



P R I S M

CBSE MS



JANUARY 2024

Message from the Head of the School

Dear Parents,

Greetings of the New Year to you all and we wish you a great year ahead.

January brings with it the culmination of the year's work for Cambridge and CBSE students of Grades 10 and 12. After much concerted effort and pre-board assessments, I am sure the students are confident to face the board examinations in the next two months.

Our prayers and blessings are always with our cherished students; we wish them resilience to face their apprehensions; indomitable determination to perform at their peak and unconditional academic integrity.

During this time, we request you dear parents, to provide them your time and presence to boost their morale.

I am excited to share with you that Access MCA (Michigan College Alliance) which we are an Associate School of, has now become Access USA with many more colleges of USA having joined the consortium. They have extended to two of our students, nominated by the school, a very generous tuition waiver to Hillsdale College, for their undergraduate studies.

We are happy to let you know that in the Summer of 2024 (July 2024), highly reputed scholars from Access USA will be holding summer programmes on campus for our students, in Psychology and Cyber Security.

We are happy to announce several early decision placements of our students, in some of the best universities in the world for 2024-25.

To keep the smiles going, I must share with you the incredible achievement of our Grade 10 CBSE Board



exam candidate Nishka Agarwal (Sports Captain 2023-24) who has won 3 gold and 1 silver for Gymnastics, at the Khelo India competition this year. I salute the parents and her mentor, Shri Manoj Rana, for supporting Nishka's excellence in sports.

While I may not mention all the names, we are extremely proud of our students winning at the National Level in various sports; two of our students have also got their books published through an initiative of a creative writing platform for children. I applaud you dear parents for supporting your child's endeavours and dreams.

We celebrate the months of January and February as the months of Perseverance. So, I remind you of some well-loved lines by Robert Frost to share with your children-
'The woods are lovely, dark and deep,
But I have promises to keep,
And miles to go before I sleep,
And miles to go before I sleep.'

Sudeshna Chatterjee

Head- MS/HS



Message from the Associate Coordinator CBSE MS

The month started off with students embarking on fun filled educational trips to Jaipur- Agra and Delhi- Nainital. They integrated their learning and exploration of the cities' monuments, architecture and markets with the value of companionship and collaboration. This gave them exposure to new places and situations where they displayed their leadership skills.

Back at school it is that time of the year when both teachers and students are busy completing syllabuses, notes and preparing for the term end exams. For some students, exams can be nerve wracking and for some they are a chance to show off their knowledge. As we teachers always do, we are here ready to guide and advise our students. You will hear us repeating this again and again- "Don't waste your time- start studying. Don't procrastinate and think that you will have enough time if you start after a few days. Those few days are never enough."

Revision time is important as we review the material -concepts and topics that will be covered in the exam. That is why being regular to school and avoiding absenteeism in the coming month are crucial.

It is truly said that practice makes perfect. Practice, practice and practice. Use a variety of techniques such as teaching a topic to a classmate, making pneumatic or mind maps to learn key points to revise the concepts. Make a revision schedule to practice.

But in all this hustle to prepare for exams, don't forget to take care of yourself.



Eat nutritious food, drink enough water to stay hydrated, relax and take breaks in between. Make time for some physical activity in your study breaks. Get adequate sleep and avoid cramming late at night just before the exams.

It is necessary for us to prepare ourselves well for our journey to the next academic year with positivity and mindfulness. Therefore, as we approach the close of the academic year, use this time judiciously and carefully. Dedicate yourself to your studies and don't be hesitant in asking for the support of the teachers. With this I would wish everyone all the best.

Ms. Anitha Sreejith

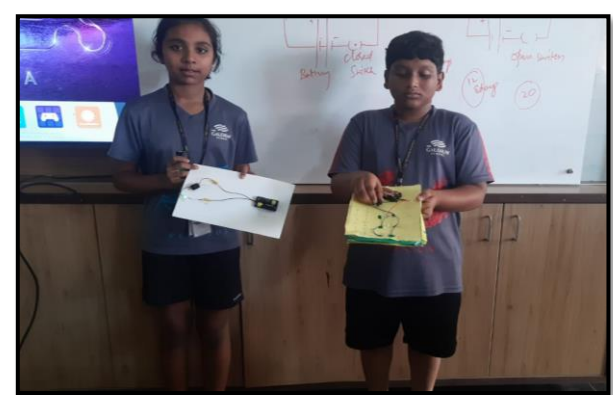
CBSE Associate Coordinator



Holistic Excellence



Science – Grade VII students are learning the concepts of Weather and Climate through group presentations and flip class



Science – Grade VI students are performing the light and shadows experiments, and they build electric circuits.



Holistic Excellence

Exploring the twinkling report writers

Students were given an activity on reading a newspaper report and knowing the process of report writing, this helped them to differentiate between various styles of report writing. This activity greatly improved their writing skills. This activity was designed in such a way that even a child who is unaware of report writing should understand it completely. The focus was given to improve every child's creative thinking.



CBSE- grade VII

Students Acting practical's,

Topic :- Character improvisation Acting practical's

(What does it mean to put yourself in the other person's shoes? Theatre experience, To ACT or try to look at a situation from a different point of view, as if one were the other person, to empathise. Observe, listen, and ask questions without being intrusive.from human being to human being, beyond ROLES, when you share about yourself, you instigate others to do the same - Experience emotion and connect with real life.



Holistic Excellence



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Computer Science - Understanding the principles of computing is quickly becoming an essential skill. It provides students with a keen understanding of how technology impacts their lives, empowers them to become full participants in society, and unlocks a wide range of career opportunities.



Holistic Excellence



School trips—The school organized an educational trip to Delhi and Jaipur for students of middle school in the first week of January 2024. This trip gave students an opportunity to explore and learn out of their classrooms. By visiting museums, historical sites, and other educational destinations, students are challenged to analyse, interpret, and evaluate information, further helping them to develop critical thinking skills. It also helped the students to enrich learning experiences and prepare them for their future endeavours. We at Gaudium, make sure to add such enriching experiences in our curriculum for students to learn and develop a holistic view.



Mindfulness And Wellbeing



Mindfulness for Everybody – The students are made to meditate for five to ten minutes daily through mindfulness activities, can see students reduce stress and anxiety, increase concentration and engagement, sleep better, improve social skills, and develop problem-solving and decision-making skills.

Core Values



Sankranti celebrations - Our recent assembly highlighted the cultural significance of Sankranti, promoting unity and gratitude. Sankranti signifies the harvest season, fostering community bonds and the importance of preserving traditions. May the lessons learned inspire a year filled with prosperity and shared joy.



Core Values



Class assemblies -A class assembly is conducted every Thursday for middle school. The assembly highlights essential values in a student life. The assembly starts with a prayer and a beautiful thought. Students recite a poem, narrate stories and experiences. It also involves mindfulness activities, how to practice it and its benefits. Activities like, taking a brain break, practicing breathing techniques, using senses to observe objects, taking a walk or listening to music and many more. There is an active participation from students during the assemblies. Overall, the class assemblies are a great learning for everyone. It provides an opportunity for students to display their skills and talents.



Republic day assembly - During our Republic Day school assembly, we highlighted patriotism and sportsmanship as we commemorated the essence of our nation and recognized our up-and-coming athletes. The flag was raised to the tune of national pride, and the atmosphere was brimming with enthusiasm. A special moment was created as sports medals were awarded to commendable achievers, symbolizing not just their athletic ability but also their commitment and drive for excellence within our school community. It was a day of pride, unity, and recognition, as we honoured both the tricolour and the shining stars of our school.



Core Values



Boarding in Gaudium: Students celebrated a vibrant birthday party, adorned with laughter and friendship. Students at the boarding gathered to honour the birthday students . Colourful decorations, lively music, and delicious treats created a joyous atmosphere, making it a memorable celebration filled with shared moments of happiness and friendship.

Global Leadership



Rewards and Recognition - Sports and extra-curricular activities are just as important for a child as their scholastic trainings. Outdoor activities play their own special part in the development and growth of a healthy and nourished body. Students who displayed their extraordinary skills excelled in the various competitions conducted on the occasion of Annual Sports day. Students Rewards and recognition can encourage them to get involved in various activities and excel in them. This can boost their confidence and help in their academic development.



Global Leadership

Rewards and Recognition

News on media - An unforgettable celebration of unity and sportsmanship at the Gaudium

School—Hyderabad Times, The Times of India

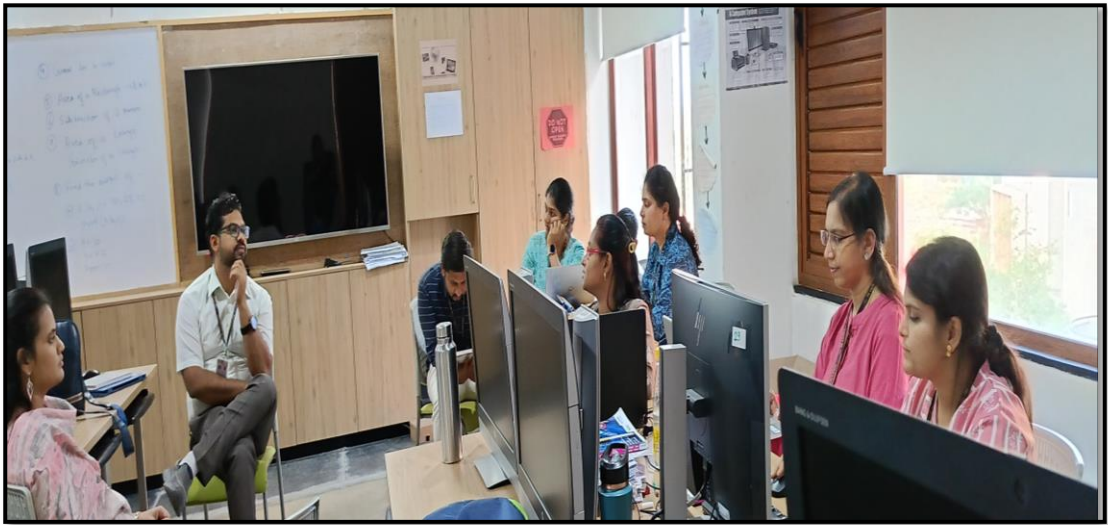


Very happy to share that Stuti of grade VII CBSE got an opportunity to sing the inaugural invocation of Hyderabad Literary fest 2024 on 26th January. She got coverage in today's Hyderabad express also.



Stakeholder Engagement

Collab meetings - On Thursdays of every week the faculty meets for collaborative meetings with the members of the department. The goals of the meetings are to better the teaching pedagogies by incorporating better strategies. To meet these goals, the teachers exchange ideas and plans to benefit the student. The meetings involve backward planning for various activities planned in the academic calendar



Upcoming events

DATE	DAY	EVENT	CLASSES
1 st Feb	Thursday	DEAR day	VI to VIII
5 th to 8 th Feb	Monday to Thursday	ICT Term 2 exams	VI to VIII
15 th Feb	Thursday	L3 Term2 exam	VI to VIII
19 th Feb	Monday	Term 2 Exams begin	VI to IX and XI
28 th Feb	Wednesday	Term 2 Exams ends	VI to IX and XI



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