

CARMEL CONVENT SR. SEC. SCHOOL GWALIOR (M.P.)



CBSE AFFILIATION NO.: 1030004

CARMEL TIDINGS

ISSUE - 1, MARCH- JULY EDITION



SESSION 2025-26

Carmel is a garden where knowledge grows,
character blooms and futures are shaped



FROM THE PRINCIPAL'S DESK

"In the garden of Life, hope is the seed-fragile, yet it grows into dreams we dare to believe."

Dear Parents, Staff and Students,

Warm Greetings to all!

As we stand on the threshold of a new academic session, I warmly welcome all my students, staff and parents. With new hope set for the future, each academic year and each member of this institution is devoted to turning dreams & aspirations into reality through sincerity & perseverance. Something that survives and pierces through our soul all the time we exist, without words or references, it invisibly throbs inside us - a dream, an anticipation, a culmination of our optimism.



Often, we do not consider the do's and don'ts, rather we sincerely appreciate the prospect that we have in our minds and keep moving forward, hoping the darkness to end with a bright, glimmering day light that lasts forever.

A kid who just has begun school, a young and bright mind, soft shoulders etched under the impression of his school bag, tiny eyelashes in hopes of perhaps processing a cockpit hoping for a clear weather, a man in the white gown hopes for a sound world where no body, under no evitable circumstances ends up in the operation theatre, an officer off duty who admires the idea of a society where never injustice is served. Someone with high aspirations about a better nation or maybe the sentinels perched on the edge of storms just like a soldier standing straight against all the odds that may arouse on his way hoping for a world free of wars and nuclear ammunition threats a guardian, praying for the accomplishment of the hope he has for his kid to flourish abundantly. An artist, delusion pertaining public to face the truth of the value of real art. We conclude that all the residents across the blue planet demand something better than their actual current state from all cultures, from all backgrounds and from all races. A mosaic compiles the inaudible ideas of people for a better future.

The world stands straight engrossed in sand of hope near the shore of pessimism. What would early civilizations have thought of the time we are thriving in today? They too had a sense of hope, that of a harmonious and hospitable society. That of equality and justice to all. Our lives are guided through the hopes of betterment. A mosaic that reflects all the perspectives, all the people from around the globe, irrespective of caste, creed or race. All of us come together, anticipating, aiming and hoping for a delight in our own lives, forming a mosaic. It's merely a ray of light through darkness.

Sr. Ramya Vacco
Principal

PARENTS ORIENTATION PROGRAMME

**'Every child's success story is written
by parents and teachers together'**

CCSSS organised Parents Orientation Sessions for class I, III, IV and IX, between March 25 - 28, 2025, under the support and guidance of our honourable Principal Rev. Sr. Ramya. The event aimed to welcome parents, familiarize them with the school's systems and processes, and foster a sense of partnership between home and school to enhance students' academic performance. These sessions provided an opportunity for educators to build trust and rapport with parents. The welcome session was very informative and set a positive tone for the program. Our dear Principal, co-ordinators and teachers took initiative to introduce the school's mission, vision, values, key school policies, such as attendance, discipline, homework, exam pattern, students' counselling sessions along with information about the curriculum, teaching methodologies, etc., to parents. It encouraged parents to become active participants in their child's education and overall well-being (academic, social, emotional and physical growth).

The program concluded with a positive note establishing open lines of communication between parents, teachers and administrators. Parents appreciated the Q/Ans. session with the faculty.



NEW SESSION, NEW GOALS, NEW SUCCESS

'Every new session is a blank page - let your goals write the story and success be the signature'

On 1 April, 2025, a session opening assembly was conducted by Class X F, which set the tone for a new educational year of learning and development. The theme "New Session, New Goals and New Success" emphasized enthusiasm, teamwork and determination. The speakers inspired everyone with thought-provoking words and highlighted the joy of learning and power of dreams. With motivational quotes and a collective spirit, the assembly encouraged students to embrace opportunities and the intent of excellence.



STUDENT OF THE YEAR ACCOLADES, 2024-25

'The capacity to learn is a gift; the ability to learn is a skill; the willingness to learn is a choice.'

Every year, the Student of the Year Award is given to outstanding students who do really well in their studies and contribute a lot to the school. This award encourages students to feel proud of what they achieve and sets a great example for others. CCSSS honoured and appreciated the students of classes I to IX and XI who achieved General Proficiency and Full Attendance for the Academic Year 2024-25. Our Rev. Principal presented certificates to these outstanding students acknowledging their academic excellence and regular attendance at school. Congratulations to all these students for their hard work and regularity.



General Proficiency

Classes I - VIII, IX and XI



Full Attendance

Classes I - VIII, IX and XI



SEMINAR: WASTE MANAGEMENT AND SWACHHTA

'A swachh nation is possible when waste is managed and cleanliness is practiced every day'

A seminar on Waste Management and Swachhta was organized in our school by Gwalior Nagar Nigam for students of classes VII & VIII on 3rd April and for class IX on 11th April, 2025 respectively. It aimed to spread awareness among young students about the importance of cleanliness, proper waste disposal, and sustainable practices. The spokesperson Mrs. Jyoti Singh Chauhan, representative of Gwalior Nagar Nigam, spoke in detail about different types of waste (biodegradable and non-biodegradable) and the importance of segregating waste at the source. Through interactive examples, she explained how to use a dustbin, reduce the use of plastic, and recycling can contribute greatly to a cleaner and healthier environment. She also highlighted the role of students in maintaining cleanliness in their surroundings and encouraged them to be Swachhta ambassadors in their schools and homes. The session was engaging and informative, in which the students actively participated and asked questions.

Overall, the seminar was a major success and left a positive impact on the students, inspiring them to adopt clean and eco-friendly habits in their daily lives.



HANDS-ON DRONE WORKSHOP

'Drones: Where technology meets the sky'



On April 5, 2025, a hands-on drone workshop was organized for students of class IX and X. The purpose was to introduce them to the exciting world of drone technology. The session was held as part of our continuous efforts to encourage practical learning and expose students to emerging technologies.

The workshop began with an interactive session, where students were introduced to the basics of drone technology,

including the types of drones, their components and real-world applications in areas such as agriculture, defense, photography and disaster management. This was followed by a live performance, where the students saw how the drone is assembled, calibrated, and flown.

The workshop was conducted by Mr. Falit Goyal TGT-Physics and Innovation Incharge under the guidance of Principal Rev. Sr. Ramya. Coordinators Mrs. Usha Singh, Mrs. Indrani Mukherjee, Mrs. Mridu Dasgupta, Mr MPS Tomar along with the Science Department attended the workshop. One of the highlights of the workshop was the hands-on experience where students got the opportunity to operate drones under expert supervision. They were guided through the basic flight maneuvers and control systems, sparking a great deal of curiosity and enthusiasm. For better learning experience, 20 students received their drones and a kickstarter for their drone-pilot trip.



The session not only increased their understanding of STEM (science, technology, engineering and mathematics) concepts, but also motivated many people to discover careers in robotics and aeronautics. The session concluded with a question-post session, where students actively associated with resource individuals and clarified their doubts.

Overall, the drone workshop was a fun, educational and rich experience that inspired students and was eager to learn more about our future-shaped technologies.

INVESTITURE CEREMONY - 2025 - 26

'Today's Investiture, Tomorrow's Leaders'

The Investiture Ceremony for the academic session 2025-26 was held on April 16, 2025, with great pomp and dignity at CCSSS. The ceremony was held with zeal and enthusiasm. It was commenced with the lighting of ceremonial lamp by our Manager Rev Sr. Ancy and our honourable Principal Rev. Sr. Ramya. The program was taken forward by the Senior Coordinator Mrs. Usha Singh who announced the names of various Co-curricular Clubs and their Secretaries as well as the names of Head Girl, Vice Head Girl, Sports Captain, House Mistress, House Captain, Vice House Captain, Club Incharge and Secretary. The elected members of the student council were conferred with badges and sashes by the honourable principal. The School Cabinet members took the pledge to hold the school motto in high esteem and discharge their responsibilities with utmost sincerity. Our Rev Principal delivered an inspirational message exhorting the in-charges to perform their assigned duties with great exuberance, dedication and earnestness. The function concluded with the national anthem.



OFFICE BEARERS - 2025 - 26

'True leadership lies in serving others with humility and dedication'

Co-ordinators: *Senior Section Mrs. Usha Singh *Middle School Mrs. Indrani Mukherjee *Primary Section Mrs. Shobha Thakur	*Head Girl: Rudrapriya Dandotiya XII-A *Vice Head Girl: Nischal Bharadwaj XI D *Sports Captain: Rashi Chauhan XII A *Sports Vice-Captain: Niyati Jain XI D
--	---

<u>House In-charge</u>	<u>Captain (C) / Vice Captain (VC)</u>
Blue: Mrs. Mansi Werman Mrs. Kalpana Sharma	C - Janvi Thakur X-F VC - Tanvi Agarwal IX-F
Green: Mrs. Jyoti Jain Mrs. Reeta Bohre	C - Netra Pathak X-B VC - Nandini Tomar IX-C
Red: Mrs. Suchitra Dhamdhare Mrs. Alka Tiwari	C - Priyamvada Bhargav X-D VC - Kavya Goyal IX-B
Yellow: Mrs. Sushma S.K. Mrs. Meena Agarwal	C - Yati Sharma X-F VC - Manvi Saxena IX E

<u>Association In-Charge</u>	<u>Students In-Charge</u>
English Mrs. Liz Lawrence Mrs. Upma Rani Sharma Mrs. Samiksha Bharatiya	Aina Fatima X-C
Hindi Mrs. Iris Sunil Mrs. Rachna Sharma Ms. Pratima Xalxo	Darshini Khandelwal X-C
Sanskrit Mrs. Vinita Shrivastava	Mitranshi Pal X-B

<u>Association In-Charge</u>		<u>Students In-Charge</u>
Maths	Mrs. Kavitha Shaji Mrs. Meenu Sanjay Mrs. Radha Singhal	Kratika Jain X-E
Quiz	Mr. M.P.S Tomar Mr. Royal James	Mohita Tambe X-E
Science	Mr. M.P.S Tomar Mrs. Vandana Indwar Mrs. Rekha Jain	Jiya Silani X-B
Social Science	Mrs. Lathika Nair Mrs. Usha Vyas Mrs. Sunita Parashar	Somya Chourasiya X-B
Commerce	Mrs. Mridu Dasgupta	Anoopa Dar XII-C
Computer	Mrs. Chetna Khurana Mrs. Simran Panjwani	Nidhi Dhingra X-B
Art & Craft	Mrs. Shruti Shrivastava	Ananya Bhilwar X-D
Dance & Cultural	Miss. Monica Dubey	Devyani Dubey X-E Kratika Ingle X-B
Music	Mrs. Deepti Moghe	Ojaswi Aole X-F
Sports	Mr. Avinash Suryawanshi	Ananya Bhadoria X-A
Eco Club	Mrs. Archana Dantré Mrs. Hemlata Sukhija Mr. Royal James	Ananya Rawat X-C Khushi Tomar IX-C
USM	Mrs. Mridu Dasgupta Mrs. Kavita Shaji Mr. Falit Goyal	Manjari Gokhale X-B
Innovation & Entrepreneurship	Mr. Falit Goyal	Ridhima Jain X-F
Value Education	Mrs. Punyo Yamung Mrs. Shikha Peardon	Krishi Dubey X-C
Discipline	Mrs. Mansi Werman Mrs. Iris Sunil	Manya Dewatwal X-B Yunishka Mandre IX-F
Library	Mrs. Reshu Jain	Divyanshi Kanchan XF
Newsletter	Dr. Shaloo Saxena Mrs. Shilpa Jain Mrs. Jyothi Baijoo	Antara Thorkar IX B Sakshi Shakya IX D Bhavya Butani IX C

WORLD EARTH DAY CELEBRATION

'Every day is Earth Day - Care for it today and always'

World Earth Day was celebrated on April 22nd, 2025. A special assembly was conducted by the students of class X B, which created awareness among students about the importance of conservation of our Mother Earth. A motivational skit highlighted a beautiful message to save our planet. Inspirational quotes and messages were displayed on placards. Students took a pledge to nurture our planet by planting more and more trees.



TALK SHOW

On the occasion of Earth Day, CCSSS had the privilege of welcoming the resource person Ms. Honey Dhawan to our school — a dynamic personality known for her work in social service, sport and the arts.

Addressing the gathering, Ms. Dhawan shared an inspirational message that we should protect our Mother earth. Drawing from her own journey, she emphasized that the real change begins with small, meaningful tasks such as planting trees, saving water, denying single-use plastic, or using our



voices to stand for the environment. The session concluded with a hearty reminder that by taking responsibility today, we ensure a better world for generations to come.



ECO CLUB ACTIVITY

To inspire young minds in action! 🌱 Students of our Eco Club gave an impressive skit to conserve energy resources and to reveal the importance of embracing renewable options. Along with this, they promoted compassion for wildlife through a 'Dana Pani' initiative, making beautiful birdhouses in order to create a green future ahead.



The Awareness and Signature Campaign was the main attraction of the day to raise awareness among students and parents about environmental challenges, encouraged them to adopt eco-friendly practices, and foster a sense of respect and responsibility for the planet.



FIRST BAGLESS DAY

**'A bagless day is not a day without learning,
it's a day of learning beyond books'**

First Bagless Day was held on April 22, 2025. Its theme was Earth Day celebrations "our power, our planet". As per the National Education Policy (NEP) 2020, "Bagless Days" are offered special days for class VI - VIII students, in which students do not carry school bags, instead they participate in fun and creative activities like art, music, crafts, storytelling and business learning. The purpose of Bagless Day was to make learning more enjoyable and help students gain practical knowledge and to develop real-world skills and make education more interesting and meaningful.

The activities planned for students on Earth Day Celebration were morning assembly, poem recitation, speech presentation, discussion on sustainable development, Dana Pani initiative and a Talk Show by a resource person Ms Honey Dhawan, which created awareness about protecting the environment and encouraging people to take actions like planting trees, saving water, and reducing pollution to make the Earth a better place. Similarly, the objective of Bagless Day, as introduced in NEP 2020, is to make learning more fun and practical by allowing students to explore creative and skill-based activities without carrying their school bags. Both the days aimed to promote awareness, responsibility, and holistic development of the students.

These activities raised awareness among students about the importance of sustainable life through environmental protection and speeches and informative talks; Better communication skills; Students engaged in practical learning experiences; developed empathy and a sense of responsibility towards nature and living beings; encouraged teamwork, creativity and cooperation among students and made a shift from routine classes to interactive, activity-based learning and created a joyful and stress-free environment in line with the NEP 2020 vision.





RANGOTSAVA INTERNATIONAL LEVEL COMPETITION-2025

**'Rangotsava is not just about competing,
it's about celebrating talent beyond borders'**

It was a unique experience for our budding artists where they were given a chance to showcase their artistic talents and compete with the students at International level. Overall, sixty -seven students participated in this competition and all of them were awarded with medals and certificates. Nineteen of them were awarded with trophies and exclusive prizes.

Our School was also rewarded as the Global School. This was the first successful event at the international level. Mrs. Shruti Shrivastava was awarded the Best Art Teacher trophy with a certificate, a memento and a gift.



CSST FOUNDATION DAY

'The legacy of St. Theresa of St. Rose of Lima lives on through the Carmelite Sisters, serving humanity with devotion and compassion'

CSST Foundation Day is a moment of gratitude and reflection, as we remember the selfless dedication of the Carmelite Sisters of St. Theresa of St. Rose of Lima, who laid the strong foundation of our institution. This day is not just a commemoration of the past, but also an inspiration for the present and future. It reminds us to carry forward their vision of faith, service, discipline, and excellence in all that we do. As we celebrate this day, we renew our commitment to uphold the Carmelite values of love, humility, and compassion, spreading light wherever we go.



A special assembly was conducted by class VI-B on 24th April 2025 to share information about the Mother Foundress St. Theresa of St. Rose of Lima and her contribution for the upliftment of a girl child by starting a number of schools and her legacy and vision is carried on by the CSST congregation.

A Tribute to Our Foundress Servant of God Mother Theresa of St. Rose of Lima



INTERNATIONAL LABOUR'S DAY

'Labour Day reminds us that behind every success of a nation is the sweat and strength of its workers'

On May 1, 2025, the USM Group organized a beautiful cultural program to celebrate Labour's Day. Our principal Rev. Sr. Ramya, teachers and students along with the members of the USM made the day special for our auxiliary staff by creating a serene atmosphere. A small cultural programme and some sports organized for the auxiliary staff created happiness among all. The main objective of celebrating Labour's Day in a school was not only to appreciate but also to promote sympathy, respect and gratitude towards the hard work and dedication of the assistant workforce. They all enjoyed this day with cherished memories.



SECOND BAGLESS DAY

'A Bagless Day opens doors to creativity, fun and practical learning'

Second Bagless Day was organized on 1st May 2025, for students of class VI to VIII.

To celebrate Labour's Day in a meaningful and engaging way, our school observed a special Bagless Day focused on the theme of "Dignity of labour." The objective of observing Bagless Day in conjunction with Labour Day is to promote experiential learning while honouring the invaluable contributions of workers in our society.



The combined celebration of Bagless Day and Labour's Day provided students an experience that went beyond the confines of traditional learning. This day fostered a deep sense of respect for the dignity of labour, allowing students to recognize and appreciate the vital contributions of workers in everyday life. The morning assembly, dedicated to honouring labourers, featured a thoughtful prayer, a touching poem, and an inspiring speech that set a reflective and respectful tone. Throughout the day, students participated in a vibrant program of dances, songs, role-plays, and games—transforming learning into a joyful, hands-on experience. These activities not only encouraged creativity and teamwork but also helped cultivate empathy, gratitude, and a stronger connection with the school's support staff. Overall, the celebration successfully blended value-based education with fun and engagement, leaving a lasting impression on young minds.



TATA CLASSEGE ORIENTATION SESSION

'A new session with Classedge is a new edge to learning'

An orientation session on Interactive Training Panels was organized in CCSSS for teachers handling classes I to XII on May 3, 2025. An experienced resource person Mr. Sanjay Mishra, Technical Manager from Tata Classedge, provided a comprehensive digital learning solution for K-12 education, focusing on interactive training panels and multimedia content to enhance the teaching and learning experience. Teachers learned about Classedge Platinum which offers

integrated digital content, whiteboard functionalities, and widgets designed to engage students and streamline classroom activities.

The platform provided access to digital content aligned with the curriculum, ensuring that teachers can effectively deliver lessons using familiar materials. This instructional framework encouraged critical thinking, creativity, teamwork, and research skills through diverse interactive activities.



WORKSHOP - "HAPPY CLASSROOM"

'A Happy Classroom is where learning feels like joy, not a task'

Gwalior Sahodaya Samiti organized a workshop on the theme "Happy Classroom" on 4th May, 2025 at Silver Oak Hotel. Teachers from 26 schools marked their presence. Ms. Tanya Wadhvani and Ms. Janice Hermanues from CCSSS attended the workshop. Dr. Hari Om Singh, the resource person, emphasized the importance of living without conditions and highlighted how deficiency creates efficiency. The workshop also introduced the 5 Cs to avoid: No Comparison, No Criticism, No Complaint, No Confusion and No Competition. The secret to success was shared as a combination of honesty, hard work, and perseverance. Teachers were advised to work out for 30 minutes daily to maintain mental and physical wellness and to polish their personalities every day. The session was inspiring and focused on creating joyful, positive, and meaningful classroom experiences for both teachers and students. Overall, it was a refreshing and thought-provoking workshop, encouraging teachers to spread happiness, be humble, and act as wonderful role models in their classrooms.



FAREWELL CEREMONY

'A school's farewell ceremony for retiring teachers is a significant event, a chance to honour their dedication and contributions.'

Our CCSSS organized a farewell ceremony for our honourable Manager Rev. Sr. Ancy and beloved Mrs. Sunita Shrivastav ma'am (Hindi teacher) at the school premises today. The ceremony celebrated the retiring teachers' legacy and marked the beginning of their next chapter. The event commenced with the lighting of the lamp followed by Prayer service, melodious songs, enthralling dances and various panoramic performances. Our honourable Principal delivered a heartfelt speech highlighting their contributions and impact on the school community. The staff members shared their personal anecdotes and stories about the retiring teachers and made the ceremony more meaningful and emotional. They expressed their gratitude and presented flowers, gifts and souvenirs as tokens of their appreciation. Emeritae teachers too delivered a heartfelt speech, thanked everyone for their support and expressed their feelings about their retirement.

A vote of thanks was delivered by our beloved coordinator showing gratitude to each and all behind the curtain and expressing wishes for good health and long life for our respected teachers. The venue was comfortable and beautifully decorated.

The overall ambience was positive, celebratory and reflected the respect and affection the school community has for the retiring teachers. The program successfully ended on an emotional note.



IGNITE INQUIZITIVE COMPETITION

'A Quiz is not just about answers, it's about igniting curiosity'

Ignite Inquizitive Inter School Quiz Competition Gwalior -2025 was organized by The Times of India, in association with Career Launchers, held at Bal Bhavan Auditorium, Gwalior on May 8, 2025. Somya Rai (X A), Shreya Samadhiya (X A) and Akshara Soni (X B) of our school were applauded for their efforts and received Certificates of Participation. The event aimed at promoting academic excellence and healthy competition among students showcasing their knowledge and quick-thinking skills. The competition was well-organized, with a competent quiz master guiding the proceedings.

The competition featured multiple rounds, each designed to test different aspects of the participants' knowledge. The oral round tested their grasp of general knowledge, while the rapid-fire round demanded quick recall and focused answers. The visual round challenged participants to identify images, maps, and other visual aids.

The atmosphere was filled with a palpable sense of enthusiasm and healthy competition among the students.

SUMMER ADVENTURE CAMP

'Summer Camp is not just a place - it's an experience that shapes hearts and minds'

Carmel Convent Senior Secondary School hosted Skating Classes for a month in the school premises from 8th May - 7th June, 2025. Students from class I to XII learnt and mastered various skating skills. The training session was a big success.

An exciting Summer Adventure Camp was also held from May 10th to May 28th, 2025, for students of classes I to XII. The camp offered a wide variety of activities that cater for various interests and age groups. Under the guidance of trained instructors, students participated in various exciting adventures like Rope Burma bridge, Balance rope, Monkey crawl, Tree climbing, Archery, Bungee Dart, Wooden Burma bridge, Rope ladder, Tyre Front roll, Rifle shooting, Commando net, Artificial climbing wall, Segway, water pool, Fort trip, Yoga Class, Dance Class. The students displayed remarkable enthusiasm and energy and created unforgettable memories. The students had an incredible time participating in the various activities, from team-building exercises to outdoor adventures. Not only did they enjoy the fun and excitement, but they also learned valuable lessons in cooperation, leadership, making new friends, and experiencing the joy of exploring the outdoors. These camps gave students an ideal adventure with unforgettable memories of fun, laughter and adventure.



CBSE BOARD ACHIEVERS

'Every achiever was once a dreamer who refused to give up'

Heartiest Congratulations to Our CBSE Class X and XII Toppers!

Carmel Convent Senior Secondary School, Gwalior, is thrilled to announce and celebrate the exceptional performance of our Class 10 and 12 students in the CBSE Board Examinations, 2024-25. Their dedication and hard work have yielded remarkable results, and we are incredibly proud of their achievements.

We extend our heartfelt congratulations to all the toppers for their outstanding performance. They have not only made their families and teachers proud but have also set a high standard for their peers. Their success is a testament to their perseverance, discipline, and commitment to their studies.

We also acknowledge the crucial role played by the teachers and parents in guiding and supporting these students throughout their academic journey. Their encouragement and mentorship have been instrumental in shaping these young minds.

As these students embark on new academic chapters, we wish them continued success and bright futures. May they continue to strive for excellence and achieve many more milestones in their lives.





Carmel Convent Sr. Sec. School, Gwalior
CBSE CLASS X (2024-2025)

SUBJECT WISE TOPPERS

Congratulations

NAME	SUBJECT	MARKS
KANAK GOYAL	ENGLISH	99
AAYUSHI MODAK		100
KANAK GOYAL	HINDI	100
VIDHI GOYAL		100
SHREYA SINGH SIKARWAR	SANSKRIT	94
KRISHA SINHA		94
AAYUSHI MODAK		100
KANAK GOYAL	MATHEMATICS STANDARD	100
VIDHI GOYAL		100
TANUSHKA SINGH RAJPUT		95
KANISHKA SHARMA	MATHEMATICS BASIC	95
NITYANSHI JAIN		95
AAYUSHI MODAK		99
LAVANYA JOSHI	SCIENCE	99
VANSHIKA GUPTA		99
AAYUSHI MODAK		99
KANAK GOYAL	SOCIAL SCIENCE	99



Carmel Convent Sr. Sec. School, Gwalior
CBSE CLASS XII (2024-2025)

SUBJECT WISE TOPPERS

Congratulations

NAME	SUBJECT	MARKS
SWASTIKA SAGAR	ENGLISH CORE	98
KRISHA KAUSHAL	HINDI CORE	94
DIYA ROY CHOUDHARY	HISTORY	97
DIYA ROY CHOUDHARY	POLITICAL SCIENCE	99
FALAK LACHHWANI	ECONOMICS	99
SHREYANSHU SIKARWAR	HIND. MUSIC VOCAL	100
SWASTIKA SAGAR	MATHEMATICS	98
SWASTIKA SAGAR	PHYSICS	96
SWASTIKA SAGAR	CHEMISTRY	93
SWASTIKA SAGAR	BIOLOGY	98
TANISHA AGARWAL	PHYSICAL EDUCATION	97
YASHASHWANI SINGH CHAUHAN		97
AFSHA HAZRATJI	PAINTING	100
ANANYA DUBEY		100
VEDANSHI RENWAL	BUSINESS STUDIES	98
DIVYA JAIN	ACCOUNTANCY	97
KRATIKA DHARIWAL	DNACE-KATHAK	98
ANANNYA SHARMA	COMPUTER SCIENCE	99
ADITI AWASTHI	APPLIED MATHEMATICS	93

INTERNATIONAL YOGA DAY

'Yoga is the best therapy for a healthy body and a stress-free mind'

On the special occasion of International Yoga Day, directed by the Department of AYUSH, Government of India, a rich and fresh Yoga Session was held on 21st June, 2025, in CCSSS. It really worked out fruitfully with the theme - "Yoga for one Earth 🌍, one health."

The above program was organized under the precious guidance of our Principal Rev. Sr. Ramya Vacco. The session was directed by a renowned Yoga Therapist, Ms. Purvi Vijjan, working internationally and also a Major Dhyanchand Award winner. The very special guest of the day was Dr. Shivangi Tiwari. Students, teachers, office staff and the auxiliary staff of the school participated enthusiastically. The aim of the program was to spread awareness and co-operate with the Government of India for the common and kind cause of ensuring sustainable good health for our country men.



TEACHERS' ORIENTATION PROGRAMME

'An orientation is not just the beginning of a session, but the planting of seeds for future success'

On June 23, 2025, our school hosted a comprehensive one-day orientation program for teachers under the leadership of renowned academic consultant and trainer Dr. Asher R. Jesudoss. The invaluable support and guidance of our honourable principal Rev. Sr. Ramya made this initiative possible. The program focused on the National Education Policy (NEP) 2020. Dr. Jesudoss engaged teachers in interactive discussions and activities, facilitating a deeper understanding of the NEP & Classroom management techniques; strategies for creating a

positive and organized learning environment. Teachers participated in group discussions and practical activities to enrich their knowledge and teaching practices. The objective of the program was to enhance teacher capacity, promote collaboration and align our curriculum with national standards.



WORKSHOP ON THE USAGE OF INTERACTIVE FLAT PANELS

'An interactive panel is not just a screen; it's a window to the world of knowledge'

A hands-on workshop on the Usage of Interactive Flat Panels was organized in our school for teachers handling classes I to V and VI to XII respectively on June 24, 2025. It was conducted in two sessions by the two most experienced resource persons from Tata Class Edge - Mr. Sachin Mishra Technical Manager, and Mr. Mohd. Saleh Nizam, Operation and Academic Trainer. The workshop aimed at equipping teachers with the skills to leverage Interactive Flat Panels (IFPs), focused on practical applications, innovative



teaching methodologies, and the benefits of integrating technology into the classroom. Teachers gained hands-on experience with various features, including whiteboard software, screen sharing, and multimedia integration, enhancing their ability to create engaging and effective lessons. The workshop conducted was a valuable initiative that equipped teachers with the skills and knowledge to leverage these tools effectively and can create dynamic, engaging, and effective learning environment that prepare students for the challenges of the 21st century.



WORLD DOCTOR'S DAY

'A doctor's smile and care is often the best medicine'

World Doctors' Day was celebrated at CCSSS on July 1, 2025, to honour doctors, featuring a guest speaker, Dr. Charu Khandelwal, a Carmel alumna. The event included a variety of activities, such as speeches, a skit and a special assembly conducted by students of class X D to express gratitude and appreciation for the medical profession. The guest speaker Dr. Charu Khandelwal delivered an inspiring talk on the importance of school life, hard work to achieve success, the qualities of a good doctor, and the significance of a healthy lifestyle.



Our dear Principal Rev. Sr. Ramya also highlighted the significance of Doctor's Day. Dr. Charu's presence was acknowledged with a planter and memento as a token of love and gratitude. The celebration of Doctors' Day at school was a memorable event that instilled a sense of respect and admiration for the medical community among the students.



SWACHH BHARAT ABHIYAN

'Swachh Bharat, Swasth Bharat'

On July 4, 2025, Swachh Bharat Abhiyan was organized by Nagar Nigam, Gwalior, for students of class XI and XII in our school to ensure a permanent clean environment and community participation. The programme was directed by the representatives of Gwalior Nagar Nigam - Mrs. Jyoti Singh Chauhan, Mr. Priyanshu Saxena, Ms. Kirti Kushwah, Mr. Akash Kirar, Mr. Gautam Sharma, Mr. Rahul Rajput, Mr. Dharmendra Sharma and Mr. Vijendra Tomar. The key points emphasized on segregation of a variety of waste, personal hygiene (7 stages of hand washing), not to promote the use of single use plastic and jute bags. It was an interactive session where students participated with full enthusiasm. Finally, our Principal Rev. Sr. Ramya, teachers and students vowed to make our Gwalior City clean and green. In order to promote the importance of cleanliness and hygiene in Gwalior, slogans like "Swacch Gwalior, Swasth Gwalior!" were raised. The program ended with the vote of thanks given by our Vice Head Girl Nishchal Bharadwaj.

The Swachh Bharat Abhiyan has fostered a sense of community responsibility and participation among students in maintaining cleanliness. The school will continue to play its role in this effort, working towards a cleaner and a healthy future for all.



YOGA SESSION – A STEP TOWARDS HOLISTIC WELL-BEING

'Yoga brings harmony between body, mind and soul'

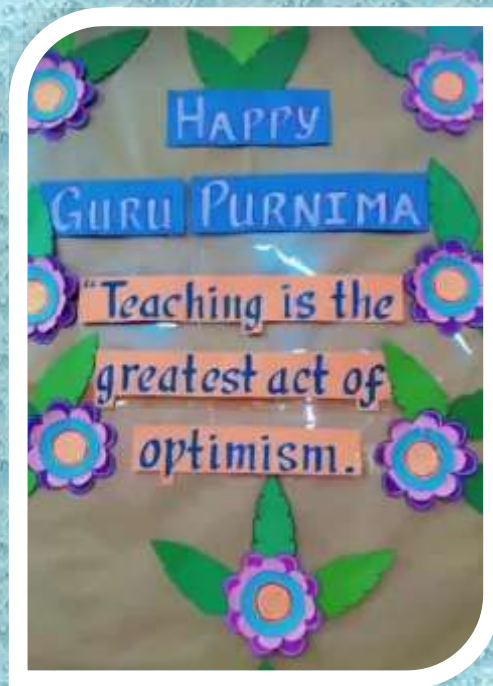
On 4 July 2025, a special yoga session was held for class IV and V to promote physical health and mental welfare. The session conducted by the Sports Department included breathing exercises, yoga asanas and a brief meditation. Students learned simple techniques for focus, flexibility and internal calm improvement. The session emphasized the importance of involving yoga in daily life for a balanced and healthy lifestyle.



GURU PURNIMA CELEBRATION

'Guru Brahma, Guru Vishnu, Guru Devo Maheshwara, Guru Sakshat Parabrahma, Tasmai Shri Guru Namaha'

Guru Purnima - a ritualistic celebration marked to respect the guru - the one who leads you to the right path of life. In a heartwarming tribute to the timeless bond between teachers and students, CCSSS celebrated this auspicious day of Guru Purnima with great reverence, enthusiasm, and devotion on July 10, 2025. The celebration commenced with a traditional lamp lighting ceremony conducted by our honourable Principal Rev. Sr. Ramya, Vice Principal Rev. Sr. Noella, our esteemed former educators - Mrs. Leela Gonsalvis, Ms. Pushpa Atre, Ms. Veronica, Ms. Shobha Roger, Mrs. Madhumita Bhattacharya, Mrs. Kamlesh Upadhyay and Mrs. Sunita Shrivastava and our beloved co-ordinator Mrs. Usha Singh, followed by prayers and a soulful invocation song by the school choir. Students of class XI and XII delivered heartfelt speeches expressing their gratitude towards their teachers. Our honourable Principal Rev. Sr. Ramya delivered an inspiring address highlighting the vital role of educators. The cultural program featured various performances, including songs and dance, all dedicated to the teachings and wisdom imparted by gurus. A felicitation ceremony where former teachers were presented with tokens of appreciation was also held. The event recognized the profound impact these educators have had on the lives and careers of countless individuals. The celebration concluded with a vote of thanks to all the noble souls who took part in the celebration.





CARMEL DAY CELEBRATION

'Carmel Day is a reminder of our roots in faith, love and service'

Carmel Day, also known as the Feast of Our Lady of Mount Carmel, was celebrated on July 15, 2025, with great devotion and enthusiasm in our school, organized by class IX and English Department. The event began with the lighting of the lamp, followed by a heartfelt prayer, and a cultural program, honouring our beloved Mother Mary and the values of the Carmelite order, showcasing the spirit of Carmel—faith, love, and service. Students participated in various cultural activities like prayer, prayer song, speech, dance depicting the significance of the Carmel feast, the importance of the Brown Scapular, emphasizing the virtues of Mother Mary followed by a hymn, to express their devotion and celebrate the occasion. Our dear Vice Principal Rev. Sr. Noella addressed the gathering, inspiring everyone with her words of wisdom. It was a heartfelt tribute to our patroness, honouring the virtues of Our Lady of Mount Carmel and a reminder of the values we



SAHODAYA 'CADENCE' PROGRAM ON SWAMI VIVEKANANDA

'Arise, awake and stop not till the goal is reached'

On 23rd July, 2025, under the guidance of escort teacher Mrs. Upma R. Sharma, two students—Akshara Soni of class X and Kavya Goyal of class IX —represented our school at Gwalior Glory High Secondary School in a non-competitive event titled **"Cadence : A Transcendental Journey - Readings from Vivekananda."**

The event saw participation from 13 reputed schools. Our students delivered thoughtful and well-prepared readings, showcasing clarity, expression, and depth of understanding of Swami Vivekananda's teachings. Their performance was appreciated. Both participants received certificates of participation, recognizing their involvement and contribution to the program. The experience was enriching and inspiring for the students, deepening their connection with the timeless wisdom of Vivekananda.



SAHODAYA INTER-SCHOOL DEBATE - THE DIALECTICA

'Debate is not about defeating opponents, but about defeating ignorance and discovering the truth through dialogue'

Delhi Public School Gwalior hosted 'The Dialectica', a prestigious Sahodaya Inter-School English Debate Competition on July 26, 2025. The theme was "The Impact of Social Media on Mental Health (A Concern for Today's Generation)". The event aimed to foster creativity and elocution among students of classes IX - XII. A team of three participants - Nishchal Bhardwaj (XI D) , Adrika Mishra (XII A) and Parthavi Gupta (XII D) represented our school under the guidance of Escort Teacher Mrs. Liz Lawrence.

Our students bagged Second position, a trophy and certificates of participation by showcasing their exceptional debating skills and intellectual brilliance. This event promised to be a veritable crucible for nurturing critical thinking, eloquent public speaking, and razor-sharp argumentation skills among students.



BUDDING AUTHOR

'Each word you write is a step from dreamer to author'

Many Garg of class X-D has published her book - **"The Magical Lamp-1"** on an online platform BriBooks. It is an app that enables budding authors to write their creative creations.

In this book, she has written about a teen named Charles who lived with his grandmother, Yelena. He lost his father in a road accident and soon after he lost his mother. Charles was surrounded by obstacles in his life but still he lived happily. He loves magic and was highly impressed by it. The story also deals with the adversities faced by teenagers. It is a fictional story.



CLASS ASSEMBLIES HELD IN APRIL-2025

Plan your time, Achieve your goals - By Class VI-A

'Time well planned is a goal half achieved'



School is a fun place to learn and grow - By Class II-A
'School is where learning meets laughter and growth begins'



World Health Day - By Class XII-A
'Health is the real wealth, Celebrate it everyday'



Sunita Williams: A journey beyond the Stars - By Class XII-D
'Sunita Williams inspires us to reach beyond the stars and never stop exploring'



Live with Truth and Non-Violence – By Class VII-B

'Truth and Non-Violence are the strongest tools for lasting peace'



Respect your Food – By Class III-B

'Respect your food, it's the gift that keeps your life'



Lessons of forgiveness and sacrifice – By Class VII-C

'Forgiveness brings peace, while sacrifice shows love and strength – both are powerful life lessons'



World Book Day - By Class VII-D

'Books open minds and build a brighter world'



Clean surroundings, Healthy living - By Class III-C

'Clean surroundings are the first step to healthy living'



Safety begins with awareness - By Class XII-C

'Safety starts with being alert - awareness protects us all'



Manage time, Master success – By Class VII-E
'Mange time wisely – it's the key to mastering success'



CLASS ASSEMBLIES HELD IN MAY-2025

International Labour's Day – By Class VII-F
'Labour is the foundation of progress and dignity'



A Mother is Daughter's Best Friend – By Class III-D
'In a mother, a daughter finds her truest friend'



CLASS ASSEMBLIES HELD IN JUNE-2025

Kindness makes a difference

- By Class VI-D

'Small acts of kindness create big differences'



Healthy Summer Habits - By Class II-C

'Healthy summer habits keep the heat away'



CLASS ASSEMBLIES HELD IN JULY-2025

World Doctor's Day - By Class X-D

'Doctors are the healing hands and caring hearts of the world'



Importance of First Aid - By Class VII-B

'First aid: the first step to save lives'



Clean Habits build a Strong Life - By Class VI-E

'Clean habits create a clear mind and strong body'



Importance of Yoga - By Class III-F

'Yoga connects body, mind, and soul'



Our Flag, Our Pride - By Class XI-F

'Our flag flies high because of our unity and pride'



Discipline is the Bridge between Goals and Success - By Class V-B

'Discipline is the path that leads to success'



Kargil Vijay Diwas - By Class II-E

'Kargil Vijay Diwas reminds us that courage and sacrifice are the highest forms of patriotism'

On July 26, 2025, Kargil Vijay Diwas was commemorated in a school assembly by students of class II E with patriotic fervor to honour the bravery and sacrifices of the Indian Armed Forces during the Kargil War. The event commenced with a prayer followed by a series of patriotic songs and a captivating victory dance performed by students, creating a vibrant atmosphere of national pride.



A minute of silence was observed to pay homage to the soldiers who laid down their lives for the nation in the Kargil War. A special speech was delivered highlighting the significance of the day and the importance of remembering the sacrifices made by the soldiers. The assembly concluded with the rendition of the National Anthem.



Protect Wildlife, Protect Tiger - By Class IX-A

'When we save the tiger, we save the forest, and when we save the forest, we save ourselves'



**PROTECT
WILDLIFE,
PROTECT
TIGER**



EXTRA CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

'Extra-curriculars: Where passion meets potential'

- Manya Shukla of class VII-E secured Bronze Medal in 18th Gwalior District Karate Championship organised in Eklavaya Khel Parishar.
- Mannat Sharma of VI-F secured 2nd position in a skating competition organised by Gwalior Division Roller Skating Sports Association.
- Anshupriya Agarwal of class X-F secured Three Gold medals under three different categories - 50 mtr free style, 100 mtr free style and 50 mtr breaststroke in the SGFI District Swimming Championship held at Scindia Fort, Gwalior.
- Devangi Das of class XI-A received a gold medal and a certificate of participation in the English Olympiad organised by the International English Olympiad 2024-25, held at CCSSS, Gwalior.
- Aradhya Sharma of class VIII-F secured first position in Dance Ka Power Competition organised by Fly Dance Academy, Gwalior. She was awarded with a trophy and participation certificate. She also received a certificate of participation in a Summer Camp-2025 organised by Badminton Academy held at MITS, Gwalior.



- Kanak of class V stood second in a Painting Competition organised by V-Mart as Little Superstar - 2025. She received a certificate of participation.
- Nitya Agrawal completed the required training in the traditional Karate Do-Development Organisation (India) and secure the Third Rank KYU Brown Junior Belt and honoured with a certificate of proficiency.



CREATIVE CORNER

'Arts speaks where words are unable to explain'

PRIMARY WING



Tarushi Verma, I-A



Hanvika Rawat, I-B



Chahak Gupta, I-C



Khyati Jain, I-D



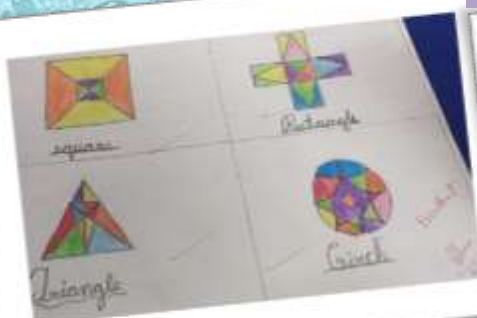
Mishty Sharma, II-D



Avika Chauhan, II-D



Aditi Sharma, II-C



Samriddhi Shivhare, III-D



Aditri Bhadoriya, II-D



Ayeza Khan, III-B



Yakshita Paliwal, IV-F



Raamya Dubey, IV-B



Raamya Dubey, IV-B



Anika Gupta, IV-E



Rohini Shrivastava, IV-D



Shivanaya Bansal, IV-F



Anvi Butani, V-B



Titiksha Shukla, V-B

MIDDLE WING



Samriddhi Chauhan, VI-A



Manya Sharma, VI-D



Mannat Gupta, VI-D



Anshi, VII-C



Aarvi Katroliya, VII-B



Akshita Kushwah, VII-C



Vanshika Sharma, VII-C



Aditi Soni, VII-D

SENIOR WING



Kumkum Vishwakarma, X-D



Aditi Verma, XII-A



Manya Devatwal, IX-B
Diksha Soni, X-E

INTER-HOUSE COMPETITIONS

'Inter-House competitions are not just about winning; they are about teamwork, discipline, and discovering the best within ourselves'

HINDI SMACHAR VAACHAN:

On July 25, 2025, the Hindi Department organized the Inter-House Hindi Samachar Vaachan Competition for the students of class IX -XII. In this competition, students of four houses represented by four groups presented the news of national, international, entertainment, sports, etc. through a beautiful powerpoint presentation. The purpose of this competition was to increase the capacity of our language and also strengthen their confidence. The judges of this competition were Mrs. Victoria Hector and Mrs. Irin Jacob. The first place was taken by the Blue house, the Second place was obtained with Green house and the Third place was secured by the Yellow house.



SANSKRIT SHLOK GAYAN COMPETITION:

An Inter-house Sanskrit Shlok Gayan Competition was held at CCSSS on July 25, 2025, showcasing students' proficiency in reciting and understanding Sanskrit verses. The competition, which included students from classes VI to VIII, aimed to promote the rich cultural heritage of Sanskrit literature and encouraged students to appreciate its significance. Participants demonstrated their knowledge and pronunciation skills while being judged on factors like fluency, expression, and understanding of the shlokas. The event was a



resounding success, with students displaying enthusiasm and a deep appreciation for Sanskrit. The judges of this competition were Mrs. Vidhi Garg and Mrs. Rachna Sharma. The program concluded with announcements of winners and a vote of thanks. The judges of this competition were Mrs. Vidhi Garg and Mrs. Rachna Sharma. Yellow house stood first, Green house secured second position and Blue house bagged Third position.



ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

The editorial team extends its sincere gratitude to everyone who contributed to the creation of this Newsletter. We are especially thankful to our honourable Principal Rev. Sr. Ramya for her guidance and support, which was invaluable in bringing this project to fruition. We also appreciate the contributions of our dear Co-ordinators Mrs. Usha Singh, Mrs. Indrani Mukherjee and Mrs. Shobha Thakur, Teachers of various departments - Computer, English, Hindi, Sanskrit, Science, Social Science, Art, Music, Dance, Sports, Eco-Club, USM, etc. who provided valuable content and feedback. A special thanks to Mr. Alex Anthony Extros for his amazing photography skills and provision of clicked pictures throughout the process. Furthermore, we acknowledge the participation of all the students who submitted their artwork and other creative pieces. Their contributions enriched the content and made this Newsletter a vibrant representative of our school community. Finally, we thank all the known and unknown hands for their unwavering support and encouragement in providing us the information and necessary resources as and when required.

Regards -
Editorial Team 🌸

- ❖ **Editorial Team:**
- Teachers In-Charge:**
- Dr. Shaloo Saxena
- Mrs. Shilpa Jain
- Mrs. Jyothi Baijoo

- ❖ **Editorial Secretaries:**
- Antraa Tarkar (IX-B)
- Bhavya Butani (IX-C)
- Sakshi Shakya (IX-D)

- ❖ **Editor:**
- Dr. Shaloo Saxena

- ❖ **Newsletter Designing:**
- Mrs. Jyothi Baijoo
- Mrs. Shilpa Jain

- ❖ **Computer Advisor:**
- Mrs. Archana Shukla