



# SANSKRITI

A Newsletter from **N. L. Dalmia High School**

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## SHLOK OF THE MONTH

विदेशेषु धनं विद्या व्यसनेषु धनं मतिः ।  
परलोके धनं धर्मः शीलं सर्वत्र वै धनम् ॥

Knowledge is wealth in a foreign Land. Intelligence is wealth in tough times. Righteousness is wealth in other world. Verily, good character is wealth every where and at all the times!

## SCHOOL SURVEY

Festivals have lost their charm and essence in the commercial world of today

Agree	69.96 %
Disagree	30.04 %

## THOUGHT FOR THE MONTH

"Acknowledging the good that you already have in your life is the foundation for all abundance"

- Eckhart Tolle

## BIRTHDAY GREETINGS !

### SEPTEMBER

Shruti Mishra	01st September
Seema Sayed	03rd September
Krishna Yadav	04th September
Anaya Siddique	05th September
Joyce Thominic	06th September
Shridhar Durgawale	10th September
Vinayak Pashte	10th September
Binita Chaudhary	12th September
Varsha Gupta	12th September
Tanveer Shaikh	13th September
Jalpa Boricha	14th September
Valsa Nair	19th September
Krupa Mamania	21st September
Jerome Almeida	23rd September
Deepak Khandagale	23rd September
Payal Saini	24th September
Deepa Raina	28th September
Tazyeen Peerkhan	29th September

## FROM THE PRINCIPAL'S DESK...

"Values are like fingerprints. Nobody's are the same, but you leave them all over everything you do."

- Elvis Presley

Dear Students,

The world beyond our gates is a vast, unpredictable landscape, replete with both opportunities and challenges. In such an environment, it is all too easy to lose oneself, to be swayed by the tides of change. Yet, it is precisely in these moments that the values you have cultivated here will anchor you.

As you step into new realms - be it higher education, professional endeavours, or other life pursuits - remember that the values you carry are your greatest allies. They are not bound to the physical space of this school but are an intrinsic part of who you are. Wherever you go, let them guide your actions, inform your choices, and illuminate your path.

In every new environment, you will find yourself in a position to influence and inspire others. Let your adherence to these values be a beacon of light, a source of inspiration for those around you. Whether in moments of triumph or trials, let your commitment to integrity and kindness define your legacy.

As you venture into the broader world, these values will serve as your moral compass, guiding you through the vicissitudes of life. They will inform your decisions, shape your relationships, and define the very essence of who you are. No matter where your journey takes you, let these values remain deeply rooted within you, an unshakeable foundation in a world that is ever-changing.

Remain steadfast, remain grounded, and carry the torch of your values wherever life may lead you. They are your greatest strength, your guiding star, and the legacy you will leave behind.

**Dr. Seema Saini**  
CEO and Principal

**SECONDARY SECTION**

**Grade VIII - Dramatisation - Marathi**

A Marathi Activity based on the lesson 'आपण सारे एक' was conducted for Grade VIII. A drama was presented by the students which enabled them to be united and coordinate to work as a team. Indulging into the story enabled the children to perfectly resemble the character and give their best.



**MSR - Agni House**

The tree plantation drive was a resounding success, showcasing the collective effort and dedication of our school community. The initiative aimed at not only expanding the green cover of Shanti Garden's roads but also fostering a sense of environmental stewardship among participants. The successful planting of saplings along Shanti Garden's roads marked a significant step toward enhancing our environment and fostering a culture of sustainability.



**Grade VI - Alumni Connect**

Akshat Srivastav, alumni 2015 batch, spoke about technical concepts related to filmmaking and briefed the students about his interest in making the film, which gave him great exposure to it as his profession. This guest lecture helped the students to share their thoughts and clarified their doubts about the film making.



**MUN**

The 4th Session of NLDHS MUN was centred around the South China Sea Dispute, a complex issue involving trade, territorial claims, maritime rights and geopolitics. The session was pivotal in providing students a view of regional issues which might take the shape of a global conflict in the near future. It also gave an insight into compromising for the greater good along with analysis, problem solving and enhancing oratory skills.





## PRIMARY SECTION

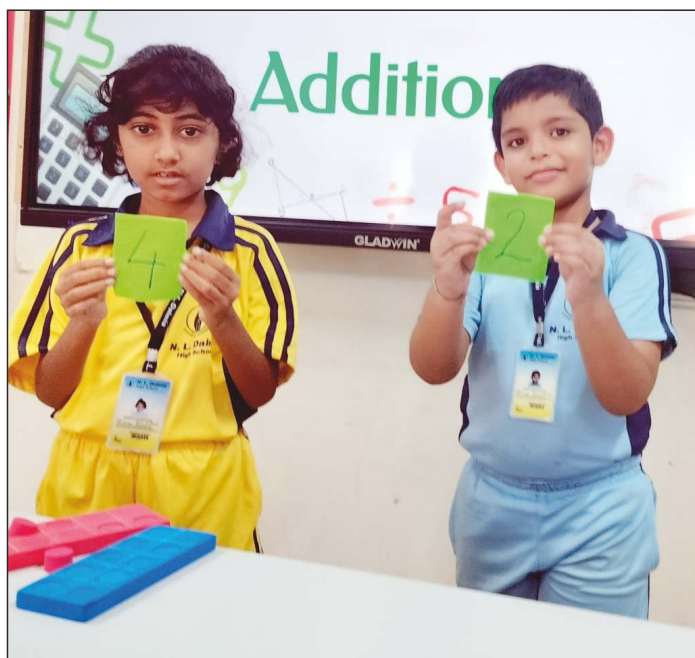
### Grade I - Be a Poet

The event aimed at encouraging creativity, self-expression, and confidence in our young learners. The competition was a huge success, with all participants showcasing their talents and enthusiasm for poetry. Poems covered a range of themes, including friendship, nature, family, and imagination.



### Grade I - Convivial Learning

Convivial learning successfully created an engaging and interactive environment, promoting academic and social growth. By incorporating games and activities, students developed essential skills while having fun, making learning an enjoyable experience.



### Grade I & II - Sharing is Caring - EVS

EVS MSR activity 'Sharing is Caring' was conducted for the students of Grade I and II in which each child brought a packet of biscuit from home to contribute to the donation drive. School donated the biscuit packets to 'AMCHA GHAR', a local orphanage. The orphanage expressed their gratitude for the kind gesture and promised to use the donation to bring smiles to the children's faces.



### Grade III - Social Studies Quiz

The 'Social Studies Quiz Competition' was organised for the students with great zeal. 'Social Studies Quiz' covered various aspects like different states and famous monuments. All the contestants participated vigorously. The students showcased their brilliance by rapidly answering the questions.



**PRIMARY SECTION**

**Grade III - Science Quiz**

To evaluate the knowledge and skills of the students in Science, 'Science Quiz Competition' was conducted. The students participated fervently, showcasing their understanding of scientific concepts and principles. The competition was a success, highlighting the students' curiosity and enthusiasm for Science, while also encouraging them to develop their critical thinking and problem-solving skills.



**Grade III - Indian Famous Leaders**

To mark an important day in Indian history, students came to school dressed up as their favourite Indian leaders and renowned personalities. This unique activity was designed to encourage students to learn about the lives and achievements of these influential figures. The objective of this activity was to enable students to develop their knowledge and understanding of Indian leaders.



**Grade III - Respiratory System Activity - Science**

The study of Science involves exploring our own selves and everything around us. As a part of inculcating knowledge about 'The Human Body', students came up with beautiful working models. Students made the models effortlessly with simple things like balloons, paper straws, cut-outs of lungs, nose etc. This activity enabled students to understand the functioning of our lungs and the concept of inhalation and exhalation.



**Grade IV - Paper Presentation on Metropolitan Cities**

The activity aimed at providing students with an opportunity to research and present their work on significant monuments and mega cities of India, promoting cultural awareness. They researched the history, architecture, and cultural significance of these cities. Students gained cultural awareness, developed critical thinking skills and realised their responsibility to preserve cultural heritage.





**PRIMARY SECTION**

**Grade IV - English Quiz**

Recognizing the importance of language skills, an 'English Quiz' was conducted for the students to foster their vocabulary, explore different authors and poets, and appreciate their work. The quiz aimed at helping students develop their reading skills and enhance their critical thinking. The English Quiz was an excellent way to engage students in a fun and interactive learning experience.



**Grade IV - Student Council Election (RIDS)**

The Student Council Election was held for the students of the Primary Section with great zeal and enthusiasm. The objective of appointing the Students' Council is to provide a platform to the students to develop leadership qualities and give hands-on experience. The Council Election represents a significant milestone in promoting student leadership and civic engagement within the educational landscape.



**Grade V - The Junior Master Chef**

The Junior MasterChef Finals featured a thrilling activity where students prepared traditional dishes from around the world, including Mexican, Australian, Italian, Japanese, Indian and Greek cuisine. The participants demonstrated exceptional culinary skills, creativity, and cultural awareness. The objective was to provide students with culinary experience, skills and appreciation for diverse cultures.



**Grade V - Culmination - Investiture Ceremony (RIDS)**

Students collaborated and worked hard to research and learn about the leaders, their countries, and their cultures and designed posters to make them look colourful and interesting. The objective of conducting an Oath-Taking Ceremony is to promote a sense of commitment, loyalty, trust, accountability and a sense of stability and continuity.





## PRE-PRIMARY SECTION

### Creative Day

One of the important types of creative activity for young children is creative play, which is enhanced when children use familiar materials in an unusual way and engage in imaginative activity by using their motor skills. Learners were introduced to shadow making through animal toys and wheat flour. They experimented with size and shapes as they moved the toys to create shadows around.



### Recitation Event

Recitation event was conducted in all the sections of preschool with different themes such as Sr. Kg. had Seasons, Jr. Kg. had Transport while Nursery recited on Fruits and Vegetables. Learners dressed up beautifully as the character of their poem. The main purpose behind conducting such events is to build self-confidence, develop oratory skills and self-expression.



### Teddy's Birthday Celebration

Learners of Nursery and SunFlower celebrated Teddy Bears Birthday Party. Students carried their favorite teddy to school and learnt to share their toys amongst their friends. It also gave an opportunity to teach children party manners through a play day at school. Learners enjoyed cutting the cake and sharing their party snacks.



### Motor Skill Activity

Gross motor skills are the movements we make with large muscles, like those in our legs, arms and our bodies. Motor skills are the different ways in which the body uses muscles to perform specific tasks. Our little learners of Sun Flower had a learning experience by kicking the balloons in the air and thus using their gross motor skills.





## SCHOOL UPDATES

### ● Independence Day

The 78th Independence Day of India was celebrated with enthusiasm at N. L. Dalmia Educational Society (NLDES). The event commenced with a Guard of Honour presented by the school's council members, followed by the flag hoisting ceremony. Dr. Seema Saini delivered an inspiring speech, emphasizing the significance of independence and the responsibilities it entails. The students of NLDHS performed a heartfelt rendition, followed by a medley of patriotic songs presented by the N. L. Dalmia College of Arts, Commerce and Science. Sarthak Shirke, the student of N. L. Dalmia Institute of Management Studies and Research added to the patriotic fervour. Their performance was both spirited and moving, resonating with the audience's patriotic sentiments. The event concluded with a vote of thanks by Ms. Srishti Shukla, ISC Captain. The celebration was a memorable event, instilling pride and responsibility towards the nation in all participants.



### ● NLDHS Staff Picnic

N. L. Dalmia High School staff enjoyed a refreshing and fun-filled picnic at Monteria Village, Karjat. This annual event provided a much-needed break from our busy schedules, allowing team members to relax and bond in a serene setting. The day was marked by various recreational activities and informal interactions, which fostered a sense of camaraderie among the staff.



- **Mohammed Danish Ansari**, Grade II has scored Rank 2 in National Championship 2023 - 2024 for GSL National Level Category 1. Grade A+ in National Championship 2023 - 2024 for MSL National Level Category 1. He has scored Rank 1 in National Championship 2023-2024 for GK National Level Category 1 - Masterminds.



### ● CISCE Regional Karate Championship 2024

The CISCE Regional Karate Championship 2024, held at NLDHS for the 4th consecutive year, was a remarkable event that highlighted the extraordinary talent and sportsmanship of young karatekas from various CISCE schools. This year's championship brought together competitors from across Zones 1 & 2, demonstrating both skill and dedication in the martial art. The CISCE Maharashtra Girls and Boys Teams for the national level were announced, setting the stage for their representation at a higher level of competition.



### ● Ajit Nayak Memorial Cricket Tournament 2024

Our school's cricket team showcased exceptional talent and sportsmanship in various tournaments. Among the standout performers was Anunay Tripathi from Grade IX, who made a significant impact by scoring an impressive 60 runs for his team. Anunay's outstanding performance not only contributed to the success of our team but also highlighted his skill and dedication to the sport. His innings exemplified the spirit of determination and excellence that defines our school's sportsmanship.



## SCHOOL UPDATES

- 14-year-old **Vansham Vora** making debut for A.T. Sports versus Income tax at MCA corporate trophy.



- Devansh Pradhan**, Grade III won merit championship trophy in 9th state level Mumbai UCMAS listening and flashing competition held at Raymond community hall Thane. He won gold medal in 7th Kalyan trophy speed skating championships under 9 held at regency Kalyan.

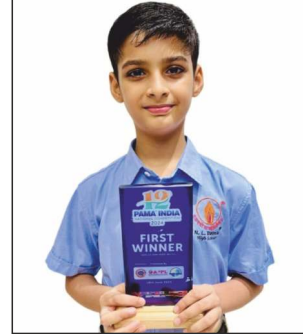


- Gianna Shetty** won Kalyan Trophy Speed Roller Skating Championship 2024 organised by Regency - Sports Care Foundation, Skating Association of Kalyan Taluka.



- Melange Total 5 Ms. Charisma (Personality Contest)** : Vedi Nagar impressed one and all with her Charisma and grace in the personality contest and secured 1st position.

- Viaan Shah**, Grade IV was declared as Winner in 12th Pama India National Abacus Competition held at Pune. He participated in 4th level.



- Aayan Bachhawat** has scored Rank 5 in National Championship 2023-2024 for PSL-Math Sr Kg National Level. He has scored Grade A+ in National Championship 2023-2024 for PSL-GK Sr Kg National Level. He has scored Grade A+ in National Championship 2023-2024 for PSL-English Sr Kg National Level.

- Incubation - Creative Writing at Confluence**, Singapore International School  
Best team and Best Synergy Award  
Teertha Nair - Grade X and Aaliya Kazi Grade IX



- Oratorical Silver Jubilee Competition 2024**, by Bunts Sangha's S.M. Shetty High School & Jr. College Ananya Chauhan of Grade X and Ms. Leena Kadam, the ISC English teacher, represented our school at the competition. Ananya Chauhan won a trophy and a cheque worth ₹15,000. Both the teacher and the student earned valuable points, leading N. L. Dalmia High School to bring home the prestigious Rolling Trophy for ORATOR 2024!

