

MONARCH BULL EDUCATION WITH A DIFFERENCE

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Middle & Secondary School's ANNUAL PRODUCTION Where Every Heartbeat Tells a Story

With the resounding beat of creativity and the harmonious union of talent, DPS Monarch International School celebrated its Annual Production 2024 "with a mesmerizing theme.



"The Rhythm of Life, Where every heartbeat tells a story" - An evening

where every note played and every movement danced wove together a rich tapestry of grandeur and finesse on a truly spectacular day of 26th November, 2024 at the

DPS Modern Indian School Auditorium between 4pm to 8pm. The Annual Production of DPS Monarch was indeed a twilight of remarkable creativity, Meshing melodies, Heart-rending drama, and Soulful emotions to deliver an unforgettable experience. The event was graced by a highly esteemed gathering of dignitaries, School

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functionaries, faculty members, parents and students, all of whom were united in















their admiration for the outstanding talent and dedication on display.

The momentous evening commenced with a warm welcome



Head Girl Elizabeth Binu Alapatt acknowledging the dignitaries for their gracious presence, followed by an elegant welcome dance performed by a set of illuminating dancers, setting a lively and celebratory tone for the occasion. The national anthems of India and Oatar were then performed, providing a moment of solemn unity and reverence, and underscoring the shared values of peace, respect, and cultural heritage. This was followed by a heartfelt prayer, invoking blessings for the success and prosperity of the school and its

Head Boy Antony Binu Alapatt and







The occasion was distinguished by the presence of several eminent guests, including the Chief Guest, His Excellency Mr. Vipul, Ambassador of India to Qatar; the Guest of Honour, Mr. Stephen Devassy, a virtuoso Indian pianist, composer, and performer of international repute; and Ms. Aisha Bint Mohammad Bin Hammam, the distinguished patron of the school. The dignitaries, along with members of the school's Executive Council. School president Mr. Yasir Nainar, Vice President Mr. George Thomas, School Directors Mr. Harish Kanjani,

Mr. Rocky Fernandes, Mr. Gopi Varadhan and Mr. Sonny Varghese, invited guests from sister concern Principal DPS MIS Ms. Asna Nafees and Mr. Dinesh Bakshi from MISSPPU Pune University were warmly felicitated with tokens of appreciation, acknowledging their invaluable support and guidance to the school and the wider community.

A highlight of the evening was the Principal's Address, delivered with poise and insight by Ms. Meenal Bakshi, who eloquently shared the school's unwavering commitment to providing a holistic and transformative educational experience. A captivating video accompanying the speech showcased the school's achievements, milestones, and dedication to nurturing not only academic excellence but also creativity, character, and personal growth.

The evening's musical journey was further enhanced by an electrifying performance from Mr. Stephen

Devassy. His exceptional talent on the piano mesmerized the audience, his virtuosity and emotion perfectly complemented the theme of the evening. Mr. Devassy's performance was a masterclass in musical expression, transcending language and culture to bring people together through the universal language of music.

Another significant moment was the unveiling of the school's annual yearbook, 'Reflections 2023'. This beautifully crafted publication











captured the essence of the academic year 2023-24, chronicling the achievements, milestones, and personal stories that have shaped the school's vibrant community.

The crescendo of the evening, however, was the highly anticipated theatrical production, "The Rhythm of Life". This poignant play, performed by the talented students of DPS Monarch, told the moving story of four childhood friends, who despite life's trials and tribulations, reunited to restore a music school that once served as the heartbeat of their village. The production was a testament to the power of resilience, unity, and the indomitable human spirit. Through powerful

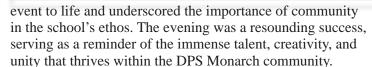






performances, intricate choreography, extravagant costumes, creative props and the evocative contributions of the school choir, the story unfolded in a beautifully synchronized display of artistry, leaving the audience visibly moved and in awe of the talent on stage.

As the evening drew to a close, the cast and crew were warmly applauded for their hard work, dedication, and creativity. The President of our school Mr. Yasir Nainar, delivered a heartfelt vote of thanks with a gesture of high praise and admiration, expressing his deep gratitude to the dignitaries, the leadership team, Principal Ms. Meenal Bakshi, Vice principal Ms. Madhu Uppal, Headmistress of Kindergarten and Lower Primary Ms. Avlin Blossom, as well as the teachers, and students with a standing ovation along with the parents. His words encapsulated the collective effort and spirit that brought the











Shaping Tomorrow: DPS Monarch MUN Conference

DPS MONARCH MUN 3-DAY CONFERENCE



Model United Nations, also known as MUN, is an educational simulation of the United Nations to teach the students about diplomacy, international relations and global issues. During an MUN conference, students assume the roles of representatives of countries, organizations, or individuals to collaborate and address global challenges

The First ever 3-day Monarch Model United Nations was conducted at DPS Monarch International school from October 17th- 19th 2024. The theme for this year's Conference was Youth, Peace and Security which is extremely relevant in the troubled times that we are living in. The students not only honed their debating and diplomatic skills but also instilled a profound sense of global awareness and responsibility towards refugee crisis at Monarch MUN

The conference was successfully facilitated by the Social Science Department of Secondary Wing and under the guidance of our dynamic



Vice Principal Ms. Madhu Uppal, along with the mentors and students from Grade VIII to XII.

relevant in this trouble shooting times.

Fiery and passionate discussions ignited across the committees, that was guided by a dedicated Secretariat where Antony Alapatt served as Secretary-General, with Elizabeth Alapatt as Deputy Secretary-General. The position of President of the General Assembly was held by Laarya Mathew, while Omar Ahmed led as Head of Delegate Affairs. The administrative team was efficiently managed by Co-Heads of Admin, Rita Alapatt and Angelina Kurella. Azmi Fathima excelled as Head of Press along with Amaan Anoop as the Deputy Head of Press. Subbulakshman Prabushankar skillfully managed the dual roles as the Head of Tech and was a delegate himself.



Day 1 of Monarch MUN witnessed the much-anticipated inaugural ceremony graced by esteemed dignitaries. Chief Guest Ms. Bindu Nair, Second Secretary (Information, Culture & Education) at the Embassy of India to Qatar, along with School President Mr. Yasir Nainar and Vice President









Mr. George Thomas, joined the occasion to lend their support and encouragement. Principal Ms. Meenal Bakshi highlighted the invaluable skills that students gain through MUN, such as diplomacy, critical thinking, and global awareness. After a warm welcome, the ceremony continued with a thought-provoking keynote address, setting the stage for this year's event. As the opening









MONARCH MUN 2024



ceremony concluded, committee sessions officially commenced, with enthusiastic delegates ready to engage in meaningful discussions and debates. Day 2 of the Monarch MUN began with various participating schools engaging in intense debate, amendments and resolutions highlighting their oratory skills. It concluded with 'Social' where "Link-Qatar," a youth organization engaged the audience with their music which was highly appreciated by all the attendees. The evening concluded with a dinner and networking which provided an opportunity for all the students to make new connections and cherish their memorable moments of Monarch MUN 2024.

Day 3 concluded with the head chairs of each committee sharing their reflections and announcing the Best Delegates of their respective

committees. The event then transitioned into the much-anticipated Prize Distribution Ceremony, recognizing the Best Delegates and Honorable Mentions. This was followed by a heartfelt Vote of Thanks by Mr. Antony Alapatt, the Secretary General of Monarch MUN, who officially brought the three-day conference to a close with the striking of the gavel.

The DPS MONARCH MUN was resounding success with the participation of over 300 students from different schools in Qatar. It was engaging with the lively debates and thoughtful resolutions, innovative approaches exhibited by each of the delegates. DPS Monarch International School is excited to carry forward this proud tradition, continuing to spread global awareness and nurturing leadership skills in our students for many years to come.

The newsletter is followed by the MUN Chronicles published by the student community.











"Courage starts with showing up and letting ourselves be seen"

DPS Monarch International School proudly hosted its first-ever **TEDx** event on 9th November 2024 showcasing a gathering of influential speakers and the school community.

Committee members, other key functionaries, other invited guests and Students of grade 12.

Organized by the talented students of Grade XI under the mentorship

to share their unique perspectives and life experiences, fostering a culture of intellectual curiosity and bold aspirations. The TEDx stage featured five distinguished speakers: Ms. Fatema Agarkar,











The event saw the gracious presence of Ms. Aisha Bint Hammam, the school patron, along with the school President, Mr. Yasir Nainar, School vice President Mr. George Thomas. Principal, Ms. Meenal Bakshi; Executive

of School **TEDx** Club in charge Ms. Sudha Buvaneswaran, who along with Activity Coordinator Ms. Radhika Pradeep Kumar ensured a seamless and inspiring experience for all attendees. The theme, "Roll the Dice," encouraged speakers

Mr. Ruban Faisal, Ms. Nisha Shivram, Mr. Pramod Shetty, and Master Antony Binu Alapatt, each speaker captivated the audience with unique perspectives which emphasized the tag line of our











TEDx - Inspiring voices, igniting change.

The event marked a milestone in the school's history, promoting a platform for exchanging ideas and embracing diverse perspectives. It left the audience deeply inspired and eager for more such enriching experiences. It was a vibrant platform, inspiring the audience with stories of innovation, perseverance, and the power of taking chances.



















Gandhi Jayanti
elebrations

DPS Monarch international School organised a special assembly to honour and remember the Father of our Nation Mahatma Gandhi on 2nd October 2024. Mr. Yasir Nainar, the School President was the Chief Guest for the event where he was felicitated by the School Principal, Ms. Meenal Bakshi and the Student Council members. The



Essay Competition

The winners of in third position:

Yarthagya (6G)

Sweetha Padmanaban (9D)

The winners in Second Position:

Muhammed Tamim Shanavas (4L) Prajawal (7C)

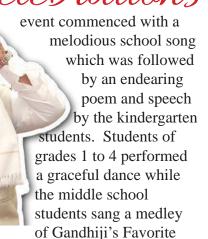
Purva Manish Kumar Patel (11A)

The winners in First Position:

Jennifer Maria Jobin (5B)

Amal Mariyam (8E)

Eyafiya (9D)



compositions. The Secondary School students performed a street play where the life and principles of Mahatma Gandhi were brought to life. The event concluded with an ensemble of Gandhi Parade where students of grades 1-9 participated with great enthusiasm.







As a part of Gandhi Jayanti celebrations, our school conducted **Essay and Painting Competitions** from Grade 1 to 12 in the school last week under the 'Swacchta Hee Sewa Campaign'. Our Chief Guest, Mr. Yasir Nainar, Principal, Ms. Meenal Bakshi and the School Key Functionaries were invited on the dais to felicitate the winners of the competitions.

Winners of Painting Competition

The third Position winners:

Poompaavai (1G)

Vinya Singhal (8A)

Vrinda Singhal (9B)

The second Position:

Haazim (3M)

Yazhini (7D)

Parshava (9B)

The first Position winners:

Ahmad Akif (3L)

Isha Dhanoon (8E)

Aditi Ravi (9A)

Amal Mariyam (8E)

Eyafiya (9D)

CLEANLINESS DRIVE









Little Hands, Big Hearts: FOOD DRIVE

On October 13th, 2024, the Monarchians organized a heartwarming pet food drive that highlighted compassion and creativity. This initiative aimed to collect food for animals in need while teaching children important lessons about empathy, teamwork, and community service.

Children participated with enthusiasm, dressing as their favorite pets. A special assembly featured songs and dances related to the theme of the event, further enriching the experience. Monarchians were encouraged to donate cat and dog food, as well as bowls and pots, which would be given to a local animal shelter.

Activities included KG1 students creating paper plate cats and KG2 students engaging in a rabbit-themed project. The pet food drive was a resounding success, demonstrating the impact of youth activism and community involvement. Through such initiatives, children not only contribute positively to their communities but also grow up to be compassionate adults.

This event will surely be remembered as a foundational experience in their early education, instilling values that last a lifetime. In alignment with the CBSE under the NEP program's Bagless School policy, students arrived without backpacks, bringing only their lunch bags.

















Qatar Animal Welfare Society جمعيــــة قطــر لـرعــايـــة الحــ













ANNUAL SCIENCE FEST 2024

In our endeavor to develop scientific attitude and fervor in our students. DPS Monarch International school organized a Science Fest under the theme 'The Power of Science: Transforming Lives and Society'. This Science Exhibition offered the students an opportunity to showcase their scientific attitude and aptitude. Several innovative and creative projects were presented by students of grades 6-12.

GRADE 6 presented their models based on the theme 'Carbon footprints and climate change'; Grade 7 prepared various models on the theme 'Biofuels and bio plastics'; Grade 8 worked on integrating the theme 'Space exploration and colonization', Grade 9 and 10 were given the topic of 'Green and Clean Energy' while Grade 11 and 12 presented futuristic models 'integrating Artificial Intelligence'.

The Science Fest commenced with an inspiring opening ceremony where our School Principal Ms. Meenal Bakshi addressed the gathering of students, parents, Guest and judges commending the remarkable turnout and lauded the students for the high level of participation for the science fest. The Chief Guest of the event Dr. Bimlendu B Nath was felicitated by the School Principal and the Key Functionaries. In his address Dr. Nath encouraged the students to always think scientifically and its importance in contemporary times.

The Judges of the Exhibition Mr. V. Sai Prakash a network



consultant appreciated the level of scientific temperament in the students. Ms. Mini Devdas, Head Of the Department of Science from DPS MIS also acknowledged the students for their hard work while the Judge Dr. Devendra Kumar, a medical professional also praised the innovative and resourceful approaches demonstrated by the young scientists.

The winners from each grade were felicitated in a glittering prize distribution ceremony which saw over 75 students achieving gold, silver and bronze medals for their exemplary creations and scientific acumen.

The Science Fest was a resounding success, offering students a valuable opportunity to channelize their curiosity and innovation into meaningful scientific projects. Congratulations to all the winners, participants, and the dedicated Science Department for organizing such a memorable and enriching experience.















Children's Day

Children's Day is celebrated on 14th of November every year. On this day India, the nation remembers the birth anniversary of India's first Prime Minister Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru, who was very much fond of children. His love for children earned him the title "Chacha Nehru". Children are the future of tomorrow's world. This day serves as a tribute to his love and concern for young minds and as a reminder to prioritize children's basic needs, including education,





healthcare, and protection from exploitation by keeping all the good benefits of kids and development in mind.

On this day our little Monarchian's came dressed up in vibrant colors and adding a crown to their look





to make themselves feel like Prince and Princesses. Additionally, they got their favorite snacks and enjoyed a fun filled movie time along with their friends.

Happy children day to every child on this wonderful Planet Earth.

Little Hearts Celebrate Gandhi Jayanti: Lessons of Peace and Nonviolence

The Monarchians proudly celebrated Gandhi Jayanti, honoring the legacy of the great freedom fighter Mahatma Gandhi. KG1 students showcased their creativity with a 'Chakra' activity in their drawing books, while KG2 students learned about Gandhiji's three golden rules: Speak no evil, see no evil, and hear no evil.

Some students embraced the spirit of the occasion by dressing as Gandhiji and delivered short speeches about his life and values. This engaging experience helped them understand



the significance of these principles and their relevance in daily life. Through this celebration, the Monarchians gained insight into the teachings of one of history's greatest leaders, Mahatma Gandhi.











Honoring Community Heroes: **A Special Celebration for Monarchians**











On 21st of November, Our Little Monarchian's had an amazing celebration of Community Helpers Day, one of the most exciting and educational events of the year. Community Helpers Day is an event where students learn about the different professionals who serve and contribute to the wellbeing of everyone around them and protect their communities. These professionals can include farmers, drivers, attenders, plumbers, painters, chef, construction workers, sanitation workers, and more. The goal of this day is not only to educate students about the roles these individuals play in society but also to encourage respect and gratitude for their hard work and dedication.

A show and tell activity were held regarding this where the students were given a chance to express their opinions on the roles and responsibilities of various helpers. They did this by expressing their thoughts. The day might spark an interest in a specific profession for the tiny tots. By learning about different careers, students can begin to dream about their own future paths.

This day is more than just a fun celebration- it's an opportunity for the students to develop an understanding of the world, respect for others, and an appreciation for the many roles that help make their communities function smoothly.

Career Adventures:

Monarchians Celebrate A Day With Professionals

On November 7th, the Monarchians celebrated A Day with Professionals, where students dressed up as their favorite professions or wore costumes representing exciting careers. Teachers and parents collaborated to organize this event, with volunteering parents setting up stalls in the MPH hall, each representing a different profession. Dressed in the attire of their respective fields, parents explained their roles, sparking enthusiasm and curiosity among the children.

The children eagerly visited each stall, asking questions and learning more about the professions. Afterwards, students from

KG1 and KG2 participated in craft activities, creating paper plate representations of various professions such as doctors,







engineers, chef, firefighters etc.

The event also allowed the students to speak about their favorite professions, giving them the opportunity to express their dreams and ideas. Professional Day is a fun and meaningful experience for the Monarchians, opening their eyes to the diverse world of work. Through hands-on activities that engage their curiosity, creativity, and communication skills, children not only gain knowledge about different careers but also appreciate the value each profession brings to the community. This event encourages the Our Little Monarchians to dream big, explore

new possibilities, and think about their future in an engaging and playful way.





Discovering the Wonders of Math: The Ramanujan Way!

In Grade 1, we hosted an online Ramanujan Quiz to celebrate the mathematical brilliance of our young Monarchians, inspired by the man who explored infinity, Srinivasa Ramanuian. Our little Monarchians dived into the world of numbers with enthusiasm, showcasing their problemsolving abilities and love for learning. We are proud of our little geniuses who secured 1st, 2nd, and 3rd positions, reflecting their dedication and growing confidence in math.

This event offered a wonderful opportunity for our students to explore mathematics in a fun and engaging way!















STEAM:

"ALL THE WORLD IS A LABORATORY TO THE LITTLE INQUIRING MINDS"

STEAM is an educational approach that incorporates teaching and learning that combines science, technology, engineering,

and problem-solving into the more developing practical skills in a creative way. STEAM programs include any painting, photography and writing.

To incorporate this approach and to develop the and digital literacy, students of grade 2 plunged into the world of innovation where they were given a brief knowledge better on the topic, a Quiz was conducted.

The greatest benefit of STEAM is that it fosters the love and passion of learning during the elementary years.











Tick-Tock, Time to Learn: **CRAFTING CLOCKS,**



Learning is always fun, and math is no exception! To make learning enjoyable, our enthusiastic Monarchians of Grade 1 created their own paper plate clocks as part of their math lesson on Time and Calendar. They set the time on their handmade clocks and wrote it down, helping them understand how to read and set the time. This creative activity made learning about clocks both engaging and educational, sparking excitement while enhancing their understanding of time.





In our EVS class, students explored the magic of air and learned why it's so important. To make learning fun, they made their own paper airplanes and couldn't wait to see which one would fly the fastest! This simple, hands-on activity filled the classroom with excitement, as each child discovered more about the wonders of air in a playful way.



LANGUAGE FIESTA - FRENCH

"A DIFFERENT LANGUAGE IS A **DIFFERENT VISION OF LIFE"**

The French language comes from the beautiful city of love 'FRANCE', its widely regarded to be among the most beautiful languages in the world. French is spoken in five different continents, making it one of the most useful second language for travelling. After English, French is the most learned second language in Europe and around the world, it is also an official language of many of the world's organizations like United Nations, NATO, UNESCO.

To enrich this language, our little Monarchians of Grade1 and 2 proudly presented their French assembly that show cased the beauty of this language through action songs, group dance and fashion show to exhibit the culture and etiquette dressing style of France. The students who witnessed the assembly thoroughly enjoyed it



by setting a positive tone of learning new words from the language.





LANGUAGE FIESTA - HINDI

A COLOURFUL CELEBRATION OF CULTURE AND LANGUAGE!

The Language Fiesta commenced in the first week

of October, featuring assemblies celebrating different languages.

Our Grade 1& 2 Hindi Assembly was a visual treat, with young Monarchians dressed in traditional cultural attire delivering wonderful performances, including dance, song, skit and speech. A big congratulations to the entire Hindi department and our talented



Monarchians for a fantastic start to the fest!









D KANNADA HERITAGE A BEAUTIFUL JOL

Our little Monarchians from Grades 1 and 2 celebrated the beauty of Tamil and Kannada in a vibrant Language Fiesta assembly. Through amazing



action songs, traditional dances, and an informative skit, our young Monarchians highlighted the importance of farming and preserving their cultural roots. Dressed in traditional





attire, their performances beautifully showcased the rich heritage of these languages, fostering a deep appreciation for Tamil and Kannada.















HEALTHY HANDS, HAPPY HEARTS: LITTLE CHEFS CREATING NUTRITIOUS DELIGHTS

In October, our enthusiastic Grade 1 Monarchians participated in a fun Flameless Cooking activity during their monthly club session. The young chefs made fruit salads, vegetable salads, and lemonade, learning about the nutritional value of each ingredient and the importance of a healthy diet. This hands-on experience not only enhanced their culinary skills but

excited to discover how simple and enjoyable it can be to create nutritious meals without using fire.







ASSEMBLIES

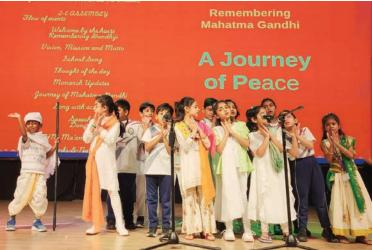
GRADE 2E ASSEMBLY

Grade 2E presented their class assembly on the theme "Remembering Mahatma Gandhi: A Journey of peace." The Assembly was a resounding success, it featured various performances such as a skit highlighting different stages of Gandhiji's life showcasing his principles and values, followed by a patriotic dance and inspiring speech. The students had a complete insight of the life of Mahatma Gandhi as they thoroughly enjoyed the assembly.





JOURNEY OF PEACE







GRADE 2F ASSEMBLY



GRADE 2H ASSEMBLY

activities like speech, song and an experiment that was absolutely fabulous with an insight of cognitive learning.

COMPASSION AND KINDNESS

Grade 2 H presented their class assembly on the 25th of September, on the theme "Compassion and kindness"

They started of by reiterating on the School's Mission, Vision and Motto followed by the School song which reminds us to be compassionate.

A rhyming poem on compassion was presented, which stated that kindness is a glow that lights up the dark and a

helping hand when times are tough so let compassion be spread far and wide.

The students also presented a skit on how to depict compassion in their daily lives among peers,



towards the elderly, differently abled and even towards animals. A song on kindness and compassion made the program more lively and vibrant.











GRADE 2J ASSEMBLY

Grade 2J presented their assembly on 18th September. The theme of the assembly was "SAVE WATER-SAVE LIFE" which reflected one of the UNSDG goals. To raise an awareness about the water crisis, the students performed a song composed by AR Rehman – 'MISSION PAANI' which was beautifully sung by students which made us realize its importance that aimed towards saving water and sustaining it for generations to come. They also presented a small skit on the theme. 'SENSITIVITY' as a value that was incorporated to emphasize the theme 'SAVE WATER- SAVE LIFE' and the Slogan-"NO BLUE-NO GREEN".

"SAVE WATER-SAVE LIFE"









GRADE 2L ASSEMBLY

COMPASSION AND KINDNESS

Today's assembly focused on the theme of thankfulness - a vital aspect of fostering a positive and supportive community. The students of Grade 2L gathered to explore what it means to be thankful, why it's important, and how we can cultivate a spirit of gratitude in our daily lives. The students recited poems and performed dance about thankfulness, setting a positive tone for the assembly and engaging the young audience emotionally.















The preliminary round of the Grade 1 Fancy Dress Competition brought forth vibrant creativity, with our young Monarchians enthusiastically introducing themselves and their favorite characters from books, movies, and beyond. The best three from each class were chosen for this round, showcasing their talent and passion as they prepare for a chance to represent DPS Monarch in the Qatar Indian School Youth Festival KALANJALI 2024.















CHILDREN'S DAY A DAY OF JOY AND LEARNING



Aligned with the CBSE NEP program, Grades 1 and 2 celebrated Children's Day with a unique and engaging Bagless Day. The day was filled with hands-on activities that seamlessly blended learning and fun, bringing classroom lessons to life.

Our little Monarchians delighted in watching a movie, sharing their favorite snacks with friends, and creating beautiful memories together. The celebration fostered joy, friendship, and meaningful learning, making it a truly memorable experience for all.















"EVERY CHILD IS AN ARTIST"

- PABLO PICASSO

In November, the Art and Craft Club was full of creativity and color! Our little Monarchians dived into



exciting activities like landscape drawing, finger art, and crafting.

Each creation was a reflection of their



imagination, bringing joy and inspiration throughout the month. It was a wonderful journey filled with colorful expressions and creative fun!

The art of folding paper into shapes representing objects (e.g., flowers or birds) type of: art, artistic creation, artistic production to make different 3-dimensional shapes is known

as origami, our little artists of grade 2 were busy with this craft wherein they enjoyed and learnt making animal origami, like fox face, finger puppets and fish.



























PROFESSIONAL DAY:

Celebrating Professional Day with our young Monarchians in Grade 1 and 2 was a wonderful sight! Dressed in costumes representing their favourite professions, our students proudly spoke about the roles they admire, from doctors and engineers to artists and chefs. Through this fun and inspiring activity, they learned the value of respecting every profession and the contributions each one makes to society. Their excitement and pride were truly heartwarming.

EVERY PROFESSION HAS ITS OWN DIGNITY, AND EVERY ROLE DESERVES RESPECT























PROFESSIONAL DAY









Multiplication

There was a Math Multiplication activity conducted for Grade 2 students on 24th Nov 24. The students learned the basic concepts of multiplication like multiplier, multiplicand and product and to comprehend the concept they did a play way method on an A4 paper with help of stickers and Smilies. It helped them learn the concept easily and in a better way.















SAFAL stands for Structured Assessment for Analyzing Learning, an initiative by the CBSE aimed at competencybased assessment. It is designed to evaluate students' understanding of core concepts, higher-order thinking skills, and their ability to apply learning to real-life situations.

At DPS Monarch, students in Grades 5 and 8 (now in Grades 6 and 9 for the 2024–2025 session) were assessed in Language, Science, and Mathematics through multiple-choice questions. This diagnostic assessment has been instrumental in tracking their learning progress throughout the year.



UNLEASHING CREATIVITY AND INNOVATION IN EVERY PROJECT: MAKING LEARNING FUN, HANDS-ON, AND EXCITING

As part of our STEAM Week (Science, Technology, Engineering, Art, and Math), students from Grades 6, 7, and 8 engaged in dynamic, hands-on activities designed to deepen their understanding of scientific principles while fostering creativity, critical thinking, and problem-solving skills. Each grade undertook different projects aligned with their learning levels, emphasizing practical application, collaboration, and exploration.

Grade 6: Car Engineering Project

Grade 6 students embraced an exciting engineering challenge by designing and building balloonpowered cars. Utilizing materials like plastic bottles,



bottle caps, straws, skewers, and balloons, they explored concepts of force, motion, and basic mechanics. Through this project, students learned how to construct functional cars, test their performance, and refine their designs for greater efficiency. This experience introduced them to fundamental engineering concepts while emphasizing creativity, trial and error, and teamwork.

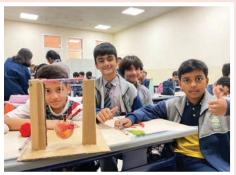
Grade 7: Beam Bridge Construction

In Grade 7, students tackled the challenge of designing and constructing model beam bridges using plastic drinking

straws and tape. Working collaboratively in engineering teams, they created truss patterns and tested various geometric shapes to understand their impact on structural strength. This hands-on activity not only fostered

teamwork and problem-solving skills but also taught essential engineering principles.

Grade 8: The "Apple Annihilator" Experiment Grade 8 students conducted the "Apple Annihilator" experiment during STEAM Week. In teams, they built apple-based wrecking balls to knock down marker "bowling pins." This project allowed students to explore Newton's Third Law of Motion, potential and kinetic energy, and basic engineering concepts in an engaging manner.



Each project offered a unique learning experience tailored to the students' developmental stages, enriching their knowledge and preparing them for future STEAM explorations.





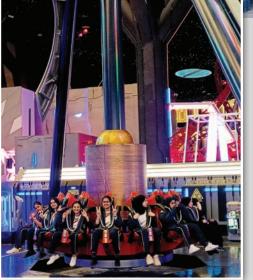
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EDUCATIONAL FIELD TRIP

"The best education you will get is travelling. Nothing teaches you more than travelling and accumulating experiences".





DPS Monarch International School organized an educational field trip on the 22nd of October 2024 to Doha Quest which is an indoor experiential theme park located within Doha Oasis Mixed-Use Development in Msheireb.

Students of grades 9-12 got an opportunity to experience the storybased entertainment park with more than 30 rides & attractions, featuring a mix of adrenaline-heavy thrill rides, media-controlled simulators, virtual reality experiences and sense of adventure.

Students actively participated to cultivate the love for learning by engaging in rides and activities which blended fun & education which resulted in Edutainment and learnt about the values of friendship, trust, respect, and excellence.

























Grade 1 and 2 students at our school observed Down Syndrome Awareness Month through an engaging and informative sessions along with our school Mascot Chiku. The interactive program aimed to foster empathy,

understanding, and inclusion, emphasizing the importance of respecting individual differences. Through discussions, activities, and personal stories, students gained valuable insights into Down Syndrome, demonstrating

remarkable enthusiasm and curiosity. By promoting awareness and acceptance, we strive to create a supportive and inclusive environment, empowering our young learners to value diversity and become compassionate global citizens.







ANNUAL FORUM FOR CAREER GUIDANCE COUSELORS

The 10th Annual Forum for Career Guidance Counselors 2024, organized by Qatar Career Development Center (QCDC), took place from 25th September 2024 to 27th September 2024 at the Multaga Student Centre, Doha. This year's theme, "Towards Success Together," emphasized the collective effort required to prepare students for the future while fostering collaboration between educators, counselors, and industry professionals. The session was attended by school counsellors Ms. Akanksha Srivastava and Ms. Reema Raheja.

The forum featured renowned speakers and experts who addressed the growing need for tailored career guidance in an ever-evolving job market. Notable keynote speakers included Ms. Melissa Deschamps, Embassy Representative from Education USA, who energized

"The future belongs to those who prepare for it today."



the audience by starting the session with an interactive trivia challenge. It was followed by a session on "Finding the **Perfect Match: Selecting the Ideal** University and Major" by Ms. Samichya Kawle, representative from the University of California, Santa Cruz, highlighting the importance of choosing the right career. Ms. Greta Carlson, Senior Recruitment Manager (US) INTO University highlighted International Student Services and the importance of career guidance in shaping a successful workforce and pathways to start with the profile building. The 10th Annual Forum for Career Guidance Counselors was an invaluable opportunity for professional growth and collaboration. The insights gained will be applied to enhance the career counseling programs at our school, ensuring that students are equipped to succeed in a dynamic and interconnected world.







MENTAL HEALTH MONTH- AWARENESS PROGRAMME

The Secondary Section of DPS Monarch International School took a proactive step in promoting mental health awareness during Mental Health Month in October. Special educator Ms. Thamarai Selvi led an informative session for students in grades 9 to 12, focusing on Down Syndrome and Learning Disabilities. This initiative aimed to enhance understanding and foster inclusivity among students, highlighting the importance of mental health education in the school community.

The Session started with Calm-down activities and Open discussion exploring factors and misconceptions about LD and Down Syndrome was explained.

Students were also made aware of the CBSE support and resources for inclusive education. The session was the perfect example of empowering youth with knowledge and compassion!





INFORMATION SESSION ON NEP 2020

DPS Monarch International School organized an information session for teachers of grades KG to grade 12 on NEP 2020 by Prof. (Dr.) Nitin Karmalkar - Former Vice Chancellor of Pune University and the Chairman of the Steering Committee for the Implementation of NEP 2020.

He was accompanied by Prof. (Dr.) Suresh Gosavi, Vice Chancellor of Pune University, Pune, India who also gave a brief introduction about NEP 2020. The session commenced with a Felicitation of the guests by the School President Mr. Yasir Nainar, School Principal Ms. Meenal Bakshi and the Key Functionaries. The School President also welcomed the eminent guest and urged all teachers to utilize the opportunity and gain more information on NEP 2020.

An interactive session on the National Education Policy (NEP) 2024 highlighted the policy's vision to prioritize not only the Right to Education but also Right Education for all, importance of an inclusive and adaptive educational structure that nurtures students and offers guidance to aid them in choosing fulfilling career paths. NEP 2024's progressive framework allows students the flexibility to change career directions as their interests evolve, fostering a supportive environment for personal growth. Additionally, the policy seeks to maintain the autonomous structure of education policy





light but tight, a structure that allows institutions the freedom to adapt syllabus to societal needs while being regulated by a single body overseeing education, funding, and accreditation.

The introduction of a dual degree concept, combining major and minor fields, was also emphasized, enabling students - such as engineering majors - to broaden their knowledge by studying complementary disciplines like humanities, arts, or music. The session concluded with an engaging Q&A, where teachers had their questions clarified, deepening their understanding of NEP 2024's approach to holistic education.







QATAR DEBATE

IGNITING MINDS THROUGH WORKSHOPS AND TRAININGS

Qatar Debate has been instrumental and to promote debate clubs in school. in nurturing the art of persuasion, critical thinking, and eloquence among students at our school. The workshops and training sessions organized by Oatar Debate were an embodiment of excellence. Teachers and students had the opportunity to learn from seasoned debaters, coaches, and experts who shared their insights on various aspects of the art of debate. These sessions not only imparted valuable knowledge but also instilled the confidence to express one's opinions with clarity and conviction.

QATAR DEBATE ONLINE WORKSHOPS

Debate Online Oatar workshops commenced from 6th October 2024 to 10th October and from 27th October to 31st October 2024 for Preparatory Schools and Secondary School Senior Debate League via Zoom from 4:00 -5:30 pm.

Public Speaking workshop was held on 6th October, Debate Format on 7th October Motion Analysis on 8th October Case Building on 9th October 2024 **Argumentation & Refutation** on 10th October 2024

These online workshops were attended by prospective students of Grade VII to IX. The workshops were monitored by Faculty of English: Ms. Rajeshwari Lakshminarasimhan, Ms. Payal, Ms. Anamika Sehgal, Ms. Himaya Dennis, Ms. Seerat Mehraj, Ms. Anamika, Ms. Shamva Shetty and Qatar Debate School Co Ordinator Ms. Nausheen Ali.

The purpose of attending workshops was to enhance students with Critical Thinking, develop Motion Analysis skills, preparing base for Case Building, how to present Argumentation & Refutation and to know the Qatar Debate Format.

QATAR DEBATE TEACHERS' TRAINING

Qatar Debate has designed an interactive training program to help the teachers to acquire skills of debating

Debate judges play a critical role in our debate competitions.

Running and Coaching a Debate Club Training by Qatar Debate was



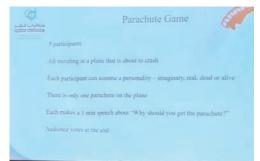
held on 28th 2024 September 2024 for budding trainee judges from the schools in Qatar. The two-day training focused on Setting up a Debate Club, Debate Format, Public Speaking, Critical Thinking & Argumentation and Case Preparation. The Faculty of English: Ms. Shamya Shetty and Ms. **Secrat Mehraj** attended the trainings to understand the debating format offered by Qatar Debate.

The **Beginner Judges Training** program was held on 19th October 2024 at Multaqa, Education City, Qatar. This training was attended by The Faculty of English: Ms. Shamya Shetty, Ms.Seerat Mehraj and Ms. Payal Jain who had a great experience in this session as it improved their critical and analytical thinking skills. The training program aimed to empower our teachers with the tools, techniques, and knowledge needed to guide students in the art of debate.

We extend our gratitude to Qatar Debate for their dedication to nurturing the art of debate at for school's teachers and students. The skills acquired through these workshops and training are invaluable, preparing our students to be confident, informed, and influential leaders of tomorrow.

Qatar Debate Screening: Nurturing Future Debaters: Date:16.09.2024 & 3.10.2024

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Oatar Debate Screening organized at DPS Monarch International School was conducted to shortlist the excellent and talented speakers. Grade VII to IX and XI screening was done on 2nd October 2024 to 3rd October 2024 and Grade X and XII screening was done on 19th September 2024 which was evaluated by the Head of the English Department, Ms. Sudha Bhuvaneswaran, Faculty English: Ms. Rajeshwari Lakshminarasimhan, Ms. Anamika Sehgal, Ms. Himaya Dennis, Ms. Paval Jain and Ms. Nausheen Ali and Activity Coordinator Grade IX to XII, Ms. Radhika Pradeep Kumar, SST faculty Mr. Aban Samuel.



The Tournaments for Preparatory and Secondary Schools will be conducted in the month of November on Saturdays. Selected students will be notified through mail with further details by the Qatar Debate School Coordinator, Ms. Nausheen Ali.





AWARENESS SESSION BY THE JUVENILE POLICE DEPARTMENT OF MOI





The Juvenile Police Department of the Ministry of Interior (MOI) conducted an insightful awareness session for students of Grades 7 to 12 at DPS Monarch International

School. Led by Captain Abdul Azeez Al-Suvaidi, the session was delivered in Arabic and skillfully translated into English by Mr. Umer Hudawi.

The session focused on educating students about both forms of bullying-

cyber and physical-while also raising awareness about their Juvenile Rights. Students were encouraged to ask questions and clarify any concerns they had regarding

their rights and safety.

The session was highly appreciated by the students and provided them with crucial knowledge about their rights as juveniles, empowering them to protect themselves and others.

MENTAL HEALTH AWARENESS SESSION

Grade 6 to 8 Students Embrace Wellness

Mental Health Awareness Month is observed in October to raise awareness of mental health issues. Our school has taken a proactive step in this month towards promoting mental wellness among its students.



A session was conducted for Grade 6 to 8 students by our school special educator and counselor Ms. Thamarai Selvi, focusing on the importance of mental health. Students were made aware about Dyslexia, a learning difference that affects reading, writing, and spelling and information shared about Down Syndrome, a condition that affects physical and cognitive development.



Overall, the session helped students to understand the needs and requirements of the children with special needs and the challenges

SESSION BY WSC

Preparing for the New Session of World Scholar's Cup

On October 21, 2024, DPS Monarch International School hosted an exciting session for middle school students, featuring Ms. Raudzah, a representative and the importance of teamwork in from the World Scholar's Cup (WSC) team. The event aimed to familiarize

students with the prestigious global academic competition, providing insights into its structure, rounds, and the diverse topics it covers.

Ms. Raudzah guided the students through the four main rounds of the competition - Team Debate, Collaborative Writing,



Scholar's Bowl, and Scholar's Challenge. She emphasized the interdisciplinary nature of the WSC succeeding. The upcoming themes were also introduced, inspiring students

> to explore global issues with creativity and critical thinking.

Her engaging presentation sparked curiosity and excitement, motivating students to broaden their perspectives and embrace global learning challenges.









QATAR INDIAN SCHOOL YOUTH FESTIVAL REMARKABLE ACHIEVEMENTS AT 'KALANJALI 2024'

The highly anticipated Qatar Indian School Youth Festival Kalanjali 2024 marked its vibrant fourth season on October 28 to October 31, 2024, daily from 3 PM to 10 PM. This grand event showcased the exceptional talents and skills of students from various Indian schools in the fields of culture, literature, and the arts.

Congratulations to all the participants for their remarkable achievements at the Qatar Indian School Youth Festival, Kalanjali 2024!



1st position in the Junior Bharatnatyam Solo Aardra Sudheer -

Grade 7

3rd position **Sub Junior Folk** Dance Solo

Ishani Mahesh Pillai-Grade 4









1st position Sub Junior Folk Dance Group

Aadya Amith - Grade 1 Vaidehi Mittal - Grade 2 Mehreen Mohammed Basil - Grade 2 Angelene Mariam Rijo - Grade 3 Vamika Vipin Nair - Grade 3 Nandhika Velluva Puthenveedu - Grade 3 Lanza Bint Shavad - Grade 3 Rishika Pandey - Grade 3 Vajra Vivek - Grade 3 Ishani Mahesh Pillai - Grade 4



1st Prize

Junior Folk Dance Group

Armash Suhel - Grade 5 Guhan Raj Velamala - Grade 6 Aadithya Surya Narayanan - Grade 6 Siddharth Shanmuk - Grade 6 Malk Tamer - Grade 6 Aardra Sudheer - Grade 7 Gargi Vinod Sakharkar – Grade 7 Shraddha Narayanan - Grade 8 Shanice Chendur - Grade 8 Riyan Rupesh Thobani - Grade 8



2nd position in the Senior Instrumental Music - Violin Nikethana Cynthia Pandian - Grade



3rd position in the **Junior Western Music** Catharin Binu Jospeh - Grade 6



NATYA PRATIBHA CLASSICAL **DANCE COMPETITION**



DPS Monarch International School is thrilled to announce that our school has secured 1st position in the Natya Pratibha Classical Dance Competition organized by Olive International School on 19th October under the mentorship of our exceptional dance teacher, Ms. Rakhi at Olive

International School.

The dance program celebrated our culture through captivating Indian Classical Dance: Bharatnatyam depicting Narasimha Avatharam.

Congratulations to all the students and the entire Cultural department.

RAPID CHESS **TOURNAMENT**



Our little Monarchian of grade 2 J participated in Rapid **Chess Tournament** organized by Grand Mall CSL and won the first prize in the category of girls

(under 7). Congratulations to our little one for bringing laurels and adding fame to our institution. Our heartfelt congratulations to her on her amazing accomplishment.

HACKATHON 2024

Students of grade 11 and 12 of DPS Monarch International School participated in the Hackathon 2024 - Hackathon for Programming and App/Website Development Challenge held on 15th and 16th November 2024 at DPS Modern Indian School, Qatar. The Participants Rohan Jean, Ronith Jean, Syed Irtiza Jafar, Seshasayee, Lavya Ashish Gohil were ably guided by their Mentor – Ms. Deepa Gianchandani. The students engaged in a two-day challenge focused on programming and creating innovative apps or websites. The theme of the Hackathon "Education ad EdTech: Build platform that enhance learning experiences or make education more accessible."

Day-1:

After the opening ceremony, participants dived straight into coding. The teams began working on their projects, which



ranged from mobile apps

to websites, utilizing various technologies and platforms. By the end of the day, all teams were required to submit their working projects included both the project

files and a presentation showcasing their work.



This day began with the evaluation phase, where each team had the opportunity to present their



projects to a panel of judges. The students presented their apps and websites, explaining the problem they aimed to solve, the features of their solutions, and the technology used to build them. The presentation and demo sessions were followed by Q&A, where the judges asked insightful questions to further understand the students' thought processes, design choices, and coding challenges they encountered during development.





Monarchians shine at THIMUM:

THE QATAR LEADERSHIP CONFERENCE

THIMUN Oatar offers one of the largest professional development conferences in the Middle East. The Qatar Leadership Conference (QLC) 2024, part of THIMUN Qatar, was held on 8-9th November at Qatar Academy, offering over 130 unique workshops to foster



student leadership. This unique two day helped in bringing together internationally renowned thought leaders, local professionals and educators, and most importantly, globally minded students.

Grade 10 and Grade 11 students participated in this 2 day event, conducted unique workshop and received good feedback.

Grade 11 students Avika and Mithulashree conducted an engaging workshop on a crucial topic, 'Unlocking Your Potential To Thrive In Tomorrow's World', that centered on developing soft skills essential in the 21st century. They addressed the gap, highlighting the need for a wellrounded knowledge base beyond traditional schooling. Their workshop delved into many key aspects: Financial Literacy, Communication skills, thinking outside the box, and Embracing change. They concluded with their personal action plan that focused on mastering time management skills along with measuring progress to overcome obstacles. Their session received enthusiastic feedback from participants across various schools in Oatar.

Shreya Pithia and Leyna Nair of class 10-D, DPS Monarch International School participated at QATAR LEADERSHIP CONFERENCE on 8th and 9th November 2024, which was hosted by THIMUN, Qatar. They proudly represented an international organization - "Equip2Empower" which works towards paving the way for disadvantaged children towards



Taking up the role of student presenters, they conducted a 90 minute workshop emphasizing the importance of empowering young leaders through the power of sports. During the workshop, they conducted interactive activities through which the attendees understood the importance of sports and the problems faced by underprivileged youth. A booth had been set up as well to spread awareness on the mission of Equip2Empower. They received

positive feedback and connected with multinational students from different schools across Oatar.

At Qatar Leadership Conference, they even attended a few other workshops through which they learnt the importance in the development of leadership skills among the youth. They look forward to attending more such conferences in the future as well.

DPS MONARCH INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL SHINES AT CBSE CLUSTER CHESS CHAMPIONSHIP!

Our students participated in **CBSE** Cluster chess championship on 29th, 30th and 1st October 2024 at Birla Public School. All the 32 participants under the age group 11, 14 and 17 (Boys and Girls) showcased exceptional



strategy, focus, and team spirit across various categories, making their mark in the highly competitive event.





Heartiest congratulations to all the winners for their remarkable achievements! Your hard work, determination, and team spirit have made us incredibly proud.

Boys Category

Under 11 – 2nd Position (Qualified for Nationals!) (25th -28th October, Punjab)(results on 29th October 2024

- Aarush Prashant Upganlawar (5C)
- Sri Ram Karthik Madineedi (6E)
- Arjun Krishna Darshan (5B)
- Vidyuth Sivaraman (3L)
- Under 14 Boys 3rd Position
- Shoentan Vitthal Anaspure (7A)
- Siddharth Sushil Krishna (6G) 0
- o Anik Ghosh (6G)
- Sayak Samanta (6B)
- Under 19 Boys 3rd Position
- Rakesh Raja (11B)
- Ganesh Senthil Kumar (12A)
- Keshav Sumesh (12A)
- Amey Nilesh Kulkarni (11C)

Girls Category

- Under 17 Girls 3rd Position
- Girija Rajendra Chavan (10A)
- Anjali Girish Rao (10A) O
- Divanshi Bhambri (10A)
- Yashi Bhambri (9A)









TOURNAMENT OF CHAMPIONS 2024:

A JOURNEY TO REMEMBER

DPS Monarch International School Shines Bright at Yale University



The World Scholar's Cup

The Tournament of Champions (TOC), a hallmark event of the World Scholars Cup (WSC), brought together over 500 teams from 60+ countries in a celebration of academic excellence, cultural exchange, and teamwork. Hosted at Yale University, the event was a global platform for debates, writing, quizzes, and collaborative challenges.

OUR JOURNEY



Day 1 (14 Nov): Juniors began their journey with an inspiring Opening Ceremony at the historic Shubert Theatre, followed by a Scavenger Hunt at New Haven Green. The day ended with a lively Scholar's Social and Dinner at the Omni Hotel.

Day 2 (15 Nov): Seniors stepped into the spotlight, following the same exciting schedule, and setting the tone for the challenges ahead.

Days 3 & 4 (16-17 Nov): Both juniors and seniors showcased their skills participating in the Scholar's Challenge and Team Debate with analytical rigor and teamwork.

Days 5 & 6 (18-19 Nov): The Scholar's Bowl at Woolsey Hall and a vibrant Cultural Show at Yale's Old Campus celebrated diversity and global exchange. Talents took center stage at the Scholar's Show, and insights flowed during the College Panel by Yale students. The day

ended with the elegant Scholar's Ball at College Street Music Hall, where scholars celebrated their journey with music and joy.

Days 7 & 8 (20-21 Nov): Exploration days in New York City included visits to iconic landmarks like the Statue of Liberty, Empire State Building, and United Nations Headquarters, enriching the scholars' cultural and educational experiences.











Celebrating global brilliance, friendships, and triumphs at TOC 2024.

DPS Monarch International School emerged as a beacon of excellence, earning 14 gold medals and 21 silver medals across various categories. Our scholars displayed unparalleled talent, resilience, and pride, representing Qatar on a global stage.

Monarchians won 14 gold medals and 21 silver medals.

We had 3 teams representing our school a total of 9 students

SENIOR TEAM Ratandeep Prabhakar Aarav Karthick and Bhavya Sharma

Aarav Karthick - 2 gold, 2 silver





Bhavya Sharma - 1 silver Ratandeep- 2 Silver

JUNIOR TEAMS

Team 1: Aeindri Ghosh, Evelyn Daniel and Aditi Satheesh

Aeindri - 5 gold 3 silver Evelyn - 2 gold 1 silver Aditi Sathees - 3 gold 1 silver

Team 2: Juwain Rafhath, Nehan Aseel and Shivaansh Roy

Juwain - 5 silver Shivaansh- 2 gold 3 silver Nehan- 3 silver

A GLOBAL LEGAC



From debates to cultural exchanges, this journey was a testament to our students' brilliance and the power of global connections. The memories and achievements will inspire future scholars for years to come.

"Excellence Without Borders"









THE ILLUMINATION FOR THE VISUALLY IMPAIRED: Pahal's Bhatti's "Listening Eyes" App



DPS Monarch International School is proud to announce that Pahal Bhatti, the student of grade 11, has made an exceptional achievement by developing an innovative mobile application,"Listening Eyes", which has been selected for the prestigious Idea Camp 10. It was organized by the Digital Incubation Center (DIC) under the aegis of the Ministry of Communications and Information Technology.

"Listening Eyes" is an empowering mobile app created in association with the Blind Men's Welfare Association, Rajkot. It provides a cost-free platform for blind students to access books and other educational resources, making knowledge more accessible to those with visual impairments. This illuminating initiative reflects Pahal's deep commitment to

social change through technology.

The app was not only accepted but also invited to participate in the Marketing and Training Program, offering Pahal the opportunity to gain critical entrepreneurial skills and insights, propelling his growth as a future innovator. The program serves as a significant platform for young developers to acquire the expertise required to bring their ideas to perfection.

Pahal's achievement is a testament to his creativity, technical acumen, and his vision of inclusivity in education. The school applauds him for this extraordinary accomplishment and wishes him continued success in the upcoming stages of the program.

STAR SINGING SENSATION

DPS Monarch International School Congratulates Samadrita Basu on Her Remarkable Achievement!

We are proud to announce that Samadrita Basu, our exceptionally talented student from Grade 9E, has earned the prestigious title of Third Runner-Up in the GOLDEN TUNES MES Reality Show, hosted by MES Indian School as part of their 50th-anniversary celebrations.

Samadrita's journey was nothing short of inspiring, as she advanced through four competitive rounds of auditions to secure a spot in the Grand Finale, which took place on October 10, 2024. Her dedication, hard work, and incredible talent shone through every performance.

A special mention goes to her mentor, Mr. Rajib Das, whose unwavering guidance played a key role in her success.

We are incredibly proud of Samadrita and wish her continued success in her musical journey!

















Anaswara Anil Shines in **Qatar Talks Grand Finale**

It was indeed a proud moment for our school as Anaswara Anil of grade X C was announced as the second runner-up in the Inspirational category which was held on Friday the 8th of November 2024 at the Radisson



Blu Hotel, Doha. She was one of top 6 finalists of the Grand finale of Oatar Talks competition- Hunt for champion speakers. Anaswara captivated the audience with her exceptional oratory







skills and thought-provoking ideas. The Grand Finale, which featured both Inspirational and Humorous categories, was a remarkable showcase of our students' eloquence and their ability to convey powerful messages. Our English Faculty Ms. Shamiya, pre-qualifier participant in inspiration category, Juwain Rafhath of grade 8, Science faculty Ms. Abdul Rehman Jamal witnessed the event cheering our student Anaswara.

The school would like to congratulate Anaswara Anil for their exemplary performance and the Entire English department for mentoring the students.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Educational Field Trip

KG - Grade 11

Pre-Board begins

For Grade 10 & 12: 03-12-2024

Session on World Disability Day

Grade 9 & 11: 03-12-2024

Food Festival Day

KG 1 & 2: 05-12-2024

Language Fest Culmination

Grade 1 to 8: 05-12-2024

Grade 3 - 8: 05-12-2024

Pre-Board Practical Begins

For Grade 10 & 12: 08-12-2024

Learning without walls

KG 2:10-12-2024

Post Office Day

KG 1 - Grade 2: 11-12-2024 **Learning without walls**

Grade 2:11-12-2024

Qatar National Day Celebratio

KG 1-Grade 12: 11-12-2024



Thanksgiving Day KG1-Grade 12: 12-12-2024 **Sports Day** Grade 9 - 12: 15-12-2024 **Qatar Ethnic Day** KG1 - Grade 2: 16-12-2024 **Qatar History Quiz** Grade 1-12: 17-12-2024 **Pre-Board Result Publication** Grade 10&12: 17-12-2024



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