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Proud winners from Online Quiz- Aryan Arora (S5C) and Khushi Aggarwal (S5B)

### ENGAGE WITH SCIENCE

Engage with Science (EWS) is an interactivity platform aimed at school teachers and students that makes science teaching and learning a lot of fun. It works as a catalyst to boost science and technology through video content from India Science mobile application. EWS is a collaboration between Vigyan Prasar, an autonomous

organisation of the Department of Science and Technology, Govt of India and IBM. Four teachers from Modern School, Ms Richa Bhatia, Dr Neha Jindal, Ms Kirtika Saxena and Ms Priyanka Singh are involved as mentors with EWS. Engage Quiz Quotient 2 (EQQ 2) was held on 10<sup>th</sup> July, 2021. Four videos were given to students for preparation from India Science Application. These included detailed theories on mechanism of flying of insects, climatic impact of agricultural technology, supercomputing infrastructure and a fiction based on what would happen if the earth started rotating backwards.

A quiz on Microsoft Forms Application comprising ten questions was given to the participants.

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The results were declared on 4<sup>th</sup> August 2021. **Khushi Aggarwal (S5B)** was declared as **winner** in the Senior Category. Other events conducted by EWS include the following:

DATE	EVENT	DETAILS OF THE EVENT
2 <sup>nd</sup> July, 2021	Masterclass on Coding: An essential skill?	Mr Waris Candra, Head of APAC, Microbit Educational Foundation (BBC Micro: bit) conducted this Masterclass.
8 <sup>th</sup> July, 2021	Teachers' Conclave: Technology and its effect on life.	This conclave was conducted by Mr Saurav Sen, Senior Consultant Media, India Science App, Vigyan Prasar.
15 <sup>th</sup> July, 2021	Ask the Scientist-Space Sciences	Dr Arvind C Ranade, Scientist-F, satisfied queries of the students on the space.
29 <sup>th</sup> July, 2021	Engage Mentor Dialogues- Linking Science with Arts	Mr Saurav Sen was the host. The Special Guest was Dr Biswajit Saha, Director CBSE.

### SCIENCAMITE

G.D.Goenka World School, conducted online Inter School Science Competition 'Scienamite' on 18<sup>th</sup> August, 2021, on the Google Meet Application. The participating schools joined different virtual rooms for various events.



Modern School participants during the opening ceremony of Sciencamite

Certificates of Appreciation bagged by the proud winners

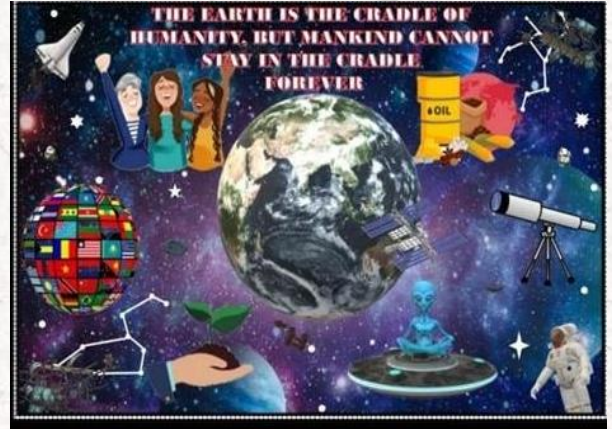


Modern School Teachers Flt Lt Sunita Dixit (Retd) and Ms Arti Mehta guided and mentored the students for the following events:

**Research Paper Presentation:** Riya Jain (S6A) and Ishani Tandon (S6A) presented their research work based on the impact of increased usage of masks during COVID-19, on the carbon footprint in urban scenario.

**Online Quiz Competition:** Maadhav Goel (S5D), Bhanu Pratap (S5D), Riyan Aggarwal (S4A), Serena Sabharwal (S5D), Pratishtha (S5D) and Ishaani Agarwal (S4B) participated in this event and were tested on different disciplines of Science and general awareness.

**E-poster Presentation:** The presentation was held for the students of Classes VII and VIII. Cheshtaa Sharma (S3D) and Juwairriyah Shah (S3D) won the **Third Position**.



The Award Winning Poster at the competition

### SUNBEAM ROUND SQUARE POSTCARD EVENT

A virtual Round Square Post Card event was organised by Sunbeam School, Lahartara on 28<sup>th</sup> July, 2021. The theme of the conference was “When the going gets tough, the tough get going.” This two-hour long meeting was attended by around 120 delegates from 200 schools in India and South Africa. Amaira Jain (S2F), Krish Dua (S2F), Adhiraj Joneja (S3A), Dhanvi Gupta (S3A), Divena Verma (S3A) and Kimaya Yaduvanshi (S3F) represented Modern School in the conference.

The students were mentored and trained by Ms Shalini Dahiya.

The delegates were addressed by Mr Syed Sultan Ahmed, a noted social entrepreneur and winner of six National Film awards. He motivated the students to face tough situations in life bravely and explained how they can be dealt with.

Later the delegates were divided into Baraza groups, depicting Resilience, Tenacity, Compassion, Courage, Confidence, Consistency, Optimism, Gratitude and Empathy. They also participated in exciting ice-breaker games and shared their experiences.

This conference was an enriching experience for all.



Delegates at the Round Square Conference



## QUIZZING TITANS

Modern's 'extraordinaire' quizzers, **Rahul Pandey** (S7F) and **Shreyansh Krishna** (S6A) rocked the quizzing world by clocking the coveted **First Position** in the virtual quiz Inquizitive- The Jodhamal Quiz Legacy Edition hosted by Jodhamal Public School, Jammu on 31<sup>st</sup> July, 2021. The keenly contested event comprising of schools both in India and abroad was centred on the overarching theme of International Newsmakers and Current Affairs. Our 24 Carat mercurial duo not only niched Modern's supremacy in the quizzing arena, but also kept the country's flag flying high and returned victorious after amassing a whopping **Rs 25,000/-** as award money.

## FRENCH NATIONAL DAY CELEBRATIONS

La Fête Nationale (French National day) was celebrated in school during the French period virtually. Students from classes S1 to S5 enthusiastically took part in the celebrations. They were dressed in the colours of French Flag i.e. Blue, White and Red. Some of them painted their face with the colours of French Flag and some wore badges of the French Flag. Various activities were organised to celebrate this special day. A presentation was shown showcasing the significance of this day. The Middle School students prepared bookmarks and posters on the topic 'Qu'est ce que c'est la France d'après vous?' Participants from Classes S3 and S4 sang a well synchronised melodious French song. Also, a small skit was presented Class S4. Quiz was conducted for Class S5.



Enthusiastic participants during the Online French National Day Celebrations