



DELHI PUBLIC SCHOOL ROORKEE SCHOOL GAZETTE- VI- VIII

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School Motto



“Service Before Self”

It signifies that we serve others willingly, graciously & selflessly. We should not expect anything in return for our service since pleasure lies in giving than in receiving. By serving others we serve God. DPS caters to the educational, spiritual & mental health of every child and helps in preparing a student to face the challenges in life.



About our School

D.P.S. Roorkee, established in 2010, is spread over 16 acres and is unique in its architectural excellence. The auburn brick structure offset by the sprawling green lawns, the spacious classrooms and open environs offer an ambience which is conducive to intellectual pursuits and holistic development. The school started with its maiden session 2010-2011 with strength of approximately 800 students under the aegis of the Delhi Public School Society, New Delhi.

With 'education' acquiring new connotations and spanning wider dimensions, the school is alive to the challenge of molding a new generation of students into a genre of well integrated personalities equipped with the life skills necessary to take up future challenges. Empowering every student and building his/her understanding forms an integral part of the school system. DPS Roorkee offers various facilities to impart diverse skills, in tune with the requirements of the modern world.

School Philosophy

- We aim to preserve and enhance the highest standards of excellence and prepare generations for the 21st century. DPS students are helped to master the expanding horizons of technology and also become the repository of a deep commitment to Indian ethos and culture in its pristine form.
- DPS students are equipped to access the best opportunities of growth and advancement by being prepared linguistically and culturally for them. The concept of enlightened citizen of the world will be the backdrop of all their endeavors’.



Principal's Message

Dear Parents,

I am privileged to be at the helm of affairs at DPS Roorkee, the school which is tirelessly putting in its best efforts to be a school of the highest standards. A sapling that was planted in 2010 has grown into a young tree branching out to new horizons. I take this opportunity to thank you for the faith you have reposed in us and it is largely due to your support that we stand where we are today.

The school aims at the all-round intellectual, emotional, physical, spiritual and aesthetic development of every child. DPS Roorkee believes that children need love, trust and faith to blossom into responsible and mature individuals. The aim is to see each student develop to their potential and inner freedom. Every child should get an opportunity to develop self. Every child is a winner, but we believe that some don't know which race to run. The goal of this school is to define that path for them and equip them to use all that they are endowed with.

This newsletter is our voice. Its purpose is to share stories that matter - stories of discipline, cleanliness, teamwork, and progress. We believe that awareness leads to action, and action leads to change. By reading these pages, we hope every student, teacher, and parent feels connected and inspired to do their part.

Let us accept responsibilities as 'parents' at school and you as 'teachers' at home to nurture the young minds to develop their talents, strengths and goodness. We have embarked on yet another new journey of pursuing excellence for students. Let's strive to focus more on expression of students and give them an overall exposure to cultivate their individual excellence.

God Bless You All.

Principal

DPS Roorkee

Objectives of DPSR

- To make education a joyful journey for each child.
- To provide every child with an opportunity to grow and succeed in an atmosphere of support and understanding.
- To value and nurture the individuality of every child.
- To encourage imagination, innovation and self improvement.
- To develop qualities of integrity, honesty, tolerance, trust and companionship.
- To promote a spirit of enquiry and foster a scientific temper.
- To enable students to excel in academics and co-curricular activities.
- To motivate each child to appreciate and fulfill her/his role as a global citizen.
- To help the student to become a meaningful part of the environment.
- To instill values that will enable every child to respect and value others and self.
- To make parents equal partners in the process of education.

Neat and Harmonious Hooks Competition



Neat and Harmonious Hooks Competition held on 11th April'26!

This competition took place right inside our classrooms, where students from Classes VI to VIII worked together to transform their daily learning spaces into models of discipline and care.

The event showcased incredible teamwork, with students taking full responsibility for their rooms by focusing on:

- Spotless Classrooms: Keeping desks, floors, and shared areas perfectly clean.
- Neat Desks & Books: Organizing textbooks, notebooks, and bags systematically.
- Creative Discipline: Displaying classroom charts and student work with pride.





Democracy in Action



On 8th May'26, the hallways of DPS Roorkee were transformed into a vibrant polling station for our Mock Elections.

From campaigning and manifestos to the final ballot, our students got a first-hand look at the democratic process. It's more than just a vote; it's about leadership, responsibility, and understanding the power of our voices.

Kudos to all the candidates for their hard work and to our young voters for participating so enthusiastically!



Inter-House Chess Competition



The Inter-House Chess Competition was organized in our school for Classes VI - VIII from 9th May to 12th May'26 with great excitement and enthusiasm. Students from all houses participated actively in the event and displayed excellent strategic thinking, concentration, and sportsmanship.

The competition was conducted under the guidance of teachers and each match was full of suspense and showcased the intellectual abilities of the students.

The result of Chess Competition is as follows:

1st position - Yellow house - Anamaya Upadhyay 8th C

2nd position- Yellow house - Advik Pundir 7th C

3rd position - Blue house - Shourya 8th A

INTRA CLASS LITERARY COMPETITION



An Intra-Class Poem Recitation (15th May'26), Storytelling and Speech Competition was organized in our school by the English Department with great enthusiasm and active participation from students. The event aimed to enhance students' confidence, creativity, and communication skills. Students showcased their talents with great zeal and preparation. In the poem recitation

segment, participants expressed emotions beautifully through voice modulation and expressions. The storytelling competition was filled with imagination and creativity, where students narrated engaging and meaningful stories. In the speech competition, participants spoke confidently on various topics, presenting their ideas clearly and effectively.

Overall, it proved out to be the best platform for students to enhance their Public-Speaking Skills.



A group of students in white uniforms posing in front of a large, colorful display board titled "OUR CORE VALUES". The board features a tree, a sun, clouds, and several boxes with values like "Respect", "Honesty", "Responsibility", "Kindness", and "Teamwork". Many students are making peace signs.



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Inter House Basketball Tournament- Girls



The Inter- House basketball Tournament for Girls (Class VI-XIII) was organised on 21st May 2026 in the school premises.

The following houses proved themselves as rising stars of the month:

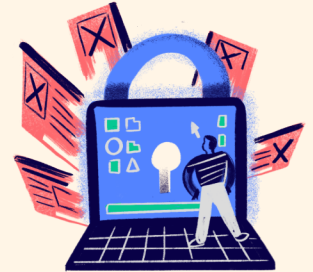
I Position- Green House

II Position- Blue House

III Position- Red House



Awareness program on 'Drug & Substance Use and Social Media Safety'



Delhi Public School, Roorkee conducted an awareness program on 'Drug & Substance Use and Social Media Safety' to educate students about healthy and responsible behavior.

Drug and substance abuse among teenagers is a growing concern. The use of tobacco, alcohol, vaping products, and harmful drugs can negatively affect physical and mental health, academic performance, and relationships. Peer pressure, stress, and lack of awareness are common causes. Students were encouraged to avoid harmful substances, participate in positive activities, and seek guidance from parents and teachers whenever needed.

The host Ms. ANSHIKA BABBAR highlighted the importance of social media safety. Students learned about risks such as cyberbullying, online scams, identity theft, and excessive screen time. They were advised to keep personal information private, use strong passwords, avoid interacting with strangers online, and report abuse.

Inter House Craze Craft Competition



The Inter- House Craze craft Competition for students of Classes VI-VIII was successfully conducted on 7th July'26. The event provided students with an excellent opportunity to showcase their creativity, imagination and artistic skills through a variety of engaging craft activities.

The competition was organised category-wise as follows:

Class VI- Jewellery Making

Class VII- Jute Bag Painting

Class VIII- Coaster Making



डिजिटलयुगे मानवीयमूल्यानाम् आवश्यकता

"विज्ञानं जीवनं सुकरं करोति, मूल्यानि तु जीवनं सुन्दरं कुर्वन्ति।"

मानवसभ्यतायाः विकासे विज्ञानस्य योगदानम् अतुलनीयम् अस्ति। अद्य वयं डिजिटलयुगे जीवनं यापयामः, यत्र ज्ञानस्य, सञ्चारस्य, शिक्षायाः, सेवायाश्च नवीनाः मार्गाः प्रतिदिनं उद्घाटयन्ते। सङ्गणकयन्त्राणि, चलदूरवाण्यः, अन्तर्जालम्, कृत्रिमबुद्धिः तथा विविधाः डिजिटलसेवाः अस्माकं जीवनस्य अविभाज्यानि साधनानि जातानि। यत् कार्यं पूर्वं दिनैः "सम्पन्नं भवति स्म, तत् अद्य निमेषमात्रेण सम्पद्यते। एषः विज्ञानस्य च डिजिटलप्रगतेः च अद्भुतः प्रभावः अस्ति।



यद्यपि प्रौद्योगिकी अस्मभ्यं अनेकाः सुविधाः ददाति, तथापि सा स्वयमेव न शुभा, न अशुभा। तस्याः स्वरूपं तस्य उपयोगकर्तुः आचरणेन एव निर्धारितं भवति। अतः प्रौद्योगिकेः सदुपयोगाय मानवीयमूल्यानि अनिवार्याणि सन्ति। सत्यनिष्ठा, करुणा, दया, विनयः, संयमः, अनुशासनम्, उत्तरदायित्वबोधः, परस्परसम्मानः च एते गुणाः मानवजीवनस्य वास्तविकं वैभवम् सन्ति।

अद्यतनकाले छात्राणां जीवने डिजिटलसाधनानां प्रभावः दिनप्रतिदिनं वर्धते। अध्ययनम्, अनुसन्धानम्, गृहकार्यम्, संवादः, मनोरञ्जनम् इत्यादिषु तेषां महत्त्वपूर्णा भूमिका वर्तते। परन्तु एतैः साधनैः सह उत्तरदायित्वमपि आगच्छति। असत्यसूचनानां प्रसारणम्, समयस्य अपव्ययः, कटुवचनप्रयोगः, परीक्षासु अनैतिकाचारः, गोपनीयतायाः उल्लङ्घनम् इत्यादयः दोषाः समाजे अविश्वासं जनयन्ति। अतः प्रत्येकः विद्यार्थी विवेकपूर्वकं डिजिटलसाधनानाम् उपयोगं कुर्यात्।

डिजिटलमाध्यमेषु अपि अस्माभिः सदा शिष्टाचारः पालनीयः। यथा प्रत्यक्षजीवने वयं अन्येषां सम्मानं कुर्मः, तथैव अन्तर्जालेऽपि मधुरभाषा, सत्यवचनम्, सहिष्णुता, परस्परविश्वासः च अवश्यं धारयितव्याः। स्वस्य गोपनीयतां रक्षेत्, अन्येषां गोपनीयतामपि सम्मानयेत्। एषः एव उत्तरदायिनः डिजिटलनागरिकस्य परिचयः।

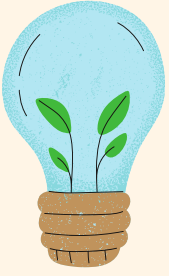
मानवीयमूल्यानां संवर्धने परिवारस्य, विद्यालयस्य, समाजस्य च समानं योगदानम् अस्ति। माता-पितरौ स्वाचारेण सद्गुणान् शिक्षयतः, शिक्षकाः ज्ञानेन सह चरित्रनिर्माणस्य मार्गं दर्शयन्ति, समाजः तेषां मूल्यानां व्यवहारिकं रूपं प्रदर्शयति। एषां त्रयाणां समन्वयेन एव संस्कारितः, संवेदनशीलः, कर्तव्यपरायणश्च नागरिकः निर्मीयते।

अस्माकं लक्ष्यं केवलं प्रौद्योगिक्यां निपुणता न भवेत्, अपितु मूल्यसम्पन्नजीवनस्य निर्माणम् अपि भवेत्। विज्ञानस्य वेगः यदि विवेकस्य नियन्त्रणेन सञ्चालितः भवति, तर्हि सः सम्पूर्णमानवसमाजस्य कल्याणाय भवति। अन्यथा स एव वेगः समस्याः उत्पादयितुं शक्नोति।

अतः सर्वैः विद्यार्थिभिः स्मर्तव्यं यत् आधुनिकसाधनानि अस्माकं सहायका एव, न तु स्वामिनः। तेषां सदुपयोगः ज्ञानं वर्धयति, संस्कारान् दृढयति, भविष्यं च उज्ज्वलं करोति। यदा विज्ञानस्य प्रकाशः मानवीयमूल्यानां स्नेहेन सह प्रकाशितः भवति, तदा एव वास्तविकः विकासः, स्थायी शान्तिः, समृद्धश्च समाजः सम्भवति।

"डिजिटलप्रगतिः यदा मानवीयमूल्यैः सह गच्छति, तदा एव मानवतायाः भविष्यं सुरक्षितं, समृद्धं, प्रेरणादायकं च भवति।"

-श्री विष्णु दत्त गौड़



पर्यावरण संरक्षण और ऊर्जा की बचत



"सौर और पवन ऊर्जा अपनाओ, पृथ्वी को सुंदर और स्वच्छ बनाओ।"

हमारी पृथ्वी ने हमें जीवन जीने के लिए हवा, पानी और ऊर्जा जैसे कई उपहार दिए हैं। आज के समय में पर्यावरण प्रदूषण और ऊर्जा की कमी हमारे सामने सबसे बड़ी चुनौतियाँ हैं। यह पृथ्वी हमारा घर है, और इसे सुरक्षित रखना हम सभी की जिम्मेदारी है। यदि हम आज सचेत नहीं हुए, तो आने वाले समय में हमें शुद्ध हवा, पानी और बिजली के लिए बहुत परेशानी उठानी पड़ेगी।

आज पूरी दुनिया में पर्यावरण को बचाने के लिए नए तरीके खोजे जा रहे हैं। हमें यह समझना होगा कि कोयला और पेट्रोल जैसी चीजें हमेशा नहीं रहेंगी। इसलिए हमें सौर ऊर्जा और पवन ऊर्जा जैसी चीजों को अपनाना होगा, जो कभी खत्म नहीं होंगी। इसके अलावा, अपने दैनिक जीवन में "3Rs" के नियम का पालन करके हम कचरे के पहाड़ों को कम कर सकते हैं। इस नियम का सबसे मुख्य संदेश यही है कि पर्यावरण की रक्षा की शुरुआत हमारे अपने घर से होती है। एक स्विच को बंद करने से लेकर एक नया पौधा लगाने तक, जब हर बच्चा जागरूक बनेगा, तभी हमारी पृथ्वी प्रदूषण मुक्त और हरी-भरी बन पाएगी।

"Reduce, Reuse और Recycle को अपनाएँ, पर्यावरण को प्रदूषण से बचाएँ।"

-Vedansh Saini (VI C)



Clap for Yourself

Clap for yourself on the hard days,
When you showed up anyway.
When your voice shook but you still spoke,
When you bent, but didn't break.



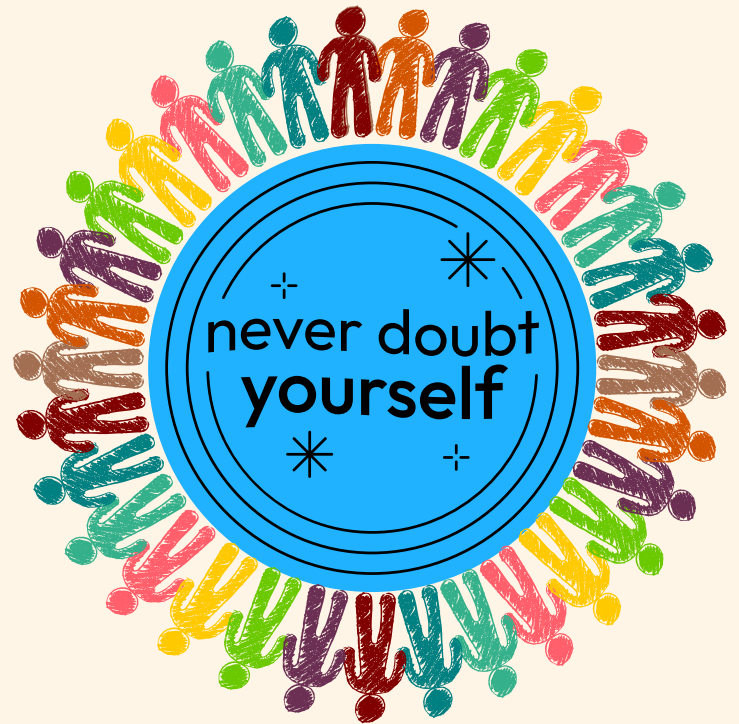
Clap for the mornings you chose to rise,
Even with sleep still in your eyes.
For every "I'm okay" you meant for real,
For every wound you taught to heal.

Clap for the no that kept your peace,
For the yes that let your dreams release.
For dishes done and emails sent,
For energy spent and wisely spent.

No crowd? No stage? That's fine.
Put your hands together, make it shine.
You're the one who's walked through fire,
You're the one who kept the light higher.

So clap for yourself — loud and true.
Nobody's done what you've been through.
One hand to heart, and one more sound:
That's the bravest cheer around.

-Ms. Megha Serin



Diversity is Strength

Think about your five fingers. They are all different in shape and size, yet they belong to the same hand. Humanity is exactly the same.

Diversity means differences. It includes our race, language, religion, age, and culture. It also includes how we think, learn, and see the world. It may seem strange, but our differences are what make us unique.

Different minds solve problems better when they work together. Different cultures introduce us to new food, music, art, and traditions. Interacting with people from different backgrounds makes us smarter, kinder, and more understanding.

We do not need to look alike to get along. We simply need to respect the unique qualities that each person brings to the table. In the end, our diversity is our greatest strength.

-Navya (VIII A)



Kargil War: A story of Courage & sacrifice

The Kargil War of 1999 remains one of the most significant chapters in India's history. It was a battle fought in the difficult mountain terrain of Kargil, where Indian soldiers displayed extraordinary bravery, determination, and patriotism. The conflict began when infiltrators occupied strategic positions in the Kargil region, leading to intense fighting between Indian and Pakistani forces.



The Indian Army launched a courageous operation to recapture the occupied peaks. Despite facing extreme weather conditions and challenging landscapes, soldiers fought with great courage and dedication. Many brave soldiers made the ultimate sacrifice while protecting the nation and its people.

The victory in Kargil was a symbol of India's strength, unity, and resilience. It also reminded the world of the importance of peace and the value of those who serve their country. Every year, the nation remembers the heroes of Kargil and honors their sacrifices. Their courage continues to inspire young generations to serve with responsibility, discipline, and pride.

-Akshaj Kansal (VI E)

My Digital World

Tiny screen, big magic inside,
AI helps me learn and guide.
From talking bots to photos so bright,
Technology makes my world feel right.

I ask a question, quick comes the reply,
It searches the web, it doesn't lie.
It draws, it writes, it plays a tune,
Like a helpful friend, bright as the moon.

But AI is smart because we teach,
It grows and learns within our reach.
The real power, I've come to see,

Is how I use it—creatively!
So I'll code, create, and dream out loud,
Use tech to learn and make us proud.
For in this digital world, it's clear to me,
The future's mine—for me to see!

-Aarav Singhal (VII B)



My Vision- INDIA 2036



India in 2036 is the India I want to proudly call the world's inspiration. I dream of a country where every child learns with confidence, every youth finds opportunities, and every citizen lives with dignity.

I wish to see clean rivers, green forests, and pollution-free cities powered by renewable energy. Our farmers should use modern technology, our scientists should make new discoveries, and our entrepreneurs should create jobs that strengthen the nation's economy.

In my vision, people respect one another regardless of religion, language, or background. Women and men have equal opportunities, and kindness and honesty become the foundation of society.

I also hope India continues to achieve great success in space, sports, medicine, and innovation while protecting its rich heritage and cultural values.

The future of India depends on the actions we take today. If every citizen contributes with dedication and responsibility, India will not only become a developed nation by 2036 but also a peaceful, compassionate, and respected leader in the world.

"My vision for India is an India that is united in heart, strong in character, and bright in its future."

- Milansai Yashwant (VIII B)



**Diversity is the one true thing
we all have in common**



- Navya (VIII A)



Arsh (VIII C)



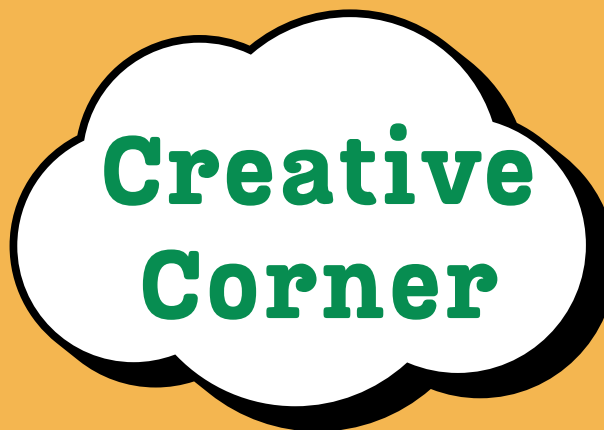
Yash Kumar (VIII A)



Ananya (VIII D)



Paavni Dua (VII A)



Aradhya Tyagi (VIII D)



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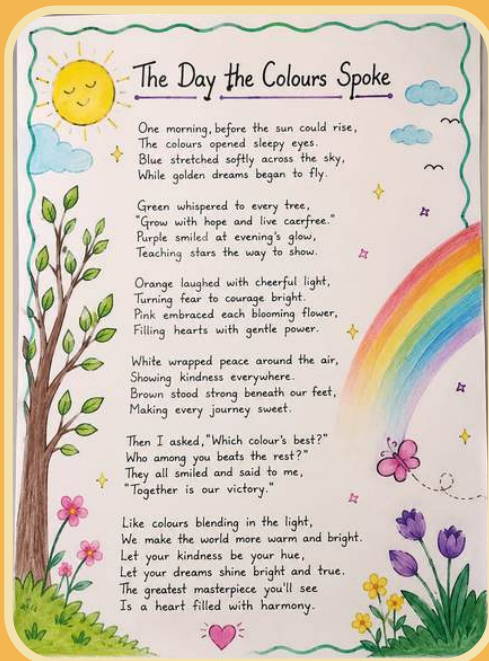
Creative Corner



Arsh (VIII C)



Hardik Panwar (VII C)



Aanya Tyagi (VIII D)



Paavni Dua (VII A)



Riddhi Saini (VII D)



Aanya (VIII D)