



# DELHI PUBLIC SCHOOL GANDHINAGAR

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Dear Students,

*“Success is no accident. It is hard work, perseverance, learning, studying, sacrifice, and most of all, love of what you are doing or learning to do.”*

*-Pelé, Brazilian pro footballer*

*It's an immense pleasure to see that we are getting back to normal school to teach, share and celebrate learning. With the shift to yellow on the pandemic scale, we are now able to have all students back together in one classroom. We request everyone to continue to do their part to ensure that we are keeping our school safe. Please continue to follow all of the public health guidelines issued by the Government from time to time. Staying home when not feeling well, wearing a mask, practicing proper hand hygiene, and physically distancing is important and help keep Covid out of our school. We are so pleased with how our students have continued to persevere throughout this very trying time.*

*As our 2021-22 batch of students are appearing for Board Examinations, I want to wish them good luck for their upcoming Board Examinations.*

*Examinations are a test of progress, and if, for whatever reasons so far, you did not score good marks in terminal exams, you can still excel at your board examination. All you need to do is keep on trying with confidence and dedication.*

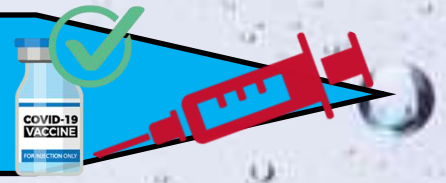
*At the same time, I would also like to urge every student to not only study hard during the exam period but also to look after themselves. My advice to you is to plan your time carefully and take enough rest so that you can concentrate well while you are studying and writing your exams. Sleep is really important for learning, don't skip it. Study smart during the day, and get a good night's sleep. I truly understand that exams bring their stresses, so if you feel stressed or anxious, remember you are not alone. We all are with you and you are always welcome to share your concerns or anxieties with us.*

*Striving for success without hard work is like trying to harvest where you haven't planted. Success doesn't come overnight. You need to get a little better than the day before. It all adds up. Don't let a temporary setback dent your self-esteem. You can do better next time. No matter what your apparent “limitations”, you can find an area to excel.*

*With this message, I would like to extend my best wishes to all the students who are appearing for the board examination this year. I do not doubt that you all are very hardworking and talented and I am very confident that your determination and talent will help you achieve success in your examination.*

Principal  
Anju Singh

# Vaccination Drive



Delhi Public School Gandhinagar successfully organised the Covid-19 vaccination drive (first dose of Covaxin) conducted under the guidelines and safety protocols of the GMC, Gujarat, in the school premises for the students in the age group of 15-18 years on 7<sup>th</sup> January 2022.

Parents' waiting rooms, Vaccination Administering Rooms & Post Vaccination observation rooms were arranged for the vaccination drive.

Overall, the drive was a huge success with utmost co-operation of the Parents, children & GMC Health Officials.

The second dose of Covaxin vaccine was administered in the school premises on 19<sup>th</sup> February 2022.



# School Functions

## Republic Day

Delhi Public School Gandhinagar celebrated Republic Day with immense patriotic fervour under the ambit of 'Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav'. The awe-inspiring programme commenced with the unfurling of the National Flag by Ms Anju Singh, the Principal DPSG accompanied by the Headmistress, Ms Manju Dabi, Headmaster Mr. Rakesh Kumar Bhagat and other Departmental Heads. Flag unfurling was followed by the National Anthem to pay tribute to the motherland. Acknowledging the importance of yoga, Surya Namaskar (Sun salutation) was performed by a group of teachers from Primary and Secondary Wings of DPSG to refresh and revitalise the mind and body. The Principal Ms Anju Singh addressed the gathering and laid emphasis on the significance of the day. The programme was concluded with the distribution of sweets and memories created to be cherished for life!



## BASANT PANCHAMI

Vasant Panchami was celebrated on 5 February 2022 to revere the Hindu Deity Goddess Saraswati with great splendour. The programme commenced with the Pooja offered to Goddess Saraswati followed by Pustak Pooja by Principal Ms Anju Singh. Other higher authorities also offered Pooja on this auspicious occasion. The celebration came to a close with the announcement of the winners of the Rangoli Competition in which the staff members participated a day prior. Gaiety and piety went hand in hand to live an indelible impression in the mind of all those who witnessed the programme.



# Azadi ka Amrut Mahotsav



As a part of the glorious 75 years of India's independence, CBSE has been organizing various activities for the students. DPS Gandhinagar also provided the students from Classes 1 to 12 to express their feelings of patriotism towards the nation.

The month-wise activities included:

January- Discussion of students with teachers regarding freedom fighters- Classes 3 to 8.

February- Quiz on freedom fighters- Class 9.

March- Patriotic songs in school assemblies-



# Pre-Primary Wing

## Colouring Event - Nursery

To explore and encourage the creativity with vibrant colours, Delhi Public School Gandhinagar organized "COLOURING EVENT" for the tiny tots of nursery on 17<sup>th</sup> January'22. Colouring worksheets were shared with the children to develop their motor skills and to increase their hand eye coordination along with concentration. This fun filled activity witnessed an enthusiastic participation on the zoom screen.



## Shloka Recitation Event – LKG

Keeping in mind the vibrance created through shloka chanting, Delhi Public School Gandhinagar conducted Shloka Chanting Event on 19<sup>th</sup> January 2022 for the students of LKG in the online class. Students participated enthusiastically with flawless chanting of shlokas/ prayers from the traditional scriptures. This event brought awareness about the rich, cultural heritage of India.



## Best Out of Waste – UKG



Delhi Public School Gandhinagar, organized "Best out of Waste" event on 20<sup>th</sup> January 22 for the students of UKG. The

objective of the competition was to provide a platform for the blooming buds to showcase their creative skills using different waste materials. With the help of their parents, children made various useful and decorative items out of the waste, on the virtual platform.

## People of India Day - LKG

To celebrate the unity in diversity, 'People of India' Day was celebrated on 27<sup>th</sup> Jan 22 for the students of LKG. Many students dressed themselves in different traditional attires and spoke about the food, dress and language of the state they were representing.



# Pre-Primary Wing

## Republic Day Celebration

Virtual Republic Day was celebrated with great pride and patriotism for the Pre-Primary students on 25 January 2022 to showcase the importance of this important day i.e 26th January. The tiny tots were dressed in tricolour. The cultural celebration included various activities like tricolour flower making, finger printing and flag making with the help of ice-cream sticks. All the students sang patriotic songs. Video of the National Parade of Delhi and tableau was shown to the students.



## Peanut Masala Making – Nursery

Nursery students of Delhi Public School Gandhinagar amplified their cooking skills by making lip-smacking masala peanut in the Kitchenette activity on 29<sup>th</sup> January. These tiny tots added different types of vegetables to the roasted peanuts. The teacher briefed them about the benefits of peanuts. After completion of the activity, children relished the delicious masala peanut.

## Basant Panchami Celebration

Abuzz with a festive spirit, Delhi Public School Gandhinagar celebrated Basant Panchami online with the blooming buds of Pre-Primary on 5<sup>th</sup> February 2022. The celebration commenced with an invocation to Devi Saraswati. The young ones presented themselves as blooming flowers in yellow dresses, symbolizing friendship and positive energy. The spring of joy took over when these blooming buds displayed their talent through various activities like cotton pasting, palm printing flowers and making greeting cards.



# Pre-Primary Wing

## Transport Week – Nursery

Delhi Public School Gandhinagar organized Transport Week from 7<sup>th</sup> February to 11<sup>th</sup> February 2022 for the students of Nursery. The teachers showed Power Point Presentation and animated videos on different modes of transport & the tiny tots learnt about them by making boats using paper plates, planes by origami and cars using match sticks and bottle caps. Students also enjoyed the virtual visit to Traffic Park where they were explained about the meaning of traffic lights, signs and safety rules.



## Graduation Ceremony

Delhi Public School –Gandhinagar organized a Virtual Graduation Ceremony for our young and enthusiastic Pre-Primary learners. The celebration commenced with virtual lighting of the lamp and Saraswati Vandana followed by Oscar worthy dance and drama performances by our pre primary students on the theme of “Ek Bharat, Shrestha Bharat.” Principal Mrs. Anju Singh and Academic Coordinator Mrs. Neeti Jain congratulated the children on their



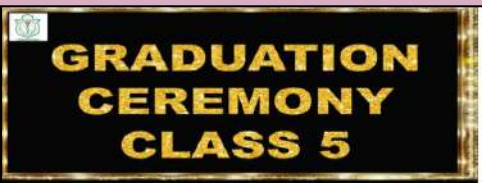
# Primary Wing

## Character Enactment Competition (Sanskrit)

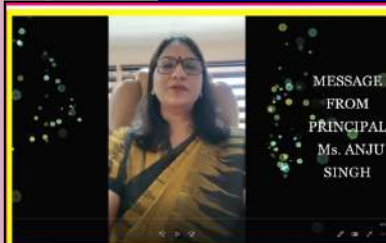
The Primary Wing virtually organised a Character Enactment Competition for the students of Class V on 29 January 2022. It was based on a very unique theme **Indian Mythological characters**. The students portrayed various roles of Epic characters like Krishna, Hanuman, Lakshmi, Ganga, Sita etc. enthusiastically.



## GRADUATION CEREMONY - CLASS V



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MESSAGE FROM PRINCIPAL Ms. ANJU SINGH



"STUDENTS IF YOU CAN DREAM IT, YOU CAN DO IT"



## SUR SANGAM

To bring out the singing talent of our students, Delhi public School Gandhinagar conducted a singing competition on 29 January 2022 virtually on a very beautiful and heart touching theme 'Maa'. Students mellifluously sang Bollywood and non-Bollywood songs which pulled the heartstrings of everyone who heard them.

Virtual Graduation Ceremony for Class V students, for the batch of 2021-22 was hosted on 28 February 2022 by the class teacher. It commenced with an inspiring video by the Principal Ms Anju Singh and Headmaster Mr Rakesh Kumar Bhagat. They emphasized the importance of primary schooling and the values to carry forward in their life. The teachers' and students' dance was the cherry on the cake that made every eye wet. The students were taken memory down the lane with the Zoom Virtual Awards. All the teachers wished their students to achieve the pinnacle of success with a positive frame of mind.

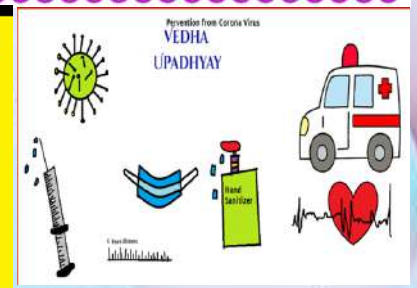
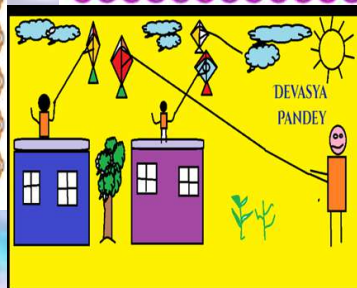




# Primary Wing

## E-Drawing Competition

The E-Drawing Competition was conducted on 29 January 2022 on the topics 'Kite Flying' and 'Prevention from Corona Virus'.



## Mathalon

### Competition

Mathalon Competition was conducted for the students of Class 2 on 17<sup>th</sup> January 2022. The objective of the competition was to encourage students to look beyond

## Maths Alive Competition

The primary wing conducted the Maths Alive Competition to inspire students of Class 1 (A to G) on 18.01.22, to show their creativity and skills through various projects. The students spoke on various topics such as Shapes, Addition & Subtraction, Tens and Ones concept, Time, Money, Measurement using different charts and props to explain the topic.



# Primary Wing

**Character Enactment** Community Enactment is a wonderful way to broaden the child's horizon and help them learn about the world beyond home-their community. With this thought 'character Enactment' competition was organized for grade II students of Delhi Public School Gandhinagar on 8<sup>th</sup> February, 2022. The children were smartly dressed up and enacted the different roles with props, used the tools of different helpers and introduced themselves. They enjoyed the enactment and displayed immense self-confidence while narrating and enacted. The value of 'Respect for all helpers' was inculcated in them by making them aware that all jobs are important and worthy of respect.



## Makar Sankranti Celebration

A virtual assembly for the students of Class 1 was conducted on 11th January 2022. A video was shown in the assembly to make the students aware of the significance of the festival. The students rejoiced in the essence of Indian culture in colourful and traditional dresses.



## Republic Day Celebration

73rd Republic Day was virtually celebrated by the Primary Wing students. Students dressed up in tricolour dresses sang patriotic songs with the teachers. Teachers also enlightened the students with 'Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav' activities carried out by the government of India.

## Fire Safety and Mock Drill Training

A Fire Safety and Mock Drill Training was organised for two days by a team of professionals from Salamati Security and Edu Fire and Safety Enterprise on 16 February 2022 and 24 February 2022 in the school premises. The main aim of this training was to provide adequate knowledge of various tools and techniques used in preventing different types of fire.






# Secondary Wing

## NATIONAL SCIENCE DAY

Institute of Plasma Research is an R&D organisation that has been involved in theoretical and experimental studies in Plasma Science. Every year, the institute organises National Science Day (NSD), a two-day event for the school children. Various competitions like poster-making, essay writing, quiz and eloquence are held for the students. “A Teaching Aid” competition is also organised for the teachers. This year, the competitions were held online in the first week of February. Students of DPS Gandhinagar showed exemplary performance in various categories and jointly bagged third position for the school.

No. of participating schools	67
No. of participants (Students)	324
No. of participants (Teachers)	15
No. of events organized	14
No. of prizes awarded	42

### Top three schools in the NSD-2022

	New Era Senior Secondary School, Vadodara
	Podar International School, Ahmedabad
	Delhi Public School, Gandhinagar

ENGLISH ELOQUENCE			
Name of the student	Name of the school	Prize	Youtube Link (From Prelim Round)
Vishwa Ambaliya	Delhi Public School Gandhinagar	1st	
Tejas Dwivedi	Kendriya vidyalaya No.4 ONGC, Vadodara	2nd	
Nirja Vishal Patel	Udgam School For Children, Ahmedabad	3rd	



GUJARATI POSTER		
Name of the student	Name of the school	Prize
Umraniya Tisha Bhavesh	Sheth Khimji Ramdas Kanya Vidyalaya, Mandvi-Kutch	<a href="#">1st Prize</a>
Priyanshi Jogani	New Era Senior Secondary School, Vadodara	<a href="#">2nd Prize</a>
Jaanya Vijh	Delhi Public School, Gandhinagar	<a href="#">3rd Prize</a>





## प्लाज़्मा अनुसंधान संस्थान

# Institute for Plasma Research

### Outreach Division



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## Quiz Results

Name of the student	Name of the school	Prize
Tarishi Parmar	D.P.S. Gandhinagar	1st
Nitanshu Solanki	Kalapi Vinay Mandir, Lathi	2nd
Amogh Bhamerkar	New Era Senior Secondary School, Vadodara	3rd



# Secondary Wing

## COMMENCEMENT OF OFFLINE SCHOOL WITH ANNUAL EXAMINATION (CLASS 9 TO 12)

After a hiatus of almost two years, DPS Gandhinagar ushered into the new academic session by conducting the annual examination for the students of Class 9 to 12 in offline mode. With proper Covid protocol, students' safety was given utmost priority.

The teachers and staff members were overwhelmed to fall back into the teaching routine and hoped for the normalcy to prevail into our lives.



# Khel Mahakumbh

Khel Mahakumbh, an annual sports competition organized by the Sports Authority of Gujarat (SAG) started in the year 2010 under the visionary leadership of the then Chief Minister Shri Narendra Modi.

Many students from Delhi Public School Gandhinagar brought laurels to the school by participating & winning prizes in the Khel Mahakumbh.

## Lawn Tennis

A District level Lawn Tennis Tournament for Under-14 & 17- Boys/Girls was held at School of Achievers, Gandhinagar on 20<sup>th</sup> & 21<sup>st</sup> March 2022. Competing with almost 45 students from different schools, our students brought laurels by winning the tournament and cash prize of Rs 7000. Twisha Nandankar & Karanrajsinh, Dhruv Patel and Arindam Joshi secured 1<sup>st</sup> 4<sup>th</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> position (U-14 category) and Janmejy Gadhvi (U-17 Boys Category) bagged third position, qualifying for the State Level.

## Chess

A Taluka level Chess tournament, Under-11 & 14 -Boys/Girls was held at P.R.Thakkar Vidhyavihar, Gandhinagar on 24<sup>th</sup> March 2022. Out of 50 students from different schools, our student Mehar Chaudhary (U-11 Girls Category) secured first position and has been selected for the District Level Tournament. Abhinav Gupta Dhruv (U-14 Boys Category) secured third position in the tournament.

## Swimming

A District level Swimming Competition (Under-14 & 17 Boys/Girls) was held at Gandhinagar Gymkhana on 20<sup>th</sup> March 2022. Competing with almost 50 participants from different schools, students of our

school brought laurels by winning different event categories, cash prize of Rs 26,000 and qualifying for the State Level. Vartika Pathak (U-14 Girls Category) secured 1<sup>st</sup> position in 100m, 400m freestyle and 100m backstroke. Deesha Tokas (U-17Girls Category) also bagged first position in 100m freestyle, 100m breaststroke & second position in 100m backstroke.

Dhruv Tokas (U-17 Boys Category) secured first position in 100m, 400m freestyle & 100m breast stroke.

## Table Tennis

A District level Table Tennis Tournament (Under-14 boys) was held at Gymkhana Gandhinagar, on 26<sup>th</sup> March 2022. Out of 21 participants from different schools, our student Aryan Rao won the tournament by bagging first position and qualifying for the State Level. He also won Rs 3,000/- prize money for the same.

## Taekwondo

A District Level Taekwondo and Karate Championship was held at Gandhinagar from 21<sup>st</sup> to 24<sup>th</sup> March 2022. Our blooming buds brought laurels to the school by winning the tournament & a cash prize of Rs 8000 under different categories & qualifying for the State Level. Sai Karthik Ketha & Vihaan Patel bagged 1<sup>st</sup> position and 2nd position was bagged by Gyananda Dwivedi and Hiranyak Vyas.



# Sports Corner

DPSG students bring laurels in Sports.

**Adveek Naik & Praval Mehra represented in Under -13 Football and bagged Trophy, Cash Prize of Rs. 50,000, Certificate & a Medal.**

Football fever is high among the young students and Delhi Public School, Gandhinagar has made sure that the students are provided all facilities to excel in sports. Adveek Naik and Praval Mehra of Delhi Public School, Gandhinagar, Class 8 participated in the Football Tournament organized by Ahmedabad Soccer Champ (ASC) in Under -13 category. More than 2600 students took part in this tournament. The selection was done by the coaches and the owners through Auction. Adveek Naik was bid for the maximum price in his team. He was also selected in the Under-15 category. He bagged the Runners-up trophy in the tournament held in August 2021. This tournament started in the month of November and finally ended in February. The tournament comprised of 15 matches. He is the only footballer who won the Man of Match twice for his commendable and fantastic goal-keeping and made the team and the school proud by winning the match. The final match was conducted on Sunday (6<sup>th</sup> February, 2022) at GMDC ground, Ahmedabad. The team bagged the First position and also won the Trophy, a Cash prize of Rs. 50,000, Certificate and a Medal.

We wish the students luck and hope that they would keep working hard and bring laurels to the school. The Principal congratulated the students for their whole hearted endeavor and blessed them for many more success ahead.





मैं लड़की हूँ , मुझे किसी की  
इजाजत की जरूरत नहीं,  
सपने हैं बहुत सारे लेकिन पता नहीं  
पूरे कैसे होंगे ।

पंछी की तरह अपने पंख फैलाऊँगी,  
एक दिन उड़ना भी सीखूँगी, और अपने  
सपनों से आसमान को भी छू लूँगी ।

मैं लड़की हूँ , मुझे किसी की इजाजत की जरूरत  
नहीं।

माना की पाबंदियाँ है मुझ पर,

दर्द भी हद से ज्यादा होगा, उम्मीदें हैं कुछ,

लेकिन फलाना की बेटी और ढिमकाना की बीवी बनने  
से पहले,



मैं कुछ अनोखा कर

दिखाऊँगी,

मैं लड़की हूँ, मुझे किसी की इजाजत की  
जरूरत नहीं।

कुछ लोग कहते हैं ,तुम्हें कुछ नहीं आता...  
तुमसे कुछ नहीं होगा,

लेकिन उन्हें क्या पता मैं आत्मनिर्भर बनने की  
चाह रखती हूँ ।

अपने देश को संभालने की हिम्मत रखती हूँ,  
अपना नाम रोशन करने की कोशिश करती हूँ मैं,

मैं लड़की हूँ, मुझे किसी की इजाजत की जरूरत नहीं।

-Saloni garg

### **Somewhere**

*Somewhere between fantasy and reality, I live*

*Somewhere in our empathy or greed, we all give*

*Somewhere between good and bad, we all lie*

*Somewhere between the sun and moon, we all die*

*Somewhere within, lives who you search for out-  
side*

*Somewhere within our eyes, we all lose*

*somewhere within the lines,*

*We'll get up, and try again.*

**Kushagra Kushwah**

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### **Phobia**

*As a teller, I fear the many stories in my head that I  
can't find the right words to tell.*

*As a friend, I fear the day I might lose them*

*As a human, I fear humans*

*As a poet, I fear sentiment*

*In anger, I fear myself*

*In happiness, I'm too busy to fear anything*

*In sadness, I fear many things*

*In tears, I fear being seen*

*In life, I fear mediocrity*

*In death, I fear nothing*

*Overall, I fear many things*

*But above all, I fear the loudness of silence and*

*The silences in my memories*

**Kushagra Kushwah**

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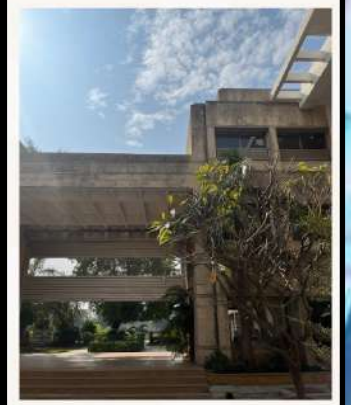


**STUDENTS  
CORNER**

# FROM NURSERY TO SENIOR YEAR

WRITTEN BY SIYA KACHHWANI

Since the past 14 years, DPS Gandhinagar has been more than a building with corridors and rooms for me; it has been my second home. My mind is still in awe that I'm in twelfth standard. Every friend made, all teachers had, every class attended, every lesson learnt here is special to me more than anything. I have seen school buildings getting renovated, classes being transformed, new admissions coming in, students preparing for events, literally everything. I am still friends with kids from my pre-primary sections and it feels amazing to have known so many people since so long. Spending all my childhood and teenage years here, I was educated not just on textbooks but also on life; and I shall carry these lessons with me in my future endeavors. A side of discipline and sincerity is extremely important alongside academics. My school days will always be a core memory for me; grateful to be a part of DPSG!



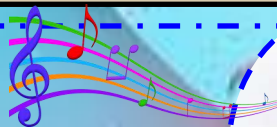
## MUSIC

*People call it music  
I call it my therapist*

*Whenever I am feeling down or upset  
Music is one thing that helps me forget*

*Not a pill, or tablet, or anything to kill pain  
Just my favourite songs are enough to feel me  
sane*

*Not only does it to help relieve one's stress  
But it's a way to show feelings one cannot  
express*



*There's always a song to set the  
mood right  
I will sit listening to my music  
all through the night*

*There are tons great songs to hear  
And many more being made every  
year*

*Not everyone likes to hear a song  
But for me, without music, I couldn't  
go on*

*~Deesha Tokas~ 10G*







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