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SUPERANNUATION OF MS MALINI KHATRI



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Ms Khatri was instrumental in designing and conducting leadership camps in the School and looked after the School publications. She received Fulbright Scholarship in 2008-09 and served as Headmistress of Secondary School from 2011 to 2020. Ms Malini Khatri, retired on 31<sup>st</sup> March 2020 after putting in 38 years of glorious service at Modern School Barakhamba Road. She joined the Department of English in 1982. She took various responsibilities as incharge of Wall Magazine, Gardening and IAYP.



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THE PRINCIPAL DR VIJAY DATTA PRESENTING THE MEMENTO TO MR ROY

Mr S Roy, retired from Department of Mathematics on 31<sup>st</sup> March 2020 after nearly two decades of service. During his career as an inspiring mathematics teacher, teaching senior classes, he also shouldered various responsibilities like Class teacher and Housemaster with zeal.

# **PREPRATION OF ANNUAL RESULT AMIDST CORONASCARE**

Every year after the final exams are over, the students eagerly await the day when they will be shown the answer sheets so that they can verify the answers and check the total calculation of marks, but this year was different.

Due to rapidly spreading Covid19, the schools were closed and the students could not come to School.

This responsibility was then taken up by the teachers themselves to ensure that all the questions were correctly marked and there was no scope for any discrepancy or ambiguity.

On 16th March 2020, the teachers of various departments cross checked the answer sheets amidst themselves to ensure that each and every question was marked and there were no totalling errors. Subsequently the marks were fed into to the School software to prepare the annual results.

This exercise enabled the results to be declared on time and the next session for the new academic calendar also started as per the already prepared schedule.



# **ACADEMIC HONOUR FOR MODERN SCHOOL**

In academics, the School received heartening news of the achievement of one of our students in the event that took place just before the School closed on account of Covid 19. Parnika Bhardwaj (S5 D) secured All India Rank 11 and within Delhi, stood at the 4th Position at Aarohan 2019-20. Organised by BITS Pilani, Aarohan 2019-20 is a pan India School level Examination for students of Classes 9 to 12 (Science and Mathematics) hosted by APOGEE, the Annual International Technical Festival of BITS Pilani.

#### **CREATIVITY BY THE STUDENTS DURING THE LOCKDOWN PERIOD**

The following two poems are the Poetic Outpourings from young minds at Modern School.

# **CORONA VIRUS OUTBREAK**

Corona Virus has shoven the world like a scar, But let's hope that the success is not so far. Our hearts tremble at the sight, When we look at people's plight. People are dying everywhere, Although it doesn't seem fair. We should pray day and night, If we want to win this fight. Since long, humans have given nature immense pain, Now it's time for the mother nature to rebuild and regain. Nature has taken steps to take some rest, It's trying to heal itself to its best. But oh God! What about us? We know you have forgiven enough of fuss. Isn't it enough to teach us a lesson? We have learnt to care for our blessings. Corona! Is not a devil to deal for sure. If our prayers for you are pure. Oh Almighty! You are the ultimate power, Please sanitize and clean the world with your love and shower. Perhaps the God is saying, "have no fear", The end of the devil is close and near. Don't bother, I will wipe out each and every tear, Because you my child to me are very dear.

Aarav Budhiraja S2G



# **IS CORONA A TWEET FROM GOD?**

Corona entered and caused a rampage, To the whole world it caused much damage, But it helped somehow ,even in this rage, By freeing mother nature from cruel mankind's cage. People thought it was a bio-weapon, But it reduced the gap between father and son. Among people, unity has increased not the sound of guns, Being generous even though being in isolation. To overcome boredom, developing the skills we've got, Learning the games our parents were once taught, Creating crafts and thinking of innovations about which, We had never thought. Seeing the environment free from bounds, And waking up with the birds' sounds, All the miracles of nature I have found, For which otherwise I would have travelled the world around Is corona a bio weapon, Or is it a tweet from God? Whatever it is, though it has caused destruction, It has also helped a lot.

### Abhyuday Mangla S3 A

#### PAINTINGS BY TVISHA GUPTA S1 E



During the period when the students were confined to the safe environment of their homes, Tvisha Gupta (S1E) beautifully expressed her emotions on the canvas highlighting Nature in its various moods.