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Section I : From The School

Perseverance Is The Key

Devansh Vadehra (Academic Prefect), U-VI

Stuck in a dilemma? Scared of judgement? Afraid of taking a wrong decision? Like any of us would, even I approached my friends for some help. It didn't take long before I realised that even if they didn't have a solution for my problem, they never stopped trying. Sometimes, life asks you the most complicated questions which have the simplest of answers. Over thinking creates problems that never even existed and I have witnessed this in the past few days itself. We tend to think of all the possible outcomes of one small decision and in the course forget what we actually desire. There will be millions of distractions trying to deviate you from the right path, it is then that you will realise the importance of what this place teaches you, it is then that you must abide by the 'Never Give In' spirit. When faced with an obstacle, thousands of thoughts will come rushing to your head and one of them will tell you to sit back and relax. But this is not the time to do so. Perseverance is the key. You need to raise the bar. To get something you've never done.

Talking about hard work and perseverance all the time, one must not forget the little joys of life. I believe, it is not just about the destination, it is about the pursuit. All of us have these goals set for ourselves in our minds and the happiness we attain on achieving one of them cannot be described in words. So think for yourself, when you achieve this great goal of yours, will you have a great story to tell? Will you have put a positive impact on a life other than yours? Will you be able to proudly stand up and say, "I did the right thing?" If you haven't given these things a thought yet, it's never too late.

Trust me when I say that making this pursuit a memorable one isn't really a tough job. Be the reason behind somebody's smile and the immense amount of pleasure will keep you up to doing good.

You will meet a lot of people in your life. They will all have a lot to learn from you, and you from them. Offer the world everything you have and what the world has to offer you, might take your breath away. Thank the people who try to pull you down, because this is how you learn to climb up harder. Think at least a dozen times before you say something negative because the tongue is like a sharp knife, it kills without drawing blood.

So to wrap things up, whatever you do in life, give it your one hundred percent, unless of course, you're donating blood!

I Have Wronged Numerous Times

Sukhrit Kaur (Academic Prefect), U-VI

I have given up on more occasions than I can remember and in time, I have come to accept all my flaws and that I think, makes us...us. I wish I could tell you life will be perfect, that tomorrow will be perfect and brighter than today, but that's not true and so I choose not to lie and let you know that tomorrow will be what you make of it.

It's not a just world.

It's far from what it should be.

And all I can and say is that we are here, we play our little parts which may seem insignificant at first but eventually make a bigger picture.

We abhor the idea of being ungrateful, unhelpful, wasteful, selfish, vindictive and hypocritical. But we forget that we are the part of the very things that we complain about.

It's not easy, I know we will not always do what is right. But as long as you know the difference and yearn to be better, it's alright. We are not doomed yet. We are who you want to be so next time you look at the mirror, see who you've made yourself to be.

There is a very thin line between what we want to be true and what really is, between what we wish we could be and what we are and what we have the capability to be.

Manufacturing Robots ?

What is holding our system of education back ?

Srijani Sankar Barik, L-VI

They have taken away our right to imagine the impossible, to fathom this infinite cosmos. They tell us that whatever science has proven exists and there is nothing beyond it. They tell us that we should believe in ourselves, while they have squeezed out every bit of ingenuity from our minds. We have operating systems instead of brains and binary digits running through our veins. They have taken away our right to question, to think, to hallucinate. They have taken away our right to dream. Education is not only devouring textbooks, but moving beyond what is written in monotonous calligraphy and expanding horizons. Education is not about knowing by heart all that is written in textbooks but knowing when and where they can be applied in real life. Education is not rote but rationality. Education is seriously not what our education system makes of it.

Our system of education probably hasn't moved on since the ancient times; it was rote learning then, and so it is now. Our education system creates fear in the minds of the children instead of igniting their interest. All we focus on is passing tests and examinations and not on new ideas and inventions. Tests are taken in such a way that they seem to test us on what we don't know instead of testing us on what we do know. Questions asked in class can be categorised into two; theoretical and thick; and questions that are beyond what can be discussed or what cannot be answered is declared 'un-intelligent'.

If students are tested on what they aren't naturals at, they will automatically be declared nothing more than fools because they are tested on what they aren't meant to do all. Our system of education is fairly eccentric. While we have to know by heart all the applications, theories and formulas, we never get enough exposure to really know the real life applications of what we learn. Practically, there is no point knowing every bit of information and not knowing how to use or execute it. We are scared to death with just the idea of exams and surprise tests are some things that would keep on haunting us for the rest of our lives, till eternity.

Everybody is in a race against themselves. Here, in this system of education, there are three types of students, the 'wanted', the 'mediocre' and the 'virtually deceased' ones. If seen from the teachers' point of view; the 'wanted' students are the ones who nod, finish their math sums the first and never ask any questions beyond what is being taught. The 'mediocre' students are the ones who neither speak nor react to anything at all; they just look blankly into void. The 'virtually deceased' students are the ones who once had that little spark in them that has been permanently extinguished by the utter pessimists who repeatedly tell them that they are lunatics who challenge what already persists in science.

We are humans; it is important for us to evolve and so it is for the Indian system of education. It is time it gets a reality check, or we will be 'manufacturing robots' whose worlds are painted in the monotony of black and white. We have got to start dreaming again.

Brightest yet the Naughtiest

Purva Sikri, U-VI

'They are notorious' she said. 'Absolutely horrible', he said. 'Completely' insane', she murmured. They never do their prep, they always postpone their tests, miss half their class in arguments and are never on time. What a dreadful lot of children. Enter and see the scattered bags, overturned chairs, their tables with unopened books.

Welcome to C section, considered one of the naughtiest classes in school. Now, the beauty of C section is that we are all different. We have the toppers, the house lists, the well behaved, the naughty, the quiet and the extremely talkative. But like a well oiled machine, we somehow work.

This class, the people over the years have come to share such a close relationship with each other through the fantastic experiences. We did it all, we have laughed, we have cried. We have had amazing maths schools and we had fantastic group drills and punishments.

We refused to submit our prep and give our tests. But, sometimes we did our prep because of course there was always someone to copy it from.

We have had the most epic and useless arguments with each other to waste a lot of class time.

The lovely part about creation is that nobody's life is ever private. I have heard all sorts of trouble maker stories. Of course that meant that anybody could voice their opinion on anything and everything.

The food is never a shortage in C section. We have enjoyed the most fantastic chocolates while our teacher is vain tired to teach us something. ANYTHING if it was Maths. One is never bored in C section from reading the grafted tables to listening to the ongoing commentary, our class is truly a circus.

But of course time must go on and we must grow up. Maybe it was the bruised knees from the morning drills or the amazing teachers that strived up to teach a bunch of tools. But I believe that we C sectioners turned out pretty okay. From the basketball players, soccer players and cricketers from prefects, business guides and debaters, C section still has it all. But we are not like the rest, we still have stupid inside jokes from lower 5 we still remember our one of a kind history class from upper V.

We have a class which has grown up together, a class of life long friends who have supported and watched each other soar. Yes this journey is soon going to come to an end. But they say an end is just a new beginning. After December, we may no longer have fantastic English classes and fabulous Parker hall sessions.

We may no longer see each other everyday. But what we can do is hold on to the memories, the laughter, the mindless jokes and the life changing experiences. We can hold on to the strong bond that yields of trouble and drills has created. For this class has a magical spark, which has got us all struck under its magical spell.

Reflections

Danish Dhaul, U-VI

It is said that the only time you should look back is to see how far you have come from. When I do look back to see that place I see the time when I first stepped onto PD pavements, and it seems like it was yesterday. All the things in school used to look so different back then, ofcourse apart from the fact that everything in school looked at least twice the size it is as of now. Seems like yesterday, when PD was our home away from home. It was our first step into boarding life. I guess it was renovation time when we stepped into senior school, because quite a few changes took place in the comfortable house that we were used to living in. We learnt our lessons that day, that no matter how small we wanted our comfort zones to be, our world would eventually have to expand at some stage.

We also learnt that on the road of life, all kinds of obstacles could hit us at any time. No doubt we faced many such merciless obstacles all the time. But we learnt, that no matter how difficult the obstacle, how heavy a burden, how deep an ocean, or how high a mountain, we could seize everything we ever wanted, if we had the motivation and the passion to achieve it.

We learnt, in the due course of time, that passion is born when we catch a glimpse of our potentials. Every once in a while we would catch this glimpse of paradise on the highway to hell. We had strength as our own potential, the strength to go on as friends, because we had faith and trust in one another. We knew that no matter how serious a pep talk or how bad a drill, if more than four friends were present at that moment together, serious trouble was headed our way. Having said that, our friends had our backs, and we had theirs, and that was all that mattered.

The unity we have experienced since lower three, will remain with us for the rest of our lives as well. For eight short years, we have boosted each others strengths and protected each other's short comings, and that is what has kept us going. Every-time you think you "can't go further", or "whenever you feel like quitting" think about why you started. This is when you will realise for sure. What doesn't kill you, makes you stronger!"

What lies behind us and what lies before us are tiny matters when compared to what lies within us. The simplest rule of life is, that if we don't go after what we want, we will never get it. Because what we do is what matters most.

So let's bring the change we have always talked of and not the problems that have sustained for far too long. Let's do the right things we have dreamt of and not the wrongs that we have seen all along. Let's work hard in silence and let our success make the noise.

Let us NOT be the hope that we have been waiting to see, but rather the success that we aim to be. The aim to take Sanawar where it is supposed to be. To its place in the night where stars call. Let's make Sanawar the best school of all.

That Which Will Not Stay

Aadya Gupta, U-VI

The horizon is the Earth's flat line at beholding the sky.

The waves lap against the shore ceaselessly.

Uncaring, in a way as the universe continues its endless march towards oblivion.

And our lives are ground beneath the mill of time.

From the dust we have come, and to dust we shall return.

And there is no way to distinguish between the remains of us, and those of others.

Except the knowing that this dust once had dreams.

And that, I think Makes all the difference.

What If No One Cared

Pihu Pathania, U-VI

Imagine yourself as a person no one knows about, you have no friends. The only person who knows you exist is yourself. Nobody bothers if you go to school, do your homework or even come back home on time. No one has anything to do with you or say about you, good or bad. How would you feel? Would it change anything?

Now a days, most of our existence depends on others. If only you have a number of friends you are considered famous, you have a picture of yourself on facebook with 100+likes you're considered pretty. We constantly need someone to tell us good things about ourself to feel good. We may be intelligent but, if we don't score well in our tests and people tell us that we are not smart enough, we start believing that or unlike some might even take this as a challenge to prove the other one wrong, which should be the case.

Most of us underestimate ourselves as never being good enough for anything or anyone, which should never be the case. We must know our strengths and weaknesses and build upon them. After all it's us who choose what to show to the world the dark or the bright side. Some may believe that they can't control their lives, rather it's just a matter of fate if opportunities come their way. But, the truth is that we are the reason for the way our life is and we have the option of choosing what way we want it to be.

The Lost Summer

Vimanyu Chowdhary, U-VI

One odd day Samir, the son of a merchant sailor, faced a terrible situation whether to leave his war torn country Syria or to stay back and end up getting killed by the ISIS. All he dreamed was to start a fresh life. He was all alone, and all he knew was how to swim. The tough challenge that lay in front of him was how to migrate from his country Syria. Being a Syrian he knew that starting a new life isn't that easy, after series of terrorist activities in the EU, no more of Syrian migrants were welcomed. Almost all the migrant campuses across Europe were burnt down by frustrated people, who thought not a few but all Syrians were terrorists. Poor, broke Samir had no money not even enough to afford a one way ferry, air ticket across the ocean. All he knew was how to swim. One day he came up with an out of the box crazy idea to cross the ocean swimming till the Greek islands. Where he thought he could try start a new life which like Samir, millions of other Syrians imagined. After two months of vigorous training he managed to cross the sea and reached the Greek shores.

There are millions of such Syrians waiting for help. What people should realise is that Syrians are also humans and it is our moral responsibility to help those who are trying to get over a disastrous phase of their lives. Let us all extend our hands for help.

Madness

Atishya Nayak, U-VI

And with the sound of every
clashing window,
She smiled some more.
Her eyes brightened as the
thundering got louder,
The sun shone from among the clouds.
Even though the sky was a chaos.
The wind whistled from among
the mountain ranges.
And crashed against the stone walls.
The flora did their merry dance,
As a paleness took over the world.
A slight drizzle eventually,
Over powered the sunshine,
The world outside her window,
Burst out into a madness.

The rustling leaves gave birth to fascination,
A distant violence was heard.
A layer of dust hung in the air,
Just like the mysterious smile from
her heart.

I Will Stand Apart

Ada Kohli, L-VI

Does anybody even understand?
How neglected she feels.
Everyday she thinks she will do great,
but her scars are yet to heal.

She is the one lost in the crowd,
no matter how much she screams,
nobody looks back at her,
not even in her happiest dreams.

She sits with people
and tries to talk,
but as they see her,
They get up and walk.

She takes a deep breath
and tells herself,
that everything will be fine. Oh, what a pretty
diamond she is,
One day she will surely shine.

She does not need to run around,
Or worry if she would fit,
because those who follow
the crowd, usually get lost in it.

India Where We Live

Sakshi Godhwani, U-IV

The flag swaying in the wind,
adults saluting and so are the kids.

The jets flying with the national colours,
Thinking the flag pole is taller.
We remember those great souls,
Remembering how brave they were; and, just not
fools.

The flag swaying in the wind,
adults saluting and so are the kids.

We learn something
We loose something to earn something.
To become something, we try and fight, 'and
Never Give In' and fight with might.

Getting a holiday is fun,
But we have forgotten to run,
To run for the rights of ours,
And to run for the might of ours.

We had almost perished,
But those who made us perish;
They had just relished.

Indians are visionaries,
And we have visions to accomplish and achieve,
So, that we are appreciated and appalled.

English Essay Writing Competition

An Inter-Section English Essay Writing Competition for L IV & U IV was held on 9th April, 2016.

The topics for L IV were : Being Too Dependent on Computers, Protection of Endangered Species and Newspaper Reading as a Habit.

The topics for U IV were : Fashion is Important, Destruction of Forests is Inevitable and Real Learning Takes Place Through Learning.

The result is as follows:

L-IV	
First	Noopur Sharma
Second	Harshang Singh
Third	Ishika Sen
U-IV	
First	Adriti Mehta
Second	Seerat Sandhu
Third	Vivaan P. Singh

The best essays of both classes are as follows:-

Protection of Endangered Species

(Noopur Sharma- L IV B)

Since life began on earth, species have existed and naturally have become extinct. Some people call it the survival of the fittest or 'natural selection'. Humans are the 'ruling species because we learnt to adapt. But other species also contribute something and we might not notice but if they disappear, we will surely see the change.

I have mostly read and seen that endangering of animals is due to one major factor, humans.

Think of an ecosystem like a jigsaw puzzle. The puzzle pieces are humans and animals. Humans and animals are joined together, depend on each other and then only they make they meaningful picture. The humans carelessly misplace these pieces and one day they are sure'y going to misplace such an important part that they will mess up the whole environment, sending the entire tower of human race tumbling down. Humans really are responsible for endangering and extinction of animals. They clear the forests for construction of houses which is many times unnecessary. They very cruelly destroy animals' habitats and poach them for their valuable hide and teeth.

They are even responsible for pollution of air, land and water which kills many animals. Government has banned poaching but it doesn't really work. Poaching, capturing, training of animals in circuses etc. is still going on behind the scenes.

We, really can save animals. For this, we have to be aware of the things we buy and think where they come from. The leather jackets, fur coats and snake-skin jerseys which seem perfect for a party, are actually one major reason for endangering of animals. We also need to make others aware about how big this issue is. Once we do this, we can help conserve animals before it is too late for them.

Now, ask yourself whether you are really going to help in this or not. And take a pledge from now that you will help in conserving these precious species.

Fashion is Important

Adriti Mehta, U-IV

Something or the other defines a person. Something that they love; something that they do or in many cases, how they present themselves physically. Everybody has a way of dressing up, a different body language which is commonly referred to, as their own style.

Your style is your very own, nobody can take it away from you. Your style is your fashion. It can change or can be altered over time but everyone has some sense of fashion in them. It is very important to have a sense of fashion, as we have to know what to wear at what time or wear what we look good in. After all, nobody likes to look bad or embarrass oneself by not dressing up appropriately.

Fashion is very important as it exhibits the individuality and uniqueness of a person. Sometimes, some pieces of clothing are said to be "in fashion". This simply means that that item is a part of the current fashion, that is going around in the world or it can even be in smaller region. For example, nowadays, you will hear and may be see people wear ripped or faded jeans, this is because, all over the world, people accept to wear these kind of jeans.

Fashion also brings out the creativity in a person. Fashion designers open their minds and imagine that how people would accept their pieces of clothing. This only boosts up their creativity and imagination. People also become more confident after wearing something comfortable or something that they like. We should never discriminate anybody on the basis of what they wear. It is the person's sense about what they wear or what they like and when we discriminate anybody on what they wear, it breaks their confidence apart.

So fashion is very important in our lives and we should be proud of what we wear and not hide in the shadows. "Fashion is a part of you, and nobody can ever take it away".

This Girl is Unique

Lashita Sethi, L-V

I want to be a pilot,
I want to be in the army,
I want to be someone whom I just can't be,
So I gave up on my dream.

I tried very hard,
To jump up all the bars,
To act like a boy,
And not to play with a toy.

Since I was a kid,
What my heart said, was what I did.
And today when I want to be me,
The comments are: Go hang from the tree.

So I went to my dad,
To discover what I had.
He said, 'Child, do what you feel',
It's your life, you are free.

Today I stand at a place where everyone wants to be.

All I did was just being me

And I did so because papa said, 'Lashita, you are unique'.

A Trip To Rajasthan During Winter Vacations

Aadil Sharda, U-III

On Tuesday the 10th of December was the last exam of maths and I completed my exam at a rushing speed. After that I went to the dormitory and then I said bye to all my friends. In January, we planned a trip to Rajasthan. Our first destination was Jodhpur, 'The Sun City' or 'The Blue City of India'. There we saw Mehrangarh Fort. It was huge and magnificent. Then we went to see the 'Umedh Palace'. From Jodhpur we went to Jaisalmer, 'The Golden City' as it is known. Its buildings are made up of yellow stone. Then we went to Sam where we saw Sunset in sand dunes and enjoyed the camel ride. After Jaisalmer we headed for Pushkar where we paid obeisance at the only temple of 'Brahma' in the world. Rajasthan is really a state with rich heritage and vibrant culture. I was amazed to see people wearing colourful clothes even under the hot sun. Food was good and delicious. I tasted 'Bajra Roti' and 'Dal Bati Choorma'. I was surprised to see Rajasthan, as it is not all that dry and arid, as I used to think. I also saw a lot of camels, black bucks, blue bulls and peacocks while travelling in Rajasthan. Next, I would like to visit Jaipur, Udaipur and Chhitorgarh. With these sweet memories of my trip, we came back to our home.

MUNs—2016

Chaitali Verma, L-VI

MCGSMUN

The fifth MCGSMUN Conference was held at Mayo College Girls School, Ajmer from 14th to 17th April, 2016. Nine of our students participated out of which, Jaiveer Singh got a verbal mention in Intelligence Agencies Meet Committee and Chaitali Verma got a verbal mention in General Assembly Social and Humanitarian Council.

SNAMUN

The first ever SNAMUN Club conference was held on 7th May, 2016. Twenty five students participated as delegates of twenty five different countries. The conference was headed by Jaiveer Singh as the Chairperson and Ruchi Sharma as the Director General.

The results are as follow :

Best Delegate : Tushar Nandy
Honourable Mention : Yudeep Gaekwad
Special Mention : Aanandita Maini
Verbal Mention : Rivaan Singh and Vedant Mehra

PD Sculpture Making Competition

Sculpture Students, L-III and U-III

On 27th May we had a Sculpture making competition during our hobbies session. We all were excited for it since morning. The moment came when the sessions started in the evening and all ran for it. As we entered we found that the class arrangement was different and our teacher was waiting to give us the topics. The topics were Birds in a nest, a vegetable basket and a fruit basket. The topics were very nice as we just had to imagine the things we see in our day to day life. So excitedly we started the work. Some were making fruits and were acting as they will eat them up, some were making vegetables and some said we will make fluttering birds. So, all got engaged in making them and kept showing it to the teacher and also to the friends. As the competition was coming towards the end all started discussing who has done better and who deserves the prize. But more than that everyone was happy to create the pieces within two hours. Participating in a competition is always a joyful experience.

The result is as follows :—

L-3

Position	Name	Class
First	Sohana Jishtu	L-3 C
Second	Stuti Kapoor	L-3 A
Third	Ananya Goyal	L-3 A
Consolation	Nyah Malik	L-3 B

U-3

First	Nishant Pajni	U-3 B
Second	Darren Galstaun	U-3 C
Third	Chitesha Rewri	U-3 B
Consolation	Harfeta Thind	U-3 A
	Viyom Dhawan	U-3 A

Inter-House Business Quiz-2016

Devansh Vadehra & Dhruv Guleria, U-VI

The Inter-House Business Quiz, one of the anticipated events discernible in the School Calendar was held on May 22, 2016. The quiz organised by Faculty of Commerce is aimed at creating awareness and generating interest among more and more students about business and economic events at Global & Indian level, which would help our students to be future business honchos, CEOs of top companies, thought leaders and policy makers of tomorrow. One has rightly said that 'Managers are not born, they are made' and this quiz along with the Kirloskar Inter-School Business Quiz to

follow in the Founder's Term are two small yet significant steps in this direction. The house teams were selected on the basis of screening test in which overwhelming 131 aspirants participated, four of the very best from each house making it to the stage round. What augurs well for the coming years is the fact that this year students as young as lower and upper fivers made it to their house teams which is unprecedented. The young guns of Sanwar locked horns with the sharpest minds on stage for top honours.

The quizmaster was Mr. Gaurav Sood, who conducted the quiz with great aplomb. The quiz was spread over nine mind boggling and brain teasing rounds and covered wide ranging topics from Global and Indian Business and Economy. Latest in the world of business, plagiarism in Bollywood music, connect questions, logos, ad jingles, brand ambassadors, who's who of business, you name it and the quiz had it all. The first few rounds saw an intense and neck-to-neck competition with answers streaming in from all corners. However the fourth round "Aish Ya Crash" turned out to be the most exciting round and game changer as Nilgarians with "fastest fingers first" triggered the buzzer to their advantage, earned a whopping 100 points in this round itself and surged ahead of the rest of the pack. Vindhya and Himalayans fought valiantly in the second half but Nilgarians held on to their slender lead and nerves and emerged victorious in the end. The audience too, had their share of fun as the quizmaster hurled some interesting questions and kept them enthralled.

Final Positions:

First	Nilagiri	House	190 Points
Second	Vindhya	House	180 Points
Third	Himalaya	House	160 Points
Fourth	Siwalik	House	55 Points

Section II : From The Staff

!! Achievers !!

Dr. V.K. Sharma, DoF

Students who scored 90% or above marks in the Half Yearly/SA-I Exams of 2016.

S. No.	Name	House	%
L-III-A			
1.	Kritish Goel	VPB	95.00
2.	Prisha Gera	SPG	90.00
3.	Shaurya Jindal	NPB	90.00
4.	Stuti Kapoor	NPG	94.00
5.	Sukriti Dehloo	HPG	91.00
6.	Ujjwal Kotwal	NPB	93.00
7.	Veer Devgan	HPB	93.00
L-III-B			
8.	Abhimanyu Lohan	SPB	92.00
9.	Anvi Chopra	VPG	96.00
10.	Aroshi Bhatia	HPG	91.00
11.	Dhruv Sood	VPB	92.00
12.	Hriday Jain	SPB	95.00
13.	Hunar Soni	HPB	92.00
14.	Jaibhav Chopra	HPB	94.00
15.	Jayant Sharma	SPB	96.00
16.	Pranav Kapur	HPB	90.00
17.	Sukhmebar Singh Jakhar	NPB	95.00
18.	Utkarsh Verma	SPB	91.00
19.	Vaniya Boora	HPG	91.00
L-III-C			
20.	Jaimukund Bhan	HPB	91.00
21.	Kashvi Sareen	HPG	91.00
22.	Shaurya Khanna	SPB	96.00
U-III-A			
1.	Krish Mahajan	NPB	90.00
2.	Ojas Girdhar	VPB	91.00
3.	Sehar Kaur Sandhu	SPG	94.00
4.	Tanvi Sood	VPG	90.00
5.	Viyom Dhawan	VPB	90.00
6.	Yuvraj Dhamija	HPB	93.00
U-III-B			
7.	Chitesha Rewri	HPG	90.00
8.	Mokshi Sharma	NPG	90.00
9.	Nishant Pajni	VPB	95.00
10.	Roshan Raj	NPB	93.00
11.	Ustat Kaur Jatana	VPG	91.00
L-IV-A			
1.	Harshangad Singh	HHB	97.00
2.	Puru Manjrey	VHB	92.00
3.	Shravan Bhatia	HHB	93.00
4.	Simar Singh Gabadia	NHB	93.00
L-IV-B			
5.	Bhakte	VHG	92.00
6.	Himanshu Sabharwal	SHB	93.00
7.	Karmanbir Singh Batth	VHB	95.00
8.	Noopur Sharma	HHG	100.00
9.	Sambhv Tahlani	VHB	90.00
L-IV-C			
10.	Anannya Julka	NHG	93.00
11.	Pavya Singh	HHG	97.00
12.	Rubani Khanna	VHG	92.00
13.	Yuvam Soni	HHB	91.00
L-IV-D			
14.	Abhishek A. Kumar	VHB	92.00
15.	Gurman Singh Balla	SHB	90.00
16.	Ishika Sen	VHG	95.00
17.	Kahkashan Sehgal	NHG	96.00
18.	Sahil Garg	HHB	92.00
19.	Shloka Mittal	VHB	90.00
20.	Shreyas Arora	VHB	91.00

U-IV—A			
1. Avanti Aggarwal	NHG	97'00	
2. Iqbal Jacob Oberoi	VBJ	90'00	
3. Pavit Sidhu	SHG	91'00	
4. Priyam Gupta	VBJ	94'00	
5. Sanaabi Thingbaijam	VHG	97'00	
6. Satvik Narula	NBJ	95'00	
7. Tarika Khanna	VHG	92'00	
U-IV—B			
8. Abhijit A. Kumar	VBJ	96'00	
9. Adriti Mehta	NHG	93'00	
10. Amshul Bhatia	NBJ	95'00	
11. Aryan Gupta	NBJ	93'00	
12. Sakshi Godhwani	NHG	92'00	
13. Siddharth Aggarwal	HBJ	93'00	
14. Veni Gupta	VHG	93'00	
U-IV—C			
15. Adrika Sood	VHG	90'00	
16. Aryaman Singh Kohli	NBJ	90'00	
17. Gursimran Singh Walia	NBJ	94'00	
18. Navya Monga	VHG	91'00	
19. Raghav Gupta	NBJ	96'00	
20. Rohan Khanna	SBJ	90'00	
21. Saina Sodhi	VHG	95'00	
22. Samira Punchhi	HHG	90'00	
23. Yakshita Bansal	SHG	97'00	
U-IV—D			
24. Ananya Kohli	HHG	95'00	
25. Anushreya Singh Verma	SHG	95'00	
26. Narrun Sood	NBJ	93'00	
27. Seerat Sandhu	NHG	97'00	
28. Utkarsh Singh	NBJ	92'00	
L-V—A			
1. Nitya Khanna	VGD	93'00	
2. Prierna Madaan	HGD	90'00	
L-V—B			
3. Akshita Kaushik	VGD	92'00	
4. Jaiveer Singh	HBJ	95'00	
L-V—C			
5. Anshruta Thakur	NGD	97'00	
6. Suryaveer Singh Kadyan	SBJ	97'00	
7. Tushar Garg	VBJ	93'00	
L-V—D			
8. Ananya Mukherjee	SGD	94'00	
9. Gopal Agarwala	NBJ	93'00	
10. Mahika Dhankhar	SGD	91'00	
11. Yuvraj Singh Nughaal	VBJ	91'00	

U-V—A			
1. Divyanshi Vasisht	NGD	90'00	
2. Madhav Chawla	SBS	91'00	
3. Tushar Nandy	HBS	97'00	
4. Vrinda Aggarwal	SGD	91'00	
U-V—B			
5. Udayvir Singh Grewal	VBS	90'00	
U-V—C			
6. Parth Pant	HBS	93'00	
7. Sarthak Gupta	VBS	92'00	
U-V—D			
8. Diya Modi	HGD	90'00	
9. Vivek Saraswat	SBS	92'00	
L-VI—A			
1. Mannat Chauhan	NGD	91'00	
L-VI—C			
2. Sabhya Verma	SBS	93'00	

Section III : SPORTS NEWS

Inter-House Soccer Tournament—2016

PD Result (Combined Result PDB L-3, PDB U-3 and PD Girls)

Position	House	Points
Fourth	Siwalik	08
Third	Nilagiri	11
Second	Vindhya	12
First	Himalaya	20

GD Result (Combined Result of GD Jr. & GD Sr.)

Position	House	Points
Fourth	Vindhya	00
Third	Himalaya	09
Second	Nilagiri	09
First	Siwalik	09

BD Result (Combined Result of Atoms, Colts & 1st XI)

Position	House	Points
Fourth	Vindhya	03
Third	Siwalik	11
Second	Nilagiri	16
First	Himalaya	22

**Festival Cricket T-20 Matches-2016
between Boys XI, OS XI and Viceroy's
XI held on 28th & 29th May**

**a. 1st match held on 28th May between Boys
XI vs Viceroy's XI**

- Boys XI scored 127 runs in 20 overs
- Viceroy's XI scored 124 runs in 20 overs
- Boys XI won the match by 03 runs.
- Man of the match—Rushil Negi (49 runs* & 2 wkts)

**b. 2nd match held on 29th May between OS
XI vs Viceroy's XI**

- Viceroy's XI scored 170 runs in 20 overs
- OS XI scored 144 runs in 20 overs
- Viceroy's XI won the match by 26 runs.
- Man of the match—Tommy (82 runs)*

**c. 3rd match held on 29th May between Boys
XI vs OS XI**

- OS XI scored 169 runs in 20 overs
- Boys XI scored 146 runs in 20 overs
- OS XI won the match by 23 runs.
- Man of the match—Rushil Negi (69 runs & 3 wkts)

- d. Over All Result: All 03 teams won 01 match each

Section IV : O. S. News

Obituary

Mr. Karamjit Singh Kamboj was in Sanawar from 1949 to 1954 and left after passing his senior Cambridge Examination. Unfortunately, Karamjit had Hepatitis-B for the past six years which was under control. But suddenly his BP went very high and he had brain haemorrhage and he passed away on March 21, 2016. He is survived by his wife Charanjit Kaur, his son Brig. Rupinder Singh and two daughters Monika and Prinder. May God give the family strength to bear this great loss. May his soul rest in peace.

Obituary

Brig. (R) Vijay Sukhdial (Nilagiri-1966), left for his heavenly abode on June 01, 2016. Our heartfelt condolences to the family. May his soul rest in peace.

हिन्दो खण्ड

अन्तर्सदन बरिष्ठ हिन्दो वाद-विवाद प्रतियोगिता

तिथि 12-5-16

नाम—तुषार नंदी

स्थान—प्रथम

कक्षा—दसवीं ए

कश्मीर पर भारत को नोति सही है

धन्यवाद दिखिज। आपने बिल्कुल ठीक कहा कि कश्मीर के मामले में पाकिस्तान कभी भी एक और युद्ध नहीं चाहेगा।

अंतर्राष्ट्रीय दबाव और भारत की नीतियाँ उसे इस मुद्दे पर शांत रखने का कार्य कर रही हैं। अमेरिका की तरफ से परफोरमेंस प्लेन तैयार किया गया है, जिसके अंतर्गत पाकिस्तान कश्मीर में अलगाववादियों को समर्थन नहीं देगा, उपवादियों को प्रशिक्षण नहीं देगा और आतंकीयों को भारत में घुसपैठ नहीं कराएगा। मैं मानता हूँ कि कश्मीर में घना-घना भारत विरोधी प्रदर्शन होते रहते हैं। पाकिस्तानी झड़्डे भी सहगए जाते हैं। लेकिन ये घटनाएँ ऊँट के मुँह में जीरे के समान हैं। जम्मू और कश्मीर में लोगों द्वारा चुनी गई लोकतांत्रिक सरकार है। अनमेल विचारों के दो दलों को साथ लाकर एक सरकार बनाना भी भारत की ही नीति है। मैं तो यह मानता हूँ कि पाकिस्तान जैसे गरीब देश के लिए कश्मीर पर युद्ध करना आत्म-हत्या के समान है और भारत, विकास के पथ पर बढ़ता भारत, प्रगति के रथ पर बैठता भारत, युद्ध में पड़कर अपनी स्थिति ख़ाबादोल नहीं करेगा। इसलिए यह आज की आवश्यकता है कि अपनी अर्थव्यवस्था को बनाए रखने के लिए और गरीबी से सवा-सदा के लिए छुटकारा पाने के लिए भारत को कश्मीर पर यही नीति रखनी चाहिए। आक्रामक या अत्यधिक आक्रामक होकर हम कश्मीर में आग लगाने का काम नहीं कर सकते। इसलिए मेरी यह सोच है कि हमें 'प्रतीक्षा करो और देखो' की नीति पर अडिग रहना चाहिए पर इसके साथ-साथ ध्यान रखना चाहिए कि कश्मीर से सेना न हटाई जाए, कानून व्यवस्था को सुदृढ़ किया जाए, सीमा पर नाके-बंदी को जाए, उपवादियों पर गिद्धदृष्टि रखी जाए और राष्ट्र-हित के लिए कुछ सौ उपवादियों का वध भी किया जाए तो दिक्कियाना नहीं चाहिए। हमें कभी भी, किसी भी कीमत पर अपनी साम-दाम-दण्ड-भेद की नीति नहीं छोड़नी चाहिए। अब मैं अपने विपक्षी साथियों से एक प्रश्न पूछना चाहूँगा कि 'पाक-अधिकृत कश्मीर में 1947 से अब तक पाकिस्तान का ही कब्जा रहा। चार युद्धों के बाद भी न हम वहाँ क्षेत्र ले पाए और न कभी पाकिस्तान ही कश्मीर ले पाया। जब अरबों-खरबों रुपए दौंच पर लगाकर वीर सैनिकों को जान गँवाकर भी हम 1947 की स्थिति को नहीं बवल पाए तो वर्तमान नीति को छोड़कर हमारे पास विकल्प ही क्या हैं? मैं अपने विपक्षी साथियों से निवेदन करता हूँ कि वे समय-समय को इन 'विकल्पों' के बारे में बताएँ।

॥ बहुत-बहुत धन्यवाद ॥

जय हिंद !!

अन्तर्सदन बरिष्ठ हिन्दो वाद-विवाद प्रतियोगिता

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मित्रता

‘धन जाते हैं मित्र और धर जब धर पास होता है,
टूट जाता है गरीबी में मित्रता का रिश्ता,
जो खास होता है।’

मित्रता का बहुत महत्व होता है। मित्रता एक बहुत बड़ा सहारा है। मित्रता एक ऐसा बंधन है जिसे कोई नहीं तोड़ सकता। यदि आपको अपने प्रिय मित्र के ऊपर भरोसा है, तब ही हम एक सच्चे मित्र बन सकते हैं। मेरी सहेली का नाम सीता है। वह पढ़ाई में बहुत अच्छी है। उसे खेलना, पढ़ना और बातें करना बहुत अच्छा लगता है। सनी उसे बहुत प्यार करते हैं। मैं वह दिन कभी नहीं भूल सकती, जब मुझे बहुत ज्वर हो गया था। मैं स्कूल भी नहीं आ सकी। उस दिन सीता बहुत घबरा गई, जब उसे पता चला कि मुझे ज्वर है और घर पर कोई नहीं है। तब उसने मेरा बहुत ध्यान रखा, उसने मुझे टमाटर का सूप पिलाया और मेरे सिर पर ठण्डे पानी को पट्टियाँ रकीं। यह सब देखकर मैं बहुत खुश हुई। तब मैंने सोचा कि इसे कहते हैं—मित्रता। जो हमारे बचट समझ सकती

है, वही सचची मित्र है। मित्रता उसे कहते हैं जब आपका मित्र आपके पास धन के कारण नहीं बल्कि आपको बचरत तथा सहयोग के कारण रहे। तभी कहते हैं—

मित्रता वो नहीं होती, जिसे विश्वास है।

बल्कि वो होती है, जिसे निमाते हैं ॥

समाईरा

कक्षा-पाँचवीं ए

प्रार्थना सभा में विचार

दिनांक 3-6-2016

प्रार्थना :

हे ईश्वर ! हम सभी विद्यार्थियों को समय पर कार्य करने की क्षमता प्रदान कीजिए। हम सब आपस में एक दुसरे का सहारा बनें तथा किसी का अहित न करें। ऐसी बुद्धि, विद्या का हमारे मन-मस्तिष्क में संचार कीजिए।

समय का सदुपयोग

अपने समय का सदुपयोग किए बिना कोई भी व्यक्ति महान नहीं बन सकता। दुनिया के महापुरुष समय की कीमत जानते थे, इसलिए वे महान बन सके।

प्रिय साथियो ! वास्तव में समय अनमोल है। संसार में कोई भी वस्तु मिल सकती है, किंतु जोया या बीता हुआ समय जीवन में फिर हाथ नहीं आता। प्रिय बहनो, भाइयो ! समय के सदुपयोग पर ही हमारे जीवन की सफलता निर्भर करती है। समय का जिसने सदुपयोग कर लिया, उसने अपने जीवन को बहुमूल्य बना लिया।

कुछ दिनों के निरन्तर अभ्यास से हमें समय का उचित उपयोग करने की आदत पड़ जाएगी और हमें जीवन को सफल बनाने वाली कुंजी हाथ लग जाएगी। समय का विभाजन कर हम अध्ययन, व्यायाम, समाज-सेवा, गृहकार्य, परीक्षा की तैयारी मनोरंजन आदि अनेक कार्य सफलतापूर्वक कर सकते हैं। इससे न तो हमें कोई काम बोझ मानूँ होगा और न परीक्षा का भार सताएगा। जीवन आनंदमय और सुखाद्य रूप से चलता रहेगा। आइए आज हम सब प्रण करें कि जीवन में समय का सदुपयोग करते हुए जीवन को सार्थक व कामयाब बनाएं।

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