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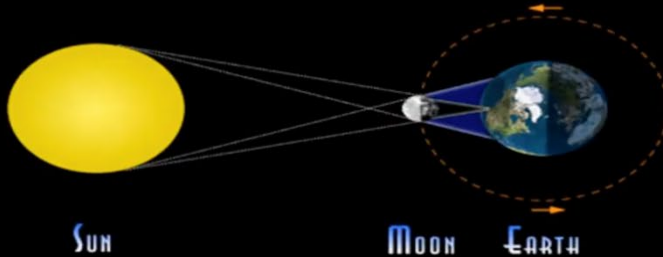
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SOLAR ECLIPSE



- A **solar eclipse** occurs when a portion of the Earth is engulfed in a shadow cast by the Moon which fully or partially blocks sunlight.
- This occurs when the Sun, Moon and Earth are aligned.

SOLAR ECLIPSE GEOMETRY



WHAT'S NEW AT MODERN

RING OF FIRE- ANNULAR SOLAR ECLIPSE

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On 21st June 2020, the entire world experienced a wonderful Astronomical event - an Annular Solar Eclipse. In spite of the ongoing COVID-19 pandemic, affecting the entire world the students of Modern School were able to participate in the "VIRTUAL ECLIPSE CHASE". The Astronomy Club with the support of SPACE India ensured that all club members experience this phenomenal celestial event. Since the moon was at the furthest distance from earth, it covered only the central part of the sun and the edges of the sun were seen as a

ring around it. This eclipse is known as Ring of Fire Eclipse. The eclipse was beautifully visible from New Delhi for a duration of 3 hours 28 minutes. The students were advised not to see the eclipse with naked eyes and use safety solar glasses or see the reflection of the eclipse in a bucket of water.

ECONOMIC WEBINAR

In view of the COVID-19 pandemic, CBSE (Training Unit) and ‘Delhi Teachers’ Forum’ has come out with Online Training sessions for teachers of schools affiliated to CBSE. Ms Sunila Kalra, teacher from Modern School was the Resource Person for conducting the sessions for Economics Teachers. The session was conducted on 16th and 23rd June 2020 for Economics Teachers of CBSE affiliated schools outside India. The one-hour session on online platform of ‘Google Meet’ was conducted on the topic “Assessment in Economics”.

HOME SCIENCE WORKSHOP OF BLOCK PRINTING

Modern School students, participated in the workshop of Block Printing organized by ITM Institute of Design and Media on June 6th 2020. The students were asked to send the entries of their work done during the workshop for competition on June 20th 2020. Thirty three schools participated in the event. Viraj Jain(S7J) was awarded the first prize . He used ‘potato’ and a ‘leaf’ as blocks for his work. One of the fabric was first dyed with *haldi* and then printed.



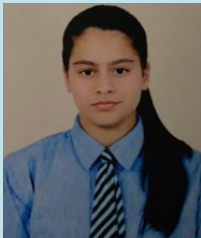
Viraj Jain(S7J) Block printing work and certificate

VORTEX 2020

On 22nd and 23rd June 2020 four students of Modern School Barakhambha Road Shiv Jhalani(S7D), Kanav Jain(S7D), Rijul Ganju(S7E), Sharanya Gupta(S7C), and Rahul Pandey(S6J) participated in the online Vortex Competition organized by the Delhi Public School, Rohini. Approximately 60 schools participated in the competition which comprised of four different events. Students won the Second prize in the quiz, Second prize in crossword. Modern School team was declared the overall Second Runner Up at the event.

International Award For Young People (IAYP) Webinar on the event of 'Each One Teach One'

IAYP students participated in a social work programme called 'Each One Teach One'. Due to the ongoing pandemic of Covid-19 the students have to maintain social distancing therefore they attended webinars. To bring everyone on the same page, and to work together for the same goal, a short zoom session was held at 9 pm on June 23rd 2020. This was organized by Flt Lt Sunita Dixit, teacher in-charge of the IAYP and 72 student volunteers participated in the programme. Some of our students expressed their experiences of this project during the session. Here are some of the shared experiences by the students :



I understood how much self satisfaction a person can get from sharing their knowledge with others. This programme will always stay as a golden memory in my album of life, and I will forever cherish each and every moment I experienced in it.
- Zaara Adlakha(S5E)

I am grateful to Modern School for giving me this platform to help the society. I shared one of my experience with my buddy Simon. I spoke about how we both aspire to be a lawyer in the future and how anyone's background doesn't affect their choices. Such an opportunity is truly a blessing.



- Nikeeta Singh(S5B)



IAYP has given me a chance to serve the community in a unique manner. I would like to thank Sewa Bharati and Sunita Dixit ma'am for this wonderful experience.
- Raghav Jindal (S5B)



I thank IAYP for giving me an amazing opportunity to serve the society. In my small initiative I got connected with Durga a girl from Basti, whom I helped in academics and also exchanged our interests in Dance/Music.

- Parnika Bharadwaj (S5D)

WEBINARS ORGANISED BY CBSE COE DELHI WEST CAPACITY BUILDING PROGRAM

Modern School teachers attended many workshops organized by the CBSE

1. $\leq \rho \textcircled{C} \sum \acute{u} \pm \rho \hat{a} \prod \sum \text{E} \sum \neq \rho z \infty \rho \sqrt{\#} \square \zeta \rho$ webinar on June 25th 2020 between 3-4 pm. This Webinar was conducted by Dr Shiksha.
2. Interdisciplinary Project Approach webinar on June 25th 2020 between 5 to 6 pm. Ms Suparna Sinha, Principal, Mount Litera Zee School, Kanpur was the resource person for the session.

3. Happy Classrooms - Story Telling As A Pedagogy webinar was conducted on June 25th, 2020 between 3-4 pm on the Google meet. The resource person for this meet was Ms Mamta Sharma.

4. Know Your Classroom Management Style webinar was conducted on June 25th 2020 between 5 to 6 pm. Mr R K Srivastava was the resource person for this session.

5. Twenty-first Century Skills webinar was conducted on June 26th 2020 between 5 to 6 pm. Ms Jyoti Arora principal mount Abu school was the resource person for this session.

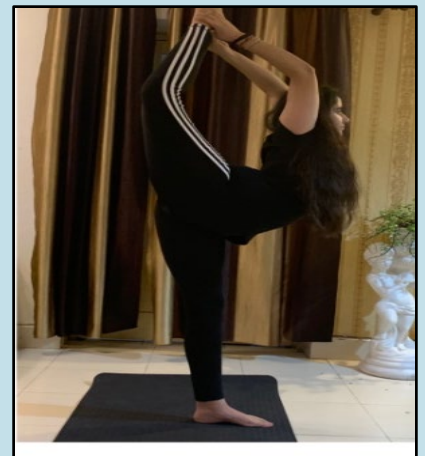
6 . Managing Virtual Classes webinar was conducted on June 26th, 2020 between 2.45-3.45pm. The Speaker was Dr Dheeraj Mehrotra.

Round Square Conference-online International Yoga Day



Students performing during the Yoga Day

Three students of Modern School, Varnika Gakhar (S5H), Ryma Bhalla(S5C), and Akshara Dhiman(S3F) participated in the BPS Bliss Yoga event, held on the International Yoga Day on June 21st 2020 from 6.30 pm to 8.00pm on Microsoft Teams platform. Overall 37 schools participated from all over the world in the event. There were five Yoga experts teaching students the perfect way of practicing different *Asanas*. It was a great learning experience of performing twenty five different *Asanas*. Schools like Aubrick Multicultural Bilingual School, Brazil and Godspell College, Argentina along with Modern School Barakhambha Road also participated in this event.



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