#### ANNUAL REPORT

Honourable members of School Management Committee, respected Members of Parents Teachers Association, Media friends, special invitees, parents, colleagues and dear children.

It is my proud privilege to present the Annual Report of the activities and achievements of the academic year 2021-22. It is rightly said 'True education is that which proves useful in life and makes you industrious.' Our school has been striving hard since its inception to achieve excellence in each and every endeavour through sincere efforts and mindful execution of different tasks and by providing right environment to the students for their all-round development. From a humble beginning in the year 1993, our school now enjoys the reputation as one of the best schools in Palwal District. The school has a clean and green campus with an excellent educational ambience and latest infrastructural facilities for all the students.

#### VISION

Where there is no vision, there is no hope. Our vision at GPPS is to help students grow up tobe successful and socially responsible citizens of a fast paced and ever-changing world by imparting a mix of traditional and modern values inculcating a positive outlook, respect for life and nature, scientific temperament and societal harmony.

#### MISSION

At GPPS, our mission is to recognise, nurture and integrate the inherent talent of each student with best practices of quality education, making our students techno-savvy and culturally secure, thereby motivating them to constantly strive for excellence.

#### PHILOSOPHY

Aristotle rightly said, 'Educating the mind without educating the heart is no education at all.' We, at GPPS believe in inculcating values like empathy, compassion, respect for diversity and human dignity, respect for law of the land etc. in our students through value-based education.

#### **STAFF POSITION**

The school has a galaxy of highly qualified and well-trained teaching staff, one Yoga cum NCC Instructor, two Sports teachers and one part time Taekwondo Coach.

#### TEACHERS' TRAININGS

Our teachers regularly attend online Capacity Building Programs organised by CBSE and other agencies. This year, they attended Capacity Building Programs on different topics organised by CBSE and trained other teachers in the school. In-house trainings are organized from time to time to update them with latest changes in the field of education.

#### ART INTEGRATED LEARNING

As per the CBSE guidelines, the school has started Art integrated learning for all its students starting from Class I to XII. Learning through art enriches the experience of studying as well as it prepares students for life after school. Art integration helps in developing problem solving skills, motor skills, language skills, social skills, etc.

#### **IN-SERVICE TEACHER TRAINING**

In-service Teacher Training is a continuous process and practice in GPPS which promotes teachers' teaching skills and helps them master their subjects to make teaching more effective and interesting. In-service Teacher Training, in fact, is a key factor in educational excellence.Our school always encourages in-service training for teachers as it is an integral part of the working of school, as a result of it, its alumni are shining in their chosen fields.

#### PTA ACTIVITIES

Parent Teacher Meeting was held on the last working day of every month. In these meetings, progress of the child in Academic, Co-curricular activities, Sports, etc. was discussed with the parents.

#### INFRASTRUCTURE DEVELOPMENT

The school has very good Infrastructure - two Computer labs in Senior Wing housing 37 Computers and one Computer Lab in Junior Wing having 18 computers. All classrooms (primary & secondary) are smart classes for promoting ICT in teaching learning practice, five laboratories (Physics, Chemistry, Mathematics, Biology and Junior Science Lab), provision of safe drinking water, two gen-sets to provide uninterrupted power supply, solar panels in both wings, two Basketball courts, one Table Tennis table, Kho-Kho, Volleyball courts and 200 metre track for athletics, etc.

#### **OTHER INITIATIVES**

The school has functional rain water harvesting plants in both the wings & Vermi Compost Plant for conservation of rain water & production of Compost manure. Like every year fire safety drill was held on the school campus to teach and train the teachers on how to handle fire safety equipment thereby ensuring safety of the students as well as staff and other employees of the school.

## **CO-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES**

Our school gives due importance to CBSE calendar activities and conducts CBSE Expression series activities for the students and gets due appreciation for the same time and again. Under Co-Curricular activities many inter-house competitions like Singing, Dancing, Painting, Quiz, Poster Making, etc. were conducted during the session to ensure all-round

development of students. Some of them are as follows:

## BAL BHAWAN SUMMER CAMP-2021

Online Summer Camp was organised by Bal Bhawan, Palwal between 17 May to 4 June 2021 with a lot of activities to channelize students' time and energy in a fruitful manner. All the activities centred on the ideas of spreading positivity, creating awareness to stay safe, developing an attitude of gratitude for the corona warriors and generating a sense of empathy towards fellow beings. Students participated in various activities with great excitement and enthusiasm and as always brought laurels to school and to themselves by securing positions at the State level.

## INTERNATIONAL YOGA DAY

21 June is celebrated as International Day of Yoga every year to celebrate the ancient Indian art of healthy living. The theme of this year's International Day of Yoga was 'Yoga for well –being'. Under the able guidance of Yoga Guru, Mr. Naveen, online yoga sessions were conducted for students, staff and parents for a week in order to motivate them to make yoga a part of their daily life and reap its numerous benefits.

## WORLD POPULATION DAY - 11 JULY 2021

World Population Day is observed every year on 11 July. The main purpose of observing this day is to bring awareness about the rising global population issues. The theme of World Population Day 2021 was 'the impact of COVID-19 pandemic on fertility'. Students of classes VI – XII designed posters to spread awareness about one of these major global problems.

## WORLD NATURE CONSERVATION DAY – 27 JULY 2021

27 July is celebrated as World Nature Conservation Day every year to create awareness about the need to preserve the environment and natural resources in order to keep the world healthy. The theme of this year's World Nature Conservation Day was "Forests and Livelihoods: Sustaining People and Planet". To celebrate the day, Poster Making activity was organised for students of Class VI - X to spread the message 'a healthy environment is the foundation for a stable and healthy society'.

## INDEPENDENCE CELEBRATION WEEK - 9 AUG 2021 TO 15 AUG 2021

India's Independence Day reminds us of the sacrifice made by our freedom fighters to secure the country's future. The theme of the 75<sup>th</sup> Independence Day this year was 'Nation First, Always First'. Patriotic Week was celebrated from 9 August to 15 August 2021 and a lot of patriotic activities were organised for students of Class VI - XII. The students participated enthusiastically in different activities.

#### INTERNATIONAL LITERACY DAY - 8 SEP 2021

International Literacy Day is celebrated every year around the world to remind people about the importance of literacy as a matter of dignity and human rights, and to promote the literacy plan for proper social and individual human development and a sustainable society. The theme of International Literacy Day 2021 was 'Literacy for a human-centered recovery: Narrowing the digital divide.' A number of interesting activities like Designing a Bookmark, Jingle/Slogan Writing on the topic 'Literacy' were organised for the students of classes VI – XII.

## INTERNATIONAL DAY FOR THE ELDERLY – 1 OCTOBER 2021

International Day for the Elderly is observed on 1 October each year to spread awareness about the importance of senior citizens in our society and to appreciate their contributions. The theme of International Day for the Elderly, 2021 was 'Digital Equity for all Ages'. A number of activities such as Poem recitation, Speech, Paragraph writing were organized to make students aware about the significant position our elders hold in the society.

#### GANDHI JAYANTI – 2 OCTOBER 2021

Gandhi Jayanti is celebrated on 2 October every year to mark the birth anniversary of Mahatma Gandhi, Father of Nation, a leader of the Indian Independence Movement and pioneer of the philosophy and strategy of non-violence. A number of activities such as Poster and Sketch Making, Slogan Writing and Article Writing were organized for the students of class VI - XII. Students participated enthusiastically brimming with creative ideas and suggestions for spreading awareness about the noble thoughts of non-violence and peace.

#### WORLD ANIMAL WELFARE DAY - 4 OCTOBER 2021

World Animal Welfare Day is an International day of action for animal rights and their welfare. It is celebrated annually on 4 October to raise awareness about their importance in the ecosystem and improving their welfare standards. The theme for World Animal Day was 'Forest and Livelihood: Sustaining People and Planet'. The concerned students of classes VI - XII engaged in activities such as Essay Writing and Portrait Making of endangered and extinct animals and pour in their ideas for the protection of our four-legged friends.

#### CHILDREN'S DAY - 14 NOVEMBER 2021

Children's Day is celebrated across India to increase awareness about the rights, education, and welfare of children. It is celebrated on 14 November every year on the birth anniversary of our First Prime Minister of India, Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru. On this occasion a number of interesting and fun filled activities were organized for the students. Students participated in their chosen activities like Wall of Fame, Role Play, Charade, Identify the Person, Balancing

a Book, Balloon Blowing, Class Quiz enthusiastically and the day ended with a happy and memorable note.

# **CONSTITUTION DAY-26 NOVEMBER 2021**

Constitution Day, also known as "Samvidhan Diwas" is celebrated in India on 26 November every year to commemorate the adoption of the Constitution of India. In 2021, Samvidhan Diwas was celebrated as a part of 'Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav". All the students read the Preamble and re-affirmed their commitment to uphold it.

# INDIAN NAVY DAY - 4 DECEMBER 2021

Navy Day in India is observed every year on 4 December to celebrate the achievements and role of the Indian Navy to the country. The theme of Indian Navy Day 2021 was 'Swarnim Vijay Varsh' signifying 50 years of India's victory in the Indo-Pakistan war that took place in 1971. Activities like Poster Making, Speech, Collage and PowerPoint Presentations were made by the students of class VI - XII to celebrate the true essence of the day.

# NATIONAL MATHEMATICS DAY - 22 DECEMBER 2021

Every year 22 December is celebrated as National Mathematics Day in India in honour of mathematical genius Srinivasa Ramanujan. The theme of National Mathematics Day this year was 'Mathematics for a Better World'. Various activities like Collage Making, Sketch Making, Art Forms and Article Writing were conducted for students of classes VI - XII.

# GOOD GOVERNANCE DAY - 25 DECEMBER 2021

Good Governance Day is observed annually on 25 December, the birth anniversary of former Prime Minister Shri Atal Bihari Vajpayee. Good Governance Day was first observed in 2014 to honour Prime Minister Vajpayee by fostering awareness among the Indian people of accountability in government. Students were asked to make e-greeting cards and write slogans to celebrate the spirit of the day.

# POST CARD ACTIVITY- 1 DECEMBER - 31 DECEMBER 2021

The Post Card Campaign was organized from 1 December to 31 December 2021 as a part of Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav (AKAM) celebration. The Department of Posts, Ministry of Communications, in collaboration with Department of School Education & Literacy, Ministry of Education proposed the '75 Lakh Post Card Campaign'. Our school organised a post card campaign in which more than 1100 students participated with great enthusiasm.

## EK BHARAT SHRESHTA BHARAT CAMPAIGN

Ek Bharat Shreshtha Bharat programme was started on 31 October 2015, on the 140<sup>th</sup> birth anniversary of Sardar Vallavbhai Patel. The programme pairs different states and Union

Territories to enhance unity and integrity among the people of India. Our state Haryana is paired with the southern state Telangana for the purpose. Under Art IntegrationProject as proposed by CBSE, students were engaged in different activities to inculcate thefeeling of oneness and develop the spirit of nationalism. Students took Swachhata Pledge in Telugu, took an initiative to learn Telugu by translating common day today conversation from English to Telugu, made attractive wall magazines, scrap book, and wrote essays to acquaint themselves with the culture of Haryana and Telangana.

# SWAMI VIVEKANANDA'S BIRTHDAY - 12 JANUARY

To motivate the youth to lead the nation to prosperity, the Government of India declared Swami Vivekananda's Birthday as National Youth Day. Activities such as Poster Making, Quote Writing and Sketch Making were organised for classes VI to VIII and the students of classes IX to XII made PowerPoint Presentations on the teachings of Swami Vivekanand to make them believe in their youth power to lead and nourish the historical culture of the country.

# **REPUBLIC DAY - 26 JANUARY**

This day marks when India became truly independent and embraced democracy. It is a day for all Indians to celebrate the essence of liberty and help India accomplish its freedom fighters' dreams. A quiz was organized on this day for the students of class VI–XII. Students whole-heartedly participated in the quiz and learnt important facts about the history of Republic Day.

## WORLD DAY OF SOCIAL JUSTICE - 20 FEBRUARY

The privileges that an individual holds in terms of wealth and opportunities whether economically, politically and socially are called Social Justice. World Day of Social Justice is observed on 20 February each year, as declared by the United Nations. The theme for World Justice Day 2022 was 'Achieving Social Justice through Formal Employment'. Students of classes VI - XII actively participated in Poster Making, Speech Delivery, PPT Making activities to observe this day.

# INTERNATIONAL MOTHER LANGUAGE DAY- 21 FEBRUARY

International Mother Language Day is a worldwide annual observance held on 21 February to promote awareness of linguistic and cultural diversity and to promote multilingualism. The students of class VI to VIII participated in various activities such as Poster Making, Slogan Writing, Poem Writing and Poem Recitation while the students of class IX and X participated in Essay Writing activity and delivered speeches on the topic 'Importance of Mother Language' to celebrate the quiddity of their mother language.

# WORLD WATER DAY- 22 MARCH

World Water Day focuses on the importance of fresh water and raises awareness about the global water crisis. The core focus of this day is to support the achievement of Sustainable Development Goal (SDG) 6: Water and Sanitation for all by 2030. 'Groundwater: Making the Invisible Visible' was the theme of World Water Day 2022. Students of Classes VI - VIII made informative posters with slogans to create awareness about the need to save water, the most precious natural resource.

# INTERNATIONAL DAY FOR THE ELIMINATION OF RACIAL DISCRIMINATION - 21 MARCH

The United Nations' (UN) International Day for the Elimination of Racial Discrimination is observed with a series of events and activities worldwide on 21 March each year. The day aims at to remind people of racial discrimination's negative consequences. The 2022 edition of the International Day focuses on the theme "VOICES FOR ACTION AGAINST RACISM". The students of classes VI to VIII made posters and wrote slogans to create awareness about the evil practice of racial discrimination and how it impacts the lives of people and the students of class IX to XII prepared a PowerPoint presentation on the same.

# BOARD RESULTS 2021-22 - CLASS X & XII

Another year of glorious march towards the pinnacle of success. Remarkable performance was shown by the students of class X and XII. The students succeeded with flying colors in all the streams. Anshika Pahuja from class XII Medical scored 96.8% and Chirag Dagar from class X scored 98.4%. Heartiest congratulations to all the parents and students.

# **ACADEMIC CHAMPIONS - Class X**

- 1 Chirag
- 2 Jatin Berwal
- 3 Minaksh Sharma

# **ACADEMIC CHAMPIONS - Class XII**

Stream-wise Toppers Medical – Anshika Pahuja Non-Medical – Abhay Commerce – Nishchey Arts – Khushi Solanki

## THANKS

During this year, the school witnessed an overall progress of every child, be it academic, sports or co-curricular activities. We have been thoroughly guided and encouraged by the Management in all the activities undertaken in the academic year. I take this opportunity to thank the Management for the dynamic vision and excellent support. The members of School Management Committee, Parent Teacher Association have also extended their valuable support and co-operation in enriching the teaching learning experiences. I sincerely thank all the stakeholders for their unstinted support, wholehearted co-operation and sincere efforts in making all the activities of the school successful.