



**DELHI PRIVATE SCHOOL** L.L.C

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## Principal's Message

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Dear Parents,

The atmosphere of DPS Ajman is warmed up with the heat of half-yearly exams. I believe the students are well-prepared and excited to attempt the exams and score the best results. The exams will be followed up with the open house to discuss the progress of the student's performance. I am glad that they have all dealt with the challenge, well.

During October, we celebrated Mental Health and Well-Being month. After the last two years of pandemic living, many students have realised that stress, isolation, and uncertainty have taken a toll on their well-being. Our goal is to provide foundational knowledge about mental health and mental health conditions and information about what students can do if their mental health is a cause for concern. Because teens spend most of their day at school, it just makes sense to have mental health awareness and education become part of the curriculum. When we empower the students with knowledge and encourage dialogue, students will get the help they need in combating the pressures they face internally and externally.

October was also the month of various competitions that were conducted in the school. One among them was the spell bee competition. The competition helped to promote literacy by providing children with a positive goal to work towards, and give them a forum to display the fruits of their hard work.

Consistent efforts have been put forward by the SLTs and staff of DPSA in nourishing and fostering the creative genius of the students. As an educational institution responsible for creating the future community, we are dedicated to providing support and assistance to the students to support them in all areas of life, including health, academics and mental well-being.

With all your support and cooperation, we will continue to soar high in the face of the challenges each day, and we will do it together as a family.

Regards,

Dr Vishal Kataria

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## Parents of the Kindergarten Students extend wishes on Gandhi Jayanti:

As a tribute to Mahatma Gandhi, Kindergarteners of DPS, Ajman celebrated Gandhi Jayanti as a Parental Engagement Programme. Our tiny tots were excited to dress up like Gandhiji and Kasturba Gandhi. Children performed a role play inculcating the values which Gandhiji has taught people. The celebration was also an opportunity for the parents to learn about the great leader and his values.



## What We Learn with Pleasure We Never Forget:

Spelling is one of the essential components of successful writing. It develops the LSRW skills of students. Without spelling skills, individuals will struggle with their writing, and their literacy level and will inevitably be judged by others in terms of their ability to spell words correctly. The students of grades 1,2 and 3 participated in the 'Spell Bee' activity. The competition also helped in enriching the vocabulary bank of the students. It was indeed great to watch the excitement among the students.



## No duty is more important than Showing Gratitude:

Kindergarten Department celebrated World Teachers' Day to mark their gratitude towards their loving teachers. Students from our Kindergarten presented a great assembly to their teachers and all SLT's to express their appreciation and thankfulness for them. They also exhibited their speaking skills by sharing messages with their teachers and SLT's. The efforts of our students in expressing their love and gratitude towards their teachers were well appreciated by everyone.



## Health is wealth:

The DPSA Clinic Team organized a session on health, hygiene, and well-being for primary students for awareness regarding health and safety issues. Practising good personal hygiene at school is essential for students to stay clean, healthy, and safe from germs and illnesses. The clinic shared important tips



on how to include personal hygiene with the students. Students are at risk



of exposure to germs while playing, sharing food with friends, mixing closely with other children. Therefore, to create a safe and healthy environment at school, tips and training were given out during the session.

## Food Makes the World A Lot Better: Leave NO ONE Behind

16<sup>th</sup> October is observed as World Food Day to highlight the condition of millions of people worldwide who cannot afford a healthy diet and the need for regular access to nutritious food. The theme for World Food Day 2022 was 'Leave NO ONE behind'. The kindergarten department celebrated this day to acquaint the students with the importance of a healthy life style with a healthy diet and to bring their attention on 'Not to Waste food.'



## Nothing teaches more than exploring the surrounding and accumulating the experiences:

As education systems are diversifying and expanding, the creation of new jobs and opportunities is changing the way individuals make their career choices. With such changes in place, career planning has become more complex and confusing where formal sources of career-related guidance are not easily accessible. To facilitate the students with such a great opportunity, an educational trip was organised for the 18<sup>th</sup> International Education Show at the Sharjah Expo Centre for the students of Grade10 and 12. The students made



the best use of this chance and visited many universities and educational academies for their higher studies. They patronized all the streams which had been offered by well-recognized universities and colleges not only at the national level but internationally as well. It was really a fruitful trip because the students were exposed to all the universities of Ajman, Sharjah and Dubai all under a single umbrella.



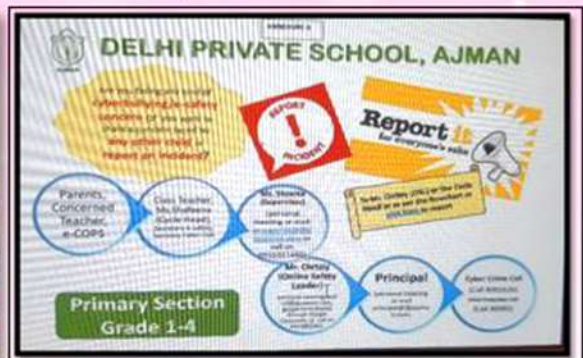
## Ready For the Fight, Determined to Win:

On the occasion of Global Breast Cancer Awareness Month, The School council Members of 5-12 girls hosted a campaign to raise awareness about the risk factors and preventive measures against breast cancer. The Campaign was held under the theme 'Ready for the Fight Determined to Win' and started with a Rally and slogan. The students created an awareness wall and posted their thoughts and determinations on breast cancer. A pamphlet was also distributed among the parents which aimed to explore the level of knowledge about breast cancer risk factors, the common early warning signs, therapeutic approaches, their influential determinants and where to go in case of any concerns or warning signs. The campaign was highly beneficial to our students and was a good platform to reach out to young girls and share important messages about health and well-being with them. |



## Safety Is a Small Investment for A Rich Future: A Session by Christy Cherian – School Counsellor

The role of the school counsellor is to foster in the minds of the students a sense of belonging, a sense of 'I belong here at this school'. The school counsellor's role is to build relationships with the students so that everyone feels safe and included. Taking this important point into consideration, we make the safety of our students our priority. A fruitful session with the school counsellor Mr. Christy Cherian was held to let the students know the channel through which they can approach when they are in need.



## Strength Lies in Differences Not in Similarities- Global Village Activity

The term global village has been used to express the idea that people throughout the world are interconnected using new media technologies. Technology has made it possible to connect people regardless of where their geographical location is. With this concept, the students of grade 3 came up with a fun-filled activity displaying different country's traditions, art and culture, food, dress, and famous monuments. Students came in attractive costumes, spoke about the country they represented. By creating this Global Village, students also spread the message of 'Unity in diversity' for creating a better future.



## **Mental Health And Well Being - A Global Priority:**

The students of grade 4 C took up the theme Mental Health for their assembly to let students explore the importance of Mental health including emotional, psychological, and social well-being and how it affects the way we think, feel, and act. The topic also helped students to determine how we handle stress, relate to others, and make healthy choices. Mental health is important at every stage of life, from childhood and adolescence through adulthood and to mobilize efforts to support those experiencing mental health issues. Assembly was concluded with a few words of encouragement by the School Counsellor Mr. Christy Cherian.



## Make your own magic:

A very important part of learning during kindergarten years is the identification and recognition of colours. Pink Colour Day and Orange Colour Day were celebrated in the month of October. It was a treat to see all the children dressed up in pink and orange colours respectively. Children enjoyed the day cheering up while making flowers, flamingos, trees, cupcakes, ice cream, crafts in pink and pumpkin, mandarin, and other craft ideas in orange. It was an opportunity for them to enhance their creativity and build their self-confidence.



## Unity in Diversity

The UAE is the perfect example to the world for what it means by "Unity in Diversity". The UAE's culture is dynamic and tolerant. The diversity of the UAE contributes to the variety and richness of the UAE's culture and strengthens national unity. It welcomes all the nations around the world wholeheartedly to live in tolerance and peace. Taking this as the theme, the students of grade 2 A conducted an assembly on



'Unity in diversity'. Students dressed in different nationalities spoke about their rich culture and heritage and how fortunate they are to be a part of the UAE.



## We Forget That the Water Cycle and The Life Cycle Are One: SDG 6 - Clean Water and Sanitation:

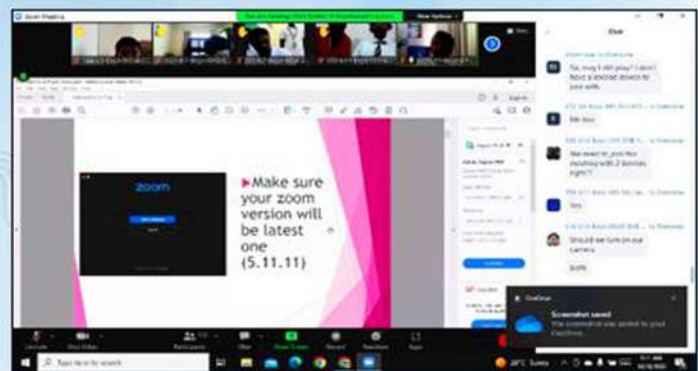
Sustainable Development Goal 6 is all about 'clean water and sanitation for all'. Students of grade 4 D conducted the assembly on this important theme to arouse awareness among students about Sustainable Development Goal 6 -Clean water and Sanitation and how to achieve it through speeches, quotes and performance by Ann Sara on the song - 'If Water Could Speak', personifying a water droplet, expressing its importance to the humans. Children understood the importance of saving water and the repercussions if not used wisely.



## Active Participation Is an Engaging Exchange of Information:

Our students participated in two inter-school competitions in the month of October. They were well prepared for the purpose and charmed the audience to a great extent with their performance.

They participated in the 2<sup>nd</sup> GEMS inter school online chess championship 2022 – 2023 hosted by GEMS Millennium School. As the day of the Chess tournament approached 6 category highly enthusiastic students were all geared up to beat their opponents in nail-biting matches. The students were categorized into 6 groups according to their age.



**2<sup>nd</sup> GEMS INTER SCHOOL ONLINE CHESS CHAMPIONSHIP 2022-2023**  
**Early Entry**

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SCHEDULE						
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2.	ABDUL RAHMAN	4.B	09/01/2011	Group 2 (01.04.2011 - 31.05.2011)		
3.	MUHAMMAD SHARAFUDIN	5.A	09/01/2012	Group 3 (01.06.2011 - 31.07.2011)		
4.	MUHAMMAD MUHAMMAD	7.B	09/01/2014	Group 4 (01.08.2011 - 31.09.2011)		
5.	MUHAMMAD BAKIR	11.A	09/01/2007	Group 5 (01.10.2011 - 31.11.2011)		
6.	ABUL KARIEM	12.A	09/01/2006	Group 6 (01.12.2011 - 31.12.2011)		

\* We will send the Entry form on an online Thursday, September 29, 2022.  
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**Secondly, our school enthusiastically participated in Inter House Table Tennis Matches organized by Indian international School-Sharjah.**





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