वही सकारात्मक विचार हमें सकारात्मकता और सफलता की ओर अग्रसर करते हैं।

By Leena Anilesh Daniel

## बोझिल नहीं व्यवहारिक हो शिक्षा पद्धति

आईने के बारे में सर्वविदित है कि आईना पानी रख तो सकता है लेकिन किसी को पिला नहीं सकता। हमारी शिक्षा पद्धति भी ठीक उसी आईने की तरह होकर रह गई है। जिसमें किसी का प्रतिबिम्ब तो बन जाता है, लेकिन



व्यवहारिक जीवन में वो नाकामी साबित होता है। कहने को तो 13,00,000+ से ज्यादा स्कूलों और 315 मिलियन से अधिक नामांकन के साथ, भारत में दुनिया की सबसे बड़ी शिक्षा प्रणाली है, लेकिन इस उजली तस्वीर का एक स्याह सच ये भी है कि देश में हर घंटे कहीं न कहीं एक छात्र मौत को गले लगा रहा है।

कोटा की सड़कों पर सफलता का गुणगान करने वाले बड़े-बड़े होर्डिंग्स हर अभिभावक को शहर तक खींच लाते हैं, लेकिन उसी सपनों की प्रयोगशाला के शहर में हर साल कितने ही छात्र सपना टूटने की डर से दुनिया को अलविदा कह देते हैं। कोटा पुलिस के मुताबिक साल 2018 में 19 छात्र, 2017 में 7 छात्र, 2016 में 18 छात्र, 2015 में 31 छात्र और 2014 में 45 छात्रों ने मौत को गले लगाया था। ये सभी कमजोर, डरे और सहमें छात्र-छात्राएँ नहीं थे बल्कि ये वो प्रतिभाएँ थीं, जिन्हें रिग मास्टर के हंटर पर सर्कस दिखाना गवारा नहीं था। कोटा में कितनी जिंदगियाँ बनती हैं ये तो कोचिंग सेंटर का ईमान ही जाने लेकिन हाँ एक बात जरूर है, कोचिंग सुपर मार्केट का सालाना टर्नओवर करीब 1,800 करोड़ रूपए है और इस आधार पर लगभग 100 करोड़ रूपए का कट सरकार को भी टैक्स के तौर पर जाता है।

आकड़ों में तो एक और कृतिमान है, बच्चों को पर्याप्त पोषण के साथ शिक्षा के उद्देश्य से भारत सरकार द्वारा चलाई जाने वाली माध्याम भोजन योजना दुनिया के पटल पर इस तरह की सबसे बड़ी योजना है। लेकिन हकीकत क्या है ये किसी से छुपी नहीं है। हम कागजी आकड़ों को पेश कर के ही झूठे अभिमान में खुद की पीठ थपथपाते रहते हैं और सच स्वीकार ही नहीं करते हैं। हम एक ऐसी शिक्षा परिपाटी का हिस्सा हैं जहाँ बच्चे को गलती करने या असफल होने की इजाजत ही नहीं होती है। बच्चे को सिर्फ सफलता के ही अध्याय पढ़ाए जाते हैं, और हर हाल में उपलब्धियों के शिखर पर काबिज होने

के गुर सिखाए जाते हैं। जब बच्चा इन्हें सही से समझ नहीं पाता तो उस पर दबाव बनाया जाने लगता है कि लोग क्या कहेंगे, समाज के लोग किस नजर से देखेंगे। इस चलन के लिए सिर्फ अभिवाक ही अकेले जिम्मेदार नहीं हैं बल्कि अध्यापक से लेकर सरकारें भी इसके लिए दोषी हैं।

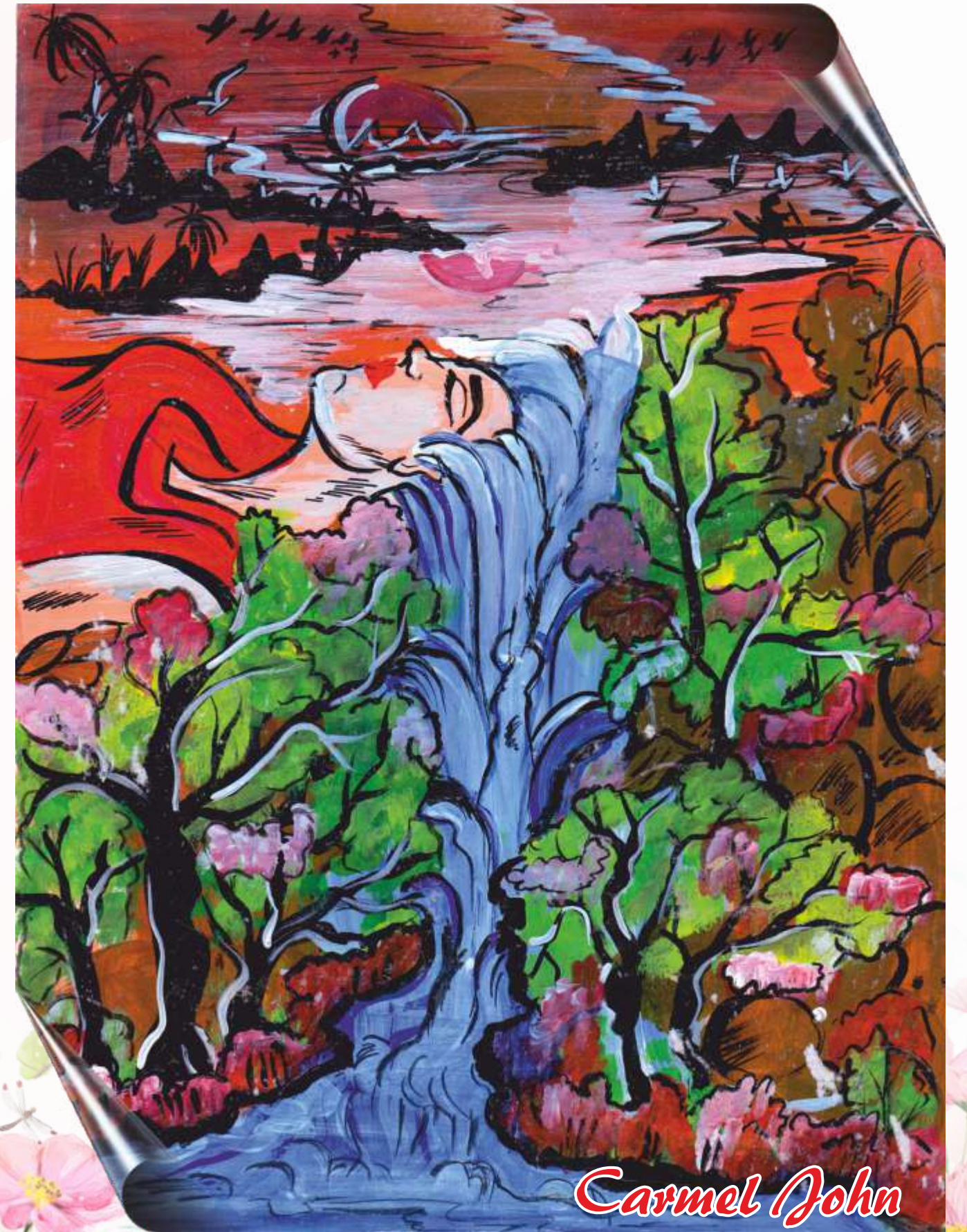
ऊची कुर्सियों पर बैठे पॉलिसी मेकर्स को भी समझने की जरूरत है कि किसी भी प्रकार की शिक्षा नीति राज्य सरकारों के मारफ़त केंद्र तक जाए न कि केंद्र से राज्यों पर थोपी जाए। नीट का परीक्षा प्रारूप पूरी तरह से सीबीएसई पाठ्यक्रम पर करने से स्टेट बोर्ड के करोड़ों छात्र-छात्राएं परीक्षा में अच्छा प्रदर्शन नहीं कर पा रहे हैं। 2017 में तमिलनाडू बोर्ड से पढ़ाई करने वाली अनिता 12वीं की टॉपर रही। अनिता ने 1200 में से 1176 अंक हासिल किए लेकिन वही होनहार नीट में 700 अंकों में से महज 86 अंकों तक ही पहुंच पाई। उसने इस बात को लेकर अदालतों का दरवाजा तक खटखटाया लेकिन अंत में हार कर उसने सितंबर 2017 में आत्महत्या कर ली। साल 2018 में भी नीट में असफल होने पर विल्लुपुरम की 17 वर्षीय प्रतिभा ने भी आत्महत्या कर ली। प्रतिभा भी होनहार छात्रा थी जिसने 10वीं और 12वीं में अच्छे अंक हासिल किए थे। प्रतिभा के आत्महत्या करने के बाद कृतिका नाम की छात्रा ने भी आत्महत्या करने की कोशिश की, लेकिन जिसे समय रहते बचा लिया गया। मगर हर कोई इतना नसीब वाला नहीं होता है।

साल 2018 में एक रिपोर्ट सामने आई थी जो सवा करोड़ की जनसंख्या वाले देश की शिक्षा व्यवस्था पर जोरदार तमाचा थी। 2018 की एक मीडिया रिपोर्ट के मुताबिक देश के 95 फीसदी इंजीनियर सॉफ्टवेयर डेवलपमेंट जॉब के योग्य नहीं हैं। टेक महिंद्रा के सीईओ और एमडी सीपी गुरनानी ने भी इस रिपोर्ट पर अपनी सहमति दिखाते हुए कहा था कि 94 प्रतिशत इंजीनियरिंग ग्रेजुएट जॉब के लायक नहीं हैं। देश की 10

बड़ी आईटी कंपनी केवल 6 प्रतिशत इंजीनियरिंग ग्रेजुएट को ही नौकरी देती है। इस रिपोर्ट ने खूब सुर्खियां बटोरीं और कुछ जानकारों ने बंगलौरके विकास मॉडल का तर्क देकर इस रिपोर्ट को खारिज भी किया। जानकारों का मत था कि टेक्नॉलॉजी का ग्लोबल हब, इंडिया की सिलिकॉनवैली, 40 प्रतिशत सॉफ्टवेयर का निर्यात करने वाला शहर, देश को अकेले 50 प्रतिशत स्टार्टअप देने वाला शहर, कर्नाटक की जीडीपी में अकेले 80 प्रतिशतसे ज्यादा का योगदान करने वाला शहर, विकास दर विस्तार के मामले में लंदन, इजराइल को पीछे छोड़कर दुनिया में नंबर वन पर काबिज होने वाला शहर बंगलौर भी इसी शिक्षा का प्रतिफल है। यकीनन उपरोक्त बातें शत प्रतिशत सही हैं लेकिन इस तस्वीर का एक और पहलू भी है जो बताता है कि बंगलौर जितनी तेजी के साथ रोजगार पैदा कर रहा है उतनी ही तेजी से शहर को डिप्रेशन की गिरफ्त में भी ले रहा है। सपनों के इस शहर में लगभग 50 फीसदी लोग डिप्रेशन के शिकार हैं। बंगलौर में रोज 5 लोग रिपोर्टेड और लगभग 100 लोग अनरिपोर्टेड आत्महत्या कर रहे हैं। अब एक पल के लिए सोचिए कि अंगुलियों पर आसानी से गिने जाने वाले आकड़ों के लिए शहर कितनी बड़ी कीमत अदा कर रहा है। ऐसी शिक्षा किस काम कि जो पहले तो युवाओं को रोजगार नहीं दिला पर रही है और यदि करोड़ों की भीड़ से कुछ हजार युवाओं को रोजगार मिल भी रहा है तो तेजी से अवसाद और आत्महत्या की तरफ बढ़ रहे हैं।

शिक्षा का उद्देश्य रोजगार और छात्र की प्रतिभा का मानक तीन घंटों की कसौटी नहीं होनी चाहिए बल्कि शिक्षा ऐसी होनी चाहिए कि छात्र-छात्राओं का चौमुखी विकास हो सके और वो व्यावहारिक जीवन में भी सफल हो सकें। हमें समझना चाहिए कि शिक्षा मनुष्य की प्रवृत्ति को मुक्त करने के लिए है।

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