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Principal's Message



“Watch your thoughts, they become your words; watch your words, they become your actions; watch your actions, they become your habits; watch your habits, they become your character; watch your character, it becomes your destiny.” - Lao Tzu

Thus thoughts are important. Dear students, always keep a positive outlook. Positive thinking is an optimistic state of mind, which sees the bright side of life, and focuses on solutions rather than on problems. Positive thinkers are always very energetic, confident and optimistic. Since they are very hopeful, they have capacity to change the circumstances and due to their balanced state of mind they can execute their plans very well. Positivity increases life span, helps one develop coping skills during hardships and times of stress, lowers the level of depression and stress.

I take this opportunity to congratulate all students for their excellent performance in Board Examinations. We are really proud of them.

Children always remember, hard work, high energy and a positive outlook will guide us towards great success, despite the challenges we meet along the way.

God Bless.

- Ms. Alka Murthy
Principal

Zydus On the Go

ZSE, Students TOP ISC & ICSE 2019- 20 Examinations in the State











We had yet another remarkable year at the Council Examinations. In the class X The student stars of this exam were Aarohi Uniyal, Manushi Parikh and Shreeya Patel.

Aarohi scored an impressive 97.7%. Manushi & Shreeya scored 97.4% and 96.7 % respectively.

Manushi Parikh , Jay Parikh, Maulikaa Shah & Mann Chuhan were ace-scorers in Maths, whereas Aarohi Uniyal, Meet Patel, Samridh Kashyap & Shashavat Seth scored full in Computer Science. Shreeya Patel scored full in History and Civics and Priya Patel scored full marks in Arts.

  Aarohi Uniyal (97.7%)	  Manushi Parikh (97.4%)	  Shreeya Patel (96.7%)
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100% Scorers ICSE

Maths	 Manushi Parikh	 Jay Parikh	 Maulikaa Shah	 Mann Chuhan
Computer Science	 Aarohi Uniyal	 Meet Patel	 Samridh Kashyap	 Shashavat Sheth
History/Civic	 Shreeya Patel	Art		 Priya Patel

The XII – Science stream also saw some significant performances. Deeptha S Srikanth stood first in the class with 97.8% followed by Yash Thakkar with 95.2% and Sanajana Shah scoring 95%.

Deeptha Shrikanth, Dev Patel and Samyak Seth scored full marks in Physical Education, Mathematics and Computer Science respectively.

In the Commerce stream, Anjansi Mehta scored 96.4% followed by Archi Gupta scoring 93.8 %. Vishal Motlani bagged third position with 93.4%

Anjansi Mehta, Archi Gupta and Vishal Motlani scored full marks in commerce.

  <p>Deeptha Srikanth (97.8%)</p>	  <p>Yash Thakkar (95.2%)</p>	  <p>Sanjana Shah (95%)</p>
  <p>Anjansi Mehta (96.4%)</p>	  <p>Archi Gupta (93.8%)</p>	  <p>Vishal Motlani (93.4%)</p>

100% Scorers ISC

Science



Deeptha Srikanth
Physical Education



Dev Patel
Maths



Samyak Sheth
Computer Science

Commerce



Anjansi Mehta
Commerce



Archi Gupta
Commerce



Vishal Motlani
Commerce

The **Frank Anthony Memorial All India Inter-School Debate Competition 2019**, Category II was held on 11th July, 2019 at Eklavya school Ahmedabad. Sagnik Banerjee (X) and Subhojit Roychowdhary (IX) participated in the competition. The topic for the debate was “Education fosters Democracy”. Sagnik Banerjee secured the Best Speaker award and as a team they were the 1st Runners up. They are also qualified for the next round of the competition.

FRANK ANTONY DEBATE COMPETITION

Yashika Singla of class XI and Jeet Singh Rathore of Class XII represented our school in the Frank Antony Debate Competition held on 11th August, 2019 at Nalanda International School. It was a good learning experience for both the students.



DECLAMATION COMPETITION

Sagnik Banerjee of class X won the second prize in the declamation competition which was held on a 6th July at Zyplus School of Excellence Godhavi. He effectively declared the Speech of Adolf Hitler.



TAK DHINA DHIN

Khwahish Adani of class III had participated in Tak Dhina Dhin Competition organised by the school post on 25th August, 2019. She had participated in two group dances and a duet. She secured first prize in one group dance and was felicitated with a trophy. She bagged a second prize in both group dance and duet wherein she received a certificate for the same.



NWR CREATIVE WRITING 2019

Two of our students Amoli Shah of class XI and Riddhi Bobda of class X had participated in NWR Creative writing competition on 22nd August at Anand Niketan School Shilaj – Ahmedabad. It was a good learning exposure to the students.

NWR DECLAMATION 2019

Jeet sing Rathore of class XII and Keya Kakkad of class X had participated in NWR Declamation 2019 at Amarjyoti Saraswati International School, Bhavnagar on 20th August, 2019. It was a great learning experience for both the students.



SCHOOL POST

The School Post had organised the YOUNG AUTHORS AWARDS 2019. It was held on 1st July 2019. The winners of the Pens of Fame are:

1. Tanisha Muley of class VI
2. Mahek Shah of class V
3. Khanak Agarkar of class V



SKATING COMPETITION

Art of balancing on the wheels is really wonderful.

Dhey Shah of class V has won the first rank and had received a trophy in the Skating Competition. It was held on 6th July, 2019.

CAMLIN ART CONTEST (2019-2020)

Artistic people are a class by themselves. They are persons who can picturise and draw. Swara Prabhune of class V bagged the 3rd prize in the National level of **CAMEL ART CONTEST**. Kashvi Kapadia of class V, Kashvi Agrawal of Class III and Aashna Kanodia of Class IX was given Appreciation Prize.



Soha Parikh studying in class VIII had appeared in 29th National level sub junior competition held at Motafoldiya, Gujarat and has won a Silver medal in appratus in the competition of Appratus uneven bar and a Bronze medal in Floor Exercise. It is after three decades that the state of Gujarat has been awarded with a bronze medal. The competition was held from 28th June to 30th June.



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State gymnasts end long wait

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The young sports stars from the state making the head turn with their exploits on the field. After the junior and sub-junior girls' football teams, it was time for the sub-junior gymnasts to shine in the limelight.

The young stars from the state picked three gold medals, one silver and two bronze medals in the recently held 29th Sub-Junior Artistic Gymnastics Championship that was held in Motafoldiya.

While Ahmedabad's Diya Thakore was the star of the show with three gold medals in vaulting, uneven bars and floor sequence, her academy mate Soha Parikh picked a silver medal in uneven bars and added a bronze in balancing beam. Their academy mate Hirva Thakkar missed out the bronze medal by a whisker in balancing beam.

The other members of the team are Jinal Rana, Visharnee Parmar, Mahi Khaleshi and Siddhi Bhagat.

Ending a long wait
 The youngsters also ended Gujarat's three-decade long wait when they picked the team bronze for their performance.

"I think the girls deserved all the credit for their performance. They had worked hard for the past four years and I am not surprised that they have ended a long wait," Gujarat coach Harish Chaudhary

Chaudhary, who also coached the Ahmedabad girls' at city academy. Diya, who also won the 'elegant award' for her performance, left that in their desire to win that honor.

"We wanted to win. We are very excited to win a medal and our hard work had paid off," said the class 7 student of Eklavya School who hopes to qualify for Olympics in the future.

Soha, a class 8 student of Zydus School of Excellence, added, "It is a wonderful feeling to be winning a medal at the start. We worked very hard from last September. I am represent my country in international meets."

I think the girls deserved all the credit for their performance. They had worked hard for the past four years and I am not surprised that they have ended a long wait

Diya Thakore (C) and Soha Parikh (R) during the championship

SHITO RYU KARATE CHAMPIONSHIP

Param Vinchi of class V won the 15th All Gujarat state level Shito – Ryu Karate Championship 2019. It was held at Sanskar Dhaam near Bopal from 28th April, 2019. He has been awarded a black belt.

The competition was organised by the Shito Ryu Sports Karate Association of India. Param Vinchi stood first in Kumitac and got a Gold medal.



SCIENCE EXPERTIA

Pranshul Shukla of class V has won first rank in Science Expertia. He has won a medal and a trophy. The competition was held on 19th August, 2019.

MARRS SCIENCE EXPERTIA

Navin Nair of class IV and Manya Shah of class II got a trophy and a certificate in Marrs Science Expertia which was held on 11th August, 2019 at DAV School. It was a State level competition where the children performed exceptionally well.



MARRS INTERNATIONAL SPELL BEE.

Preet Ahuja of class X has secured first position at the Ahmedabad Inter School Championship 2018-19 of Marrs International Spell Bee in category 5 held at DAV International School.

MODEL UNITED NATIONS

In Young Ahmedabad Model United Nations Yashika Singla of class XI and Stavan Mehta of class IX got a certificate. They had spoken there as delegates. It was held on 27th and 28th July, 2019.

DISTRICT LEVEL KARATE CHAMPIONSHIP

Darsh Soni of class VII has got second prize in advanced Taefudo Martial Arts. It was held on 28th July, 2019.



FORTNITE CREATIVE ZONE WORD GAMES

Gaurav Gogisetty of class XII has secured 3rd position in the fortnite creative zone Games. It was held on 23rd and 24th July, 2019.

INDIAN CUBE ASSOCIATION- NATIONAL LEVEL

Aryan Morbia and Satya Trivedi of Class VI were given awarded medals for their achievement in the Indian cube association. It was held on 28th March, 2019.



LOGIQUIDS

Meghav Ladani (Class V), Ananmya Sharma (Class V) and Karna Dwivedi (Class III) were awarded Gold medals for LogiQuids. It was held on 26th August, 2019.

UCEMAS MENTAL ARITHMATIC

Yatri Vaishnav of class VI has won a certificate and a medal for participating and passing the International standard of UCEMAS Mental Proficiency Exams. It was held on 28th January, 2019.



The students of Sr.Kg. had their final round of "The Quest" Olympiad in the month of January 2019. In the final round Kavya Patel (class I) secured the 4th rank at the All India level in Mathematics Olympiad. Mishika Jain (class I) secured the 5th rank at the All India level in English Olympiad whereas Arhaan Shah (class I) secured the 7th rank at the All India level in G. K. Olympiad. All the 3 students got a trophy, a gift and a certificate from "The Quest" Olympiad organizers.



INOX – NATGEO FILMS

Students of Classes IV, V, VI, VII and VIII went to Inox R World, Adalaj, to watch the screening of 3d National Geographic documentary films on 21st June, 2019. The following are the two documentaries that they had seen.

- *Mysteries of the Unseen World
- *Wildest Weather in the Solar System



TRINITY SCHOOL OF MUSIC

Satya Trivedi of class VI has secured 99% in the Trinity School of Music. It was held on 4th May.



Priya Patel XI B

HANDWRITING OLYMPIAD

The following students are the winners of handwriting Olympiad. They have received certificate and medals.

Name	Class
Jenil Dalki	III
Aarav Mehta	III
Meetkumar sohaliya	IV
Vansh shah	V
Aryan katariya	V
Shiv Shah	VI
Merel Das	VII
Jiyya Shah	VIII
Kalgi Mehta	VIII
Oishee Chatterjee	IX
Mishka M	IX
Pal sodagar	IX
Riddhi Bobda	X



NWR SWIMMING COMPETITION

Nishk Davawala of class IX won three silver medals in CISE NWR State Level swimming competition. He got the medals for 50 metres back stroke, 100 metres back stroke and 400 metres free style.

Bhavya Bodha of class X has also brought laurels. He won 3 gold medals in 50 mt Breaststroke, 100mt Breaststroke and 100 mt Freestyle.

Heer Shah of class 9 B also won 1 silver and 2 Bronze medals in the 50 mt Backstroke, 100 mt Breaststroke and 50 mt breaststroke.

SOF INTERNATIONAL MATHEMATICS OLYMPIAD (2018-2019)

Mathematics Olympiad sharpens the mental and the logical skills of the students. It help to identify a child's capability and real potential that may help him survive better in today's modern competitive world. The following are the achievers for the session 19 -20

SN	Name	Class	Type of medal
1	Karna Dwivedi	III	Gold
2	Kashvi Agarwal	III	Bronze
3	Jay Parekh	III	Silver
4	Navin Nair	IV	Bronze
5	Aarav Thacker	IV	Gold
6	Sayee Joshi	IV	Silver
7	Albert Berkamans	IV	Medal of Distinction
8	Meghav Ladani	V	Gold
9	Pranshul Shukla	V	Silver
10	Anamya sharma	V	Gold
11	Tanay Gandhi	V	Bronze
12	Shourya Sharma	VI	Gold
13	Abhinav khandelwal	VI	Silver
14	Aryansh shah	VI	Bronze
15	Deepam Raval	VII	Silver
16	Anshul Mehta	VII	Bronze
17	Mohiy Agarwal	VII	Gold
18	Het Selarka	VIII	Bronze
19	Mihika Chokhadia	VIII	Gold
20	Dev Shah	VIII	Silver
21	Kashvi Mehta	IX	Bronze
22	Nishk Davawala	IX	Silver
23	Harshita joshi	IX	gold
24	Abhas senapati	X	Gold
25	Taksh Patel	X	Silver
26	Ayush Gupta	X	Bronze
27	Mann Chauhan	XI	Gold



THE NWR ATHLETICS MEET-2019 was organised by Anand Niketan School, Satellite Ahmedabad which was held at Gujarat University Sports Complex from 7th August to 9th August 2019.

The students of our school won 47 medals which included 16 Gold, 18 Silver and 18 Bronze in different categories. The details are as follows:

BOYS U/19

	NAME	Class	Achievements
1	ARINDAM BASU	XII	SECURED 3 RD IN 100 MTR AND 200 MTR RACE AND WON 2 BRONZE MEDAL
2	SHAIVAL MODI	XII	SECURED 1 ST IN 4 X400 MTR RELAY RACE WON GOLD MEDAL
3	DEVARSH JOSHI	XII	SECURED 1 ST IN 4 X400 MTR RELAY RACE AND 2 ND IN 400 MTRS RACE WONE 1 GOLD AND 1 SILVER
4	SHRIVINAYAK NAIR	XII	SECURED 1 ST IN 400 MTR,800 MTR AND 4 X400 MTR RELAY RACE WON 3 GOLD
5	NAMAN PATEL	XII	SECURED 1 ST IN 4 X400 MTR RELAY RACE WON GOLD MEDAL

GIRLS U/19

	NAME	Class	Achievements
1	ANIKA BANDYOPADHYAY	XII	SECURED 2 ND IN TRIPPLE JUMP,3 RD IN LONG JUMP AND 3 RD IN 4 X100 MTR RELAY RACE AND WON 1 SILVER AND 2 BRONZE MEDALS.
2	MANASWINI JOSHI	XII	SECURED 1 ST IN TRIPPLE JUMP, 1 ST IN LONG JUMP AND 3 RD IN 4 X100 MTR RELAY WON 2 GOLD AND 1 SILVER
3	IRA VAIDYA	XII	SECURED 1 ST IN 4 X400 MTR RELAY RACE WON BRONZE MEDAL
4	MARYAM SHEKHANI	XII	SECURED 1 ST IN 4 X400 MTR RELAY RACE WON BRONZE MEDAL

GIRLS U/17

	NAME	Class	Achievements
1	BELISHA BHATIA	X	SECURED 1 ST IN 4 X400 MTR RELAY RACE WON GOLD MEDAL
2	RIA SHAH	XI	SECURED 3 RD IN 400 MTR 1 ST IN 4 X400 MTR RELAY RACE WON 1GOLD 1 BRONZE MEDAL.
3	SHREEYA PATEL	XI	SECURED 1 ST IN 4 X400 MTR RELAY RACE WON GOLD MEDAL
4	PANJARI PATEL	XI	SECURED 1 ST IN 4 X400 MTR RELAY RACE WON GOLD MEDAL

BOYS U/17

	NAME	Class	Achievements
1	ARYAN BAHVSAR	XI	SECURED 2 ND IN LONG JUMP AND 3 RD IN 4 X100 MTR RELAY AND WON 1 SILVER AND 1 BRONZE MEDALS
2	KSHITIJ GIRI	IX	SECURED 1 ST IN 100 MTR, 200 MTR 3 RD IN 4 X100 MTR RELAY RACE WON 3 GOLD
3	VIDIT CHAUHAN	XI	SECURED 3 RD IN 4 X100 MTR RELAY RACE WON BRONZE MEDAL
4	RUSHIL VOHERA	IX	SECURED 3 RD IN DISCUSS THROW AND WON BRONZE
5	TAKSH PATEL	X	SECURED 3 RD IN 4 X100 MTR RELAY AND WON BRONZE

GIRLS U/14

	NAME	Class	Achievements
1	PRISHAA JOSHI	VIII	SECURED 2 ND IN 4 X100 MTR RELAY AND WON SILVER MEDAL
2	SOMYA PARIKH	VIII	SECURED 2 ND IN 400 MTR, LONG JUMP AND 4 X 100 RELAY AND 3 RD IN 80 MTR HURDLE RACE AND WON 3 SILVER AND 1 BRONZE MEDALS
3	KALGI MEHTA	VIII	SECURED 1 ST IN 400 MTR, 600 MTR 2 ND IN 4 X400 MTR RELAY RACE WON 2 GOLD AND 1 SILVER
4	NIVA SHAH	VIII	SECURED 2 ND IN 4 X100 MTR RELAY AND WON SILVER MEDAL

BOYS U/14

	NAME	Class	Achievements
1	HEMIT SHAH	VIII	SECURED 2 ND IN 4 X100 MTR RELAY AND WON SILVER MEDAL
2	MAANIL RAVAL	VIII	SECURED 2 ND IN 4 X100 MTR RELAY AND WON SILVER MEDAL
3	DARSH JOSHI	VIII	SECURED 2 ND IN 4 X100 MTR RELAY AND WON SILVER MEDAL
4	DARSH SONI	VII	SECURED 3 RD IN 400 AND 2 ND IN 4 X100 MTR RELAY AND WON 1 BRONZE 1 SILVER MEDAL

➤ **IN THE NWR ATHLETIC COMPETITION GIRLS U/14 CATEGORY ZYDUS SCHOOL FOR EXCELLENCE WON RUNNERS UP TROPHY.**

Congratulations to all the winners for their outstanding performance.

NWR WINNERS



Inter House Competition

Inter-house Chess competition was held on 5th August, 2019 for the students of classes III-V. Both boys and girls enthusiastically participated in the competition with true spirit of winning. The results for the same are as under:

SR No	Name	Class	House	Position
1	Om Oza	V B	Karma	1 st
2	Vihaan Shah	VB	Bhakti	2 nd
3	Yatharth Jhaveri	VC	Dharma	3 rd



Inter-house Elocution competition was held for the students of classes III-V on 22nd July, 2019. The students showcased their oratory skills and confidence.

The results are as under:

House	Name of the Participant	Class	Rank
Dharma	Manit Kathiara	V B	1 st
Dharma	Rudranshi Oza	III C	2 nd
Bhakti	Viha Joshi	IV A	3 rd

Inter-house **Spell Bee** competition was held for the students of classes I and II on 15th April, 2019. The results are as follows:

Class I		
Rank	Name	House
1 st	Dviti Kothawala	Gyan
1 st	Daneesh Bengani	Gyan
3 rd	Vyom Gadani	Dharma
Class II		
Rank	Name	House
1 st	Manya Shah	Gyan
2 nd	Harshit Baxi	Dharma
2 nd	Falak Thawani	Dharma



Inter-house **Handwriting** competition was held on 17th June, 2019 for the students of classes I to V. They enthusiastically participated and tried to write in neat and legible manner. The results are as follows:

Class I			Class II		
Rank	Name	House	Rank	Name	House
1 st	Kashvee Shah	Dharma	1 st	Falak Thawani	Dharma
2 nd	Himja Sheth	Bhakti	2 nd	Mahi Shah	Bhakti
3 rd	Kiaan Shah	Dharma	3 rd	Dhruvit Bhatt	Karma
			3 rd	Naysha Jain	Bhakti

Class III			Class IV			Class V		
Rank	Name	House	Rank	Name	House	Rank	Name	House
1 st	Karna Dwivedi	Bhakti	1 st	Khushi Bhuptani	Bhakti	1 st	Vansh M. Shah	Gyan
2 nd	Jenil Dalki	Karma	2 nd	Manav Parikh	Karma	2 nd	Avi Dwivedi	Karma
3 rd	Prisha Tripathi	Dharma	3 rd	Vaidehi Bhadauria	Dharma	3 rd	Aryan Katariya	Karma
						3 rd	Harvy Shah	Gyan



Inter-house **What's the Good Word** Competition was held for the students of classes I and II on 15th July, 2019. This competition aimed at enhancing vocabulary and picture identification in children.

House	Participant Name	Class	Rank
Dharma	Kabir Das Thakkar	I	1 st
	Falak Thawani	II	
Bhakti	Prina Parmar	I	2 nd
	Sara Chokhadia	II	
Gyan	Sharanya Trivedi	I	3 rd
	Manya Shah	II	



The Inter-House **Picture Based Story Writing** competition was held on 1st July, 2019 for the students of classes III- V. The class wise results are as under:

Class III			Class IV			Class V		
Rank	Name	House	Rank	Name	House	Rank	Name	House
1 st	Pratham Shah	Gyan	1 st	Atmaja Shukla..	Karma	1 st	Aanvi Rawat	Karma
2 nd	Mannvee Zala	Gyan	2 nd	Hritika Kharidia..	Gyan	2 nd	Avi Dwivedi	Karma
3 rd	Jenil Dalki	Karma	3 rd	Kashish Raval..	Dharma	3 rd	Vihaan Shah	Bhakti



Inter-house **Greeting Card** competition was held on 22nd July, 2019 for the students of classes I and II. The results are as follows:

Class I			Class II		
Rank	Name	House	Rank	Name	House
1 st	Aarna Gosaliya	Gyan	1 st	Aaradhya Yadav	Gyan
2 nd	Manasva Joshi	Dharma	2 nd	Preya Vora	Gyan
3 rd	Karnav Vora	Gyan	3 rd	Hiya Doshi	Karma
			3 rd	Aashi Ajmera	Karma

Inter-house **Rakhi Making** competition was held on 5th August, 2019 for the students of classes III to V. The results are as follows:

Class III			Class IV		Class V	
Rank	Name	House	Name	House	Name	House
1 st	Jashvi Thakker	Dharma	Virika Joshi	Bhakti	Param Vinchhi	Bhakti
2 nd	Jenil Dalki	Karma	Hritika Kharidia	Gyan	Khanak Agarkar	Karma
3 rd	Tanush Jain	Gyan	Nyasa Mistry	Bhakti	Vansh Shah	Gyan
3 rd	Rudranshi Oza	Dharma	Neeva Patel	Karma		

The **Inter-House Patriotic Skit** competition was held on 19th August, 2019 for the students of classes I and II. They the participants performed with great patriotic fervor. The results are as under:

Rank	Name	Rank	Name	Rank	Name
1st Bhakti	1.Kavya Patel	2nd Gyan	1.Dhrumi Patel	2nd Bhakti	1.Mishika Jain
	2.Maharsh Vora		2.Siddh Mashruwala		2.Pratham Mehta
	3.Vaishnavi Gupta		3.Antara Kapadia		3.Diya Patel
	4.Pratyush Singh		4.Daneesh Bengani		4.Kashvee Bagadia
	5.Mahi Shah		5.Rishaan Patel		5.Nandini Patel
	6.Dhairya Maru		6.Rudra Soheliya		6.Jiana Shah
	7.Vihaan Shah		7.Rhythm Bhasin		7.Maurya Desai
	8.Prisha Mathukiya		8.Riaan Morakhia		8.Aanya Sheth
	9.Saanvi Soni		9.Aaradhya Yadav		9.Hiya Doshi
	10.Himarsh Amin		10.Aahana Pandya		



The Inter-House **Quiz Competition** for the students of classes III-V was held on 19th August, 2019. The results are as follows:

House	Class	Participants
1 st	III C	Viratee Shah
	IV B	Albert Berkman
	V A	Meghav Ladani
2 nd	IV A	Navin Nair
	V A	Sampada Gargeshwari
2 nd	III B	Aastha Bhatt
	IV B	Dhyan Gandhi
	V B	Srivaths Iyer



Inter-house **Nature Drawing** competition was held for the students of classes VI, VII and VIII on 5th July, 2019. The students showcased their creativity by drawing various natural scenes. The results are as follows:

	Class VI		Class VII		Class VIII	
Rank	Student Name	House	Student Name	House	Student Name	House
1 st	Tvishaa P. Shah	Karma	Riva Sindhava	Dharma	Hriti Shah	Dharma
2 nd	Divya Shah	Gyan	Manit Patel	Bhakti	Tanaya Kumar	Gyan
3 rd	Chiara Patel	Bhakti	Thiya Sheth	Karma	Kavya Shah	Dharma

Inter-house **Handkerchief Painting** competition was held for the students of classes IX-XII on 5th July, 2019. The students artistically painted creative motifs on the handkerchief to excel in the competition. The results are as follows:

Student Name	Class & Section	House	Rank
Mahek Kothari	IXA	Dharma	1 st
Keya Kakkad	XB	Karma	2 nd
Priya Patel	XIB	Dharma	3 rd
Oishee Chatterjee	IXC	Bhakti	3 rd

Inter-house **Basketball** competition was held for the students of classes VI-XII on 26th July, 2019. The students showed great zeal and enthusiasm to win the match. The results are as follows:

Boys			Girls		
1 st - Dharma	2 nd – Karma	3 rd - Bhakti	1 st - Karma	2 nd – Bhakti	3 rd - Dharma
Nilay Kothari Aarsh Shah Dhruv Thakkar Arsheya Joshi Rushil Vohera Gaurav Lodha Maharsh Patel Rishit Gajjar Kratam Yadav Jayvant Chandel Darsh Sharma	Devarsh Joshi Shaival Modi Niyant Agarwal Shrvinayak Nair Vishakh Garg Krish Patel Vidit Chauhan Vihaan surkar Jash Bhadreshwara Nihar Vora Kavish Shah Hemit Shah	Harshul Bavishi Yagna Oza Ujjwal Dube Maanush Raval Aarav Gupta Rudra Shah Arham Shah Gautam Shah Preet Khimasia Narayan Nair Naisarg Shah Dev kothari	Pal Laheri Pearl Dave Panjari Patel Amoli Shah Manaswini Joshi Kritika Thakur Anika Bandyopadhyay Anushree Solanki	Nima Patel Saumya Goplani Dhanvi Parikh Vibha Sangam Krishna Chudasama Simran Chainani Anokhi Mehta Anushka Khunte Moksha Mehta Nitvi Shah Isha Shah Dhwani Chauhan	Tanisha Bhatia Viha Parikh Prisha Soni Dhruvi Thakker Riva Sindhava Vrisha Mehta Tanisha Patel Ashmi Shah Khushi Zinzuwadia Belisha Bhatia Maryam Shekhani



Inter-house **Football** competition was held for the students of classes 6- 12 on 31st August, 2019. The students showed great zeal and enthusiasm to win the match. The results are as follows:

Classes VI – VIII (GIRLS)			Class IX – XII (GIRLS)		
1 st Dharma	2 nd Bhakti	3 rd Gyan	1 st Karma	2 nd Dharma	3 rd Gyan
Niva Shah	Chiara Patel	Bhavika Joshi	Kritika Thakur	Ashmi Shah	Harshita Joshi
Priyanshi Chokshi	Zaara Dalal	Kriti Ashiya	Anika Bandyopadhyay	Aarya Bhatt	Shaili Gandhi
Kanishtha Lohani	Kalgi Mehta	Pearl Shah	Manaswini Joshi	Pranjal Dad	Surbhi Devnani
Hriti Shah	Nishka Trivedi	Somya Parikh	Vani Bhat	Navya Mittal	Nitya Parmar
Kavya Shah	Prishaa Joshi	Kavya Shah	Priyanshi Agrawal	Shreeya Patel	Krina Leuva
Vrisha Mehta	Aarohi Mehta	Sharanya Nair	Anushka Raval	Belisha Bhatia	Yashika Singla
Shanvi Shah	Greeva Shah			Khushi Zinzuwadia	
Siya Bhandari	Nima Patel			Saumya Shah	



The **Junior Inter-house Football match** was held on 26th August, 2019. The children were quite excited and were eager to win. The results are as follows:

Rank	Name	Rank	Name	Rank	Name
1st Bhakti	Anshav Kanuga	2nd Dharma	Shrey Ghiya	3rd Karma	Adityaraj Vyas
	Nivedh Nair		Yuvraj Desai		Samarth Patel
	Meet Sohaliya		Navin Nair		Vedant R Gupta
	Yashas Sharma		Shubh Patel		Siddhant Rajpal
	Jesal Avsatthi		Deyaan R Mehta		Meghav Ladani
	Shashank Vira		Maanav Patel		Om Oza
	Vihaan Shah		Yatharth R Jhaveri		Aryan Katariya
Dhyey Shah	Tanay Gandhi	Yohaam Singh			

Inter-house **Kho-Kho** competition was held for the students of classes 9-12 on 22nd June, 2019. The students showed true sportsmanship and did their best to make their house win. The results are as follows:

Classes VI - VIII	Rank	Girls		Boys	
		Name	House	Name	House
	1 st	Chiara Patel, Zaara Dalal, Tvisha Mehta , Tanisha Muley, Nima Patel, Saumya Goplani, Dhanvi Parikh, Kalgi Mehta, Nishka Trivedi, Greeva Shah, Prishaa Joshi, Aarohi Mehta	Bhakti	Darsh Soni, Prashil Sodagar, Maitra Patel, Harshal Shah, Prerak Sanandiya, Aadit Dhariwal, Om Varan, Darsh Joshi, Shaurya Sharma, Megh Joshipura, Meet Parikh, Jainam Mehta	Gyan
	2 nd	Tanisha Bhatia, Nilja Vaghela, Hridayee Zala, Yaatri Vaishanav, Riva Sindhava, Tanisha Patel, Dhruvi Thakkar, Manya Shah, Niva Shah, Priyanshi Chokshi, Vidhi Dabhi, Kanishtha Lohni	Dharma	Shiv Shah, Drashya Shah, Rishikesh Das, Aarav Raval, Ohm Parikh, Maanil Raval Dwij Gondalia, Hoshvan Ginwala, Aaryan Single, Nilay Kothari, Darshaam Shah, Param dave	Dharma
	3 rd	Jiya Patel, Kriti Ashiya, Bhavika Joshi, Twisha Shah, Diya Shah, Shreelekha Dhakar Aarna Khakharia, Vihaa Parekh, Sharanya Nair, Vanisa Chokshi, Somya Parikh, Soha Parikh	Gyan	Yatharth Shah, Ishan Godhani ,Shayan Patel , Hrim Shah, Namra Shah, Abishek Nekkanti , Kahaan Shah, Hemit Shah Pratham Gandhi , Kavish Shah, Moksh Shah, Dev Shah	Karma



Classes VI - VIII	Rank	Girls		Boys	
		Name	House	Name	House
	1 st	Priyanshi Agrawal, Amoli Shah , Panjari Patel, Bhavya Nair, Kritika Thakur, Vishva Gandhi, Anika Bandyopadhyay, Manaswini Joshi, Vani Bhat	Karma	Adarsh Nekkanti, Sanidhya Shah, Jash Bhadreshwara, Nihar Vora , Dhairya shah Divyansh Sharma, Jigar Bhavsar, Shrivinayak Nair, Krish Sharma, Devarsh Joshi, Shaival Modi	Karma
	2 nd	Dhruvi Vinchhi, Netra Shah, Moksha Mehta Nitvi Shah, Vibha Sangam, Ria Shah, Simran Chainani, Dhwani Chauhan, Anushka Khunte	Bhakti	Darsh Falodia, Jainam Patel, Jishnu Sen Taksh Patel, Arahm Shah, Rahil Majethia Naisarg Shah, Naman Patel, Arimdam Basu, Kalp Jain, Aditt Vaidya, Narayan Nair	Dharma
	3 rd	Aarya Bhatt, Pranjal Dad, Belisha, Bhatia, Khushi Zinzuwadia, Nandini Soni, Prisha Pallav, Shreeya Patel, Simrn Raval, Maryam Shekhani	Dharma	Sarthak Barashkar, Kshitij Giri, Arya Shah Arnav Chordia, Rishi Shah, Anshul Banker Bhavya Bodha, Aryan Bhavsar, Devansh Patel, Heet Narechania, Tanay Shah, Samarth Soni	Gyan

Playgroup in Action

Celebration

Independence Day and Rakshabandhan were celebrated on 14th August, 2019 for the students of Pre-primary section with great zeal. Children were given the basic information regarding the two festivals. A small PPT on the freedom fighters was shown to the children. Few children were also dressed up as freedom fighters and spoke a few lines about Mahatma Gandhi, Jawaharal Nehru, Sardar Patel, Rani Laxmibai, Bhagat Singh and Netaji Subhassh Chandra Bose. Tricolour was painted on the cheek of each child. Children with the help of the teachers made rakhi on the previous day. The importance and the story behind the festival was narrated to them. Teachers did tilak and tied rakhi to each and every child. The children enjoyed the celebration.

On 23rd August 2019 pre primary section of the school celebrated **Janmashtmi** in a grand way. The celebration started with daily prayer followed by the narration of the story of Lord Krishna. Two students of Sr.Kg were dressed up as Radha and Krishna and aarti was done. Each student was given a chance to swing Lord Krishna's cradle and Prasad was distributed amongst them.



The students of Sr. Kg. visited **Reliance mart** on 28th August, 2019 in order to learn and know about different vegetables and fruits. The visit was the reinforcement on the topic Fruits and Vegetables. Each child was given to eat a banana from the Reliance Mart.



Sr.Kg **Collage Competition** was held on 24th June 2019. The Children were given a picture of a Parachute and some colourful papers. They used their creativity by tearing these colourful papers and sticking it in the picture. The best collages of the students from each class were awarded a certificate and a gift. The winners are:

Sr No	Sr.Kg A	Sr.Kg B	Sr.Kg C
1	Avya Mehta	Devansh Thakkar	Arya Joshi
2	Aayansh Singh	Kshitija Dhnore	Aarnav Bhatt
3	Dharmi Doshi	Krishaba Chudasama	Darshi Shah
4	Mysha Chandaria	Swarit Patel	Parv Morbia
5	Neev Shah		Peehu Shah



Teaching methodology workshop was conducted after the orientation session for the parents on 20th July, 2019. Here the parents were briefed about the curriculum and the teaching method applied by the teachers in the class. Each Class teacher explained about one subject in detail through the PPT. Mrs Rita Bharadwaj explained the importance of nutritious food and pot lunch system.



An **Orientation** programme was held for the parents of **Jr Kg** on 15th June 2019. They were briefed about the general rules and regulations, Potlunch, transportation and school ERP system. Queries of the parents were also solved and answered. Parents were also given the Almanac and I-card of their ward.



Campus Hullabaloo

CAREER TALK BY ASHOKA UNIVERSITY

A career talk was organised for the students of classes XI & XII in association with representatives from Ashoka University on 24th July, 2019. The faculties from the University talked about the various undergraduate programs that they are having under flagship and their career prospects ahead. The talk was followed by Question-Answer session with the students.



TRAFFIC RULES AND ROAD SAFETY

An awareness session on Traffic Rules and Road Safety was conducted by Rotary Club on Monday, 26th August 2019 for higher secondary school. The students got an insight into topics like 'Know Your Roads', 'Language of Traffic Signs / Informative Signs'. The session was conducted by Mr. Jamshed Kamdin and Mr. Manoj Kapoor.

An awareness session on Air Pollution & Related Diseases and how to lead a Healthy Life was conducted on 31st July, 2019 by Ms. Naini Shah from NGO Namaste Life. It was an interactive session for the students of classes III and IV. Students were updated on how to maintain a healthy lifestyle by adopting basic good habits such as hygiene & cleanliness, healthy eating, how to avoid polluting air and our surroundings etc. The entire session was quite insightful and the students learnt many things.



Priya Patel – XI B

In order to sensitize our students towards the children with special needs, a group of children suffering from Down Syndrome were given an opportunity and were encouraged to put up a performance on stage during the assembly on 5th August, 2019. The students who are part of the Down Syndrome Welfare Club (DSWC) which has been working for spreading awareness about it had put up a brilliant performance. Basic information was given about the Syndrome which was followed by various dance performances by the children with special needs. It was heartening to witness our children boosting the morale of these children.



The first Alumni meet of Zydus School for Excellence was the **Radio Mirchi Tree plantation** held on 8th July, 2019 at 1.00pm onwards in the school premises. RJ Dhvanit along with his team from the Radio Mirchi (98.3 FM) came for the tree plantation. He talked about the importance of tree plantation. 20 saplings were planted in the school campus. The gardener pledged that he won't let any sapling die.



NWR DEBATE COMPETITION 2019-20

The NWR Debate Competition was hosted by Zydus School for Excellence on 23rd August, 2019. 7 Schools participated in the junior as well as the senior category. The topic for the Junior Category was “Social networking addiction is negatively affecting the youth of today” and for the senior category was “The holistic development of today’s students is negatively affected by coaching classes.” Eklavya School won the best team honor in the junior category while LML school in the senior category.



The Annual Cultural Festival **Euphoria Zyfest 2019** hosted by Zydus School for Excellence, Vejalpur on 9th August proved to be an unforgettable occasion for all the zealous students.

After setting the ball rolling by lighting the traditional lamp along with coordinators of all participating schools, Mrs. Alka Murthy, Principal, Zydus School for Excellence, Vejalpur addressed the audience and welcomed the judges, teachers and students of the participating schools.

In her address, Principal Mrs. Alka Murthy mentioned about the management’s vision behind celebrating this students fest. They wanted young minds to get together to showcase their talent, to share their knowledge and above all find likeminded friends and build a strong bond with each other. Mrs. Murthy further said that friendship is the only cement that will ever hold the world together.

Multi-faceted talent came to the fore during Euphoria Zyfest 2019 as each student competed in true spirit in the plethora of multi-faceted competitions. An esteemed panel of judges included experts from the respective fields. 42 schools with nearly 1100 students from Ahmedabad, Vadodara, Rajkot and Bhavnagar participated in this mega event.

There were different categories of events namely Mask Making, Bangle Art, Debate, AdMad, Programming, Poetry Recitation, Declamation, Science Ideation, Salad Making & Decoration, IT based Banner Design, Maths & Science Quiz and Dance. An esteemed panel of judges included experts from the respective fields.

The winners of Euphoria Zyfest 2019 were Redbricks School, Gandhinagar and the Runners Up was bagged by Delhi Public School, Bopal. The first three individual winners from each event were also awarded with trophies.

GLIMPSE OF EUPHORIA ZYFEST 2019



INVESTITURE CEREMONY

The elected office bearers were felicitated on 29th June, 2019. Parents of the office bearers were invited and were given the honor of pinning the badges to their wards. Major Shirish Patil (Retd.), Alumnus of National Defence Academy, Khadakwasla and Indian Military Academy, Dehradun was the Guest of Honor for the Investiture Ceremony. The List of Student Council for the academic year 2019-20 is as follows:

Sr. no.	Post	Student name	Class
1.	Head Boy	Piyush Talegaonkar	XII
2.	Head Girl	Manaswini Joshi	XII
3.	Deputy Head Boy	Shashavat Sheth	XI
4.	Deputy Head Girl	Shreeya Patel	XI
5.	Editor	Jigar Bhavsar	XI
6.	Co-editor	Jishnu Sen	IX
7.	Cultural Secretary	Ria Shah	XI
8.	Asst. Cultural Secretary	Subhojit Roychowdhary	IX
9.	Sports Captain	Devansh Patel	XI
10.	Sports Vice-Captain	Nishk Davawala	IX
11.	Gyan Captain	Krina Leuva	XI
12.	Gyan Vice-Captain	Rajee Dhruva	IX
13.	Gyan Prefect	Harshita Joshi	IX
14.	Dharma Captain	Maharsh Patel	XI
15.	Dharma Vice-Captain	Navya Mittal	IX
16.	Dharma Prefect	Aarya Bhatt	IX
17.	Karma Captain	Amoli Shah	XI
18.	Karma Vice-Captain	Stavan Mehta	IX
19.	Karma Prefect	Sanidhya Shah	IX
20.	Bhakti Captain	Preet Khimasia	XI
21.	Bhakti Vice-Captain	Anoli Shah	IX
22.	Bhakti Prefect	Netra Shah	IX

List of Student Council 2019-20 (Juniors)

Sr. no.	Post	Student name	Class
1	Gyan Jr. Captain	Ananyaa Masand	V
2	Gyan Jr. Vice-Captain	Vansh Shah	V
3	Dharma Jr. Captain	Kashvi Shah	V
4	Dharma Jr. Vice-Captain	Tanay Gandhi	V
5	Karma Jr. Captain	Meghav Ladani	V
6	Karma Jr. Vice-Captain	Yohaam Singh	V
7	Bhakti Jr. Captain	Shashank Jay Vira	V
8	Bhakti Jr. Vice-Captain	Vanya Sumit Chopra	V



Student's Corner

DAD

Everything without you is bad
I miss you dad
Everything which was good;
now is bad
I miss you dad
No one is there to buy ice-cream
Now I can't happily dream
For me you were a shed
I love you dad
In every happy moment
My soul remains sad
And I can't live without you dad
Kutch was your favourite place
For me, you were the spade's Ace
Your favourite colour was black
But for me you are red
Cause you live in my heart;
I can't find you, I fail;
Without you, life is just a jail
If I am the sky
You are my star
My heart always asks
Why did you go so far?

Tanisha Bhatia VI C

TODAY IS A SPECIAL DAY

Today is a special day
As my smile is not far away
I always smile to solve problems
And keep silence to avoid problems
Do the things that you love to do
And give your life a new view
Keep the wall of ego and attitude aside
And always be happy for whatever you
tried
Become happy in the happiness of others
And fill your white life with the brightness
of colors
Make your every movement as sharp as
a knife
And thank the god for this precious life.

Belisha Bhatia X A

When I was young,

I was told – that I should be grateful.

There should be a feeling of gratitude in me,
For reasons, I couldn't comprehend then.
Then days passed,
And something kept on changing in me –

And I didn't know what! But something did
change,
Cause I started appreciating things!

I realized that my first thanks should be to
my mother

For manufacturing me with such care, love,
interest and dedication.

My next thanks should be to Mother Nature,
For making me a human.
And how great a gift is being human in itself!
It offers so many advantages –
We wake up every day,

Without the fear of being attacked when we
are asleep,
In the safe and sound shelter of our houses,
Which keep us from the wrath of all the
seasons,

And in the comfort of our loved ones. We get
our food every day,
In fact – whenever we want. Without having
to hunt for it, To go in wilderness to kill,
And having in mind a fear – that we are not
hunted up in turn.

Our food supplies don't depend on the
probabilities,

Nor do they depend on chance and luck, We
have instead, certainties –
That as soon as you open your fridge,

You are bound to get it. We should be
thankful –
That we don't have to shift our homes

With the change in season.

And we have no practical impact, Of the
changing of seasons
On our homes.

It takes something quite extreme, To make
us move ourselves
From our abodes to lands unknown –

But lo behold mankind!

Mother Nature has done it too, several times,
And is bound to do several times more.
Our plight is far better than

Those animals, who live in open forests,
Who succumb and suffer
Under the slightest changes of their
environment,

Of whom some survive, and some

Leave their mortal frame, As a benefit to
others,
And overall to the Nature.

Death is in a different form over there. Being
a painful event is just a part of it, It is more
like restoration
Of the concentration of nutrients, From one
organism,
Into the entire surroundings. We should be
thankful –
That our babies are born
In a far more sterile environment. An
environment – which is far more
protective,

And does not entertain any kind of
predators. Still our babies need us,
And that's good,

For without that, our life would be not the
same as it is.

But an inspiration we should take, From
stronger mothers in Nature, That they
teach their children
The basics, and let them by themselves

To practice it to perfection. Beak-feeding
is done,
But only up to a certain age. Till a certain
limit.

Then however extreme the conditions
may be,

They are left on their own, Their actions
are their survival, They make their own
destiny. We should be thankful,
That while crossing a river,

We are not hunted down by the hunters
beneath.

One would curse the hunters, Hate them,
disrespect them,
But an underlying fact we disregard –
They too have their own families to feed.
We can create philosophies,
We can have passions,

We can explore avenues, hitherto
unknown, We can play games,
We can drink wine, We can be at leisure,
We develop technology.

All because – our life's time tank,

Is not used up in thinking of surviving the
situation.

Our seconds are not numbered, Our feet,
not always taut,
In an underlying fear, to carry ourselves,

As far as possible, from the pertinent
danger. Ours is a life, far more relaxed,
With only a fraction of harshness,
Omnipresent in Nature.

For this, we should be thankful, To the
earliest men and women, Who survived
those hardships, Who gathered
knowledge
By trial and error,

By stumbling and gaining experience. We
should be thankful to them,
For packing that gift –

Least appraisable in words –

Called experience, In our genes,
So that on the stepping stones which they
formed,

We step and move ahead, Form new
stepping stones,
And give a new dimension to the
existence of mankind.
The fruits we bear in our cells today,
Have grown on the stem of efforts and
endeavors,

On the branches of experience, Fueled by
the roots of curiosity,
Nourished by Mother Nature's generous
rule–

That whosoever wants to learn,

May learn whatever is required, The greater
the thirst,
The stronger the spirit, The broader the
mind, The sweeter the fruit. And forget not,
Dear humans –

To thank that wonderful moment, When
earth was imbibed
With the zygote of life, Fertilized by the
circumstances, Prevailing then, in this vast
universe. That was the moment divine,
When earth realized

That it had a womb,

It can be a mother to such a variety of life,
That apparent barren rocks,
May enclose the throb of a beating heart,
That in this limitless desert of universe, She
is a flower,
Of whom, even the sandstorms are proud of!
And for so much,
She hasn't for anything, ever asked – Like a
mother to a notorious child, Forgiven all the
pains inflicted on her. But then isn't it the
duty of the child,
To take care of her, when it is wise enough
to do that?

To say thanks in deeds, Rather in words?

- Mr. Sudeep Dighe



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