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## CAREER COUNSELING SESSIONS AT SCHOOL

Career Counselling sessions have been a part of the school tradition since past two decades. These sessions have been taking place, incessantly, in the school premises. The Career counsellors make sure to act as an expert of knowledge and information about the world-of-work. These regular sessions (as displayed in the Calendar attached below) focus on a variety of resources that students are made aware of as they begin their education at a new college or university both in India and overseas. These sessions are a guiding tool for high school transcripts and letter of recommendations, as they highlight the range of resources and services that the universities offer to students.

Ms Baveen Gupta and Ms Deepti Kewalramani ensure that the students have a myriad of opportunities, resources and take informed decisions to choose from wide a range of Universities lists to be their best fit.

Proud to acclaim the class of 2023 admissions in renowned universities like Ivy League Schools, Harvard University, Cornell University, UPenn, Columbia University, Carnegie Mellon University, and University of Toronto, Canada.

### What's new at School:

1. School Counselling Sessions
2. POCSOW Counselling Session
3. Lajpat House Function
4. G-20 Sherpa Track
5. Creative Corner





## CAREER COUNSELING CALENDAR

APRIL – MAY 2023

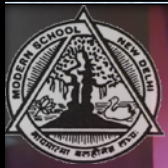
DATE	TIME	UNIVERSITY VISIT / EVENT	AUDIENCE	VENUE
Thursday 06 April	8:00 - 9:00 am	“Start Applications” School Counselor’s Talk	S7 Students	Shankar Lal
Tuesday 11 April	8:00 – 8:30 am	University of Southern California USA	S7 Students	HLL
Thursday 13 April	8:00 - 9:00 am	University of Toronto & OP Jindal Global University & ISH (Indian school of hospitality)	S7 Students	Shankar Lal
Tuesday 18 April	8:00 – 8:30 am	Hong Kong University of Science & Technology and New York University (Abu Dhabi)	S7 Students	HLL
Thursday 20 April	8:00 - 9:00 am	George Washington, Case Western Reserve, Rochester University. USA	S7 Students	Shankar Lal
Thursday 04 May	8:00 - 9:00 am	University of Richmond (Virginia), Trinity College (Connecticut), The College of Wooster (Ohio), Grinnell College (Iowa) USA	S7 Students	Shankar Lal
Thursday 11 May	8:00 - 9:00 am	Plaksha University, Pearl academy, Ashoka university India Talk on “New Age Careers”	S7 Students	Shankar Lal

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## **The Protection of Children from Sexual Offences (POCSO) SESSION CONDUCTED TO RAISE AWARENESS**

On April 27’ 2023, an awareness session on **Prevention of Children from Sexual Offences Act, 2012(POCSO)** was organised for the students of Class 12. Ms Nutan Chopra, an esteemed journalist and board member at YWCA was invited as the speaker to conduct the session. Ms Nutan conveyed the highlights of the act along with many practical examples to the students in a gentle and sensitive manner. POCSO, a gender neutral law covers within its ambit not only sexual assault but also incidents of verbal harassment. They were also sensitised about the different punishments under the act. The session was concluded by the enlightening words of Principal Dr Vijay Datta who appreciated the speaker and thanked her for conducting the session. The session was in tandem with Modern School’s principle of holistic education and was indeed a knowledgeable one for all the students. It was an important step toward creating a safer environment for the children of our country.





## LAJPAT HOUSE BIENNIAL FUNCTION 2023

Lajpat house biennial function was held in the HLL auditorium on May 13'2023. The Chief Guest for the function was Ms Sohaila Kapur - an Indian actress, playwright, writer, director. Following activities were performed:

- 1. Ballet** -Ballet was based on the theme of Baisakhi. Students from classes 7 to 12 participated. The ballet was arranged and choreographed by Mr Arindam Dasgupta.
- 2. Play** - The theme of the play was water. The play was titled "Bin Paani Sab Soona". Students from classes 10 to 12 participated in this event. The play was written by Rishi Raj of class 7-A and Mr Raj Kumar Upadhyay mentored the students for the play.
- 3. House Song**-Song '*Aye Watan*' was performed by the students of the house. The music was arranged by Ms Baisakhi Samajhdar.

A comprehensive house report was presented depicting the achievements of students in the field of Academics and Sports.

The function was attended by the headmasters of all the three blocks: Ms Jaya Khurana, Senior Wing; Mr PP Vermani, Secondary Wing; Ms Manpreet Kaur, Middle wing. Ms Sonia Kapoor guided the house for better performance. The housemasters of all the three blocks Ms Bindu Kapoor ,Ms Kirtika Saxena and Ms Parul Sharma contributed in making the function run smoothly and helped the students in improving their performance. An exhibition was displayed showcasing the talents of the students and their art & craft.

The event was a success and the students now hold a lifetime of golden memories with them.





## G-20 SHERPA TRACK ACTIVITIES MARCH 2023

Students of classes 6 to 8 made charts presenting the different logos adopted by different countries who have held G-20 Presidencies since its inception. The Indian G-20 logo was made by students which draws its inspiration from the vibrant colours of India's national flag – saffron, white, green, and blue. It juxtaposes planet Earth with the national flower-Lotus that reflects growth amid challenges. The Earth reflects India's pro-planet approach to life, one in perfect harmony with nature. Here, the students learned about the different logos adopted by the different countries who have held Presidencies.

Students of classes 9 to 12 made presentations on contemporary social issues like gender equality and women empowerment. The students exchanged ideas on the importance of gender equality towards achieving the goal of women empowerment.

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## CREATIVITY BY STUDENTS



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