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Students from Modern School, Barakhamba Road participated in several events that took place at Bharatiya Vidya Bhavan's Mehta Vidyalaya, New Delhi, on April 28,

2023. The students won the following prizes : Lilavati Munshi Memorial on the spot painting competition: Saira Singh (S7J) - 1st Prize (senior category) Lakshmi Kaicker (S6J)- 1st Prize (Senior category) Hindi Poetical Recitation: Ananya Singh (S4B) 1st Prize.

EXPLORING THE INNER WORLD OF A HOSPITAL

On November 30, 2022, the students of class 12 of the biology section of the school embarked on an educational field trip to Arogya Hospital, Ghaziabad. The purpose of their visit was to provide the students with a firsthand experience of the health care environment and to enhance their understanding of the medical practices. The visit was planned by Ms Richa Bhatia, HOD Biology and Dr Anjali Chaudhary- an IVF pioneer- who spearheaded the program.

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Dr Chaudhary introduced the students to the working of the hospital and different medical procedures and interventions. The students gained insights into the meticulous preparation, sterile techniques, and attention to detail required in executing these procedures safely and effectively. Students were also taught various CPR techniques by the hospital's emergency medicine head. The students learned about the triage process, emergency protocols, and the importance of maintaining composure and teamwork in high-stress environments. Overall, the visit proved to be an enriching educational experience for the students, deepening their knowledge of IVF and its impact on individuals and families.

UNVEILING THE TIMELESS MARVEL: EXPLORING PURANA QILA'S RICH HERITAGE AND CULTURAL TAPESTRY



STUDENTS ON THE SITE OF THE EXCAVATION WITH THE ASSISTANT ARCHAEOLOGIST

The Purana Qila, also known as Qila-e-Kohna, is an ancient fort located in Delhi. It holds historical significance and has been a subject of archaeological excavations. Led by Dr. Vasant Swarnkar of the Archaeological Survey of India (ASI), the ASI has conducted excavations at the Purana Qila. On May 1, 2023, a group of class 10 students, accompanied by their teacher, Ms. Sonia Kapoor, visited the Purana Qila on a field trip. They were greeted by archaeologists who explained the artefacts and antiquities in great detail. The students learned about the transitional period and how different rocks and marbles were associated with specific dynasties. During their walk, the students encountered beautiful tombs and gardens within the Purana Qila.

They noticed similarities between these structures and other tombs constructed by the Mughals, reminiscent of Fatehpur Sikri in Agra. The students also visited a museum located within the fort, where they encountered detailed artefacts, paintings, sculptures, and architectural sites.

At the end of their excursion, the students felt a deep sense of appreciation for the rich history and cultural heritage that surrounded them.

MODERN SCHOOL STUDENTS SHINE AT SANSKRITI SCHOOL'S MODEL UNITED NATIONS CONFERENCE



MODERN SCHOOL ESTABLISHES ITS ASCENDANCY AT SANSKRITI MODEL UNITED NATIONS

Modern School, Barakhamba Road showcased their exceptional skills and emerged triumphant at the Model United Nations (MUN) Conference organised by Sanskriti School, New Delhi. The event, held from April 27 to April 29, 2023 witnessed the participation of over 500 delegates from various schools across the country and even internationally. Modern School students won the following prizes- Irish Wallia (S6I) stood out as the *Best Delegate* in the Joint Crisis Committee. Arjun Veer Sen (S7I) was recognised as an *Outstanding Delegate* in the Vienna Cabinet.

Nikita Mittal (S6A), displayed remarkable expertise and eloquence in the Sub-Committee on Prevention of Torture, earning her the title of *Outstanding Delegate*. Sia Gupta (S5C), showcased exceptional debating skills and a deep understanding of the subject matter, and won the title of an *Outstanding Delegate* in the Pakistan National Assembly.

Ojaswini Goel (S7J), earned an *Honourable Mention* for her well-structured arguments and persuasive speaking.

The accomplishments of these Modern School students truly highlight their dedication, knowledge, and commitment to diplomacy and global affairs.

PREPARING FOR SAFETY: SUCCESSFUL MOCK EVACUATION DRILL AT MODERN SCHOOL, BARAKHAMBA ROAD



EVACUATION DRILL AT MODERN SCHOOL

On April 26, 2023, Modern School, Barakhamba Road, took a proactive approach to ensure the safety of its students by conducting a mock exercise and evacuation drill. The primary objective was to educate and train students for unforeseen emergencies such as fire or natural calamities. The drill aimed to assess the school's readiness to handle emergencies and natural disasters, while also raising awareness among students and staff about rescue operations and their procedures.

Ms. Manpreet Kaur, Headmistress of the middle block, closely monitored the mock drill. She addressed the gathered assembly and engaged in discussions with the students, encouraging them to share their perceptions of the drill. By providing practical training and imparting crucial safety lessons, Modern School demonstrated its commitment to ensuring the well-being and security of its students. The drill served as a reminder of the importance of disaster preparedness and the role each individual plays in ensuring their own safety and the safety of others.

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