



# DELHI PUBLIC SCHOOL RUBY PARK, KOLKATA

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### PRINCIPAL SPEAKS

Ms. Joyoti Chaudhuri-Principal

**Ma'am how are the students adapting to technology in the online mode of education?**

This is a generation that was born into technology. Therefore they have certainly adapted well.

**What is your message to students regarding preparing for online examinations? Do they need to develop new skills and tactics?**

Students need to understand time management and get used to their surrounding. When students are in an examination hall, they have the mentality that they will be taking the exam. The surroundings compel them to get into the zone which might not necessarily happen in their homes. So it is imperative that they develop that mentality while they are sitting on their own desk at home.

**What is your message to students to remain healthy and happy during the present situation?**

It is understandable that these are difficult precarious times and students should ensure that their mental health doesn't deteriorate. They should keep their friends and family around, although it might be virtually currently. Be engaged with activities other than just their studies. With all the time in the house, students might want to explore a new hobby or develop a interest and an active healthy lifestyle always goes a long way. These students should be commended for their grit and determination. This too shall pass; it might pass like a kidney stone but it will!

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### FROM THE VICE PRINCIPAL'S DESK

Ms. Indrani Chattopadhyay Vice Principal (Admin)

**Ma'am, it has been a tough year battling through the adverse situation and keeping the learning process intact. What were the challenges that you faced while implementing the new normal at school?**

The education sector faced a sudden jolt with the declaration of "lock down" for the onset of Covid 19 Pandemic in India. It looked like as if everything has come to a standstill. But our faculties and students took vow together to come out of this situation with ease. With a proper timetable, a smooth online platform, DPS Ruby Park marched ahead from April 2020 onwards. With lots of permutation and combination in the software... finally we could settle with a proper allocation of periods and online assessment pattern. I think these two were the most important challenges we faced.



# VALUE OF THE MONTH

## Clean and Safe planet



'Heal the Earth, Heal our Future'



## Inter School Events

- FIC SPELL BEE Contest was held where 172 students of class V and 96 students of class VI participated. It was a very tough competition where the students showcased their vocabulary skills. It was a learning experience for them. Tanoy Sarkar(VI) and Ahaan Apoorva Dutta(V) qualified for the final round.
- This EDUFAIR WEBINAR PAN INDIA was aimed at helping students choose their stream of choice. The dipsites across India joined in to understand whether Commerce, Science or Arts would suit them best. A live chat with experts proved to be an additional advantage.
- Delhi Public School bagged the second position in Quizzitch Cup (All Bengal Inter-School Quiz) conducted by the quiz club of NIT Durgapur, QuizInc
- Spardha (2021-22) is an online Inter-School fest hosted by MBWA for students of classes VI to VIII. DPS secured the 2nd position overall.

## Let's Catch Up

### International Dance Day

International Dance Day was celebrated to spread the value and importance of dance in the world. The varied forms of dance have their own identity and purpose. The students of classes 2 to 8 showcased their talent by uploading a pre-recorded video of 18 mins approx. on the school's Facebook page, which was appreciated virtually by one and all.



Faith is the bird that feels the light when the dawn is still dark - Rabindranath Tagore

Life should be great rather than long - Dr. BR Ambedkar

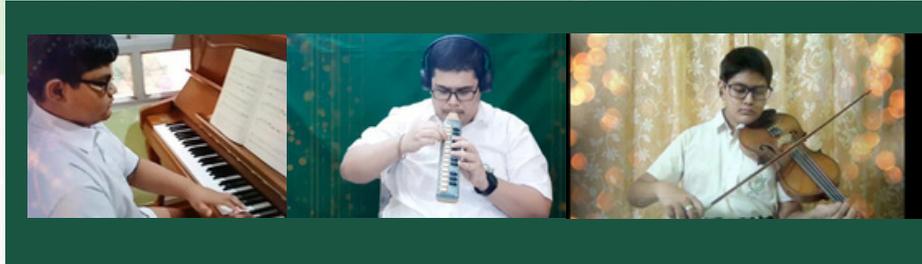


## International Yoga Day

The world yoga day was celebrated throughout the week. Children of Nursery to class 1 began their class by doing a few yoga postures and they were also taught about some new postures. Students of classes 6 to 9 also celebrated Yoga Day on the virtual platform in the form of Musical Yoga on 'Ganesh Vandana'

## World Music Day

The World Music Day has been celebrated through an online platform. The programme started with Principal Ma'am's address. The Hindi band comprised of students from classes 8-11. The students of classes 4&5 paid tribute to the bard of Bengal. The students of classes 6-10 lifted the spirit through a musical parody of The Sound of Music. The programme ended with the iconic song We are the World by the western choir of students of classes 6-12.



## In Focus



**Pachurjo Dutta Roy**



**Sunhrit Paria**

Pachurjo Dutta Roy is the executive member of the Quiz club in DPS Ruby Park. He has bagged several awards in this field including the 1st position at Quizzinus 2021. He has also hosted several quizzes. Regarding his experience of participating in Quizz this year he says, " During lockdown I have had anxiety issues. In these tough times I have kept myself motivated through several quizzes and listening to some of my favorite composers like Masaru Yokohama . My family always supported me. While hosting Quizathon from classes 3-8 there was immense participation and the students were extremely keen to take part in these activities. We have got the constant support from our fellow quizmasters and our team. Overall, I would like to convey to the quiz enthusiasts to keep exploring new things and grow. "

Sunhrit Paria has been an active member of the quiz club. He has bagged several awards including the 2nd prize at Quizzinus Indian Heritage Category. He was also the quizmaster of Quizathon 2021. He said, "During the Pandemic i missed going to school and interacting with my friends. My school has given us the best school like experience through online classes and various activities. The lockdown gave us a lot of time and I utilised it for reading. My father himself is a quizzier and he is a storehouse of knowledge. I have been a music enthusiast since a long time and it has helped me not to lose hope during these days. One of the things I noticed while organising Quizathon was that the students participated with great enthusiasm. We are trying our best to remain motivated and give our best. "

**"It is hard to fail, but it is worse never to have tried to succeed." Theodore Roosevelt**

# Quiz

Zealand

3)New

Nehru

2))awahar al

1)Argentum

ANSWERS

# Unscramble

1) Uncisrnosoe

4)Desperate

2) Psruslu

3)Elated

3)Etadel

2) Surplus

4)Sepdetrae

1)Connaisseur

ANSWERS

Q:What is the Latin name of silver?

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Q:Which team has won the world test championship 2019-2021?

# Fact

1) You lose up to 30 percent of your taste buds during flight.

The English word with the most definitions is "set."

Koalas have fingerprints.

2)Whether or not you dream in black and white depends on whether you watched black-and-white television.

# Sudoku

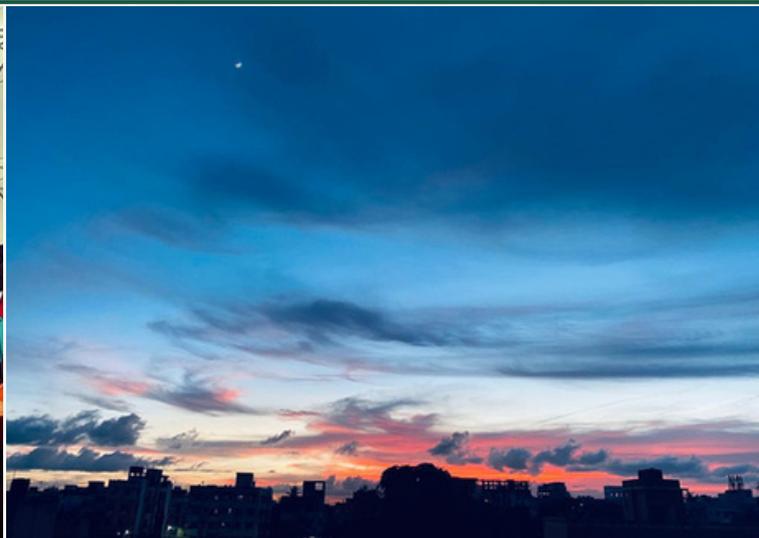
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## Answers

3	5	6	8	4	2	1	7	9
7	4	1	5	9	3	8	6	2
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**PICTURES SPEAK A MILLION WORDS!**



**Aishani Sarkar  
(IX-E)**

