

# उद्यन- THE NEWS LETTER



**DELHI  
PUBLIC  
SCHOOL**  
GAUTAM BUDDH NAGAR



**Grades: 3-5  
Session: 2024-25**

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## Diwali Reflections

***Festivals are fun and fervor, vibrant and vivacious, bright and a delight!***

The School organized 'The Grand Diwali Reflections 2024' event on October 19, 2024. It was a celebration of lights, culture, happiness, joy and togetherness. The dazzling Diwali decorations and the fun activities for the children kept our students, teachers and parents captivated. Reflections Exhibition was beautifully presented by our students focusing on themes like our heritage, foundation of the Indian education system and timeless games. The thought-provoking presentations left parents inspired and impressed as they witnessed the incredible efforts of our Primary students. This Diwali, let's not just light the diyas but also kindle the lamp of wisdom, compassion, and love. Let's spread joy!



## Quest for Knowledge: Inter-House Quiz

Our recent Inter-House Quiz Competition for Grades 4 and 5 was an exciting exploration of knowledge, focusing on Sustainable Development Goals 4, 13 and 15. Students enthusiastically represented their houses, showcasing their understanding of these critical global issues. The competition encouraged teamwork and critical thinking as participants tackled challenging questions, sparking engaging discussions about the importance of education, environmental conservation, and biodiversity. This event not only tested their knowledge but also ignited a passion for sustainability, inspiring students to become informed global citizens. Congratulations to all participants for their spirited efforts and commitment to making a positive impact on our world!



## Unity And Light- Assemblies

This month, our Primary Wing came alive with vibrant celebrations, where students embraced the spirit of unity and joy. During the Gandhi Jayanti assembly, the students reflected on the values of peace and non-violence, sharing inspiring messages that echo Mahatma Gandhi's wisdom: "Be the change that you wish to see in the world." The Diwali assembly was a colorful showcase of culture and tradition, filled with dances, songs, and enlightening skits that celebrated the triumph of light over darkness. Students learned the importance of togetherness, love, and the joy of giving as they shared festive messages with their peers.



## Partnering for Success: Highlights from Our Recent PTM

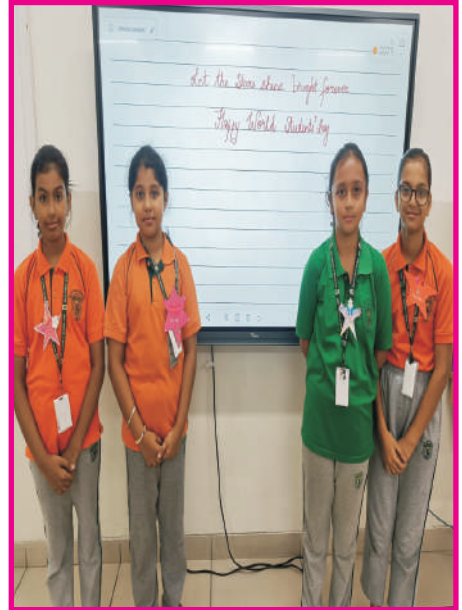
Our recent Parent-Teacher Meeting (PTM) in the Primary Wing was a fantastic opportunity for collaboration between educators and families. Parents engaged in meaningful discussions about their children's progress, celebrating achievements and addressing areas for growth. Teachers shared insightful feedback on student performance, showcasing impressive results that reflected the hard work and dedication of the students. Parents were delighted to see their children's growth, with many students receiving commendations for their creativity, academic improvements, and social skills. The PTM reinforced the importance of teamwork in a child's education, creating a supportive environment that encourages continuous learning. We thank all parents for their active participation and commitment to their children's success.



## World Students' Day

***"Every child is born a genius." – Buckminster Fuller***

Keeping this thought in mind, the students celebrated 'World Students' Day' by designing Star badges for themselves which depicted that they were the shining stars of the School. This activity filled the environment with happiness, joy and delight!



## Celebrating Connections: A Month of Creativity and Gratitude in Life Skills

Our Primary Students participated in a series of enriching activities fostered the creativity, social connections, and appreciation for their mentors. For Friendship Day, they crafted heartfelt cards for their classmates, strengthening their social bonds. On Independence Day, students showcased their artistic talents by creating beautiful cards that reflected their understanding of India's freedom. Additionally, Grade 3 students designed 'Thank You' cards for their teachers, while Grades 4-5 expressed their gratitude through heartfelt letters, acknowledging the dedication of our educators in shaping their future. These activities not only nurtured creativity but also instilled essential life skills in our students!

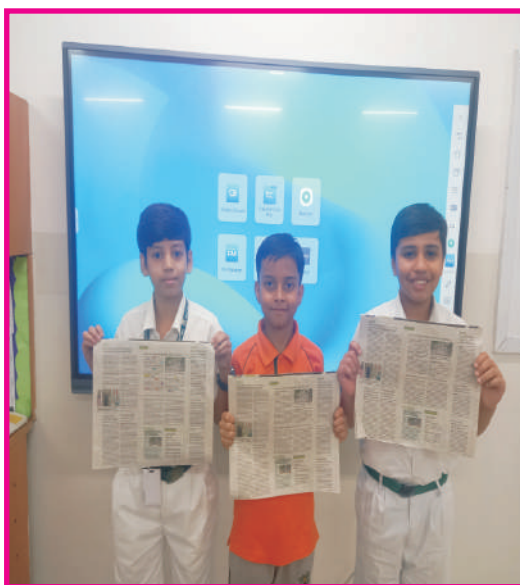


## Subject Chronicles

### English

#### Newsflash!

Reading a newspaper is a good habit that can provide a great sense of educational value. Keeping this in mind, Students of Grade 5 were engaged in an interactive Newspaper Activity. In order to hone their grammatical skills the students were asked to identify the Tenses learnt, in an article. There was excitement and chatter all around as our young learners indulged wholeheartedly in the activity, debating, discussing and eventually verifying the outcome with their peers and teacher. This hands-on activity was an eye-opener, making learning more engaging and allowing students to see how grammar is used in real-life contexts.



## Computers

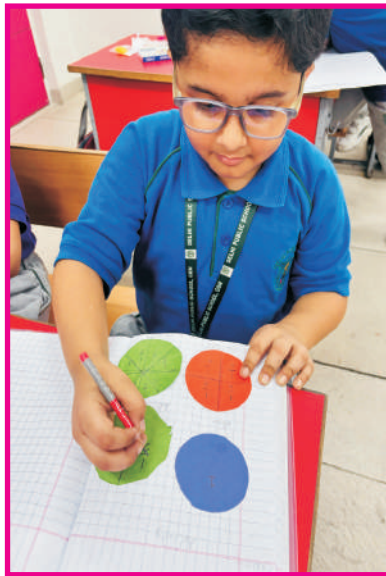
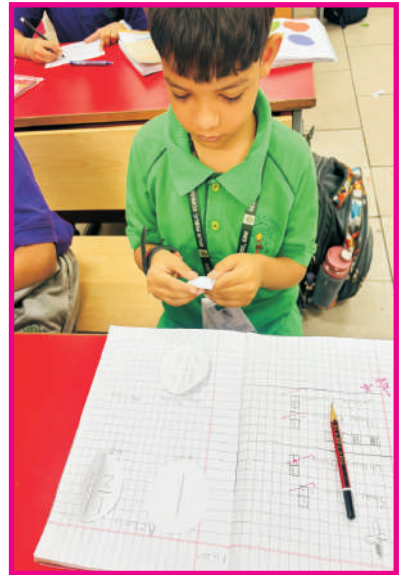
Preparing our students for a digital future!

The students learnt advanced skills presentation design, digital citizenship, Coding concepts and email communication in their Computer classes. Through hands-on activities and interactive lessons, students have mastered the skills needed to navigate the digital landscape. These concepts have helped in making the students tech- savvy, and responsible digital citizens.



## Mathematics

Fractions are not just a mathematical concept but a vital part of students' educational journey. Fractions are used in everyday and serve as a building block for more complex mathematical concepts. A solid grasp of fractions is therefore crucial for a student's success. To make our young learners understand the fractions in an interesting manner, Fraction Activity was conducted for Grade 3 students wherein the young scholars represented various fractions like half, quarter, one-eighth on the colourful circle-cut outs. They divided the circle into parts and labeled each part in terms of fraction. This hands-on activity gave them a clear insight into what exactly various fractions mean. It built confidence in their mathematical abilities and motivated them to tackle more challenging tasks.



## EVS

"Everything is theoretically impossible, until it is done." – Robert A. Heinlein

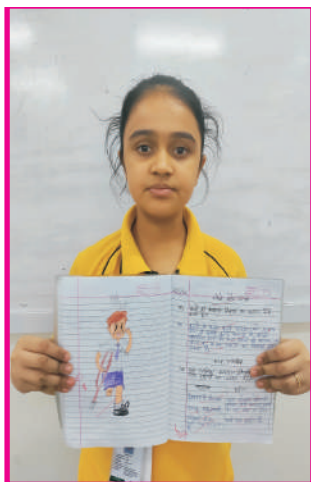
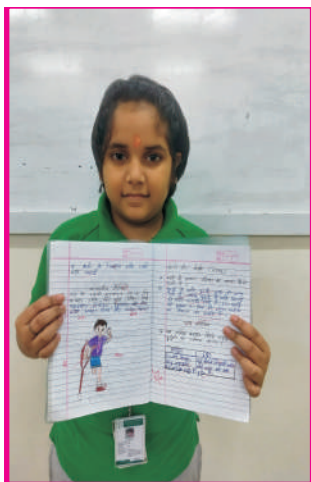
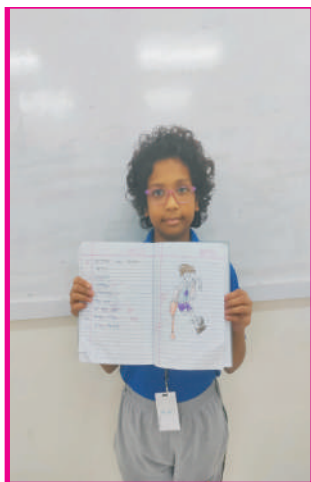
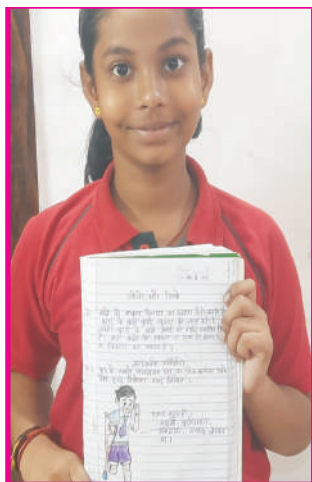
At DPS GBN, we cultivate a supportive learning environment that fosters curiosity about the natural world and appreciation for the environment. Grade 4 students explored the geography, culture, and diversity of India by learning the names, locations, and shapes of various states and union territories. Through an engaging Puzzle map activity, students demonstrated their understanding of India's cultural and geographical richness. Overall, this activity effectively promoted critical and strategic thinking and expanded their knowledge of India's diversity.



## "बुराई को छोड़कर भलाई की ओर बढ़ना ही जीवन का सच्चा उद्देश्य है।"

बुराई के बदले भलाई अपनाने से हमारे जीवन में कई सकारात्मक परिवर्तन हो सकते हैं। यह हमें शांति, खुशी, और समृद्धि की ओर ले जाता है। इसके अलावा, यह हमें अपने समाज में भी सकारात्मक परिवर्तन लाने में मदद कर सकता है। दुःख में ईश्वर तथा सुख में मनुष्य साथ देता है और जो बुराई का बदला भलाई से दे वही सच्चा संत होता है। बुराई के बदले भलाई की कोशिश की जा सकती है।

बुराई के बदले भलाई एक महत्वपूर्ण विषय है, जिसमें हमें बुराई के स्थान पर भलाई को अपनाने की आवश्यकता है। यह हमें सिखाता है कि कैसे हम अपने जीवन में सकारात्मकता और अच्छाई को बढ़ावा दे सकते हैं और बुराई को दूर कर सकते हैं। इसी विषय पर आधारित एक मर्मस्पर्शी कहानी के माध्यम से डी.पी.एस., जी.बी.एन. के कक्षा पाँच के छात्र-छात्राओं के मन में बुराई के प्रति इसी सकारात्मक सोच का प्रसार हुआ, जो उनके उज्ज्वल भविष्य के लिए एवं जीवन को बेहतर बनाने के लिए अत्यंत आवश्यक है।



## Third Language

To learn a language is to have one more window from which to look at the world  
— Chinese Proverb

Learning a Foreign Language opens doors to new friendships, cultural understanding, and innovative thinking, much like solving a puzzle. During the Japanese class they delicately crafted traditional Karuta cards and practiced writing and pronouncing their names with precision. In their German class, they were engaged in interactive activities to master singular and plural word forms. Through these experiences, both languages came alive, making learning enjoyable. Ultimately, this linguistic adventure fostered global perspectives and lifelong skills.



## The Winning Streak

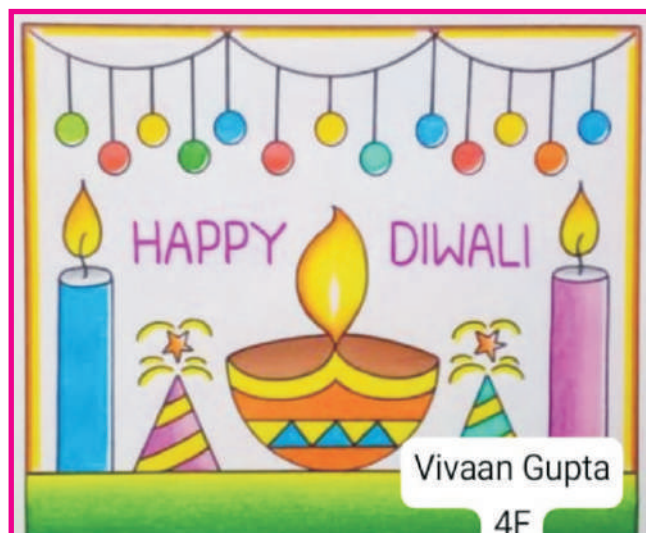
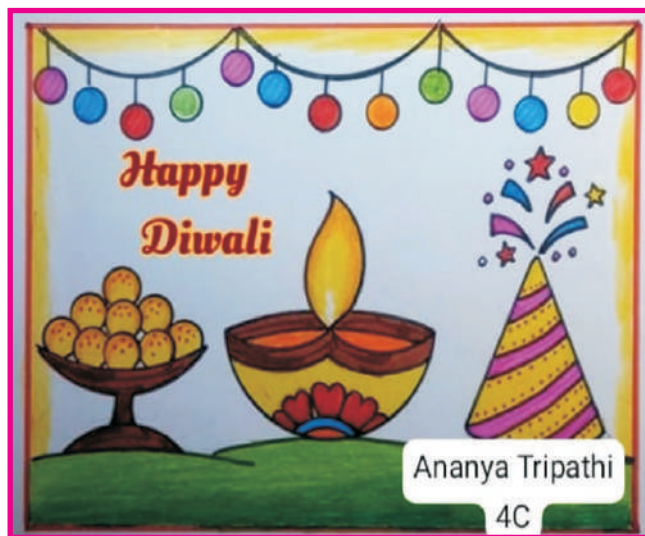
Anahita Shukla of Grade 5 has earned her Green Belt at the Taekwondo Championship held at Smriti Van Kondli on September 29th, 2024.

Adhrit of Grade 4 and Jaiveer Benipal of Grade 5 secured the Second Position in the event 'Mathletics Rumble' in Inter School Competition, 'Confluence', organized by Pragyan School, Greater Noida.

Myra Lamba of Grade 3 secured the Second position in the event 'Expressive Echoes' , in Inter School Competition, 'Confluence', organized by Pragyan School, Greater Noida.



## Art Attack



## Hear me out!

### Festivals

Colorful lights and sweets so grand.  
Festivals shine across the land.  
Diwali's lamps, Holi's colors.  
Eid's bright moon, and Christmas wonders.  
Rangoli bright, fireworks high.  
Kites in the air, soaring the sky.  
Dancing and singing families nearby.  
Sharing joy, love, and cheer.  
Each one brings its own way.  
Of happiness and fun all day.

**Advika Jena 3E**

### Festivals are special times

Festivals are special times when people come together to celebrate! In India, we have many different festivals that show our rich culture and traditions.

These celebrations include music, dancing, and fun activities that bring everyone closer. Whether it's Diwali, Christmas, Eid, or harvest festivals, they help us remember our customs and share joy with friends and family.

Festivals are important because they help us feel connected and happy as a community!

**Aadit Bagla 3C**

### Festivals are the best!

Festivals are the best days in an year. They are celebrated all across the world. The first festival ever took place was in 582 BC in Greece. In India we celebrate many festivals. My favourite festival is Diwali which is about to come and we all are thrilled about it. We celebrate it by eating sweets and delicacies. Its rightly said, "The greatness of a culture can be found in its festivals."

**Medhansh Agnihotri 4B**

### Festivals are fun and bright!

Festivals are fun and bright,  
Colors and lights, a wonderful sight.  
Diwali's lamps shine oh so bold,  
Christmas trees with ornaments to hold.  
Holi's colors dance in the air,  
Eid's treats beyond compare.  
Thanksgiving's feast, a time to share,  
New Year's countdown, with joy we declare.  
Ganesh Chaturthi is a delight,  
Navratri's garba, dancing through the night.  
Independence Day's flags so free,  
Festivals bring joy, for you and me!  
Let's celebrate with glee and cheer,  
Festivals bring love, year after year!

**Rishit Dang 5C**

## **India- A land of Festivals**

Festivals in India, a vibrant blend,  
Holi, Diwali, Eid, Christmas, and more  
Navratri's garba, Dussehra's victory  
cheer,  
Janmashtami's Krishna, Raksha  
Bandhan's love so dear.  
Unity shines bright, culture on display,  
Every day's a celebration, in India's  
festive way.

**Syed Shahwaiz Quaiser 3B**

## **My Favorite Festival**

The festival, Holi is known as the festival of colors. It is my favorite festival because we get to use water guns on our brothers, sisters and friends and use colors to make our families face colorful. I love this festival as the various foods of it are chat papdi, dahi bhalla and the main, gujiya, etc. Water balloons are the most favored thing on Holi. It is one of the most popular festivals in India.

**Palash 5B**

## **Types of Festivals**

Festival is a euphoric time for everybody. As we all know, India is a land of festivals, well there are two types of festivals in India- Religious and National. Some examples of religious festivals are Eid, Diwali, Christmas etc. Some examples of national festivals are Gandhi Jayanti, Republic Day and Independence Day. We should respect the festival of every religion. Like we say in India - Hindu Muslim Sikh Isai, hum sab hain bhai bhai

**Devina Pandey 5D**

## **Festivals: Fun and Celebration**

Festivals are special days when we celebrate something important. They can be religious, cultural or seasonal. We often decorate our homes, wear new clothes and eat special foods during festivals. Some popular festivals include Diwali, Holi, Christmas and Eid. Festivals bring people together to have fun and enjoy each other's company.

**Aaradhya Singh 4E**