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A NEWSLETTER OF

ST. ANTHONY'S SENIOR SECONDARY SCHOOL

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SPEAKER



PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE



Dear Students, Parents and Well Wishers,

Welcome to the latest edition of our Verve Newsletter!

This publication is a testament to the vibrancy and achievements within our school community.

As we embark on this educational journey, let us embrace the wisdom of Mother Seraphina, recognizing the profound values she exemplified. Her dedication to compassion, integrity and the pursuit of knowledge serves as an inspiration for us all.

Students, your enthusiasm for learning and diverse accomplishments are truly commendable. Work diligently, seek knowledge, and let the lessons learned both in the classroom and homes shape your character. As you move forward, remember the importance of education as a foundation for your future endeavours.

I am delighted to share the accomplishments and progress achieved by our dedicated students. Their hard work, enthusiasm, and commitment to learning have truly shone through various activities and academic pursuits. I extend my gratitude to the parents for entrusting us with your children's education and for your continuous support in fostering a positive educational environment.

Parents, your role is pivotal. Nurturing your children in an environment of love, care, and family values is the foundation on which their character is built.

Your continued support fuels the success stories we celebrate. Your partnership has been invaluable. Together, let us instill the virtues that go beyond textbooks-empathy, resilience, and a deep sense of responsibility. In the pursuit of academic excellence, let us not forget the importance of shaping future citizens who could contribute positively to society and the nation's pride. As we navigate towards the school year, let this newsletter be a source of pride, inspiration, and a reflection of the collaborative spirit that defines our school.

Wishing you continued success and looking forward to witnessing your bright future unfold.

SR.DAISY. PRINCIPAL



ST. FRANCIS' FEAST DAY CELEBRATION

The students of St. Francis' House celebrated the feast day in honour of St. Francis of Assisi, the Patron Saint of animals and the environment on 4th October, 2023. The virtues inspired by St. Francis were emphasized through articles, poems, songs and dances.



A DAY OUT



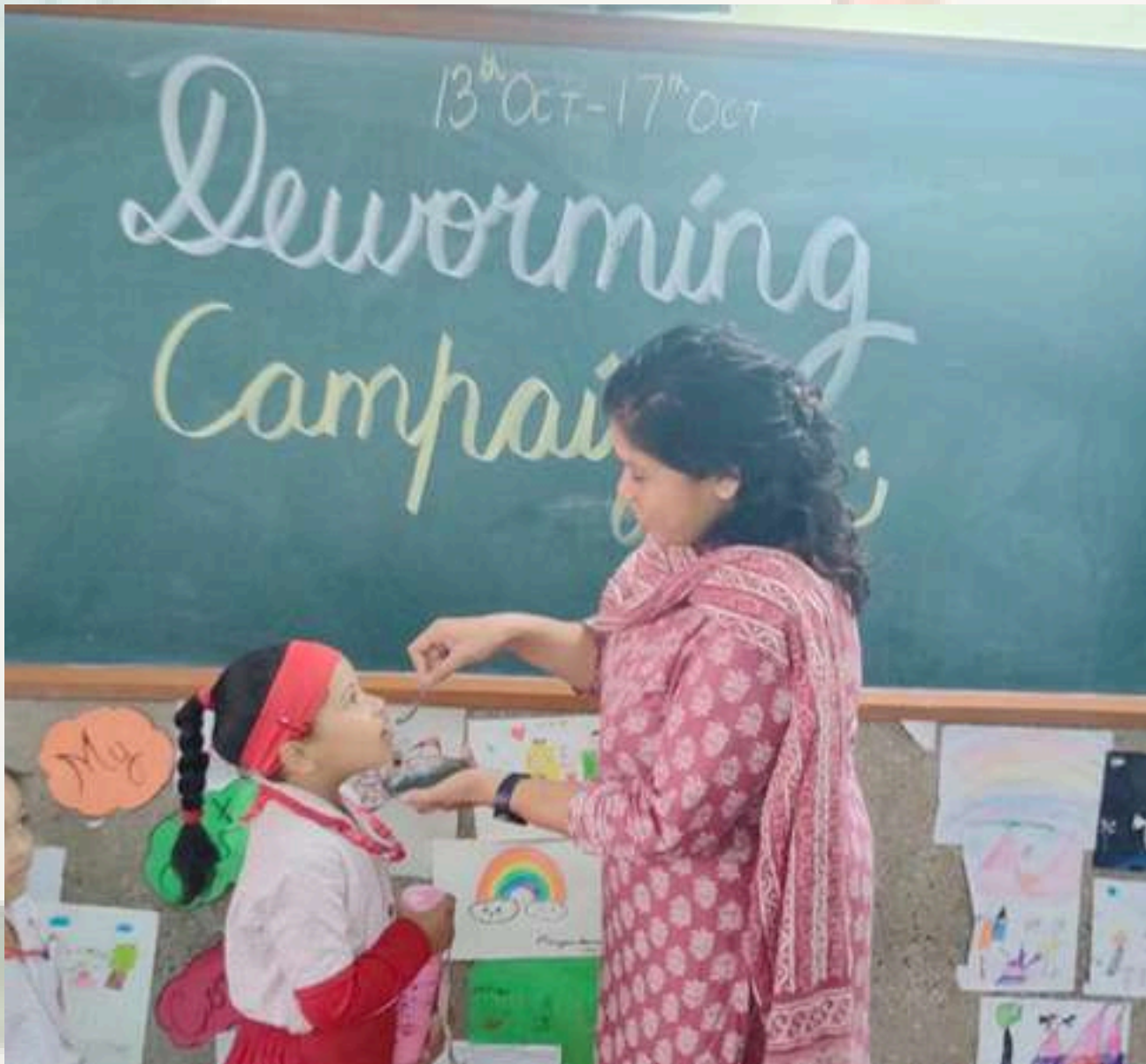
DUSSEHRA AND DIWALI CELEBRATION

The festivals of Dussehra and Diwali were celebrated with immense enthusiasm. The students depicted the story of Lord Rama's victory over Ravana, imbibing the virtues of truth and courage and emphasizing the message of victory of good over evil.



DEWORMING

The Government of India is committed towards a worm free future for the children of India. To support this cause, deworming tablets were given to the students of pre-primary, primary and senior classes.



CHILDREN'S DAY

Teachers put up a short programme on Children's Day for the students.

A special prayer service was conducted by Rev. Sister Daisy, Rev. Sister Jeslin, Rev. Sister Irene, Rev. Sister Vandana and teachers.

Making it a special day for the students, Rev. Sister Daisy organised a fete for them which was like an icing on the cake on this special day.



CONSTITUTION WEEK



On 20 November, 2023 in accordance with the celebration of the Constitution Week our school planned to conduct an activity which was based on the Topic 'Writing The Preamble of the Constitution of India'. On 21 November 2023, another activity was planned in consonant with the Constitution Week, which was titled as 'The Speech' based on the 'Constitutional Provisions and Rules.' The activity was conducted in the school playground during the assembly. For the successful upholding of the activity, the students were selected who participated actively.

THE SCHOOL ANNUAL DAY

The school celebrated its 53rd Annual Day for both senior & junior school.

Chetna -'The Awakening'

&

Tartamyra-'The Harmony'.

Students took part in the event with great zeal and it was woven together with sheer hardwork of our students and ever committed teachers. This wouldn't have been a success without the guidance of our principal Rev. Sr. Daisy.



HONOURING 25+ YEARS OF SERVICE

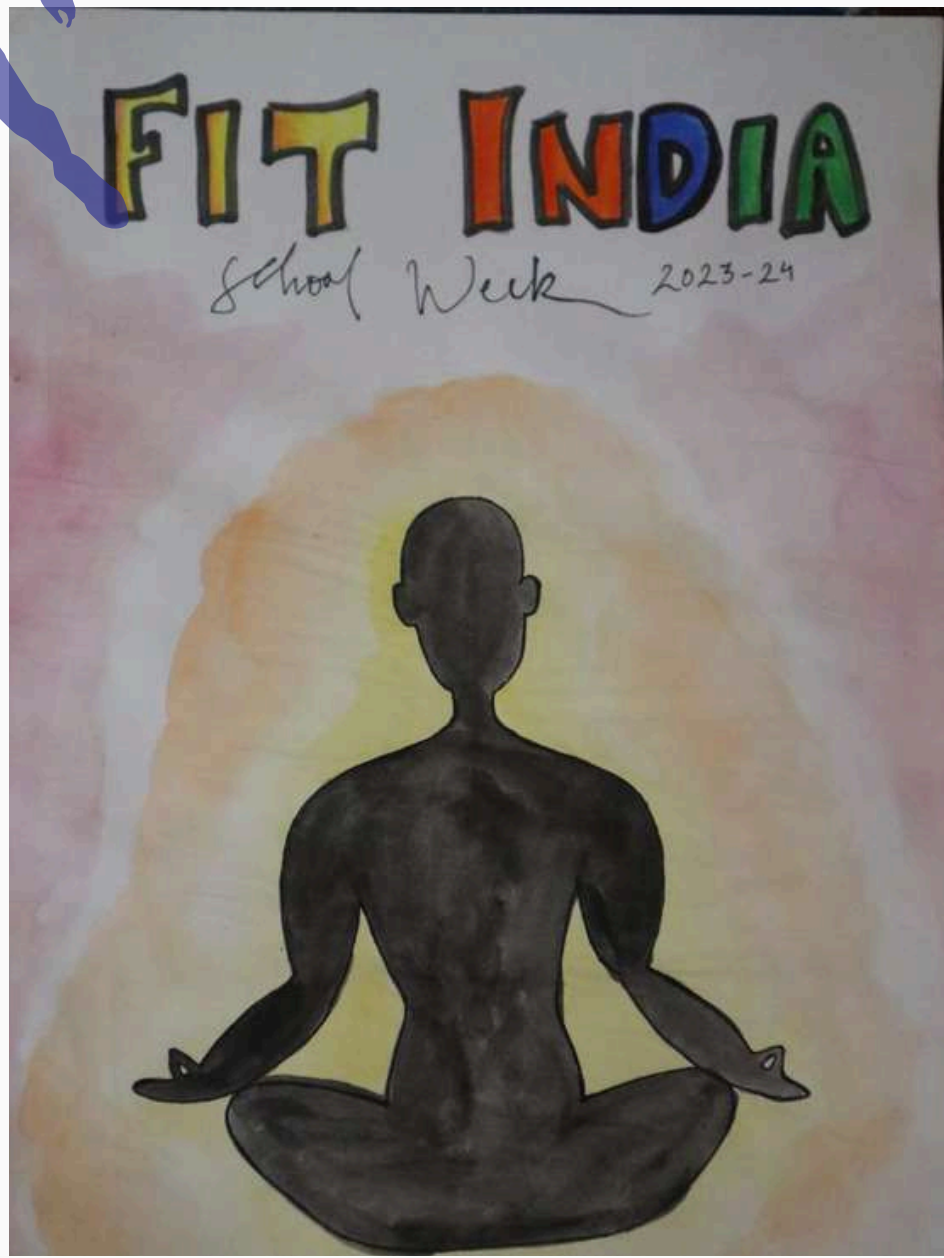
Ms. Mary John, Ms. Rajini Airi, Ms. Beena Peter, Ms. Anita Cardoza, Ms. Reena Jose and Ms. Shalet Lawrence were honoured on 23 November 2023 on our school's 53rd Annual Day Celebration by our principal, Rev. Sr. Daisy with a memento and a gift in gratitude for their unwavering commitment, passion, and invaluable contributions to our school's legacy.



FAREWELL

Students bid adieu to one of our most beloved teacher Ms. Mary John on November 28, 2023. A special assembly was conducted by the students of class IV and V making the day memorable for her.





FIT INDIA WEEK



FESTIVE JOY UNLEASHED CHRISTMAS CELEBRATION

The Christmas celebration organized by Class I, V, and VII was a vibrant and heartwarming event that showcased the students' talents and creativity. The amalgamation of dance performances by Class 1, soulful carol singing by Class 5, accompanied by a depiction of the Nativity scene, created an enchanting atmosphere that spread festive joy throughout the school.





FAREWELL

Class 11 th organized “Das Vidaniya” a heartfelt farewell

for the outgoing class 12 th seniors. The event featured musical and dance performances, expressing good wishes for the seniors’ future endeavors. Emotional moments arose as juniors shared cherished experiences with their seniors. The day concluded with a hopeful message: their paths would cross again, and the legacy of exemplary leadership would endure.

OUTREACH PROGRAMME



The school's outreach program to charitable institutions each year is a commendable initiative that demonstrates our school's commitment to social responsibility. The students as always, generously contributed towards the cause and we were able to provide sufficient monthly ration to 5 organisations and helped a few needy families of our school. Students visited Shanthi Avedhna Ashram, Don Bosco Ashalaya and Cheshire Home. Help was provided to kashmiri refugees and the residents of the leper colony. These acts of charity not only bring moments of joy but also showcase an empathetic and positive impact on the students at large.

FIRE DRILL



REPUBLIC DAY

75th Republic Day was celebrated in the school premises. The day began with flag hoisting ceremony. The chief guests for the celebration were the five silver jubilarians- teachers who had completed over 25 years of dedicated service to the institution. Following the flag hoisting, students of various classes showcased their talents in a cultural extravaganza that included patriotic songs, dance performances, and a march-past.





THANKS GIVING ASSEMBLY

The Thanksgiving assembly conducted by the students of Class 5 on 16th February, 2024 marked not only a celebration of gratitude but also served as a reflective moment on their journey towards transitioning to Class 6. The overarching theme of the assembly centered around gratitude, with students expressing appreciation for their teachers.



GRADUATION DAY FOR THE UKG CLASSES – 2023 -2024

Graduation day was celebrated with great pomp and show on 23rd February, 2024. The occasion was graced by the Principal Rev. Sr. Daisy, Pre-Primary in charge Ms. Manju Sahni, Primary In charge Sr. Vandana, sisters, pre-primary teachers and staff members. Children were adorned in sashes and graduation caps, marking their transition to the next phase of their academic journey.

MOTIVATIONAL SEMINARS



COMPUTER LABS

The digital transformation that our world has gone through has made it imperative for all of us to use and handle computers. The computer lab provides the platform for our children to practise and learn through experiential learning, thereby enhancing their digital literacy skills. The lab offers a place for students to think, explore, create and augment their scientific and rational thinking skills.



SENIOR SCIENCE LABS

The science labs in school play a crucial role in providing hands-on learning experiences for students across various disciplines of science.



Chemistry Lab: Equipped with state-of-the-art apparatuses and safety equipment, the chemistry lab provides students with a conducive environment for conducting experiments in chemical reactions, titrations, and more.



Biology Lab: Featuring microscopes, specimens, and other necessary equipment, the biology lab facilitates the study of living organisms, anatomy, genetics, and ecology.

Physics Lab: Designed to accommodate experiments related to mechanics, optics, electricity, and magnetism, the physics lab offers a range of apparatuses and tools for hands-on exploration.



**TRUST IS LIKE A STICKER.
ONCE IT IS REMOVED, IT MAY STICK
AGAIN. BUT NOT AS STRONG AS IT
HOLDS WHEN YOU FIRST APPLIED IT.
ALWAYS TAKE CARE OF RELATIONS.**



BULLETIN BOARD



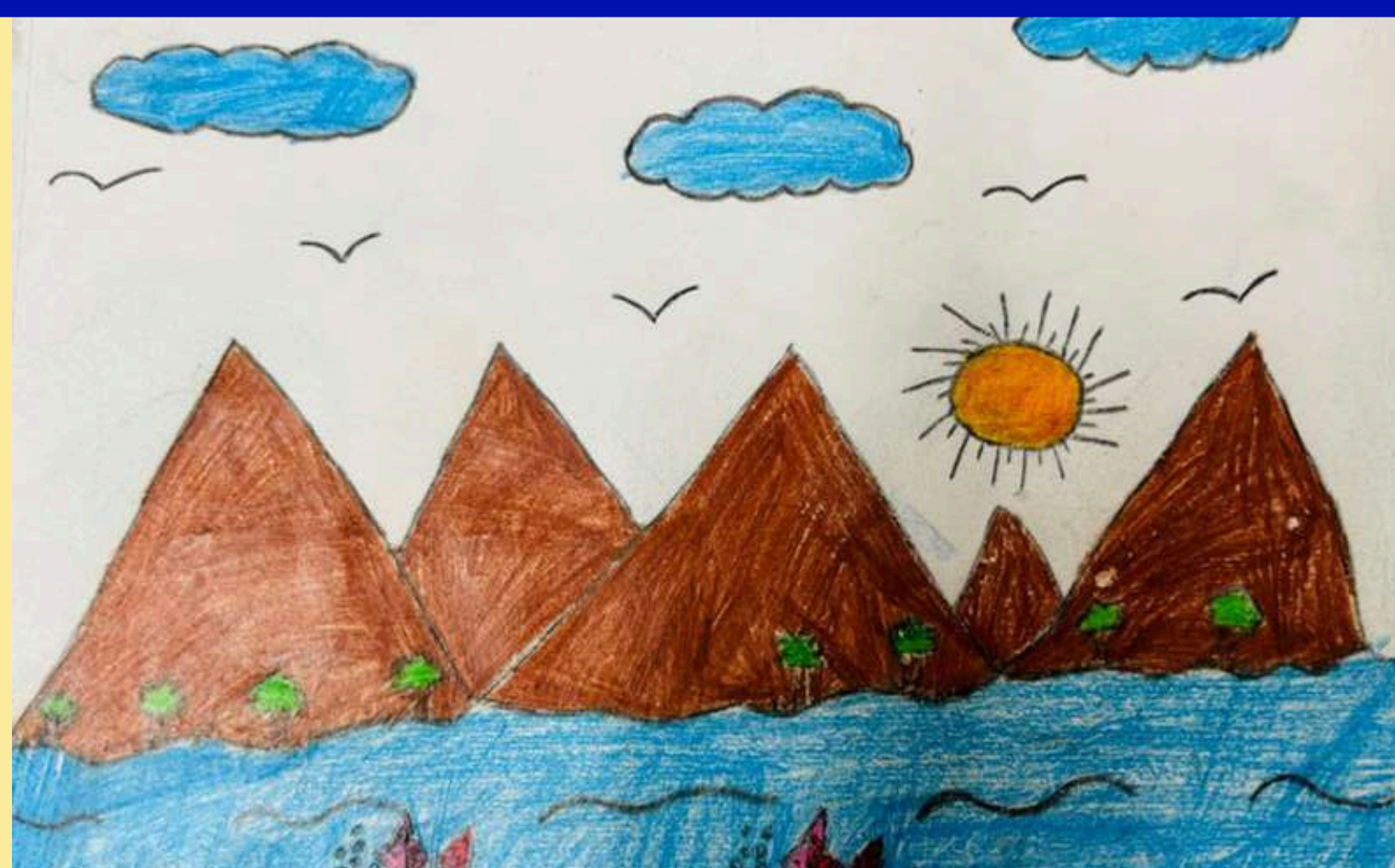
CHILDREN'S CORNER



ALIZA DANISH
LKG-A



KACHUN HORAM
UKG-B



NAVYA VERMA
I-A

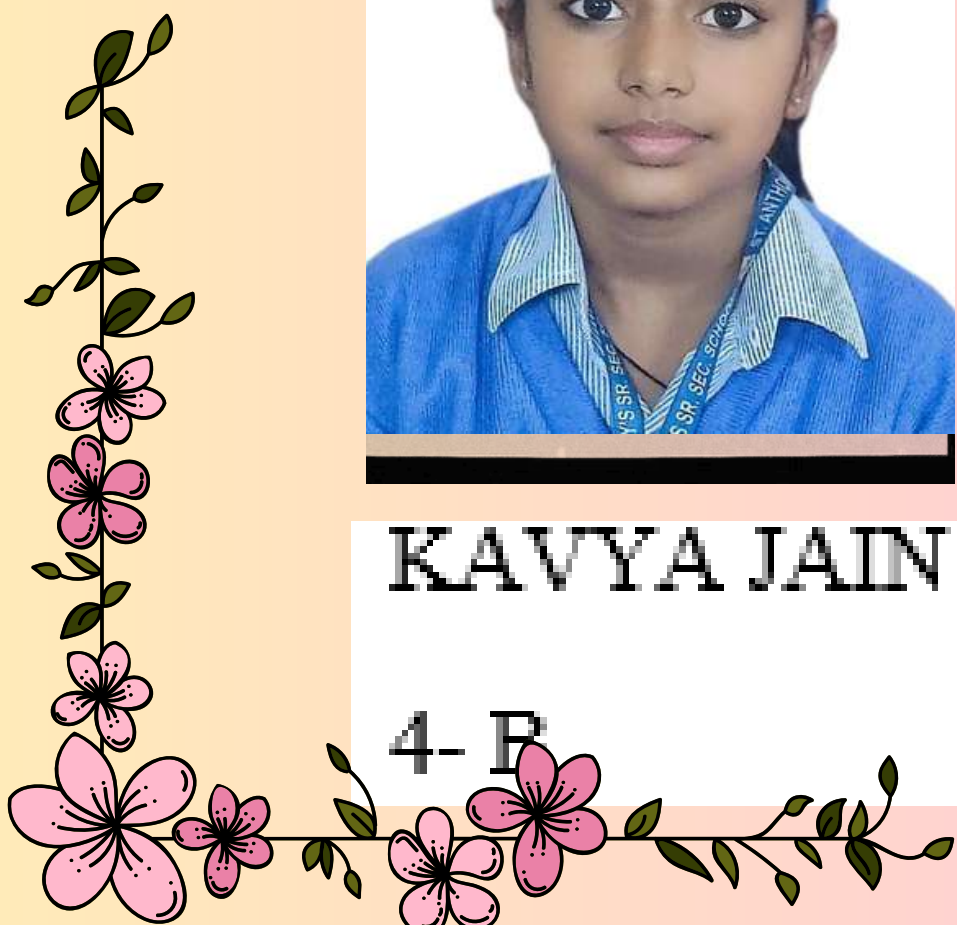




PRIYAMVADA CHAUHAN
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AISHANYA
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KAVYA JAIN
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देखो फिर से गणतंत्र दिवस आ गया,
जो आते ही हमारे दिल - दिमाग पर छा गया ।
यह है हमारे देश का त्योहार
इसलिए सब करते हैं इससे प्यार ।
आओ लोगों को गणतंत्र के बारे में बताएँ
सबको इसका महत्व समझाएँ ।
देश बंटा था जब टुकड़ों में
देश के वीरों ने दिया था योगदान ।
जान गँवा हमें दिया आज़ादी का अभिमान
जीवन में यह अमर कहानी अक्षर अक्षर गढ़ लेना
शौर्य कभी सो जाए तो गणतंत्र देश का पढ़ लेना ।



A Trip On A Rocketship

Once upon a time, in a faraway town there lived a girl named Lisa along with her brother Jack. One day, she borrowed a book about rockets from the school library. That evening she read about different spaceships and rockets. When it was night, She kept the book under her pillow and felt asleep. Soon after she heard something flying outside when she woke up and looked out of the window, she saw some people making something from wood. She asked them what they were making and they said a rocket. And soon the rocket was complete. They asked if Lisa wanted to take a ride. Lisa said yes and sat in the rocket and She went for a ride to the planets and the universe. But soon the rocket started making strange sounds. Lisa was scared and was shaking .Lisa opened her eyes and saw Jack shaking her telling her to wake up for school she thought, it was just a dream . She got ready and went to school to find that there was a science project being shown to students and Liss got shocked to see the same men she had seen in her dream were invited as the guest of the event.

Written By-Omna Alphonsa -VB



OMNA ALPHONSA

V-B

Farewell

In the halls of laughter, echoes our past A tapestry of memories, destined to forever last. Friends and jokes, creating novel sessions, Lunchboxes shared, echoing an endless reflection.

Classroom debates, where our minds took flight. Our second home, bathed in the softest light. A journey woven with joy, tears and art, as we stand together, worlds about to depart.

Hearts heavy with the weight of farewell, each step forward, a story to tell. Goodbye, dear school, our haven of dreams, in river of time, where nothing is as it seems.

But fear not the end, for in every goodbye, A seed of tomorrow, and a promise to fly resides. The chapters may close, but the tale lives on, in bonds we cherish, long after we're gone.

Some memories elude words, shaping who we are, Unspoken threads, yet they have travelled just as far So let's raise our voices, a bittersweet song, To the moments we have lived and to where we belong.

Farewell, dear friends, in our hearts, you'll stay. As we step into the dawn of a brand-new day.

BHUVI BHARADWAJ

XII SCIENCE

बच्चे बनके आए थे हम सब एक दूसरे से कितने पराए थे हम सब देखते-देखते ही हम एक हो गए हंसने- खेलने के बहाने अनेक हो गए जिंदगी का सबसे खूबसूरत सफर अब बस यादों में सिमट गया है।

लगता है वक्त हम से फिर जीत गया है। S.A.S की वो यादें कभी ना बदली जाएगी याद करके तुम्हें आँखें तो भर ही आएंगी आज वक्त को रोकने का जी चाहता है। ना चाहते हुए भी अलवूदा कहा जाता है।

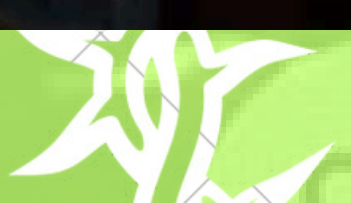


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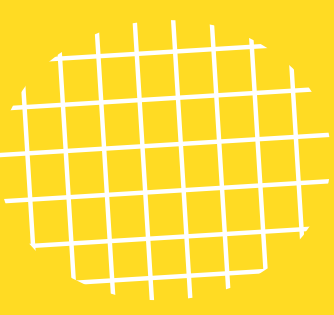
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SPIRITUAL ENRICHMENT



SPORTS ACHIEVEMENTS





OTHER ACTIVITIES





SPORTS ACTIVITIES



ACHIEVEMENTS





EXAMINATION AND EVALUATION





**“NOTHING IS
SMALL IN GOD’S
EYES BECAUSE
HE SEES OUR
INTENTIONS.”**

MOTHER SERAPHINA

