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Creativity is intelligence having fun.

ALBERT EINSTEIN

IN THIS EDITION











INTRODUCTION

Director's Desk



It is often said that the value of an idea lies in the using of it. Embracing innovation in education promotes critical thinking, a sense of adventure, and an openness to adapt that serves students in the classroom. Our plan for the year is centralized assessment which means all the question papers will be prepared and issued by the Central Office with consultation of an esteemed faculty group so that students attempt the exam by using their cognitive skills in a highly competitive environment. Besides, our Senior Secondary has a separate Track System.

VIKASH nurtures the Senior Secondary students by inculcating an integrated program. They are taught under advance faculty members. They have a Weekly Test which is centralized and the question papers are prepared by designated faculties of other branches. Students compete with many branches' students in an amicable environment. Similarly, the school has planned to conduct an Investiture ceremony as a formal event where students are officially given a position, title, or authority. Students are segregated into four houses i.e. AGNI, PRITHVI, AAKASH & SHOURYA to promote a sense of belongingness. We are on our journey to an improved and modernized system of education. Your valuable cooperation is highly solicited. We wish to do a better job of supporting students emotionally and psychologically and keeping them actively engaged in their own learning. Let's remember: the key to genuine innovation lies in enhanced human connections and engaging students in educationally purposeful activities.

- By G. Ramakrishna Academic Director

Do not follow where the path may lead. Go instead where

there is no path and leave a trail."

-Ralph Waldo Emerson



Namaste!

We have resumed the session 2023-2024 with great enthusiasm. All the students were very jubilant and thoroughly following the syllabus. As we planned for PT-1 in July, the school immersed in completion of portions and other Academic activities were also organised to keep the students completely engaged in the school environment.

The highlight of the month was that students who were interested to become cabinet members were called for the positions and interviewed accord to the levels. Students joyously but little nervously, by experiencing interview ambiance, participated. The selected pupils will be honoured during the Investiture Ceremony.

We are VVCS Raigarh plan to equip the students in a way were they are competent enought to live a fullfiling life for themselves and chalk out their own path for the same. Thus small everyday activities become the stepping stone to future triumph.

Your cordial support is the driving force behind our school's spirit, and I am excited to witness the continued growth and achievements that lie ahead.

Anticipating your highest cooperation.

By Kiran Dommata Principal



Real generosity toward the future lies in giving all to the present.

– Albert Camus



Once you look for the opportunity to create, you feel the urge to give your best, and that motivates you to learn better in the long run. This is exactly what we hope for our students to feel—to get enough motivation to see their names and their achievements in our monthly newsletter Vikshan and visualise themselves in its future editions. Visualising is a power that is not as well harnessed by individuals as it should be. With the right visualisation, you can chalk out the path to exactly what you deserve. The next step after visualisation is manifestation. You get what you think about. You feel that you are going to achieve what is set out for you.

Getting credit for your hard work is an exquisite feeling that you would want to feel more than once. Receiving appreciation becomes an antidote that influences you to work on your next original idea. And who knows what masterpiece you might end up creating? Just have the guts to step up and get on with the adventure. Say what you feel; just speak your heart out without thinking about what others are going to think.

Conclusively, I congratulate and sincerely thank everyone who contributed to this edition of Vikshan- Head of the Editorial Board Mr Willfred Paul; Activity Incharges- Mr Uttam Nayak, Mrs Komal Arora and Ms Ayushi Tripathi; Language Teachers- Mrs Rashmi Dubey, Mrs Durga Patel, Mrs Shweta Singh and Mrs Minati Dash; Senior Faculty and Librarian Mrs Vinita Yadav and most importantly my guide and mentor respected Principal Sir Mr Kiran Dommata.

- By Kamana Singh Editor



CONCEPT COLUMN The Innovations

There is a wall in Mussoorie's LBSNAA which reads "शीलम् परम भूषणम्". It means character is the highest virtue. When an individual has to deal with responsibilities, it shapes their character in a way that becomes a part of their persona. Students these days are very competitive. They have a sense that they need to achieve something in life. Shaping one's character starts early and it is a long battle with vices and lethargy that one has to overcome to get what they want. Setting the target is one thing, but tireless devotion is a different story.

In July third week, we organised interviews for the students who wanted to become cabinet members. All the candidates got the opportunity to face interviews where they were asked several questions that put them into dilemma many times. This interview was conducted by our honourable Principal Sir Mr Kiran Dommata, Administrator Mr M. Srinivas, Senior Co-ordinator Mr Sameer Malik and Office Executive Miss Kamana Singh. Students were a little nervous but soon they calmed their nerves and went ahead to speak up and face this challenge. Questions ranged from topics like 'what changes would you suggest in the school', 'leaders versus followers', ' what is more important to you- responsibility or popularity' and many more such questions. VVCS Raigarh believes that leadership needs to be instilled in each individual beyond the conventional approach. Therefore, students are trained on different skills and the overall objective is to build up their leadership qualities, team management, inter-dependence, discipline, critical thinking, and problem-solving skills. We wish the best for all the students who faced the interviews, sincerely hoping for their bright future.









ACTIVITIES COLUMN The Wise Way

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We strive to achieve the following for our students: enable, educate and empower. And to achieve this, we have our competent teachers who never fail to save the day. Vidya Vikash Concept School Raigarh celebrated the propitious day of Guru Purnima by inculcating in the mind's of the students the significance of great educators. A Guru not only imparts knowledge but also helps shape us into better human beings, emphasizing the values of compassion, empathy, and humanity. Sometimes, the Guru takes on a spiritual role, enlightening our lives with profound spiritual wisdom. Having a Guru in our lives is believed to be essential for leading a fulfilling and purposeful existence. We celebrated this day by honouring our teachers through prayer songs and speeches by our students in a special assembly. The event concluded with the Principal addressing the students and inviting all the teachers on the stage for honouring their contribution to education.













O7TH JULY, 2023:- GREEN DAY CELEBRATIONS Small Steps, Big Impact: Go Green!

All the sages and saints lived in harmony with nature. They always prayed: "O God, let the whole universe, all living beings and nature live peacefully." Contented life is the need of the hour. Today the consumeristic culture is widespread. As a result, we consume endlessly out of greed. Most of us have become selfish and hence the needs of the future generation are not our priority. We must understand that the natural resources that we are now enjoying are the savings of our ancestors. They used only what was needed at that time and saved the rest for us. We celebrated Green Day to instill in our tiny tots the importance of our environment and how much love and care we need to show it. Students sang rhymes and dressed up in green to celebrate the day. They were introduced to the concept of tree plantation and how to save the environment.











The Earth is what we all have in common."
—Wendell Berry





Commemorating our heroes

We recognize the sacrifice of others who have gone before us. We stand upon their shoulders, on the broken appendages that these veterans gave up for us. The martyr cannot be dishonoured. Every lash inflicted is a tongue of fame; every prison a more illustrious abode. Vidya Vikash Concept School, Raigarh observed Kargil Vijay Diwas on 26th July, 2023. The students honoured our courageous martyrs by observing a minute of meditative silence on the day. Students Aayan Sahu and Divya Dubey of Grade X gave speeches commemorating our heroes. All the students paid their sincere tribute through march past, carrying the tricolour and drenching themselves in patriotic energy.

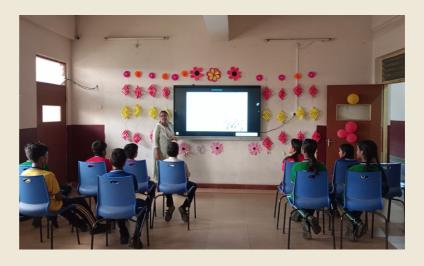




Life without liberty is like a body without spirit.
- Kahlil Gibran.







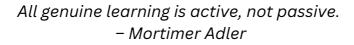
26TH AUGUST, 2023:- INAUGURATION OF INTERACTIVE PANEL

Facilitating Active Learning

Interactive touch screen displays in education are poised to make unprecedented changes in how teachers teach and learners learn. The Principal, VVCS Raigarh inaugrated Interactive Panel which will be used by teachers to improve learning outcomes and develop critical thinking among students. Interactive displays support active learning through student engagement opportunities and create efficient classroom for teachers. Students in classes that utilize interactive touch displays are often more engaged and more attentive. We plan to see the benefit of this at all levels of education, along with improvements in participation, motivation, and cooperation.









28TH JULY, 2023:- ALPHABET HUNTING ACTIVITY Effective communication through Phonics

Learning phonics is one of the most basic forms of developing a child's oral skills. The method teaches children to identify the alphabet based on their sounds. There are many known benefits of phonics in early years of a child's education, ranging from cultural comprehension to social education. Alphabet Hunting Activity for Pre-primary students was conducted to know the sounds associated with each letter in the alphabet. This helps children build a solid foundation for a variety of tasks- from reading activities to writing activities. To make the day fruitful, students engaged in various activities related to word formation, identification of the alphabet etc.



Language is to the mind more than light is to the eye.
-William Gibson

STUDENT'S COLUMN

Deep Thougths

TO BRING OUT THE BEST IN YOU

Focusing isn't just about keeping your attention on something
It's also about not concentrating on everything simultaneously
Focusing is your mind's competition for your attention.

Thus, I have discovered
There are only a handful of good ideas
in the world

You already know them.
Here are some of the key ideas
To keep yourself focused:Take personal responsibility, Things
change, so be flexible
Work smart and work hard
And most importantly

-By Aaysha Nafees Khan Grade VIII





I think therefore I am.
-Rene Descartes

Be nice to others.

CONFIDENCE

Work on your confidence
No need to fear!

Just go and speak
In front of everyone

Can you see the changes
No need to fear!
Tell me now
What's new in your life?

Identify your weakness
No need to fear!
Make it your strength
Start working on it

Create something new
No need to fear!
Achieve your goals
And just enjoy your life.







- By Aarya Singh Grade VIII

The only thing we have to fear is fear itself.
-Franklin D. Roosevelt



TEACHER'S COLUMN

The Ocean of Wisdom





काल्पनिक दुनिया वास्तविक दुनिया से भले ही अलग हो, परंतु उसका कल्पना में होना ही मन में ऊर्जा का संचार करता रहता है। कल्पना में हम एक ऐसी दुनिया का निर्माण कर लेते हैं जहां हम अपनी मर्जी के मालिक होते हैं। सभी चीजें हमें खुशी व अपनेपन का एहसास दिलाती है। परंतु इन सभी से परे, वास्तविक दुनिया में हमें क़दम रखना ही पड़ता है। वास्तविकता, हमें हमारे कर्तव्य व दायित्व का बोध कराता है। हमें कभी थकने नहीं देता| हमारे घर, परिवार व समाज के प्रति जिम्मेदारियों को पूर्ण करने में हमें मनोबल प्रदान करता है। काश! हमारे पास भी एक डोरेमॉन होता। जिसके गैजेट से हमारी परेशानियां व उलझनें चुटकी में हल हो जाती। लेकिन हमें पता है यह सब कल्पना में ही संभव है। असल जिंदगी में नहीं। इसलिए हमें, हमेशा यही कोशिश करते रहना चाहिए कि, हम एक दूसरे के साथ आपसी प्रेम व भाईचारे के साथ इस वास्तविक दुनिया का आनंद ले सके।

-विनीता यादव लाइब्रेरियन

To be or not to be, that is the question.
-William Shakespeare



A NEW BEGINNING



Change is the only permanent solution in the universe which brings happiness, joy and excitement in our lives. A new beginning is here as we are transitioning from Indian School to Vidya Vikash Concept School and it will affect not only our lives but will also nurture our surroundings. As we are transforming ourselves into a new mould we carry hopes for the best outcome from our beloved students through team work in the best possible way. We are switching with more career oriented programmes for Grade 11th and 12th students. Now we are getting more exposure to different expertise faculties since we are a sister concern with 20 schools belonging to Vikash group of schools. A lot more things are coming our way with better opportunities. Till then we hope for a bright and prosperous future for our dear students.

By Sneha Pandey Educator



Not all those who wander are lost. -J. R. R. Tolkein

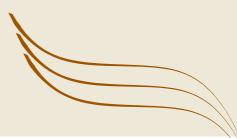
READER'S DIGEST

The Treasure of Knowledge



Basic Terms in Psychology

- attitude a person's mindset that changes in different situations
- · bias feeling prejudice for or against something
- catharsis relief that occurs unconscious thoughts become conscious
- consciousness one's awareness of the world around them
- delusions beliefs that are held even when proven wrong
- introvert a person who feels energized after time alone
- extrovert a person who gains energy from being around other people
- nature vs. nurture debate about whether one's genes (nature) are more or less influential than they way they were raised (nurture)



He travels the fastest who travels alone.
-Rudyard Kipling

PICTURE COLUMN The School Journal



Our Honourable MD Sir Mr G. Bhaskar Rao motivating students towards NCC participation





Students Aratrika Sarkar, Grade X and Aarya Singh, Grade VIII honoured with accolades for their performance in Science Olympiad

Genius is one percent inspiration and ninety-nine percent perspiration.

-Thomas Edison



Life is like riding a bicycle. To keep your balance, you must keep moving.
-Albert Einstein



Tis better to have loved and lost than never to have loved at all. -Alfred Lord Tennyson



Students meditating in the activity room







You must be the change you wish to see in the world.
-Mahatma Ghandi





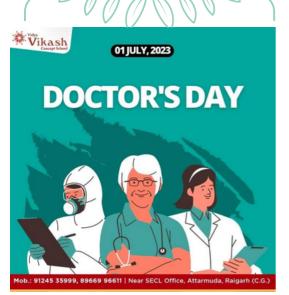
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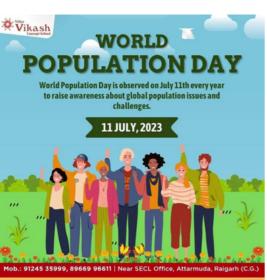
United we stand, divided we fall.



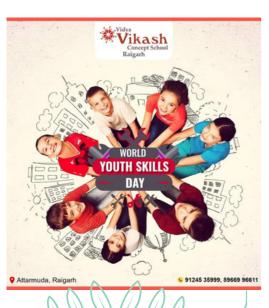
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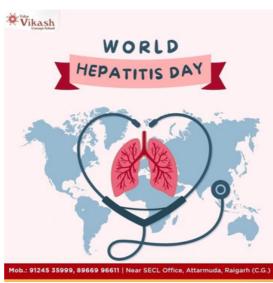


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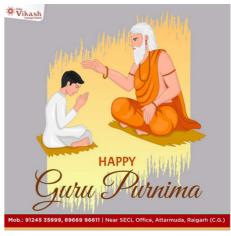




Parting is such sweet sorrow. -William Shakespeare











EXAM CORNER

Results of Serior Secondary Students



OPT Results

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Grade XII

OPT - 202

PCM





PCB

1st Rank-Payal



1st Rank- Mahima



1st Rank- Karan

PCB

OPT - 203

PCM



1st Rank-Payal

1st Rank-Sanveer

OPT - 204

PCM



1st Rank- Payal CT-201



1st Rank- Anshuman

PCB

PCM

CT-202 **Commerce**



1st Rank-Payal



1st Rank- Mahima



1st Rank- Abhishek

Results of Serior Secondary Students

OPT Results

Grade XI

OPT - 101





1st Rank-Purnima



2nd Rank- Minhaj



3rd Rank- Akanksha



1st Rank- Priyanshi



2nd Rank-Simmy

Congratulations to all our Achievers!

Keep succeeding!



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