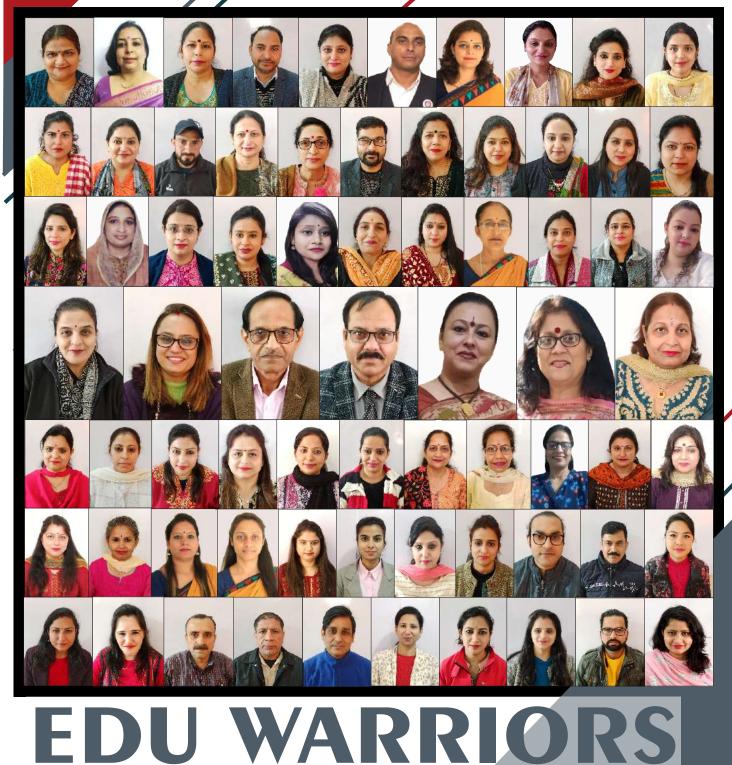


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Carrying Forward the Legacy of Model Academy

Heartfelt Tributes Chairman, MIER Group of Institutions



Dr. Arun K. Gupta (1943-2021)

A Visionary Leader, A Teacher Par Excellence, An Eminent Researcher, An Amazing Human Being, An Inspiration for the Entire Educational Fraternity and An Institution in Himself



MUSTAQ AHMED Pursuing Civil Engineering at IIT Kanpur

Academic Honours

Excellent Board Result

Outstanding Performers of Class X



Khyrul Nisa Bhat 95.4%



t Raman Wali 94.8%



Krishna Raina 93.4%



Heariest Congratulations to Mushtaq Ahmed and Sargam Mahajan of batch 2019-2020 for performing exceptionally well and getting admission in reputed institutions for

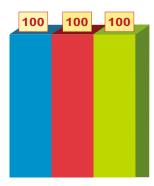
pursuing higher studies

Archi Bakshi 93%

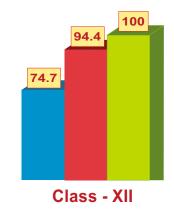


SARGAM MAHAJAN Pursuing Computer Science at KJSCE Mumbai

Comparative Result Analysis



Class - X



2019 2020 2021

Outstanding Performers of Class XII



Charu Sharma 97%



Sabhi Sharma 93.6%



Kahkashan Amin 93.4 %



92.6%

Education in Lockdown



A Year Completed on Google Meet Virtual Platform

The onset of current pandemic witnessed a paradigm shift in the teaching and learning process. We were able to successfully launch the virtual school to enable children to learn remotely from the safety of their homes. The school took the lead in providing students a virtual learning experience by embracing Google classroom as its technology platform. In no time, the school acquired the capability and expertise to not only offer uninterrupted learning to students



but also empower teachers with enhanced collaboration opportunities and new gen educational tools. The school trained over 50 teachers on diverse Google Meet features to deliver engaging online lessons.

Tribute to COVID-19 Warriors

The School took the initiative to express its heartfelt gratitude to the Govt. of J&K, doctors, nurses, police and paramilitary personnel, municipal workers and the teachers who had been working tirelessly with utmost dedication and perseverance in the time of crisis. Our alumni, actors and singers of the

Bollywood fraternity joined us in this endeavour. They sent their special messages which not only acted as a catalyst of gratitude but also an encouragement for all of us to reinforce our support in the fight against the pandemic. Mr. Mukesh Rishi, Mr. Shakti Kapoor and Mr.Pankaj Dheer, Mr. Mukesh Khanna, Mr. Gavie Chahal, Mr. Ayub Khan, Mr. Vindu Dara Singh, Richa Sharma, Mr.Tochi Raina, Ms.Tanya Dev Gupta, Ms.Rubina Dalaik, Mr.Swatantra Bharat, Apurva Gupta, Anmol Jaswal, Vidhi Jaswal, Asif khan and Anugreh Vali were part of our special appreciation.



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Atal Tinkering Lab



Nirbhey Khajuria budding computer scientist of class 12th participated in skill of coding on Avishkaar Studio Maker and was awarded with certificate of merit. He also received certificate of participation by JECRC University (Entrusted as Mentor Academy by Niti Aayog) for his participation in the Mobile App Development Workshop held in May 2020.



Achievements

Teacher of Change



Mr. Prince Sharma was selected as exemplary 'Teacher of Change' for 2019-2020 by Atal Innovation Mission, Niti Ayog, Govt. of India. He also attended a one month training programme on 'Ethics and Leadership in Technology and Innovation' conducted by TGELF and AIM in February 2021.

Mr. Vikas Katal participated in an online training programme on "ATL Unbox Tinkering" in collaboration with IBM from January 18-29, 2021. Mr. Prince and Mr. Vikas also successfully completed App Development Module course organized by Atal Innovation Mission in collaboration with Plezmo.



ATL students participated in a poster making activity on the theme 'Fight with Covid-19'. They presented their ideas through creative paintings and sketches on April 1, 2020.



ATL Virtual Activities



ATL Innovator

Guest Lecture

Dr. Pallavi Arora, Assistant Professor, University of Jammu and Mentor for Change, ATL delivered an online lecture on the topic, "Fighting with COVID -19" organized by the ATL, Model Academy on April 1, 2020.



Mentoring Session



Atal Tinkering Lab organised a mentoring session on the topic, "Social Entrepreneurship and the Present Day" on April 23, 2020. Dr. Pallavi Arora, Assistant Professor, University of Jammu and Mentor for Change, ATL was the resource person.

Online Workshop

Students attending online workshop on "SHE CODES INNOVATION PROGRAM 2.0" for girls in collaboration with AIM (Atal Innovation Mission) and Dell Technologies on February 18, 2021.



Debate Competition

An Inter-School English debate competition on the topic "Is Indian Media Losing its Credibility" was organized under the banner of Jammu Sahodaya School Complex on January 29, 2021. Eleven CBSE schools of Jammu participated in the event. Dr. Shankar Goenka Managing Director, WOW Factors India, motivational coach and corporate trainer was the Chief Guest. The Jury comprised Prof. Sucheta Pathania Department of English, Jammu University and Mr. Aditya Raj Kaul eminent journalist from New Delhi. Mrigank Salathia from Model Academy bagged the third prize.



Regional Skill Development Programme

Nandika Srivastava, the senior guide participated in five days online Regional Skill Development programme on "Skill is a Complete Education" from February 8 to 12, 2021, under the guidance of LOC, Sh. Mahender Sharma.

Senior Scouts and Guides, Rovers and Rangers from eight states of northern region namely Jammu and Kashmir, Delhi, Haryana, Chattisgarh, Chandigarh, Uttar Pradesh, Uttrakhand and JYC

The biggest ever virtual EMUN, was organised in collaboration with Erudite and Jammu Sahodaya School Complex in which top



committees of the United Nations. the best speakers.

Northern Railway Grand Camp participated in the workshop.

The skills taught included Screen Painting, Best Out of Waste, Flower Making, Paper Bag, Tie and Dye, Puppet Making, Wood Craft, Fashion Designing, Healthy Food, Beautician Course, Musical Instruments, Sanitizer Making, Candle Making, Worli Painting, Communication skills and Career Counselling.

E Model United Nations

eighteen CBSE schools of Jammu Ms. Shalija Sharma who represented participated. Around two hundred Greece portfolio from DISEC delegates represented various committee was declared as one of



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Co-curricular Activities

Spring Festival

The annual Spring festival of the school titled 'Bahar' was celebrated by the students with full zeal and enthusiasm on May 1, 2020. They manifested their creativity in beautiful paintings showing different shades of spring.



Mother's Day Celebration



Students celebrated Mother's day with their families. To make the occasion special kids prepared beautiful cards and paintings, speeches, songs and dance as a rich tribute to their wonderful mothers.

74th Independence Day was celebrated to salute and honour the freedom fighters of the country. The theme for 2020 Independence day was "Atmanirbhar Bharat." Students presented a patriotic bouquet comprising dance, music, speech and art work which added fervour and grace to the occasion.

Celebration of 74th Independence Day



Ganesh Chaturthi Celebration





Ganesh Chaturthi was celebrated online with great fervour by the students. The students of art club added extra colour to the festivity by their impressive creations depicting different forms of Lord Ganesha.

Tribute to Teachers

Teachers Day was virtually celebrated to pay homage to Dr. Radha Krishna on his birth anniversary and to applaud the Edu-warriors who were working tirelessly during the challenging times. Students presented a vibrant array of performances on the theme "Teachers Leading in Crisis, Re-imagining the Future". The occasion also bid adieu to Mrs. Usha Chuni Prabakar, Convener Sports for her remarkable service to the institution.





SLOGAN 2. Gandhi Ji Ka Yéhi Sandesh. Swatchh Bane Apna Bharat Desh. 2. Swachts to Apnama Hai Grandagi. Ko Duur Bhagana Hai Swotchate Ka Rokhiye Dhayan. Swatchata Se Banega Apra Desh Mahan

Gandhi Jayanti was celebrated on 2nd October to commemorate 151st birth anniversary of Mahatma Gandhi. The theme of this year's Gandhi Jayanti was "Gandagi Mukt Bharat". In this connection the students of art and music department participated with full verve and devotion

Gandhi Jayanti Celebration



by preparing art work and also expressing their thoughts through slogans. The dance department also exhibited their love for Bapu through varied dance performances.

Republic Day Celebration

Students of the primary wing participated with great gusto on the occasion of Republic Day celebration. Their passion was visible through various patriotic performances.



English Language Week



As part of English Language Week, the Primary Wing of the school organised show and tell activity for classes 1st and 2nd from June 27 to July 3, 2020. The week was packed with an array of interesting activities that focused on effective English communication & listening skills.

Story telling Activity

A storytelling session from the famous tales of Panchtantra was organized for the students of classes 3rd to 5th on July 7, 2020 with an objective to improve the oratory skills, instill a love for reading and stir the minds of young children to a world beyond imagination.

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Hindi/Urdu Language Week

Hindi Urdu language week was organised on September 1-2, 2020 from classes 1st to 8th. Different activities were conducted in order to sharpen the linguistic skills and to promote the understanding of the creative potential of the students in Hindi and Urdu language. Activities such as elocution, Hasya Kavita, speech on the role of superheroes during corona pandemic and poetry recitation helped in engaging students in meaningful learning experiences.

Investiture Ceremony

The Investiture Ceremony was held for the first time on a virtual platform on October 10, 2020. The deserving young modelites were formally bestowed with the responsibility of leading their school from the front and to perform their duties with full commitment, confidence, conviction and competence. The members of the prefectorial board were decorated with the badge by their proud parents. This would be etched in the lives of the students as well as in the lives of the parents as the students got the opportunity to be invested by their parents. The members took the oath to serve their school with pride and loyalty.



Student Council

The student council consisted of Head Boy, Ankush Saroop, Head Girl, Charu Sharma, Vice-Head Boy, Dhruv Lamba, Vice-Head Girl, Marushika Suri, followed by Presidents, Vice-Presidents, Captains and Vice-Captains of different Houses. The occasion proved to be an exhilarating moment for all the office bearers.



Ankush Saroop Head Boy



Dhruv Lamba Vice Head Boy



Charu Sharma Head Girl



Marushika Suri Vice Head Girl

House Presidents, Vice Presidents, Captains & Vice Captains



Saksham Sharma President









Anab Qadir Vice Captain



Krishang Salathia

Captain

Einstein House



Janvi Mahajan

Captain

Amriti Saini

Vice President

Akshobhya Sharma Dhanvi Singh Vice Captain Vice Captain



Mokshana Bhalwal President



Atharv Gupta Captain



Shivansh Koul Summaya Chowdhary Vice Captain



Captain

Vice Captain

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Darwin House

Vice President



Armaan Gupta



Nusrat

Himani Manhas Captain



Anmol Bhasin Vice Captain



Archi Bakshi President



Harleen Kour Captain



Ridhima Gupta Vice Captain



Armaan Tulli

Captain

Jinal Mahajan

Vice Captain



Jatin Sharma Vice President



Aatish Sharma Captain



Aarav Gupta Vice Captain



Rishika Mahajan



Krishna Mahajan



Aaradhya Sethi Vice Captain





Jaskirat Singh









Abhiuday Slathia

Sehjaleen Kaur



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Eco Club



To spread the message of adopting sustainable practices conducive for a healthy environment the students of Literary Club and Eco Club organised a talk show to present the initatives taken by them to keep the earth green. They highlighted their concerns through PPTs and songs.

Heritage Club



Students with their achievement certificates, prizes and awards won in different competitions organised by the INTACH, New Delhi.

Achievements



Model Academy won the prestigious INTACH Heritage Club Award.



Sahil Purshotam received "Best Heritage Student Award" from INTACH, New Delhi.



Weaving Heritage of India

A virtual tour on "The Traditional Weavers of India" was organised on September 21, 2020 to highlight the rich and cultural weaving heritage of different states of India. The students through their presentations show cased Tseung Dan of Ladakh in the North to Kassava weavers in the South and Rongahim weavers in the East to Patola makers in the West.

Scouts & Guides Unit



No Tobacco Day

Scouts and Guides of Model Academy prepared thought provoking posters on "No Tobacco Day" on May 31, 2020.

World Environment Day

Scouts and Guides of the school participated in a national level online slogan writing competition organised by Netaji Scouts Group, Perambur, Tamilnadu on June 5, 2020. Siya Parihar and Atharv Gupta bagged first position whereas Armaan Gupta and Tanvi Bhardwaj stood second and third respectively in the competition.





Painting Competition

Armaan Gupta won the first prize in a painting competition organised by the Bharat Scouts and Guides, Jammu in collaboration with Petroleum Conservation Research Association on the theme "Green and Clean Energy" on February 2021.

Rajya Puruskar

Scouts and Guides of Model Academy receiving prestigious Rajya Puruskar from Honble Lt. Governor Mr. Manoj Sinha in a glittering ceremony



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Earth Day



The cadets of the school participated in a painting activity on the theme "Save Trees" organised by the NCC Naval Unit , Srinagar on April 22, 2021.

International Yoga Day

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NCC Unit

Students got an opportunity to perform different asanas like Vrikshasanam, Bhadrasana, Suryanamaskar to name a few on International Yoga Day which was celebrated on June 21, 2020. The theme of this year's celebration was "Yoga at home, Yoga with family".



Kargil Vijay Diwas

NCC Cadets of Model Academy participated in celebration of Kargil Diwas on July 26, 2020 through virtual platform by sharing their paintings with NCC official unit at Srinagar.

Cleanliness and Tree Plantation Drive

Eight NCC cadets participated in a two day cleanliness drive launched by Ministry of Drinking Water and Sanitation from October 2-3, 2020 and shared their pictures on the official DG NCC App.





KARGIL

Cancer Awareness Day

Cadets sharing their creative side and thoughts on Cancer Awareness Day, organized on February 4, 2021.

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Explore | Learn | Grow HUMMING BL



Humming Buds-The PreSchool of Model Academy is ranked India's number 10, Jammu and Kashmir (UT) number 01 and also number 01 in Jammu city by the prestigious Education World Preschool Grand Jury Award 2020-21, in the category of "Teacher-Parent-Student Engagement".



Glimpses of Academics and Creative Learning

Humming Buds, the pre-school, went online successfully. The young buds adjusted very well to the new way of teaching and learning during the pandemic. Teachers and parents collaborated to ensure the academic and creative progress of the buds.

The World of Colours

A plenitude of activities was organised throughout the year for the holistic development of young buds such as celebrating colour days, craft work, recitation of poems and dressing up according to colour themes to reinforce colour recognition and art forms.





Maths Week

From counting to sorting, to playing hopscotch, singing number rhymes, learning shapes, making and counting bundles, the young learners learnt important mathematical concepts and explored their creative and analytical side during Maths week.



Science Week

Humming Buds organized online Science Week to encourage scientific temperament in young learners. The students were encouraged to observe and explore their surroundings and experiments were done online to help explain the phenomena of nature.



Language Week

Poetry recitation, storytelling, calligraphy and show and tell were some of the activities done to enhance their language skills. Young learners displayed fabulous oratory skills while reciting poems narrated stories expressively and fluently.

Reverence and Gratitude

Students expressed their gratitude and reverence by celebrating special days like Mother's day, Teacher's Day and Environment Day.







Students participated in all traditional festivals and learnt about India's vast cultural legacy.

The Joy of Festivals



Eid & Gurupurab Celebrations



Diwali & Christmas Celebrations

Janamashtami & Baisakhi Celebrations

Patriotic Bytes

Little buds celebrated national days with full patriotic zeal from their homes. With love in their hearts for their country, they made tri coloured flowers, the national flag and the national bird.









Yoga, Music, Dance and Art classes were smoothly run to keep the students actively engaged.

Beyond the Classroom



Xseed Training and Development Programme

Training sessions were conducted by Xseed during the pandemic times to equip the teachers to face the online teaching challenges. The sessions were very informative and beneficial.



Ms. Raissa Calunsag, Regional Education Coach, Xseed Education Philippines trained teachers on "Appling Xseed M e t h o d o l o g y t o Online Teaching"



Ms. Nishi Jauhar, Head Junior School Step by Step School, Noida and Ex-Vice- President Xseed Education oriented on "Children's Engagement During Online Classes"



Mr. Balram Khurana, Senior Education Coach Xseed Education, Haryana during a training session on the topic "Online Teaching Methodology"

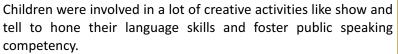


RESIDENCY ROAD BRANCH : GLIMPSES

Literary Activities







English and Hindi Language Week





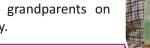






Gratitude expressed to the teachers and grandparents on Teachers' and Senior Citizen's Day respectively.

Teachers' Day





Spirit of Patriotism



Senior Citizen's Day

Celebration of Festivals



Christmas & Janamashtmi Celebrations

Students enthusiastically participated in celebrating national and religious festivals.





A number of activities were organized to ensure personal, social and academic growth of the special kids. The session was conducted online under the guidance of B.Ed Special Education (ID) Department of MIER College of Education. A positive, encouraging and relaxed environment was provided to these kids even during lockdown period.

Online Academic Activities



Personal Social Development Activities

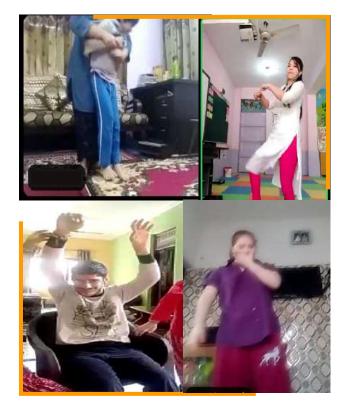
Colour Awareness Activities



Dance Activities



Children enthusiastically participated in all the learning activities with the support of their teachers and parents.



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Principal's Achievements

- Awarded "Proud Educator Award 2020" by the Proud Educators Fraternity Award of India PEFi (Be the Change).
- Awarded with "Acharya Chanakya Shikshavid Samman 2020" by Fun2Learn for his valuable contribution to empower the society.
- Elected as President, Jammu Sahodya School Complex, Jammu for the Year 2019-2021.
- Appointed as a District Training Coordinator by COE Chandigarh for Jammu Region for the year 2020-2022.
- Appointed as Observer for Innovation Ambassador Program for School Teachers by CBSE for the First Module of Training on "Design Thinking & Innovation" under School Innovation Ambassador Training Program (SIATP) by Ministry of Education's Innovation Cell (MIC), Ministry of Tribal Affairs, AICTE & CBSE.





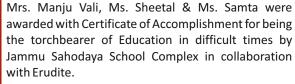
Dr. P.K. Srivastava, Principal and Mr. J.K. Dhiman, Vice Principal receiving the prestigious "Bhishma Determination Award" from All India Principal's Association for exemplary educational services provided during the pandemic.

Awards and Recognitions



Ms. Samta Dogra won second prize in Hindi Poetry Recitation competition organized by JK Public School, Kunjwani.







Ms. Preeti Trisal received "Global Teacher Award 2020" organized by AKS Education Awards.



Ms. Surbhi Mahajan received Appreciation Certificates from Dept. of Special Education, SNDT Univ. and RCI and from Special Olympics Bharat.



Awards and Recognitions



Mr. Vikas Katal received "Inspire 2020 Award" under the category Inspired Forerunner from IPN Foundation and Practically, UP. Ms. Nisha Sharma, Physical Instructor received certificate of Appreciation for participating in the All India National Droughts-64 online Quiz. She also received "Fair Play Pledge Certificate" from National Sports & Physical Fitness Board.



Professional Update



Deepika Soni Cleared CTET

Nisha Sharma Completed Diploma in Nutrition & Health Education from IGNOU



Deepali Gupta Pursuing B.Ed. from DDE Jammu



ICT Training and Workshops



The school in collaboration with the Centre of Technology of MIER College of Education organised numerous trainings and workshops to acquaint the faculty and students with the new digital learning tools and provided them the necessary support in shifting the entire teaching-learning process online during the lock down period for the smooth conduct of the teaching process . Trainings were provided in the usage of following software and apps :

Zoom App, Webex, GoToWebinar, Google Tools - Google Classroom, Google Meet, Google Docs, Google Forms, Google Slides, Quizizz App, etc. Parents were also oriented to use Zoom App and Google Meet for interacting with school authorities and attending online PTMs.

Technological Advancements



The institute has also completed the 'WiFi Campus' project to provide high speed wireless internet to the students and faculty. Based on a Fibre Optic backbone this would greatly enhance the experience of accessing the educational resources and for smooth conduct of online classes.

- New laptops, WiFi Adapters, webcams, headphones were procured for enhancing the ICT setup in the school.
- To facilitate online teaching the faculty were encouraged to upgrade their home internet access to broadband speeds for conducting online teaching and learning activities.



The faculty of the school participated in numerous webinar and lecture series for their professional development.

Lesson Planning & Tools for **Effective Online Teaching**



Kavita lyer Product Manager, TCSION, Noida, Trainer, **British Council**



Dramatization - A Tool in

Teaching Learning Process

Mrs. Deepa Dogra Principal, Cambridge Girl International School, Jalandhar

Experimental Learning & Assessment



Dr. Biswajit Saha Director CBSE MOE, Govt. of India

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Career Counseling for

Higher Secondary Students

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Mental Health & Wellness



Mr. Trilok Singh Bisht Principal DPS Ghaziabad, Vasundhara Delhi



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Mr. Neeraj Puri Principal, Satyug Darshan Vidyalaya, Pathankot



Mr. Vickrant Mahajan Founder, Superpositivity Philosophy, Motivational Coach& Multiple **Guinness Record Holder**



Radhika Goenka





Vaibhav Abrol and Vaibhavi Abrol secured silver and bronze medals in the first online open J&K Taekwondo Poomsae Championship 2020 held from May 28 to 30, 2020.



Students received numerous awards and trophies in a two day painting competition organised by Himalayan Avian in collaboration with J&K Wildlife Protection Department.



Vaibhav Abrol and Vaibhavi Abrol received bronze medals in an online international Taekwondo Poomsae Championship 2020 in boys and girls category respectively held from July 25 to 30, 2020.



Siya Parihar received a cheque of Rs.500/- for her painting which was published in the calendar of Himalayan Avian.



Ankush Saroop, Charu Sharma and Manik Gupta participated in "Business Fest" organised by Jammu Sanskriti School.



Trisha Hali participated in the district level Netball championship and her team won the Gold Medal.



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