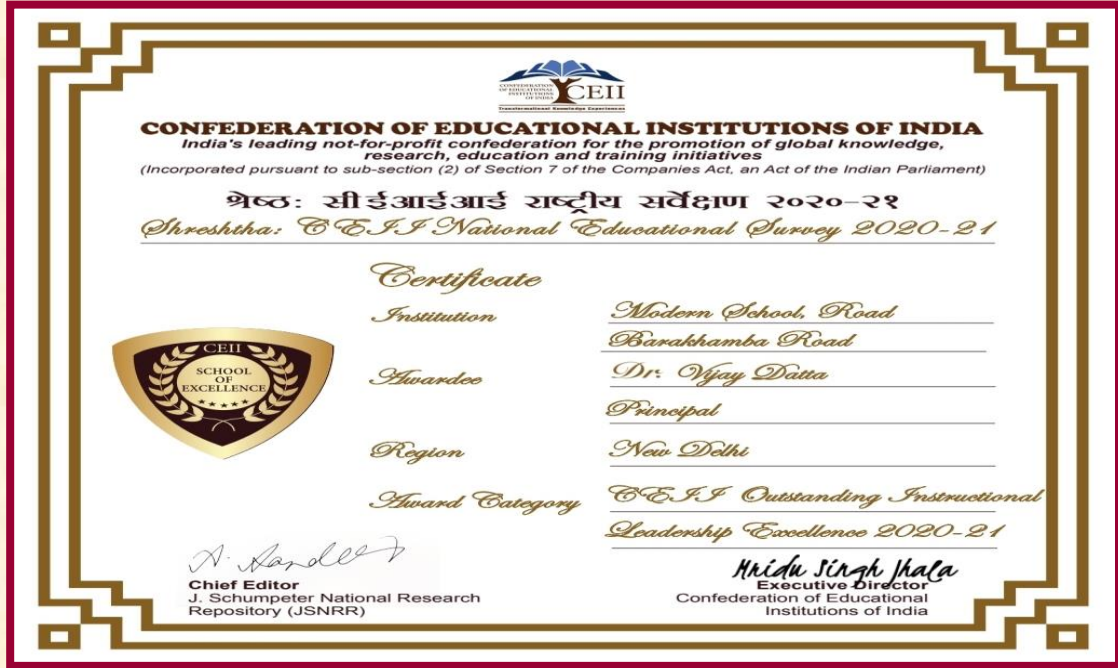




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CEII OUTSTANDING INSTRUCTIONAL LEADERSHIP EXCELLENCE SCHOOL AWARD 2020-21

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The Confederation of Educational Institutions of India recognised Modern School, Barakhamba Road as the “CEII Outstanding Instructional Leadership Excellence School 2020-2021”. Announced in the Annual National Educational Survey conducted by J. Schumpeter National Research Repository, the CEII commended the continuous, committed and diligent efforts of the leadership in the institution that relentlessly strove to ensure that the civil society perceptions were



Principal, Dr Vijay Datta along with the participants at the Virtual Award Event.

not only upheld but exceeded the benchmarked standards. The CEII conferred the Award Certificate and Emblem to the Principal, Dr Vijay Datta in a virtual ceremony on 26th February 2021. The event was also attended by Headmistress- Senior Wing Ms Jaya Khurana, Head Co – Curricular Ms Manpreet Kaur, the Senior Leadership Team and the School Prefects.

48th NPSC - ANNUAL CONFERENCE 2021

The 48th Annual Conference 2021 of the National Progressive Schools' Conference (NPSC) was conducted virtually on 25th and 26th February 2021, on the theme *“Reading the Past and Writing the Future of School Education”*.

Modern School Principal, Dr Vijay Datta was one the esteemed panellists for the session on *‘Transforming Teaching: Inspiring Learning.’* He also deliberated on ‘Reverse Mentorship’ with Dr David Ng, Dean Academic Quality, Associate Professor, Policy and Leadership, National Institute of Education Nanyang Technological University, Singapore. Dr Datta’s valuable insight on ‘Reverse Mentoring’ was highly stimulating and set the tone for the intellectual discussions during the conference.

On the first day events like the Annual Report Presentation, a keynote address by Mr Erin Falt and another keynote speaker, Mr Anil Bajjal, LG Delhi, talked about the merits and demerits of Online Education, a reality born overnight in the pandemic. The sessions that spanned the two-day conference focused on topics from Multiculturalism and Global Partnerships to integrative approaches like the Use of Artificial Intelligence and Augmented Reality for Digital Education,



Metacognitive Competencies in Education Today, and Social, Emotional and Cognitive Education, finally culminating in ruminations about the road ahead to schools of the future.

There were informative discussions also on topics such as Closing the Gap, Evidence Based Learning at the Fundamental Level, Open Pathways Cognitive Flexibility for Lifelong, Personalised Learning, Transformational Teaching: Inspiring Learning, Moving from Reactive to Proactive and Adapting to the New World.

This event was attended by Head Co Curricular Ms Manpreet Kaur, Ms Anuradha Bahl, Ms Deepa Kataria, Ms Deepa Kapoor, Ms Pooja Bahl and Ms Shalini Dahiya.



NAILED IT AT 'FILMIT'

The most awaited INTACH event 'FILMIT 2020' saw a new online avatar this year. It also witnessed an overwhelming and enthusiastic participation from our directorial debutants. Modern School students scripted, curated and came up with beautiful, heart touching short films on various topics ranging from family heirlooms, impact of the COVID 19 pandemic on pets as well as rediscovering family bonding during the quarantine period. Three of our films received glowing laurels at the Award Event held on 10th February 2021 through the Online medium. 'The Eternal Legacy' by Rehan Katyal S4 D bagged the **Best Documentary Film Award**, 'My Great Great Grandmother's Belongings' by Ridhi Diesh S3 F bagged the **Best Visuals Award** and 'Nani Ke Kangan' by Arshia Goel S3 E bagged the **Best Screenplay Award**, making us proud of these budding artists and creative minds.



**Creative work by
Mannat Sobti S3 E**



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-PABLO PICASSO**

