

ISA UPDATES 2019-20

- **Global Citizenship Education (GCED) programme**

Bal Bharati Public School, Pitampura has enrolled for the **Global Citizenship Education (GCED) programme** initiated by Global Citizenship Foundation. The programme involves students' active participation in projects that address global issues of a social, political, economic or environmental nature. The initial 3-day workshop was attended by Ms. Amandeep Kaur and Ms. Monica Keswani at Ahlcon International School from 11th to 13th July 2019. All the members of the GCED team will now attend a workshop at our school to frame the Action Plan for the international activities to be conducted in classes V to XI.

- **BRIDGE SCHOOL PARTNERSHIP PROGRAMME**

Ms. Sonia Chhabra, Vice Principal, was invited by **Australian High Commission** to give a presentation on "Bridge School Partnership Programme" sharing her experiences with our partner school Dapto High, Australia. She shared with the newly selected BRIDGE educators how this is an excellent platform to build relations through intercultural dialogue and growing engagement. She was applauded for the various innovative practices that she has introduced at Dapto High, especially 'Street Theatre'.

- **SAFETY DRIVE**

Safety of our children is the utmost priority both in and out of the school . Keeping this in mind a **Safety Drive** was conducted in the department to ensure the safety and security of the children .Children of PS and PP were taken out for a safety walk to make them aware to stay away from hazardous objects like electric points and units , sharp objects , etc . A small video regarding the same was also shown on the plasma highlighting the precautions to be taken while handling sharp objects and electric points .A road safety day was observed in Class 1 and Class 2 . Children were shown placards of important traffic signals and were explained about their importance . Following the traffic rules will create a safe environment.

- **WORLD LITERACY DAY**

World Literacy Day was celebrated in the school on 12th and 17th September, 2019 in classes I and II. Children were sensitized to help and identify and teach those children at home, those who cannot read and write. They donated various study materials for the kids of a NGO such as crayons, stationary material, notebooks, colouring books, story books etc. To mark literacy week, DEAR time (Drop Everything and Read) was included in the timetable. A time was allotted for the kids to focus on reading their story books. Also, students were asked to volunteer in the '**Each One Teach One**' campaign and teach one child in need. The students went to each section of class II and told the importance of Literacy. Students came dressed up as books, pencils which captivated attention of other students. After the Literacy campaign students were given worksheet related to Literacy day and they were also given badges which were coloured by the students and it was stapled on the pockets so that when they go home they could discuss the Literacy campaign of "Each One Teach One" with their parents. the Literacy day elicited good response.

- **WORLD PEACE DAY**

Gandhi Jayanti / World Peace Day activity was organized on 1st October, 2019 for the Pre-Primary children. The children were briefed about Gandhiji and his ideals of peace and non-violence. The children made an outline image of Gandhiji by joining dots and added colours to it. The importance of World Peace day was discussed among children. They were encouraged to show kindness and help each other which can bring peace and harmony. They also made doves using paper plates. A few students came dressed up as Peace messengers from different countries like Mahatma Gandhi, Mother Teresa, Dalai Lama, Martin Luther King etc. and they also spoke about their preachings of non-violence and truth. The choir group sang the bhajans of Gandhiji. After the assembly a 'Havan' was organized to pray for the peace and well-being of mankind. This was followed by a worksheet session in the class. The students later pledged not to fight, love and respect everyone.

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