

Annual School Report

It's my great pleasure to present the school report of **SHANTINIKETAN INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL, AMRAVATI** and I very proudly announce that as a school we have made our place across the city.

As Swami Vivekananda rightly said –

Arise, awake and not stop till the goal is achieved.

We started our journey with the same ideology in the year 2017 and through the journey of 9 years, We at **SNIS** strive hard to live our motto as **inspiring success in every child**. A prime interest lies in grooming the students to achieve excellence in the competitive world, assessments are conducted periodically and also students are explored to various competitive exams to cover all the aspects of students development. In our endeavour to provide them with holistic education, continuously in our assessment, this broad based learning includes behavioural outcome as well.

Under the guidance of Hon'ble **Director Dr. Amol Bhoyar Sir, Myself and my teachers**, students have gained their best.

I'm sure that most of the parents are clear about the assessment process as per New Education Policy and are involved in the program with understanding. The whole concept of my primary segment revolves around the 5 major segments of learning like **Knowledge, Concept, Skill, Attitude & Action**. In this process of learning my children have gained, have become the learners, have gained all the learners profile and have built the positive attitude which is enough to make them global citizens.

SNIS believes that learning happens through exploring, and experimenting and engaging once in. That is the reason instead of teaching, learning appearances create in the class and in school, so that the child gets curious, and explores, and experiments.

If we talk about educational field visits: Our Students of Std. I to III visited Oxygen Park as well as to Morshi garden that helped them explore & admire the nature. Pre-primary classes were taken to Bamboo Garden for a nature walk. Std. VI to VIII were taken to **MGIRI** Wardha where they were able to explore Bapukuti @ Sewagram, Rajmalai chocolate factory & Borkut making factory @ dahegaon. Std. IV & V visited Raymond factory for the insightful journey into the world of textile. Then the students of Std. VIII visited to Pohara Forest where they learnt about eco system, biodiversity and importance of conservation. Our teachers have planned for them very well in advance so that the child can get the first sight information and experience.

Children also visited relevant areas so as to gain more information and get direct exposure from the field trip. Students are quite capable of expressing what they see & what they want to.

A mini marathon was also organised for all the students on the occasion of National Sports day to promote fitness and sportsmanship.

Regarding Workshops: Workshops on some important concepts like Financial literacy, Cyber Security were organised for the students of Std. VI to VIII to Acquaint them with the on going issues in today's society.

We also conducted **PTM** every month in which parents can see their wards progress and can give us the necessary feedback. Thank you once again all the parents for your valuable and constructive feedback. We have moved ahead taking all your feedback in our day to day account.

We have a headed technology as all our classrooms are techfriendly having ICR boards. And all our teachers have trained well to use these boards.

Academics being a prime interest for us we ensure that our students are being provided with the best facilities to equip them for the successful life in the years ahead.

Consequently we are offering mentoring; we have successfully conducted the Olympiad exams for our students thereby in every subject to explore beyond the classrooms and the textbooks. Through this their capacity to face the challenging questions was determined. I feel very proud to announce that 73 students in NSO, 159 students in IMO and 71 students in IEO have passed with flying colours and bagged 14 Gold medals in NSO, 21 Gold medals in IMO and 12 Gold medals in IEO respectively and some of our students also appeared for the second level examination.

Mst. Prerak Bodakhe from Std. V bagged Gold medals in all the 3 exams. Mst. Aarav Thakare from Std. V, Mst. Siddant Damodar from Std. V, Mst. Aaradhya Damodar from Std. VI, Mst. Mahesh Ambekar, Mst. Shring Deshmukh from Std. I, Mst. Dhairya Nawandar from Std. III bagged Gold medals in NSO and IEO exams respectively.

We have also organised for the Eye check-up of all our students and in the forthcoming session we will be tying up with one of the reputed medical institutions for regular medical check-up of our children. Also, a health check-up was organised for both parents and teachers.

Not, just academics, but hobbies and sports are also our major concern. Expression in the form of music; dance and playing instruments are mode to peace. As a part of the hobby program to be taken in the school we showcase the various categories creative activities to enable the students to excel their previous standard; competitions are held from time to time. Students at SNIS are encouraged towards vocal music were students appeared for the vocal music Interschool patriotic singing competition organized by Lokmat Campus club, wherein, our children put their benchmark and showed their hidden talent and grabbed 1st position in group B and a consolation in group A.

Also, in the Interschool musical competition **Jallosh Lok kalecha** organised by **Bal rangbhumi parishad, Mumbai** wherein our students stood 2nd in Group song competition and 3rd position in Solo Dholak performance and 4th position in Solo singing. They are also encouraged to play keyboard, Tabla, Harmonium, Guitar and we have also formed our best Band troop.

In Sports Ms. Ravya Sontakke from Std. IV bagged Bronze medal in 17th Mini State Fencing Championship @ Sambhaji Nagar. She also stood 13th @ All India level in 7th Child cup & 13th Mini National Fencing Championship. Next Ms. Kanika Shirao bagged Gold medal in 51st Junior State Level Aquatic Championship. And recently, Mst. Kartikesh Sharma, Mst. Vaishnav Bhendkar, Mst. Siddhant Damodar, Mst. Aaditya Barde, Mst. Raghav Rathi and Mst. Parth Umale Bagged 1st Championship @ State level Minigolf competition under 14 boys team. In mix doubles under 17 Ms. Ekta Adak & Mst. Nayan Deshmukh bagged Bronze medal each.

Recently we celebrated our **Annual Sports Week** in which our students enthusiastically participated & represented the yoga drill, flower drill, balloon drill, wands drill, Flag drill, pompom drill, lazim drill, dumbbell drill and various types of races, team games like kho-kho, cricket, langadi, kabaddi, which mesmerised the present parents. Not only this, we have also introduced games such as Rope & pole Mallkhamb, Chess, Carom, basketball, minigolf, skating, fencing & athletics and ofcourse in the forthcoming session will be focusing on Table-tennis and Archery as well.

We believe in making students with all round development, yoga & meditation have taken a new rule in today's society and it is being valued for its neuropathic nature, the realisation therapy introduced to our

students through yoga, sharpens their mental capacity by allowing them to balance their emotions and attain self-control.

As, it is said children must not always being taught through books only, instead they should be given freedom and opportunity to venture freely in nature –look at the mountains, stars, trees, flowers and the earth & only then, they will begin to think and will be able to think, is the mark of real education. We at SNIS firmly believe in nurturing the values to inculcate the value of sharing & caring in our children.

Professional development plays an important role in SNIS, our faculty members are made to keep awareness with the latest education. To enrich their skills and enhance their success we provide them with our well trained teachers. Our teachers attended workshops on psychological development of children, Designing effective and interactive classroom environment, Fostering life skill and multiple intelligence, Prioritising mental health and overall well being of students. Also, on Breaking traditional barrier Experiential learning for holistic development of students.

It's the time to extend a special wish for my children to be wise in choosing the right path, enjoy your school years, learn all there is to learn, absorb all the values which your parents and your teachers want you to carry forward.

I thank all the parents for extending their warm support to us, to make this academic session a memorable one. I have always believed that every child is special with unique talent.

As rightly said, your children are not your children, they are sons and daughters of lives longing for itself, they come through you, yet they belong not to you. You may give them your love but not you're thought, you may house their bodies but not their sole.

So let's give them the sky to fly and reach for the stars.

Regards,

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