

ANNUAL REPORT - 2020-21

A delightful morning to one and all present in the zoom room and Facebook live.

WELCOME

Honourable distinguished guests, respected parents and my dear students! My warmest felicitations go to the eminent Chief Guest Dr. Vineet Joshi, the Director General of the National Testing Agency. I also extend a very warm welcome to the esteemed members of the school Managing Committee, distinguished guests, students and our very own dear parents

HOMAGE

Today the entire Mamta Modern family fondly remembers our founder, Late Sh. S. K Sharma Sir, whose legacy we have inherited and whose vision always guides us on the scintillating journey of MMS. And now the road adjoining the school, Sh. S.K. Sharma Marg, being named after him, is a befitting tribute to his dream of seeing MMS soar higher and achieve greater heights.

BEGINNING

The past 11 months have seen education experience a paradigm shift that is engaging, interactive and the harbinger of inventiveness and transformation and today through the medium of this technology, I feel truly privileged to welcome you all virtually to a place resonating with love laughter and learning.

Ladies and gentlemen this pandemic was a mighty challenge but we at MMS surged ahead with courage, conviction and success on unexplored terrains.

ACADEMICS

Now, Please allow me to unveil the fine spectacle of excellence that characterize the year gone by.

The board results for the session 2019-20 were par excellence.

Harshita Pathak topped in class X by securing 98.4% while Sarthak Pathak and Pooja Nagpal scored an impressive 97.6% and 95.4% and more than 20 students scored above 90%

Parents! The list is endless. Pooja Nagpal, Sarthak Pathak and Harshita Pathak made us proud by securing 100% marks in Maths, Hindi and Information Technology respectively.

Heartiest congratulations to Mr. Sumit, Mrs. Nirmal and Mrs. Mohini for these unparalleled scores.

In class XII, Naman Manchanda topped the Commerce stream with an impressive 95.8% followed by Mohak Khurana and Poshita Gambhir with 95.2% and 95 % respectively.

Mahima Tyagi topped the Science Stream with 95.2% stream followed by Kritika Kapoor in the Humanities stream.

My students carved a niche in Academics by scoring over **one thousand** distinctions in various subjects in the board results. **WHAT A TREMENDOUS RESULT! WHAT A BIG FEAT!! CONGRATULATIONS DEAR STUDENTS.**

INTER-SCHOOL COMPETITION

“Use a talent you have. You will make it. You will give joy to the world.” These words of Bernard Meltzer are guiding force in all our endeavours.

1. In the Kala Utsav Competition organised by Department of education GNCTD, we are the proud recipient of the first prize in the Folk Dance, Visual Arts and Instrumental Classical Music. We also bagged the Second prize in Classical Dance and Third prize

in the Vocal Classical Music and Folk Song respectively. **Kudos to my dear students and the teachers who prepared them.**

2. We were able to lift the Rolling Trophy in the various Inter School Competitions organised by Lovely Public School, DAV Darbari Lal and Red Roses Public School and also grabbed the First Runners-up trophy as well as Jury's Award from Brilliant's Convent school and Kamal Public School respectively.
3. The students also made us spellbound by winning various accolades at Maharaja Agrasen Public school, DAV Public school, Pushpanjali, DAV Public School, Ashok Vihar, Kulachi Hansraj Model School, Indraprastha World School, Bosco Public School and St. Margaret Senior Secondary School.

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4. Our students showcased their oratory skills, culinary skills computer skills, creativity and imagination in various competitions organised by MBS School, VV DAV P, Maharaja Agrasen Model School, Max Fort school, Adarsh Public School, Maharaja Agrasen Adarsh Public school, Bal Bharati School and ASN Senior Secondary School.
5. We were also awarded in the various inter school competitions organised by Saint Thomas School, Mother Divine Public School, Maharaja Agrasen Public School, Shah International School, Brain International School, New Era Public school, S RDAV , MM Public School and Brilliants Convent School.

Our these accomplishments in the sphere of Interschool Competitions are unmatched as we lifted **126 awards from 37 schools. Wow! Kudos ! Stupendous.**

Don't you think my students and teachers need a big round of applause as even during this tough times of COVID -19, they rocked outside the school. Don't you think that they are not less than Corona Warriors. My Salute goes to all my young heroes.

SPORTING GLORY

A play field surely provides intrinsic lessons in life and living that stand a person in good stead. We, at MMS, surely provide students with ample opportunities to hone their sporting talent. Our proud achievements bear a roaring testimony to our zealous commitment to sports.

- a) Both our U- 17 and U-19 football champs emerged at as Delhi city champions 2019 and won a total cash prize of rupees 50,000/- in the Reliance Cup Football Tournament, 2019-20. **Congratulations Team Football and Pratap Sir.**
- b) Our U-14 team became the cynosure of all the eyes by winning the Synergia football tournament 2019-20.
- c) Our Star Footballer Vikas Saini was inducted into the **East Bengal Club** -one of the most famous and sought after clubs for Football in India.
- d) In the S.K. Sharma Memorial Tournament , both our U-14 Football and Basketball team bagged the first position and won a cash prize of 11000/-and 7500/- respectively.
- e) Continuing the legacy, in the Inter Zonal Basketball tournament, our U-14 team stood 3rd and won a cash prize of rupees 12000/-.
- f) My girls, Harshita Singh and Kashvi, also played SGFI at Chhattisgarh and won a silver medal.
- g) Our U-17 Baseball team also participated in the 29th Junior National Baseball Championship held at Ahmedabad, Gujarat and it also won the third position in the 65th National School Games held in Chhattisgarh.
- h) Vikrant Chaudhary of class 12 was awarded a scholarship of rupees 2.90 lakh by the government of NCT Delhi under Play and Progress Scheme for being a National Medalist for Delhi Baseball team.

Friends! Such a big victory needs a big round of applause.

CELEBRATIONS GALORE

Each day is a celebration of life in all its magnificence and splendour at MMS. The year gone by witnessed momentous eventful virtual celebrations like Special Assemblies, Special Weeks and Special Days. To celebrate, these events, various virtual assemblies, e-conferences and talk shows were held throughout the year. Prominent among them were the e- interaction with our own alumni, the Indian Football Captain Padma Shri Sunil Chhetri and the Congress Spokesperson Ragini Nayak, Dronacharya and Hall of Fame awardee Bhupinder Dhawan, National Secretary- Shiksha Sanskriti Utthan Nyas, SH. Atul Kothari ji, Padmashri and Arjuna awardee Prashanti Singh, Councillor, Ms. Shweta Saini, the Chairman of the All India Anti-Terrorist Front, Mr. Maninderjeet Bitta, Commander Gurpreet Singh, Commanding Officer NCC 7 Delhi Girls Battalion and with the Naval Officers. These interactions truly made the learning more joyful for our little bags of wonder and innocence and gave a new dimension to our teaching learning process.

AWARDS AND ACCOLADES

“He who wishes to serve his country must have not only the power to think but the will to act.”

1. According to the Times of India survey, the school positioned itself consecutively for the **SECOND YEAR** at the **FOURTH RANK** among the **top schools** and among the leaders of West Delhi.
2. For our thrust on aiming at the overall development of students, the school was ranked **NUMBER ONE** as **India's top CBSE School for the holistic development** by Education Today magazine.
3. Highly focused sports culture of the school helped it to catapult India's top Prestigious School Jury's Choice Award 2020 for its outstanding commitment to sports in Secondary School by Education Today.

4. Our School Manager, Mr. Manoj Sharma, was also felicitated by Education Today as being one of the India's 50 visionaries in the field of education and were awarded with **Education Icon of the Year Award, 2020**

5. It was a proud moment to be conferred by the Corona Vishisht Seva Samman by COVID-19 Disaster Management Committee, 2020.

6. We were also awarded for our commitment to promote safety against COVID -19

7. Our school was also awarded by International Chamber for Service Industry for its excellence in teaching pedagogy.

8. Niti Aayog also awarded us as the ATAL SCHOOL OF THE MONTH for eight months consecutively. For this dedication and promoting the minds of young students towards innovation, our ATL representative Mr. Digvijay Nath Dwivedi has been selected as the Regional Teacher of Change (RTOC) for the Delhi state.

9. My teacher, Sunita Jain, won a prize in the Essay Writing Competition organised by Action Committee.

10. Ladies and Gentlemen! My heart stopped throbbing for a second when I came to know about the golden feather which was recently added in the cap of Mamta Modern. **Yes, it's indeed very gratifying to know that MMS is one among the 59 schools and colleges of India which has been selected by the Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports, Govt. of India for Khelo India Centre for Football and Basketball and ours is the only school in the North India to be selected for Football. Congratulations to everyone for this milestone.**

11. I also feel proud to share with you all that our own alumnus Vishakha Yadav has become an IAS Officer by cracking the UPSC Exams and getting the AIR sixth rank . **WHAT A PROUD MOMENT FOR ALL OF US! HEARTIEST CONGRATULATIONS VISHAKHA!**

VIRTUAL EXHIBITION -PANORAMA

Under the CBSE project of pairing of states and union territories adapted from **Ek Bharat Shreshth Bharat program**, our school conducted the Art Integration Virtual Exhibition- PANORAMA. The event was graced by Dr. Pragya Sharma, Joint Secretary (Academics) CBSE and Mrs Rupa Devi Sharma Principal, Bahai School Tadong, Gangtok, Sikkim. The state of Sikkim came out live in all its exuberant colours with the beautiful presentations of the contrast between Delhi and Sikkim in terms of people, cuisines, festivals etc.

TECHNOPHILIA

To nurture and showcase technological prowess of the budding wizards, the school organised Technophilia, 2020 where is more than 2000 students from 100 schools across the country participated. It was a grand celebration of nobility and ingenuity and it was indeed our privilege to have Dr. Biswajit Saha, Director, Skill Education and Training, CBSE, as the Chief Guest who motivated the students by giving away the prizes.

COMMUNITY OUTREACH

Like every year, this year, too, the students and staff at school got together as crusaders in bringing about joy and happiness to the lives of the needy and the suffering. The school benevolently donated to APNA GHAR ASHRAM, a haven for the sickly and the destitute.

Even during this time of Pandemic and uncertainty, our school staff rendered its unflinching support by donating 3 lakh 2 thousand in the PRIME MINISTER CARES Fund. This endeavour instilled empathy and made us feel united with the nation during tough times.

NEW INITIATIVES

1. During these tough Times, MMS was one among the first few schools in Delhi to introduce online teaching which marks a convenient entry point to many exciting ways of e-Learning. It has further opened the channels of communication between teachers, parents and students.
2. School's well accomplished infrastructure with a Primary Sports arena and an ultra-modern Basket Ball Court has come up as an area for the students to carve the finest sportsmen in them. I truly believe that my students will be delighted to play in these areas once the school reopens.

CONCLUSION

As it is often said "There cannot be a harvest unless you plant a seed."

1. Ladies and gentlemen! The seed that was planted by our visionary Shri SK Sharma sir has blossomed into an institution which stands tall today in the National and International arena.
2. I wish to thank our Chief Guest, Mr. Vineet Joshi, for readily accepting our invitation for being with us today.
3. Our onward march and our dreams for the future are largely propelled by our honourable Chairman, Shri Y. P. Purang, for he has taught us to settle for nothing but the best. Thank you sir for always being with us.
4. In the same vein, I also wish to thank our Manager, Mr Manoj Sharma, for he has inspired us to soar even higher on the wings of discovery and reach the zenith of excellence.
5. With a grateful heart I also thank my fond metaphors of positive change, my learned colleagues. Thank you my dear teachers. Your commitment to the school and children is really exemplary.

6. My sincere gratitude to my parents for their constant support and encouragement.

7. I also thank my tiny caterpillars. **Without You**, the entire building of MMS looks dull and void. We miss you dear children and are waiting for the day when the school will reopen and you will fly like butterflies in the corridors of MMS.

8. And last but not the least, Oh God! Today I stand and bow in front of you with all humility to offer my sincere thanks for everything what you have bestowed on us.

My heart swells with joy in this defining moment as I conclude with this motivating thought-

**Life is good here with its twists and turns
As every one of us sometimes learns
And many a failure turns about
When he might have won if he had stuck it out
Don't give up though the pace seems low
You might succeed with another blow.**

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