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**Annual Report – Academic Session 2024–25** 

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The academic year 2024–25 has been a remarkable period of progress, achievement, and holistic development for our institution. Guided by a vision of excellence and supported by a team of dedicated educators, the school has continued to create an environment where students are encouraged to excel academically, participate actively in cultural and sporting arenas, and develop strong values and life skills. This report presents a detailed account of the significant accomplishments and activities undertaken during the year.

## **Leadership Achievements**

Our Principal, Dr. Shreya Thanvi, has set a benchmark in educational leadership through her professional accomplishments and contributions to teacher training. She is a Certified CBSE Resource Person and a Master Trainer for the School Health and Wellness Program, a joint initiative of NCERT and UNESCO under the Ministry of Human Resource Development. Over the course of the year, she has conducted impactful training sessions at reputed institutions including Cambridge Convent School in Sardarshahar, Bikaner Boys School, Career Point School in Jodhpur, and Maharani Kishori Devi School in Bikaner. Dr. Thanvi also represented the school at the 30th CBSE National Conference held in Kolkata, which focused on significant academic developments and strategies for the future. She further enhanced her expertise by completing the Training of Trainers program at Mayur School, Ajmer, conducted by ISMT and CBSE.

## **Faculty Achievements and Professional Development**

Our teaching faculty has been equally committed to professional growth and excellence. Mrs. Varsha Ojha successfully completed the Training of Trainers program in Jodhpur, organized by ISMT and CBSE. Mrs. Rimpal Bhardwaj was honoured for her outstanding contributions to Basketball, Archery, and the Bharat Scouts & Guides movement, while Ms. Annapurna Panchariya was bestowed with the prestigious Nation Builder Award 2024 by the Rotary Club, Bikaner Midtown, for her exemplary dedication to the holistic development of students.

Throughout the year, teachers participated in a wide range of professional development workshops covering areas such as Digital Literacy, NEP 2020 implementation, Cyber Security, Classroom Management, Time Management, and innovative teaching methodologies. Students too benefited from enrichment sessions, including a Cyber Security awareness workshop by Inspector of Police Mr. Govind Vyas, an Adolescent Health and Wellness session by Dr. Shefali Dadhich, and an age-appropriate awareness program on "Good Touch and Bad Touch."

#### **Academic Excellence**

Academics remained the cornerstone of our school's activities. Students from Classes I to IX took part in Olympiads in Science, Mathematics, English, General Knowledge, Hindi, Computer, and Social Science, achieving commendable success at both regional and national levels. On 14th November 2024, the school hosted a dedicated STEM Day to inspire innovation, problem-solving, and critical thinking skills among students.

Literary and cultural events were organized throughout the year to foster creativity and communication skills. Students enthusiastically participated in poetry recitation in both English and Hindi, debates, declamation contests, story writing, essay competitions, Hindi elocution, and general knowledge quizzes. These activities not only enriched their learning experience but also enhanced their confidence and stage presence.

## **Sports Achievements**

The domain of sports continued to bring laurels to the institution. At the district level, Toshiha Joshi secured the third position in the Under-14 Chess Championship. The school also proudly hosted the 65th District-Level Archery Tournament, which saw participation from over forty-five schools. At the state level, both Toshiha Joshi in Chess and Somya in Basketball represented the school with distinction. In addition to external tournaments, the school organized a series of inter-house sports competitions in Basketball, Kho-Kho, Kabbadi, Dodgeball, and Cricket, which fostered team spirit, sportsmanship, and discipline.

# **Cultural and Extracurricular Achievements**

This year's cultural achievements were equally commendable. Our students secured third place in the District-Level Bharat Ko Jano Quiz Competition. At the CBSE Regional Science Exhibition, participants showcased innovative models focusing on waste management and resource conservation, earning praise for their creativity and relevance. In the Bharat Vikas Parishad Singing Competition, the school team won first place at the district level and represented the district at the state level in Hanumangarh. Students also brought honour by earning the prestigious Rajasthan Rajya Bharat Scout & Guide certifications.

## **Celebrations and Special Events**

The school celebrated a range of national, religious, and global events with enthusiasm and respect. National festivals such as Independence Day, Republic Day, and Kargil Vijay Diwas were marked by patriotic songs, dances, and speeches. Religious festivals, including Akshaya Tritiya, Diwali, Ganesh Chaturthi, Janmashtami, Raksha Bandhan, and Guru Nanak Jayanti, were celebrated with due reverence. The school also observed significant global events such as International Women's Day, Hindi Divas, Yoga Day, World Peace Day, Earth Day, Road Safety Day, and Girl Child Day. A special highlight of the year was the Investiture Ceremony, where the elected student council was formally inducted, instilling leadership qualities and a sense of responsibility.

#### Assemblies and Environmental Education

Daily morning assemblies remained an integral part of the school routine, with each class presenting thought-provoking sessions on themes ranging from national importance to moral values. Assemblies served as a platform for students to build confidence, develop public speaking skills, and reflect on ethical principles.

Environmental education was embedded into the curriculum and reinforced during assemblies. The school took significant steps towards environmental sustainability by implementing rainwater harvesting, promoting waste segregation and recycling, using energy-efficient electrical equipment, conducting extensive plantation drives, and making optimal use of solar energy on campus.

## **Clubs and House Activities**

A vibrant club culture provided students with ample opportunities to pursue their interests. Active clubs included Dance, Music, Calligraphy, Aerobics, Public Speaking, Theatre, Usta Art, Chess, Embroidery, and Coding. The house system—comprising Legends, Supreme, Maestros, and Rockers—encouraged healthy competition and camaraderie. Inter-house contests were held in poetry recitation, dance, group singing, poster-making, fancy dress, calligraphy, show and tell, bulletin board decoration, and rangoli, ensuring a rich and varied co-curricular experience.

#### **Educational Tour**

To broaden horizons and provide experiential learning, students of Classes VI to IX embarked on a three-day educational excursion to New Delhi. The itinerary included visits to the Red Fort, Qutub Minar, Akshardham Temple, and the Parliament House, where students had the rare opportunity to observe live proceedings of the Lok Sabha and Rajya Sabha. The tour was both educational and inspiring, leaving students with a deeper understanding of the nation's history and governance.

## **Health and Hygiene Initiatives**

The health and well-being of our students remained a priority. The school organized biannual health check-ups to ensure timely medical attention and guidance. An eye check-up camp was also conducted in association with the Rotary Club, reinforcing our commitment to students' physical well-being.

#### Conclusion

The academic session 2024–25 has been a vibrant blend of academic achievement, co-curricular enrichment, sporting triumphs, and value-based education. The dedication of the faculty, the enthusiasm of the students, and the unwavering support of the school management have together ensured another year of all-round excellence. We move forward into the next session with renewed commitment to nurturing young minds, fostering innovation, and shaping responsible citizens of tomorrow.