# BHARATIYA VIDYA BHAVAN'S MEHTA VIDYALAYA

# ONLINE SCHOOLING DURING LOCKDOWN

## ONLINE RESULT DECLARATION

- The teachers prepared the result online and generated report cards.
- The report cards were downloaded and posted to the parents online on 27<sup>th</sup> March'2020.
- Queries related to result were taken on phone calls.
- Class XI streams were allotted on the basis of Pre Board 1 and 2 result.
- Examination circulars were uploaded on school website and Snap Homework application.

## **ONLINE CLASSES (NURSERY TO XII)**

- Timetable was prepared for online classes from 16<sup>th</sup> March to 14<sup>th</sup> May'2020.
- Class WhatsApp groups were created by the teachers as a platform for teaching learning process and getting connected directly with the students and parents.
- E-classes for the students were conducted using Skype, Zoom and WhatsApp applications.
- Audio instructions to carry out the activities and concepts to be learnt were shared through WhatsApp groups. Along with learning assignments, rhymes and activities were recorded by the teachers in their own voice.
- Activities were planned and included in the learning assignments with the objective of promoting learning by doing.
- Experiential learning was provided through Art & Craft activities and worksheets, games, rhymes, stories, yoga as has been emphasized in the new Pre-School Curriculum.
- The work done by the kids were shared by the parents through pictures and videos.
- Parents were counselled on their queries pertaining to the learning material by the teachers.
- E-learning content in the form of tutorials, assignments, worksheets, books, notes, presentations, digital question banks, YouTube links, audios, videos, animations was shared with students on Class WhatsApp groups, Snap Homework Application and through Google drive links.
- General Knowledge Classes for III to V were also conducted on Zoom and WhatsApp.
- Audio recordings of the Zoom sessions were created and shared through WhatsApp class groups.
- The students were given access to the content and online courses provided by ExtraMarks, Avishkaar, Diksha by CBSE, Byju's, E-pathshala learning applications.
- Warm up exercises connecting lessons to real-life situations (COVID-19) were taken up under experiential learning.
- Interactive sessions through quiz and worksheets to gauge students' comprehension level were also held.
- Letters and Circulars were posted and uploaded on the Snap Homework application and school website respectively.
- Daily follow up was done of the work done by the students.



TIMETABLE FOR ONLINE CLASSES







## **ONLINE COMPETITIONS**

Online competitions were conducted for students in various subjects. Essay writing competition was held in English and Hindi about "Online classes –Students experiences". Competitions by IT Department were also conducted for Primary, Middle and Secondary classes using MS Paint & MS Word to create awareness on Covid-19 and to develop their IT skills.







# **ASSESSMENTS & HOLIDAY HOME WORK**

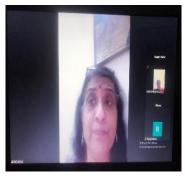
- Two Assessments for each subject were conducted through Google forms, Quiz, Written tests.
- Holiday Homework of classes Nursery to IX was compiled and uploaded on website.
- Department wise Holiday Home work was compiled by HODs.

## ONLINE MEETINGS OF HOS WITH HODS AND STAFF

- Principal conducted meetings on Zoom for planning and execution of all academic work.
- Telephonic conference calls were conducted by Principal with HODs to monitor the progress.
- All HODs also conducted online meetings with their faculty for guidance on academic work.
- Staff meetings and Department meetings were conducted regularly on Zoom.

• Principal, Vice-Principal and Headmistress also observed online Zoom classes of all teachers.







## FAREWELL TO VICE PRINCIPAL

Vice Principal Mrs. Vibha Kohli retired gracefully on 30<sup>th</sup> April'2020 after attaining superannuation. The school organized an online farewell in the presence of all the staff members. It was attended by Regional Education Officer Dr. A.K.Sharma, Manager Mr. C.K. Arya, Principal Dr. Mrs. Anju Tandon, Headmistress Mrs. Shashi Bhargava ,Senior Academic Coordinator Mrs. Alka Jayaswal along with all staff members and members of Mrs. Kohli's family.

A beautiful presentation on Mrs. Kohli's meritorious service of 33 years to the institution was presented. It was an emotional moment for all who attended.







## IT DEPARTMENT

IT department has played a pivotal role and given the lead in the following areas:

#### ONLINE TUTORIALS

- The IT department has created the following **tutorials** for the students/parents and teachers-
  - Steps to use the Skype Application.
  - Steps to use Zoom Cloud Computing Application.
  - Steps to access ExtraMarks content online for the students.
  - Steps to access Avishkaar Robotics content for the students.

The tutorials were uploaded on Google Drive to be easily accessed by everyone.

Link: https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/1FJKNNpPq5HSDuzAc CsMaITMrJTla4OW?usp=sharing

- **Sample E- learning material** was created for the primary teachers for them to create and share with the students to initiate online classes.
- Online demo was given to the primary coordinators and teachers of pre-primary to use the Zoom Cloud Computing Application.

## TECHNICAL SUPPORT

- Teachers were given **frontend and backend support** during their online classes daily.
- Support for Diksha App content was provided to the teachers.

- All videos for **E-learning content** were cropped, edited and compiled by the IT team.
- SMS was sent to all parents regarding online classes and summer vacation.



#### ZOOM CLASS OBSERVATIONS BY IT TEAM

## CYBER SAFETY CONSENT AND GOOGLE SURVEY FORMS

- Online Cyber safety undertaking consent form and Online Classes Feedback form were developed by the IT team and the responses have been obtained from all the parents.
  - Cyber Safety Consent Form: <u>admissionregistrations.com/bvbmvconsent</u>
    Online Classes Feedback Form: <u>https://forms.gle/nhVgTV54w2Pokhwx6</u>
- **The summary of Feedback forms** on Online Classes has been analyzed through Excel sheets displaying positive response from the parents.

#### **REPORTS**

The following **reports** were compiled and submitted to the Principal:

- Academic Course coverage.
- Department wise Holiday Homework.
- PTM feedback from class teachers.
- PTM feedback of parents.

#### SCHOOL'S WEBSITE AND FACEBOOK PAGE UPDATION

- The important circulars and HHW were timely updated on the school's website.
- The videos were uploaded on school's facebook page.

#### YOUTUBE CHANNEL

The YouTube Channel has been created for the school with the name BVB Mehta Vidyalaya, KG Marg, New Delhi and videos were uploaded on it.

YouTube Channel Link: https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCtBeFAgFZ-0aygFr6l32vvQ

# PARENT TEACHER MEETING

Parent teacher meeting for all classes was conducted telephonically by the class teachers on 15<sup>th</sup> May'2020. Overall, parents were very satisfied and happy with the online classes and submitted positive feedback about the well planned sessions and tutorials.



PTM FEEDBACK

## **WEBINARS**

The following webinars have been attended by teachers:

- Regional Education officer Dr. A.K. Sharma conducted regular webinars on different topics for our school teachers and Bhavan's teachers of North Zone.
- Principal Dr. Mrs. Anju Tandon was a panelist along with eminent Psychiatrist Dr. Jitendra Nagpal on "Bluntly Speaking with Ravindra Gautam" (Independent Journalist & Success Coach) on the topic "How to take care of student's mental health during this Pandemic".
- Stress management and dealing with burnout by Dr. Samir Parikh.
- Microsoft webinar on "How to build a collaborative virtual classroom".
- Webinar on Orientation program for setting up National Helpline to provide Psycho-social support to students during the Covid outbreak and beyond.



## PHYSICAL EDUCATION/SPORTS ACTIVITIES

- Aerobics exercises, Stretch and Power exercises and Cool down exercises were taken up.
- Discussion on Diet, Sleep, Stress, Dehydration-Water intake was taken up during the sessions.
- Teaching/Guiding Indoor games like Chess, Carrom, Ludo, French Cricket, Table Tennis etc.
- Students participated in Fit India movement organized by CBSE.
- YouTube links of Aerobics & Yoga were sent to students regularly.





## SKILL DEVELOPMENT ACTIVITIES

The Skill development classes were held during the online classes in which subjects like Drawing, Painting, Craft, Dance, Vocal music, Instrumental Music, Robotics and Wood craft were taught. Teachers made videos to teach students so that they have the lessons clearly available to them even after the class was over.

Skill development was conducted with the view that whatever the students learn is useful for them, they develop interest in these vocational subjects and can also take up these as their Professions later in life. It is very important for all the students to have a hobby to follow which is a stress buster for them in these trying times when they are not able to go out and play.





## **ECO CLUB ACTIVITIES**

Eco Club of Bharatiya Vidya Bhavan's Mehta Vidyalaya regularly conducts the activities, workshops and events. In the lockdown period also activities were conducted to connect and engage the students and impart them knowledge and importance of Ecology and Environment. The teachers of Club committee conducted various activities for students of classes VI to X which were done by the students under the guidance of their parents. Some of the activities conducted were Plantation & Planter Decoration, Making Bird Feeder & Compost, Mask Making ,Best out of waste , Use of Herbs to Boost our Immunity & Positive aspects of Covid -19.











## **EARTH DAY CELEBRATIONS**

Bharatiya Vidya Bhavan's Mehta Vidyalaya celebrated the 50<sup>th</sup> anniversary of Earth Day with great zeal and enthusiasm. During this COVID lockdown, the event was celebrated online by the students along with their class teachers. The school Principal, Vice Principal & Headmistress encouraged & motivated the children by being part of this special Zoom meeting. The students were asked to wear something in blue or green to mark the event. Activities like Quiz, hand printing, drawing & coloring, poster making, poem recitation, making paper bags were conducted for the students of different classes.







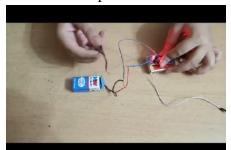
## AWAKENED CITIZEN PROGRAMME (ACP)

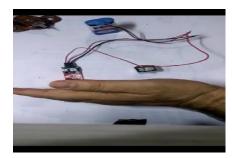
During the COVID pandemic, Ramakrishna Mission brought out the digital version of Awakened Citizen Program (ACP) that could be shared via online classes. Our school registered at the mission for digital access of the content and conducted the ACP sessions for students of classes VI – VIII from 16<sup>th</sup> April '2020. The teachers of BVB conducted this unique programme which focused on developing child's character and building their potentials.



## **ROBOTICS ACTIVITIES**

Robotics club of BVB took the initiative and provided free online course of Robotics in association with Aavishkaar. Interested children registered online and enjoyed learning the basics of Robotics. The Robotics Incharges of school further shared on regular basis - videos, tutorials, You tube links & notes to explain different concepts related to Robotics.





## SAS (SOCIAL AWARENESS AND SENSTIVITY CAMP)

Career counseling sessions were organized for all the streams. These sessions were taken by school counselor and various career counselors of Delhi. A webinar was conducted for parents on Career Counseling. Topics like Anger management, Stress management, Emotional intelligence, steps to improve Self- confidence, Self- defense techniques, Personality Development, importance of physical exercises etc. were taken through E- links, study material and Zoom classes. English subject was taken on regular basis. School in collaboration with Rahul Theatre Education society organized Theatre workshop on Zoom for students and parents. Various important social issues were enacted by students and parents. Students were involved into Creative and Critical thinking assignments and various Skill development activities.









## COUNSELING DEPARTMENT ACTIVITIES

A number of Webinars were conducted for Students and Parents of classes IX to XII in the month of April and May' 2020 . These sessions were taken by renowned Career Counselors of Delhi on various topics like Understanding Self- Strength and Weaknesses, Secrets of Public Speaking, Government jobs after Graduation, Knowing some Non-Conventional careers – DJ, Chef, Artist, Photography, You Tuber & Cinematography.





## **CBSE PROJECT-VIDYADAAN**

VidyaDaan, a programme based on donation of e-content by teachers, is an initiative by CBSE to provide good quality study material to the remote areas of the country. This is based on NCERT Curriculum from classes 1st to 10<sup>th</sup>. Bhavan's teachers from primary, middle and senior wing have contributed e-content as a free resource material for the stakeholders. These are in the form of digital content including lesson plans, videos on experiential learning, question banks and podcasts.

## छु लें आसमां ONLINE BVB -Video by teachers

A Music video छू लें आसमां, was conceived to give a healthy, lively message to the students in the present time of the COVID epidemic which has posed an uncertainty and a challenge to find newer ways of teaching - learning.

While teaching the students through the online mode, we teachers also experimented, learnt and grew with them. Dr.(Mrs.) Anju Tandon, Principal Bharatiya Vidya Bhavan's Mehta Vidyalaya hopes that the message behind the video would be understood and well appreciated by the students. The video conceived, produced, directed and acted in by the teachers of Mehta Vidyalaya assures that come what may, teachers are going to stand rock solid to teach and solve all the problems faced by the students.



\*Kindly click on the images to watch the videos.

Videos on <u>Online Happiness Classes and Utilizing Lockdown Period</u> were also uploaded on School's YouTube Channel.





## SANSKRIT SHIVIR

Like previous years, this year also a Sanskrit Shivir was organized during summer vacation from 18<sup>th</sup> May -31<sup>st</sup> May 2020 using Online WhatsApp platform. 42 students from Class X to XII took part in it. These students participated every day in activities like Story-telling, Sentence Formation, Oration and Sanskrit recitation using stickers. Parents and Students expressed their appreciation and gratitude for conducting this Sanskrit Shivir.



## **CBSE PROJECT: HUBS OF LEARNING**

For promoting "Holistic Education" amongst students, CBSE has introduced a collaborative project called "Hubs of Learning". The project aims to bring together four to six schools under one wing that would learn from each other through extracurricular activities, science exhibitions, workshops etc. and ensure the enhancement of Quality of Education.

In this regard B.V.B Mehta Vidyalaya conducted a webinar on "Online Courses and Certifications" on 25<sup>th</sup> May 2020 under the supervision of Dr. (Mrs) Anju Tandon, Principal B.V.B Mehta Vidyalaya. The resource person was Mr. Jitin Chawla, an eminent career counsellor.

Besides the host school (B.V.B Mehta Vidyalaya), it was attended by three Hub schools - Kerala School, Andhra School and Kannada School. The programme was coordinated by Dr. Jyoti Dev Rishi, the school counsellor. The webinar was much appreciated by the students, parents and teachers of the Hub schools.

Further, the school plans to conduct webinars on "Vedic Maths- Quick and easy calculations" and Special Educators Talk on "How to identify special children in a diverse class" in the month of June.







# PSYCHOLOGY ONLINE INTERNSHIP PROGRAMME

Many Psychology online programmes were started in school besides online teaching process. In this context various Psychology projects were undertaken by students which enabled them to have hands-on knowledge of the subject- Psychology and to improve mental health, manage time, stress and to live effectively.

# ONLINE PSYCHOLOGY PROJECTS DURING LOCKDOWN

SNO.	EVENTS	DATE	DURATION	STUDENTS	
1.	Online Summer Internship Organised by - Dr. Samir Parikh	07 MAY 2020	1 hour	21	
2.	Psychology Internship Organised by – Moolchand Medicity	06 June 2020	1 hour	19	
3.	Video on the psychological Impact of COVID- 19 on Teenagers	31 MAY 2020		05	
4.	Mental Health Awareness Quiz Organised by — Manas Charitable Trust for Mental Health in Collaboratio with Anand Multispeciality Ho Research Centre, Gandhinagai Kanoria Centre for Medical Education Gandhinag	ospital & r &	1 hour	13	