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### A Special Message From The Principal Ms. Sunita Kharbanda



Everything around us is not perfect and we will never experience an ideal situation that we wish. Your reality is the reflection of your strongest belief - It is what drives us to do and to be better. I congratulate the entire team for this hard work and dedication for making this vision come true. The reflection of the students' and teachers' creativity is the essence of this magazine..



# FROM EDITOR'S DESK....

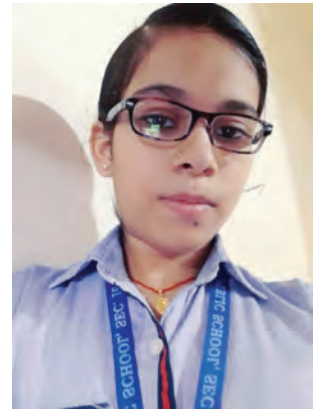
Reflections reflect the true image of the outstanding achievements of the pupils of this esteemed institution. This is to inform about academic and extra-curricular activities pursued by the students during session April to June 2020. I am really proud to propose that this magazine presents the true spirit of this temple of knowledge.



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Happy Reading!!

SNPS, Faridabad

## SCHOOL AT A GLANCE



# TO SPREAD LIGHT OF EDUCATION

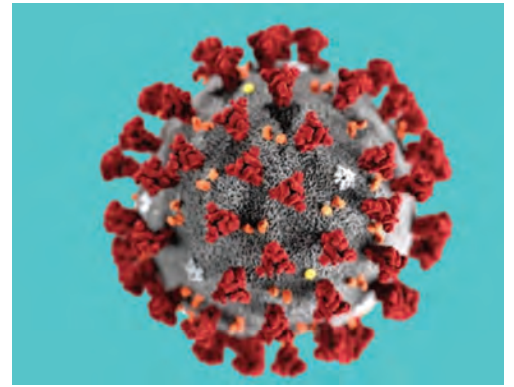
# COVID-19: Unmasking the new face of Education

The lockdown due to COVID 19 has largely affected the lives of students as they no more get to interact one on one basis with their teachers. This shift in educational paradigm from conventional classroom learning to computer retrieval learning might be one of the substantial educational experiments till date.

As the e-learning process has become more prevalent due to COVID 19, life isn't easy sometimes one has to square the circle to make ends meet.

SNPS too is toiling enough to make sure students get all the positivity in this Pandemic.

This magazine is a set example of that where we had made sure that they don't tiptoe around rather they learn the ropes and through this we get to show you what all they have done throughout.



## ONLINE CLASSES

The covid-19 pandemic has resulted in the closure of schools and colleges across the country since April. Education has changed dramatically over the last two months, with a considerable rise of E-learning, whereby teaching is executed remotely and on digital platforms. Teachers and students enter a new world of virtual lectures, tutorials, and assessments. Though E-learning poses a challenge to both students and teachers over technology and access, it is keeping everyone busy with lectures, worksheets and assignments.

The session commenced on the virtual platform on 1<sup>st</sup> April 2020. Initially virtual classes started only for IX to XII grades. But from the second week of April, these classes were also conducted for III to VIII grades. To ensure that online classes go seamless, teachers were trained in conducting online classes using the digital applications.

Special time table for online classes has been prepared with 10 minutes kept aside as buffer for transition. Teachers used existing whatsapp class groups for sharing worksheets, assignment, home work etc.





This transmissible disease corona virus causing public health breakdown around the world, Earth Day, the planet's largest civic event, went entirely digital this

time. We adjudicated that after the COVID-19 pandemic ended, we would restore our Earth to a cleaner, fairer, better world for everyone. Like every year children of SANT NIRANKARI PUBLIC SCHOOL, decided to take a pledge to make a lifestyle change that would impact not only those within the school but also the community outside the school. Many activities were assigned to the children in which they all participated enormously. Many students shared their videos planting saplings and making posters, creating awareness while following all the lockdown rules. But this truly was a learning experience for all. While Principal Ma'am, Mrs. Sunita Kharbanda, took a Zoom Meeting with our senior students and highlighted the importance of following the lockdown norms and said 'Together we can make everyday Earth Day and each one of us in the school can make a difference'.

Manav Ekta Diwas plays an indispensable role in the history of Nirankari Mission. It is commemorated in the memory of Baba Gurbachan Singh ji and other saints who sacrificed their lives for the sake of humanity. Blood donation camps are being organized where the devotees used to donate their blood for the sake of humanity following Baba Hardev Singh's preaching "BLOOD SHOULD FLOW IN VEINS AND NOT IN DRAINS".

During this lockdown, respective class teachers imparted the ideology of Nirankari Mission among students.

Students depicted the teachings of Baba ji through their remarkable drawings on Humanity, Love and Oneness.



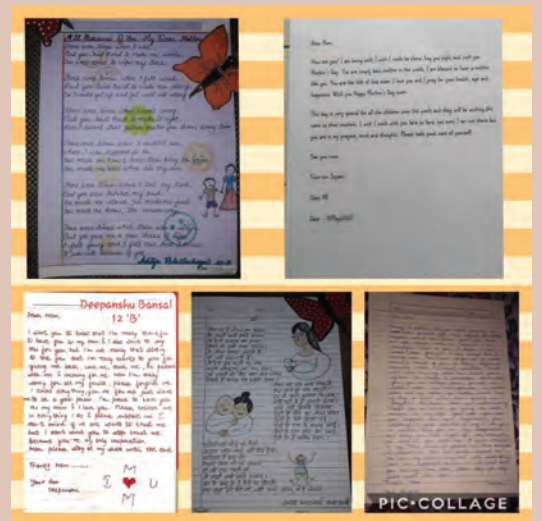
10<sup>th</sup> MAY 2020

# MOTHER'S DAY

*"A mother is one who can take the place of all others but whose place no one else can take."*

This contagious disease is not going to dampen the spirit of Mother's Day. During these challenging and stressful times of stay-at-home orders, "We wanted to be there for our kids honor their mothers by providing a memorable gesture and school experience during this unforgettable time."

The students of SNPS, Faridabad celebrated Mother's Day with enthusiasm. From presenting self made cards, handmade paper necklaces and bracelets to their mothers, preparing favourite food of their mothers with the help of their dad. Each gesture was dotted with love and admiration for the super mothers, their most fervid admirers!



13<sup>th</sup> MAY 2020

# SAMARPAN DIWAS

*His Holiness Baba Hardev Singh Ji Maharaj devoted his whole life to fulfill the dream of setting up*

"WORLD PEACE AND UNIVERSAL BROTHERHOOD OF MANKIND." To achieve this objective, He enlightened mankind with the Divine God-Knowledge through his life. Baba Hardev Singh Ji Maharaj was an epitome of Love, Compassion, Humility and Tolerance. His life and His teachings can never ever be forgotten by anyone. His indelible imprints will be followed with honour and dedication by everyone.

Keeping this in view and to pay a Humble Tribute to His Holiness Baba Hardev Singh Ji Maharaj ,13th May is being marked as "SAMARPAN DIWAS" all across the world by Nirankari Mission. And this year too when the world around is going through so many challenges and stressful times we needed His Blessings more than anything and for this we reminisced Him and paid a musical tribute in which students of classes IX -XII sung songs and poems re-evoking His values in this dire times and teachers too diligently participated in it.



# INTERNATIONAL ONLINE MATHEMATICS COMPETITION

CBSE organized BRICSMATH.COM+INTERNATIONAL ONLINE MATHEMATICS COMPETITION for the students of grade 1-12 from 22 April to 22 May, 2020. The purpose of the competition was to develop students' interest in math's and develop their logical reasoning skills.

So, lot of students participated in this competition and upon the completion of the competition, many students received certificates too. It really boosted their interest and gave them quite a learning experience.



## 5<sup>th</sup> JUNE 2020 ..... WORLD ENVIRONMENT DAY

The foods we eat, the air we breathe, the water we drink and the climate that makes our planet habitable all come from nature.

Yet, these are exceptional times in which nature is sending us a message: To care for ourselves we must care for nature.

It's time to wake up; to take notice; to raise our voices. It's time to build back better for people and planet.

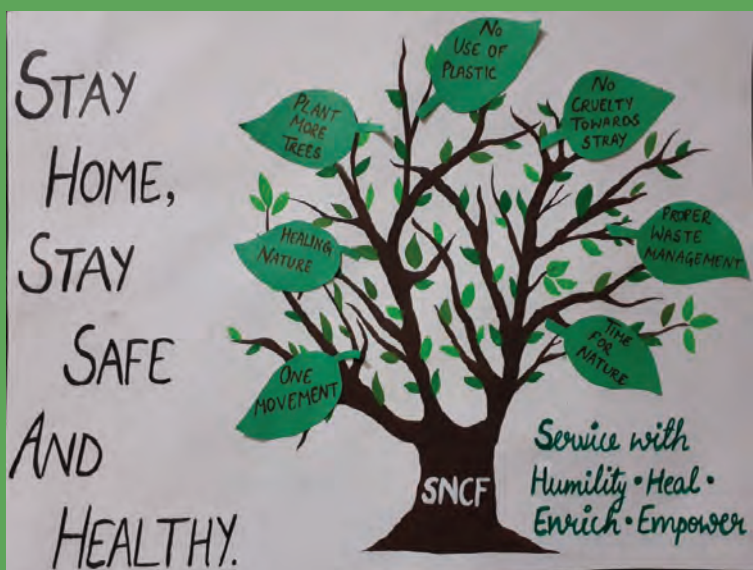
**THE WORLD ENVIRONMENT DAY, it's time for Nature!**



On this environment day in spite of the lock down and summer break, we made sure that our students don't get refrained. So we planned various activities for them to feel cheerful in this mundane time.

Many events such as poster-making, debate, slogan writing, essay writing, quiz, etc, were organized on the theme of 'Save Earth' and 'Beat Plastic Pollution'. It is an opportunity to raise awareness and promote action on national environmental issues.

At the end, the winners of the various competitions were given e-certificates.



# EXPERIENTIAL LEARNING THROUGH SUMMER BREAK



THE SCHOOL THOUGHT THAT CHILDREN SHOULD EXPLORE THEIR CREATIVE SIDE DURING SUMMER HOLIDAYS.

SO, WE CAME UP WITH VARIOUS FUN FILLED ACTIVITIES FOR THEM TO LET THE STUDENTS BE OCCUPIED WITH HUSTLE BUSTLE AND DON'T OVERTHINK ABOUT THIS PANDEMIC AND THE STUDENTS ACTIVELY ENGAGED THEMSELVES IN NUMEROUS EDUCATIONAL FUN ACTIVITIES LIKE:

- \* Colouring
- \* Cooking without fire
- \* Fun with geometrical shapes
- \* Best out of waste
- \* GARDENING



## PARENTS GRATITUDE



I Neelam Sharma, as a parent of Namasthi Sharma student of class X A and Anayoshi (passed out student of 2019 batch), hold high respect and regards towards SANKT NIRANKARI PUBLIC SCHOOL, and the faculty members, for putting immense efforts to ensure proper education of students even in the time of this pandemic. I have been associated with SNPS for over 12 years and more, being the proud parent of children who have been and are still a part of SNPS family. This is not the first time that I have witnessed the great hard work, helpfulness and understanding shown by the staff members. I would like to appreciate the teachers for being there all the time and taking the initiative of conducting virtual classes to provide regular education to students and making using of lockdown in a productive manner. I am really thankful to honourable principal madam Mrs. Sunita Kharbanda because the idea of online classes was implemented efficiently only because of her efforts and hard work. As a parent associated with school, I assure my whole cooperation towards SNPS.



Hi I am Lalita arora mother of Panav Arora 4thc. I would like to thank take online classes in covid-19. Being a teacher myself, I understand the pain and efforts to behind all this. Teaching method of Charu mam is very good and appreciable. Deepika mam also favourite mam of my son. My son enjoys both of his classes. Nisha mam is very strict in her class and it has to be so. kids are super happy to interact with teachers so smoothly. I would also like to thank the principal Mrs. Sunita Kharbanda for her constant support due to which these online classes were conducted successfully. Thanks you again to all of you for planning everything in such a thoughtful, mature and wise manner. Stay blessed, stay home and stay safe.

Sankt Nirankari Public School is a great place, where students are imparted excellent academic and extracurricular coaching there is a positive energy flowing from the principal, teachers and the office staff

We appreciate the motivation and caring nature of the faculty. We are encouraged to interact and our best wishes of your students. This respect your expertise. I would like to appreciate the efforts of the teachers and the management for our son's progress.

It has been a great experience to watch my child become more independent and confident during covid-19 period by the efforts of the teacher of his school. We are thankful to the Principal, teachers and the management for our son's progress.

-Naresh Kumar Gaur & Pinki Gaur  
P/O Sambhav Singh (IX-C)

## 21<sup>st</sup> JUNE 2020 ..... INTERNATIONAL YOGA DAY

Yoga plays a significant role during the world crisis of Covid-19 as it boosts our immunity and is known to cure respiratory disorders. This year's theme was 'Yoga at Home and Yoga with Family.' Students celebrated International Yoga Day enthusiastically through virtual platform. Students made video-photos of doing Yogic Practices like Kriya, Asana, Pranayama, Bandha and Mudra, including short message on how these yogic practices influences one's life.

For classes, VI to XII, Quiz Competition was organized through Google Forms in which students actively took part. Winners were awarded with e-certificates. Yoga Day celebrations made students realize the importance of yoga in everyday life for a healthier living.



Yoga is invigoration in relaxation, freedom in routine, confidence through self-control and energy within."

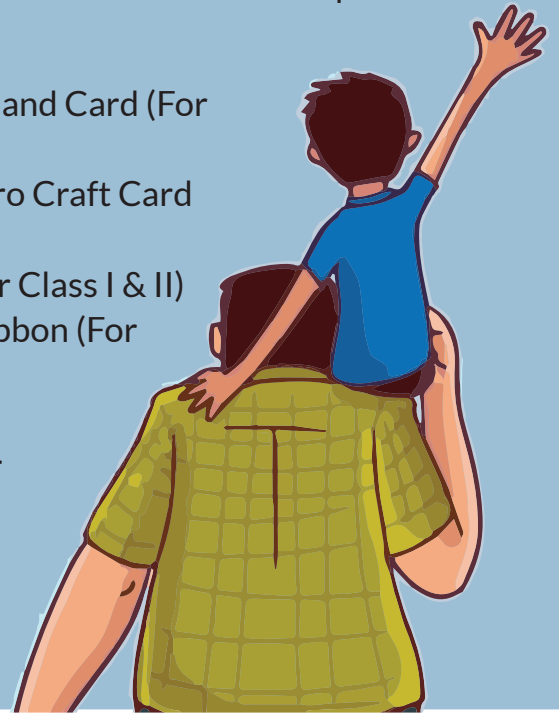
# 21<sup>st</sup> JUNE 2020..... FATHER'S DAY

"The heart of a father is a masterpiece of nature"



In this scourge situation, as it was not possible for students to go out and celebrate, they celebrated father's day at their homes. Students showed respect and love for the fathers by preparing beautiful gifts and cards. The students took part in various activities like:

- Love You This Much Hand Card (For Class LKG)
- Hand Made Super Hero Craft Card (For Class UKG)
- Stick Roll Up Card (For Class I & II)
- Best Father Award Ribbon (For Class III)
- Father Typography Designed Glasses (For Class IV)
- Shirt and Tie Card (For Class V) with zeal



## WEBINARS ATTENDED BY TEACHERS

SUBJECTS	ORGANISED BY	DATE	REPRESENTATIVE
Business Studies	Score to Success foundation	26 April 2020	Ms. Meenakshi Sapra
Economics	Self Global School	10 May 2020	Ms. Parvesh
Accountancy	Ratna Sagar Pvt. Ltd.	17 May 2020	Ms. Poonam Gulati
Pedagogy of Mathematics	Diksha Training & Skill Education	17 June 2020	Ms. Anita Dutt.
Online Vedic Mathematics	Savyasanchi Education	18 June to 20 June	Ms. Preenita Tyagi
Hindi	Hindi Vikas Sansthan, New Delhi.	22 June 2020	Ms. Mamta Arora
Course on Virtual Class Room	CFT (Center for Future Technology) and PCTI	20 June to 26 June	Ms. Pooja Arya, Ms. Sarla Adlakha, Ms. Neerja Sood, Ms. Lakshmi Raghawan, Ms. Nisha Hoshing, Ms. Usha Tak and Ms. Rita Marwaha

By attending all these Webinars teachers received extremely helpful information on how to develop our online teaching style, and making ourselves and our students comfortable in the online environment. From basics like how to manage slides on the screen and track attendance to tackling challenges while shifting to the virtual mode to maximize student participation, we learnt how to incorporate new technology in our teaching methods. On the whole, it was a very informative and insightful. The teachers received e-certificate also for participating in it.





# CREATIVITY OF OUR BUDDING ARTISTS

*Spreading light of awareness in COVID times*

(Students working and spreading awareness from home during Covid -19 outbreak)



Karishma Saini, XII B

STAY SAFE, BE PREPARED

We may be young or old,  
But we must be bold,  
Against the enemy untold.  
We can't go to malls,  
Nor can we go to waterfalls  
Because this virus is a scaring,  
Sending our spines into a shivering.  
If you have to go out, think twice,  
Wear your mask, be wise.  
After coming home, sanitize,  
And wash your hands thrice.  
COVID 19 is the name,  
It is playing a hide and seek game.  
By following the rules,  
we can ensure endgame.

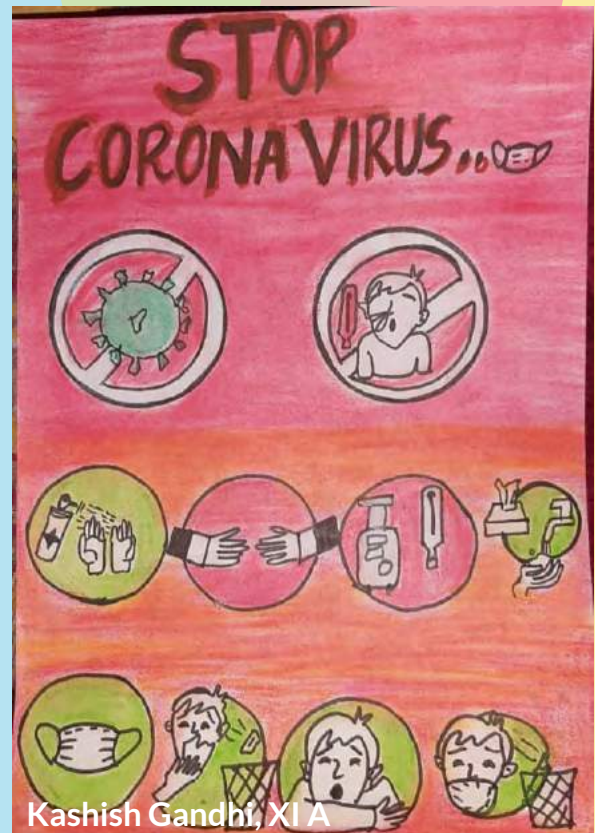
Deepanshu Bansal XII B

**क्या-क्या नहीं करो ना!**

नहीं करो ना handshake !  
नहीं करो ना face touch !  
नहीं करो ना cough spread !  
नहीं करो ना split in public place !  
नहीं करो ना infect workplace !

**यह सब नहीं करो ना  
ताकि खत्म हो Corona !!**

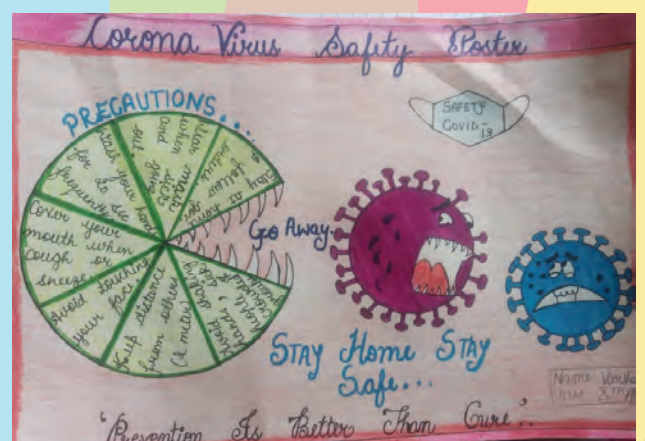
Kashish Singh , XI B



Kashish Gandhi, XI A



Tilak Bansal, XI B



Varsha, X A

# PARENTING TIPS FOR COVID TIMES

## ONE TO ONE TIME WITH YOUR CHILD

- Set aside time to spend with each child; make them feel loved and important
- Reassure your children and try answering their queries related to covid 19
- Read a book, tell a story, or sing a song to your toddler
- Do a chore together ensure they practice; proper hygiene like frequent hand washing
- Ensure the children eat healthy food and get good sleep
- Engage them in indoor activities; encourage them to pick up a hobby



Help your child cultivate the habit of reading by spending some time in your daily routine reading yourself. It is an invaluable habit, for life.



*The strength of the tree depends on the depth of the roots.*

The Pandemic COVID - 19 at the very start of session (2020-2021) has definitely got everyone of us thinking about all aspects of life not just at a local but at global level. Now, we are hoping of a new beginning, and some new steps towards the splendid future. School appreciates and respects the relentless fighters of this time.

Salute to all those who didn't grind to a halt irrespective of the circumstances and continue to do so with same ardour.

Looking forward to present the corona free edition... till then Adios....

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