



ST. MARY'S SCHOOL
GREATER NOIDA



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PRINCIPAL'S

Message



MRS. SEEMA GUPTA

Dear all
Greetings!

St. Mary's school is on a journey of creating a learning society for sustained growth that builds human capital and fosters innovation. We are developing a thinking school, where facilitators and students continuously challenge assumptions, promote enquiry based learning, study the best practices globally and adapt them locally to generate a climate that draws forth new attitudes, beliefs, skills, capabilities, awareness and values.

Through this newsletter, we would like you to see our beautiful journey taken so far. This newsletter will give you sneak peak of our monthly activities, special assemblies, celebrations and our achievements. This journey is beautiful because of parent's unconditional support and faith. It is said "Great Connections begin with appropriate communication". I strongly believe that good communication bridges up the gap between the school and parents. We seek your continuous support and free flow of communication for the same. Let's collaborate to enforce the best practices and inculcate strong values for the well-being of our students. We will leave no stone unturned to help our young learners reach the highest pedestal. Our aim is to nurture 21st century skills with Indian values. We encourage our students to think deeply about issues and matters and take initiatives to resolve. A beautiful country is a reflection of beautiful people. At St. Mary's School, we passionately believe in happy students who shall create a happy tomorrow. Stay Connected, Stay Blessed!

COORDINATOR'S

Message



MS. SHILPI TANEJA

Dear Students,

As we continue to navigate an era defined by rapid technological advancements, it is essential for us to find a balance between embracing innovation and nurturing the purity of innocence. Technology offers endless opportunities for learning, creativity, and connectivity, but it also brings challenges that can sometimes overwhelm or distract us from the simpler joys of life.

In our academic journey, it is crucial to use technology not as a crutch, but as a tool that enhances our learning experience. Just as a tool helps a craftsman create, so should technology be used mindfully to foster knowledge, personal growth, and meaningful connections with others. However, we must also remember to preserve our sense of curiosity, our ability to imagine, and our joy in the world beyond screens. I encourage all of you to be mindful of how you balance technology with your personal well-being. Let it be a resource for enhancing your studies, connecting with the world, and expanding your knowledge, but never let it overshadow the things that truly matter: kindness, genuine human interaction, and the joy of discovery.

"May the child inside you, filled with curiosity and compassion, remain alive throughout your life. Embrace every moment with wonder, kindness, and a passion for learning. Live fully, and let your heart guide you." "Strive to build selfless and meaningful connections with others. Let your relationships be rooted in kindness, understanding, and genuine care. When we give without expecting in return, we create bonds that last and bring true fulfillment."

Wishing you all a fruitful and balanced journey ahead.

ACHIEVEMENT

 A PROUD MILESTONE

ST. MARY'S EARNS CBSE AFFILIATION!

ST. MARY'S SCHOOL HAS BEEN GRANTED CBSE AFFILIATION UP TO CLASS 12! THIS ACHIEVEMENT MARKS A SIGNIFICANT STEP IN OUR JOURNEY OF ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE, ENABLING US TO PROVIDE A WELL-STRUCTURED AND NATIONALLY RECOGNIZED CURRICULUM FOR SENIOR SECONDARY STUDENTS. WITH THIS MILESTONE, WE CONTINUE OUR COMMITMENT TO HOLISTIC EDUCATION AND STUDENT SUCCESS! 🌟🎓



St Mary's School, Greater Noida



Ranked No. 1 in Holistic Education
by Education Today!!

WE ARE NOW
CBSE AFFILIATED
UPTO GRADE XII
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Parent Orientation Programme



THE PARENT ORIENTATION PROGRAMME, HELD ON 31ST MARCH, 2024 WAS A WONDERFUL OPPORTUNITY FOR PARENTS TO CONNECT WITH THE SCHOOL COMMUNITY AND LEARN ABOUT THE ACADEMIC YEAR AHEAD.





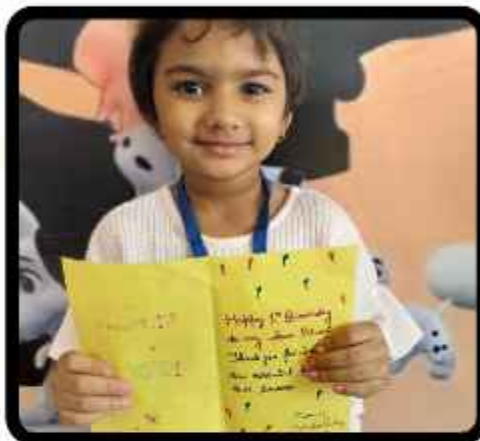
The First Day of School



The first day of school at St. Mary's was filled with excitement, curiosity, and warm smiles. Students stepped into a new academic year with enthusiasm and hope, reconnecting with friends, meeting their teachers, and embracing fresh opportunities for learning and growth. From icebreaker activities to engaging classroom sessions, the day was a perfect start to an enriching journey ahead! 🌟 📚 🎨



St. Mary's First Birthday



Magical Moments with Our Youngest Learners

PRE-PRIMARY HIGHLIGHTS



Pre-Primary in Action

At St. Mary's, our pre-primary students explore the joy of learning through playful activities, hands-on experiences, and creative engagement. From storytelling and art to interactive games, every moment is filled with excitement, making education a fun and enriching adventure! 🌈🌟

Play

Learn

Shine



FUN!



Special Assembly

PRE PRIMARY WING

THE PRE-PRIMARY WING OF ST. MARY'S SCHOOL HOSTED A DELIGHTFUL SPECIAL ASSEMBLY, WHERE OUR LITTLE LEARNERS SHOWCASED THEIR TALENTS THROUGH RHYMES, DANCES, AND SHORT PERFORMANCES. THE EVENT WAS FILLED WITH JOY, ENTHUSIASM, AND CONFIDENCE, MAKING IT A HEARTWARMING EXPERIENCE. THESE YOUNG STARS TRULY LIT UP THE STAGE WITH THEIR ENERGY AND INNOCENCE! 🌟



A Splash of Colors

Colors Day Celebration Highlights

The Pre-Primary Wing of St. Mary's School celebrated Red Day, Blue Day, and Orange Day with great enthusiasm! Dressed in themed colors, our little learners engaged in fun-filled activities. These celebrations not only made learning exciting but also helped children explore the beauty of colors in a joyful way! 🎨🌟🎈



RED DAY



BLUE DAY



ORANGE DAY



A glimpse into our school assemblies

"A stage for voices, a place to inspire – school assemblies lift dreams higher."



At St. Mary's School, assemblies are the cornerstone of a vibrant community, serving as a platform for education, celebration, and connection. These gatherings bring together students, teachers, and staff to reflect on shared values, recognize achievements, and engage in meaningful discussions on a variety of important topics.

★ Special Assemblies at St. Mary's

🥋 **Karate Presentation** – Demonstrating strength, discipline, and self-defense skills with enthusiasm.



★ **Diwali Celebration** – Celebrating the festival of lights with cultural performances and messages of positivity.



🌿 **Gandhi Jayanti** – A tribute to the Father of the Nation with inspiring speeches and skits.



🚭 **Tobacco-Free Environment** – Raising awareness about the importance of a healthy and smoke-free life.





International Earth Day



St. Mary's School celebrated International Earth Day with enthusiasm, encouraging students to take action for a greener future. Through activities like tree planting, awareness campaigns, and creative eco-friendly projects, students learned the importance of sustainability and protecting our planet. 🌱 💙



International Yoga Day

'Through practice comes Yoga, through Yoga comes knowledge, through knowledge love, and through love bliss.'
— Swami Vivekananda



INDEPENDENCE DAY

ST. MARY'S SCHOOL CELEBRATED INDEPENDENCE DAY WITH PATRIOTIC SONGS, SPEECHES, AND CULTURAL PERFORMANCES, ADDING TO THE SPIRIT OF UNITY IN DIVERSITY. TEACHERS DRESSED IN TRADITIONAL ATTIRE REPRESENTING DIFFERENT STATES, SHOWCASING INDIA'S RICH HERITAGE.



REPUBLIC DAY

ST. MARY'S SCHOOL MARKED REPUBLIC DAY WITH AN INTER-HOUSE MARCH PAST COMPETITION, SHOWCASING DISCIPLINE AND TEAMWORK. EACH CLASS ALSO PRESENTED VIBRANT PERFORMANCES, CELEBRATING INDIA'S RICH CULTURE AND DEMOCRATIC SPIRIT.



GRANDPARENT'S DAY

Grandparents' Day was a joyous occasion filled with love and nostalgia, as students expressed gratitude through songs, stories, and special performances.





Teacher's day



St. Mary's School celebrated Teachers' Day with heartfelt tributes, engaging performances, and special tokens of appreciation for our dedicated educators. The day was filled with gratitude, joy, and memorable moments, making our teachers feel truly cherished. 🌟📖



Children's Day



Children's Day at St. Mary's was a vibrant celebration of fun, laughter, and excitement! Students enjoyed entertaining performances, games, and surprises, making it a day to remember. Their smiles and enthusiasm truly lit up the occasion! 🎉🌟





STEAM Exhibition



St. Mary's School hosted an exciting STEAM Exhibition, where students showcased their creativity and problem-solving skills through Science, Technology, Engineering, Arts, and Mathematics projects. From innovative models to interactive experiments, the event was a celebration of curiosity, exploration, and hands-on learning! 🚀💡🌱



FESTIVE CELEBRATIONS

At St. Mary's School, festivals unite us in joy and cultural pride. From Janmashtami, Ganesh Chaturthi, Rakshabandhan, and Dussehra to the festive lights of Diwali and Christmas, each celebration is embraced with enthusiasm. The warmth of Lohri adds to the vibrancy, teaching students the values of tradition, unity, and respect for diversity. 🌸🌸

Rakshabandhan



Janmashtami



Ganesh Chaturthi



Dussehra



Lohri



Christmas



Joy of

SHARING

Our students displayed values of love and compassion towards fellow beings through this act of service. It was a pleasure to see our students share the Joy of Giving by distributing supplies and groceries that they themselves had collected for their underprivileged peers.





Sport's Day



St. Mary's School hosted an action-packed two-day Sports Day, where students showcased their athletic skills through exciting races, team events, and performances. The event celebrated sportsmanship, teamwork, and determination, making it a memorable experience for all! 🏆🏅🎉



INTER-HOUSE SPORTS EVENTS





HOUSE RESULT



KANCHANJANGA
1044

NILGIRI
932.5



SHIVALIK
959.5

ARAVALI
796.5



INTER HOUSE COMPETITIONS

St. Mary's School buzzed with excitement as students participated in various Inter-House Competitions like Carol Singing, House Board Making, Storytelling, march past and Debate. With many more competitions fostering creativity, confidence, and teamwork, students showcased their skills with enthusiasm and sportsmanship.





LEARNING BEYOND CLASSROOM



At St. Mary's School, education is not confined to textbooks and classrooms. Through field trips, hands-on experiments, interactive workshops, and real-world experiences, students gain practical knowledge, develop critical thinking skills, and explore new perspectives. These opportunities foster creativity, curiosity, and a deeper understanding of the world around them, making learning truly engaging and meaningful! 🚀📖🌟



Trips & OUTINGS

ST. MARY'S SCHOOL ORGANIZED ENRICHING TRIPS AND OUTINGS TO PLACES LIKE THE RAIL MUSEUM, PRADHAN MANTRI SANGRAHALAYA, NATIONAL SCIENCE CENTRE, A NURSERY, AND THE PLANETARIUM. THESE EXPERIENCES PROVIDED STUDENTS WITH HANDS-ON LEARNING, EXPLORATION, AND FUN, MAKING EDUCATION MORE ENGAGING AND MEMORABLE! 📖 ✨ 🚂

Pradhan Mantri Sangrahalaya



National science centre



Rail Museum





Nursery Visit



Students visited a nursery, where they learned about different plants, their growth process, and the importance of greenery in our environment. 🌱🌸



Planetarium



A Journey Through the Cosmos!

The visit to the planetarium was a fascinating experience, as students explored the wonders of space, planets, and stars, sparking their curiosity about the universe. 🚀🌟



HDFC Bank Visit



At HDFC Bank, students got a firsthand experience of banking operations, learning about savings, transactions, and the importance of financial management. 💰🏠



AWARENESS SESSIONS



Scout & Guide Training

A training session for Scouts and Guides was organized for 3 days to instill leadership, teamwork, and survival skills among students.



Good touch Bad touch

A sensitive and age-appropriate session on good touch and bad touch was conducted to empower students with knowledge about body safety, boundaries, and the importance of seeking help from trusted adults when necessary



Cyber security

An awareness session on cyber security educated students about online safety, digital footprints, and responsible internet usage.



Fire safety mock drill

A comprehensive fire safety mock drill was conducted to educate students about emergency response protocols, fire prevention measures, and safe evacuation techniques during unforeseen incidents.





Career Guidance Session

St. Mary's School organized an insightful Career Guidance Session for Classes 5-8, helping students explore future opportunities, understand their interests, and make informed choices. The session inspired young minds to dream big and plan ahead! ★



Basic life support and first aid

St. Mary's School conducted a Basic Life Support (BLS) and First Aid Training session to equip students with essential emergency response skills. Through hands-on demonstrations, they learned CPR, wound care, and other lifesaving techniques, fostering confidence and preparedness in critical situations. 🧑‍🚒 +



Peer pressure

St. Mary's School conducted an interactive session on Peer Pressure, helping students recognize its impact and develop confidence to make positive choices. Through discussions, role-plays, and real-life examples, they learned how to handle peer influence wisely and stay true to themselves. ★



Medical Health Check up

St. Mary's School, in collaboration with Sarvodaya Hospital, organized a comprehensive medical health checkup for students and teachers. This initiative aimed at ensuring overall well-being, with experienced medical professionals conducting thorough health assessments. The checkup reinforced the importance of regular health monitoring and a healthy lifestyle, promoting a safe and nurturing learning environment for all.





SPORTS ACHIEVEMENTS



Celebrating Our Karate Champs!

St. Mary's School takes immense pride in our talented students who showcased their exceptional skills and determination at the National Karate Championship held on 17th & 18th December at Talkatora Stadium. Their hard work and perseverance earned them well-deserved medals, bringing glory to the school. Congratulations to our champions for their outstanding achievements and true sportsmanship! 🏆🥇🥈🥉



Celebrating Our Skating Champs! 🏆

We are thrilled to announce the incredible achievements of our students at the Inter School Roller Championship held on 22nd December at Ghaziabad. Their hard work, determination, and exceptional talent have brought immense pride to us all!



St. Mary's Shines at SFA Championship!

Our talented athletes showcased outstanding skills and sportsmanship at the SFA Championship, bringing home accolades and making us proud! Their dedication, perseverance, and team spirit were truly commendable. Congratulations to all the participants for their incredible performances! 🏅🥈🥉



Olympiad Medalists



ST. MARY'S SCHOOL PROUDLY CONGRATULATES OUR BRILLIANT OLYMPIAD MEDALISTS FOR THEIR OUTSTANDING PERFORMANCE! THEIR DEDICATION, HARD WORK, AND EXCELLENCE HAVE BROUGHT PRIDE TO THE SCHOOL. CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL THE ACHIEVERS FOR THEIR REMARKABLE SUCCESS! 🏆🇮🇳🌟

IMO Gold Medalist



Advit
Class 1A



Kiana
Class 1B



Vyakhya
Class 1B



Aaryav
Class 2A



Avik Mahajan
Class 2A



Souvik Mandal
Class 2A



Chaitanya
Class 2A



Avik Agarwal
Class 2B



Ansh
Class 3



Gavya
Class 3



Tushar
Class 3



Rishabh
Class 4A



Gunjit
Class 4A



Charul
Class 4B



Atharv
Class 5



Bhavesh
Class 6



Daksh
Class 6

IEO GOLD MEDALIST



Ranvijay
Class 1B



Avik Agarwal
Class 2B

NSO GOLD MEDALIST



Souvik Mandal
Class 2A



Bhavi
Class 4A



Srishti
Class 4A



Insha Khan
Class 6



Gunjit Sharma
Class 4A

IGKO GOLD MEDALIST



Souvik Mandal
Class 2A



Ananya Mishra
Class 3



Saharshi Mishra
Class 7



Gunjit Sharma
Class 4A



Keshav Mishra
Class 6

IHO GOLD MEDALIST

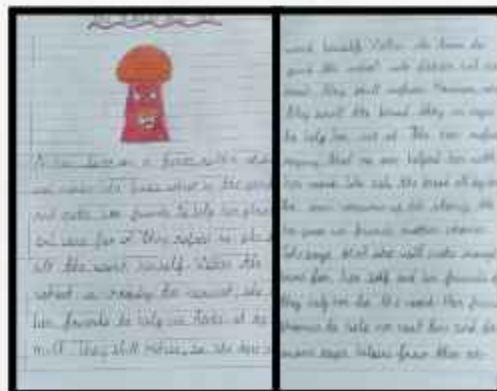
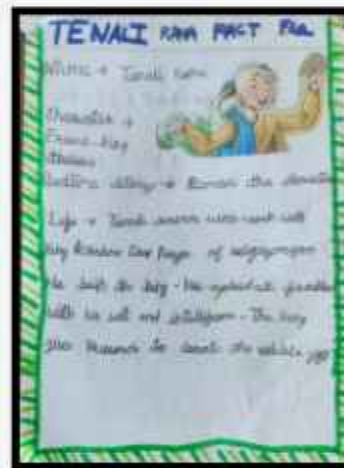
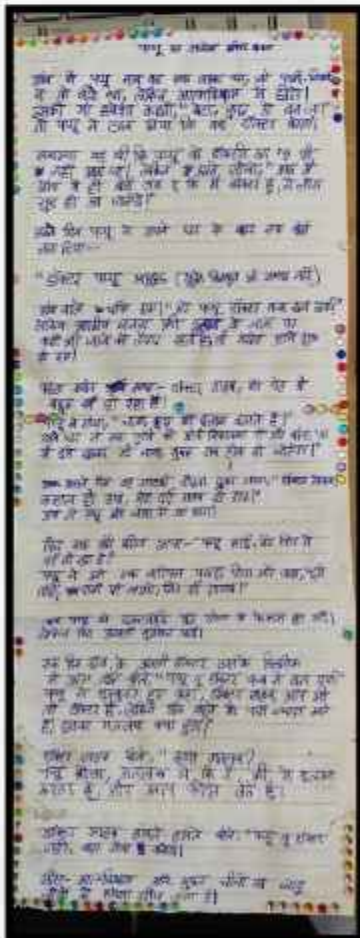
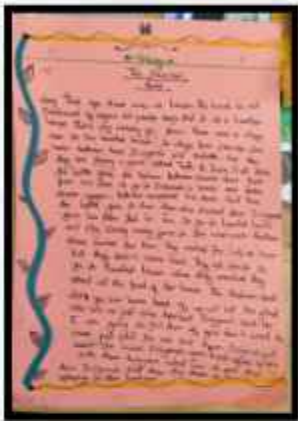


Gunjit Sharma
Class 4A

LITERARY CORNER - UNLEASHING CREATIVITY THROUGH WORDS!



The Literary Corner at St. Mary's School is a celebration of creativity, imagination, and expression. From thought-provoking essays and engaging stories to beautiful poetry and insightful articles, our students showcase their love for literature and language. This platform nurtures young minds, encouraging them to explore the power of words and share their unique perspectives with the world. 📖✍️🌟





Honoring Excellence: Awards & Recognition

St. Mary's School has been proudly featured in leading newspapers and honored with prestigious awards for its commitment to excellence in education. These accolades reflect the school's dedication to academic innovation, holistic development, and creating a nurturing environment for students to thrive.



EDUCATION AND NATURE-BASED LEARNING

Ms. Seema Gupta

Principal, St. Mary's School

"St. Mary's School is a shining example of excellence in education."

- Dr. Anil Kumar

Ms. Seema Gupta is a highly accomplished professional with over 15 years of experience in the field of education. She holds a Master's degree in Education and is currently pursuing her Ph.D. in Educational Leadership. She is a member of the Indian Council for Educational Research and Training (ICERT) and the National Council of Educational Research and Training (NCERT). She has been awarded several prestigious awards for her contributions to the field of education, including the 'Best Principal' award in 2020 and the 'National Award for Excellence in Education' in 2021. She is a frequent speaker at national and international conferences and has published several articles on educational research. She is also a member of the National Council of Educational Research and Training (NCERT) and the Indian Council for Educational Research and Training (ICERT). She is a frequent speaker at national and international conferences and has published several articles on educational research. She is also a member of the National Council of Educational Research and Training (NCERT) and the Indian Council for Educational Research and Training (ICERT).



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Chairman & director of school feild

St. Mary's School has been awarded the title of 'Best School in the State of India' for the year 2021. The award was presented to the school by the State Education Department, Government of India. The school is proud to have received this prestigious award, which is a testament to the school's commitment to excellence in education.

देशभक्ति के रंग में डूबा सारा शहर, चारों ओर छाया तिरंगा

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Empowering Educators

CBSE 2-Days Induction Programme

St. Mary's School successfully hosted a 2-day CBSE Induction Programme aimed at enhancing teaching methodologies and professional growth. Through insightful sessions, interactive workshops, and expert guidance, our educators gained valuable knowledge to create enriching learning experiences for students. The program was a step forward in fostering excellence in education! 🌟🎓



Professional Development

Training & Workshops for Teachers

St. Mary's School conducted enriching training sessions and workshops for teachers, focusing on innovative teaching strategies, classroom management, and professional growth. These sessions empowered educators with new skills and insights to enhance the learning experience for students. 🌟📚👩🏫



Our dedicated teachers and principal attended national seminars and workshops to enhance their skills, embrace new teaching strategies, and foster professional growth! 🌟👩🏫🌟



Editorial Team



MS. DONA JOJI
English Department

As we conclude this edition, let's celebrate the power of expression—through words, movement, and creativity. Education is not just about lessons in books but about discovering oneself through art, language, and imagination. Each page reflects the passion and talent within our school community, reminding us that learning is a continuous journey. May this edition inspire you to dream, create, and explore new horizons. Keep dancing to the rhythm of knowledge and writing your own story of success.

Until the next edition, keep exploring, keep expressing, and keep shining!



MS. LOVEY YADAV
School Counsellor

As we wrap up this edition, let's take a moment to appreciate the stories, ideas, and creativity shared within these pages. Each piece reflects growth, resilience, and the endless potential within us all. Life, much like education, is a journey of learning and self-discovery. Let's continue to support, uplift, and inspire one another, embracing challenges as opportunities to grow.

May this edition leave you with inspiration, insight, and a renewed spirit to move forward with confidence and hope.

Until next time, stay inspiring and stay strong!



SAFIYAH
Class 8

As Nelson Mandela once said, "Education is the most powerful weapon which you can use to change the world." Working with the editorial team has allowed me to experience the true essence of education—creativity, expression, and collaboration. This journey has helped me grow as both a writer and a learner, and I am grateful for the opportunity to share ideas that inspire and inform. Together, we continue to explore, learn, and make a difference, one edition at a time.



POORNITA
Class 8

"Education is the key to unlock the golden door of freedom." – George Washington Carver
Childhood is a time to explore, learn, and grow. Working with the editorial team has been a valuable experience, helping me realize how education shapes our perspectives and empowers us. It has been a journey of creativity, teamwork, and learning to express ideas in meaningful ways. I look forward to contributing more to this platform and continuing to learn.

Graduation Day

The Pre-Primary Wing celebrated Graduation Day with joy and pride as our little graduates took a big step toward formal schooling. Dressed in adorable caps and gowns, they received certificates and showcased their talents through delightful performances. The event was filled with excitement, laughter, and heartfelt moments, making it a memorable milestone for students, teachers, and parents alike. ✨



St. Mary's Family

