



DAFFODILS HIGH PUBLIC SCHOOL

NEWSLETTER

I TERM 2020

Greetings,

Online learning is the future of education, and all the teaching and learning is happening online now in view of the COVID-19 pandemic. Along with teaching and learning, the events and activities this year are conducted on Virtual platforms. Children, parents and teachers have adapted themselves to the new normal online life.

Following are the events and activities conducted in the I term:

INTERNATIONAL YOGA DAY CELEBRATION (JUNE 2020)



International Yoga Day was celebrated in June 2020 on virtual platforms.

Students participated in an online session to mark International Yoga Day, wherein physical instructor demonstrated various asanas and all the students performed them from their homes during the live session.

INDEPENDENCE DAY(15th AUGUST 2020)



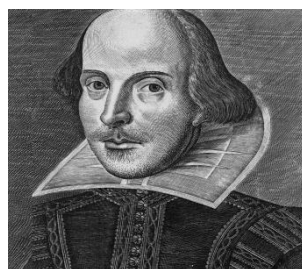
This year Independence Day was celebrated online, with all kinds of events — ranging from cultural performances to art and craft activities— being planned digitally.

The flag was hoisted in the school by the Trustee of the school Mr. Amarjit Singh Nandrajog in the presence of Principal of the school, Mrs. Sonali Jagade and the Coordinators of Preprimary, Primary and Secondary section following all the rules and regulations laid down during the pandemic. The flag hoisting ceremony was streamed live on Youtube, followed by the messages by Trustee sir and Principal Madam to the students. The different activities done by the students were compiled in a video and was streamed live on Youtube.

The activities done by the children are as follows.

GRADE	ACTIVITY
GRADE I	Students dressed up to represent different states of India and spoke about them and sang national anthem.
GRADE II	Students dressed up and represented freedom fighters of India and spoke about them.
GRADE III	Students did Drawing activity based on Independence Day
GRADE IV	Students did Craft activity based on Independence Day.
GRADE V	Students dressed up to represent famous industrialists of India and spoke about them.
GRADE VI	Students prepared tri-colour food item and spoke about it.
GRADE VII	Students performed dances on patriotic songs
GRADE VIII	Students sang Dhwaja Geet
GRADE IX AND X	Students sang National Anthem

ENGLISH WEEK(SEPT AND OCT 2020)



In order to learn and explore English in a fun way, English week was conducted for Grades I to IV from 14-09-2020 to 09-10-2020 . English Week focused on different innovative activities to enhance and develop English Language.

To carry out all this task and plan activities that would be attractive for our students, the team formed by the English department, together with members of other departments of the school did a great job and tried to do their best. The creative and enthusiastic participation of all our students and whole hearted cooperation of the parents helped to make this activity a successful one.

The English Week activities for Grades I to IV are as follows:

GRADE I

DAY/DATE	ACTIVITY
Monday, 14-09-2020	Word search: Students had to look at the picture and search the correct word.
Tuesday, 15-09-2020	Unscramble the letters to form the correct word: Students had to look at the picture and unscramble the jumbled words.
Wednesday, 16-09-2020	Correct me if I am wrong. (Students were given simple words or sentences. Students had to correct the words or sentences if they were wrong.)
Thursday, 17-09-2020	Memory Game: Students were made to listen to a story, after listening to the story they had to remember and write answers to the questions asked by the teacher about the story.
Friday, 18-09-2020	Students had to bring five objects beginning from the given letter in 3 minutes.

The English Week activity to Dress up as a fruit or Vegetable and speak 5 sentences about it was conducted throughout the week for 10 students everyday.

GRADE II

DAY/DATE	ACTIVITY
Monday, 21-09-2020	Spelathon: Teacher dictated the words and the students had to write the words correctly within the given time limit.
Tuesday, 22-09-2020	Students had to unscramble the letters to form the correct word and make sentences using the words.
Wednesday, 23-09-2020	Correct me if I am wrong. (Students were given simple sentences. Students had to correct the sentences if they were grammatically wrong.)
Thursday, 24-09-2020	Memory Game: Students were made to listen to a story, after listening to the story they had to remember and write answers to the questions asked by the teacher about the story.
Friday, 25-09-2020	Students had to bring Five objects beginning from the given letter and speak about them.

The English Week activity “Tell a Joke using a prop” was conducted throughout the week and ten students spoke everyday.

GRADE III

DAY/DATE	ACTIVITY
Monday, 28-09-2020	Spelathon: Teacher dictated words and the students had to write the words correctly within the given time limit. 30 words in 10 minutes.
Tuesday, 29-09-2020	Students had to unscramble the words to form correct sentences. 10 sentences in 10 minutes
Wednesday, 30-09-2020	Correct me if I am wrong. (Students were given simple sentences. Students had to correct the sentences if they were grammatically wrong.) 10 sentences in 10 minutes
Thursday, 01-10-2020	Memory Game: Students were made to listen to a story, after listening to the story they had to remember and write answers to questions based on the story. Story time: 10 minutes Writing time: 10 minutes

The English Week activity “Look at the object and speak five sentences about it(Objects were shown on the spot by the teacher).” was conducted through out the week. Ten students spoke everyday.

GRADE IV

DAY/DATE	ACTIVITY
Monday, 05-10-2020	Correct me if I am wrong. (Students were given simple sentences. Students had to correct the sentences if they were grammatically wrong.) 10 sentences in 10 minutes
Tuesday, 06-10-2020	Memory Game: Students were made to listen to a story, after listening to the story they had to remember and write answers to questions based on the story Story time: 10 minutes Writing time: 10 minutes
Wednesday, 07-10-2020	Students had to create an advertisement and present it in front of the class online.(Time limit:1 minute). Students were allowed to select any item of their choice.
Thursday, 08-10-2020	Interview session: Students were grouped in pairs. One partner had to ask questions based on their favourite TV programme/ Webseries to the other and vice versa.
Friday, 09-10-2020	Vocabulary Check: Students were given a word and they had to write 5 synonyms of the word in 5 minutes.(The words were given on the spot)

The English Week activity “ Monoacting: where the students had to act like a famous personality in a comic way was conducted through out the week. Ten students performed everyday.

SAVE THE OCEAN (SEPT 2020)

Students participated in the event “Save the Ocean” which was organized by Hilton hotels, Srilanka together with Big Spark by Gateway and SOS Children’s Villages.

There were competitions conducted under different categories mentioned below.

1. Draw a poster on the theme, “ Clean the Beach to protect our Ocean”
2. Essay, Creative Writing or Poetry on “ Protecting our Ocean”
3. Build your own Creative Aquarium at home.
4. Design your own Robots for the Ocean Exploration or Conservation.
5. Design a Game using any coding Platform with the theme “ Save the Ocean.”

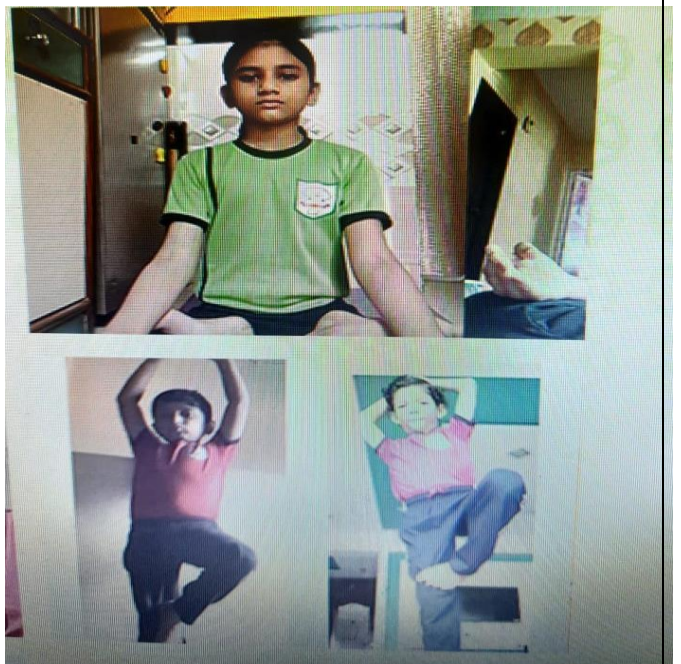
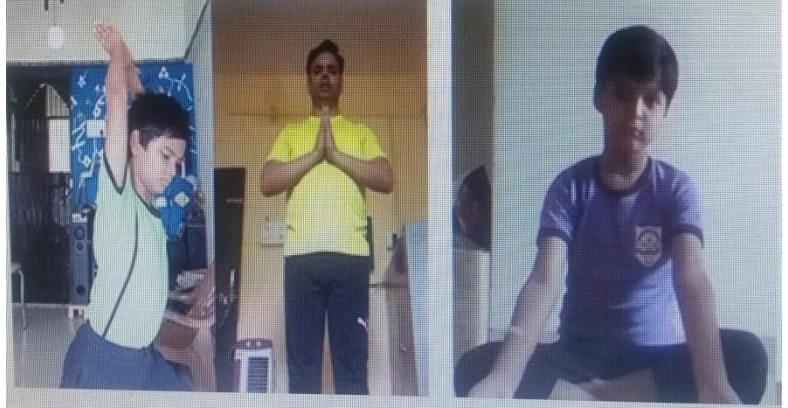
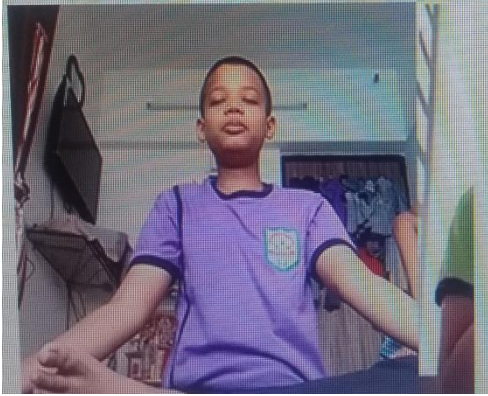
Students through out the Grades participated under different categories with great zeal and enthusiasm and sent their videos with their creative Posters, Aquariums, Poems and Essays to school, which the school uploaded on the Flipgrid app.

DISCOVERY SCHOOL SUPER LEAGUE (OCT 2020)

Our school participated in Discovery School Super league this year, which is a critical thinking and aptitude – based quiz competition where students can represent their school and representing their states in a Nationally Televised quiz contest, with an initiative to ensure our students continue learning in the current situation.

The students of class 3 to class 10 participated in a School level quiz competition. The selected students will participate in the city level competition.

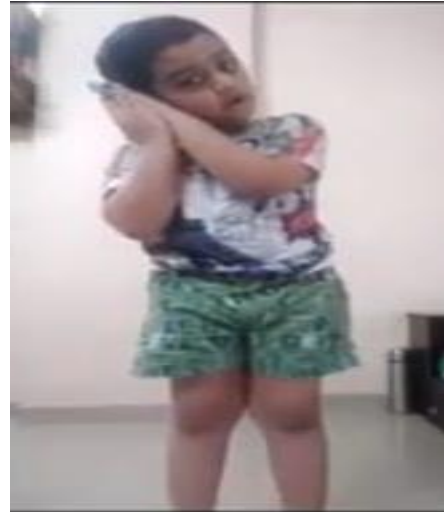
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ENGLISH WEEK
GRADE I



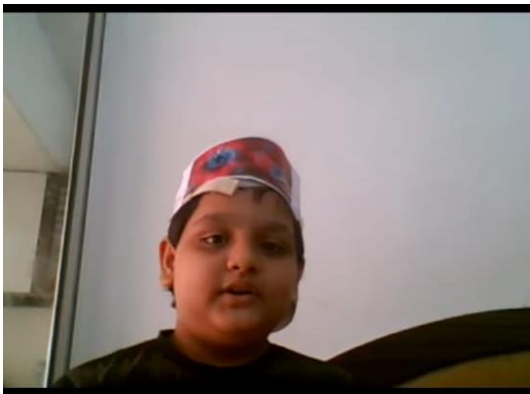
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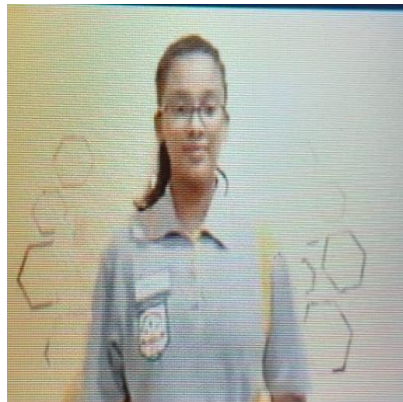
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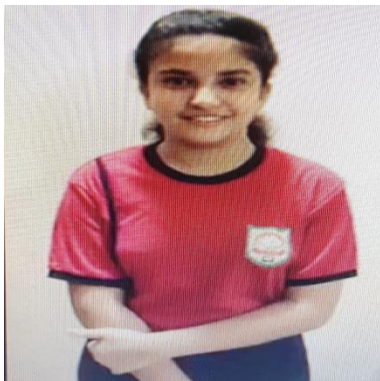
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SHREYA PADMANABHAN
HEAD GIRL



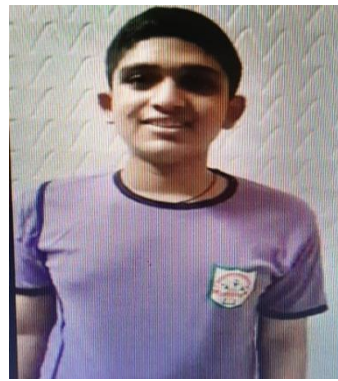
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SPORTS CAPTAIN



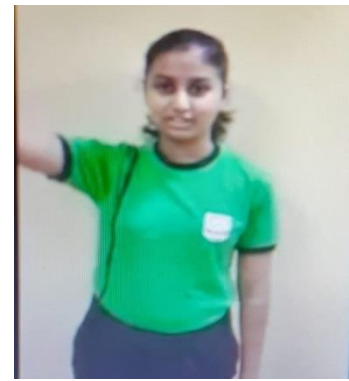
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CAPTAIN: CHANAKYA HOUSE



NIHARIKA KADAM
CAPTAIN: ARYABHATTA HOUSE



SWAYAM PHATAK
CAPTAIN: KALIDASA HOUSE



VRUDDHI BHOLANKAR
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SHARDUL SAWANT
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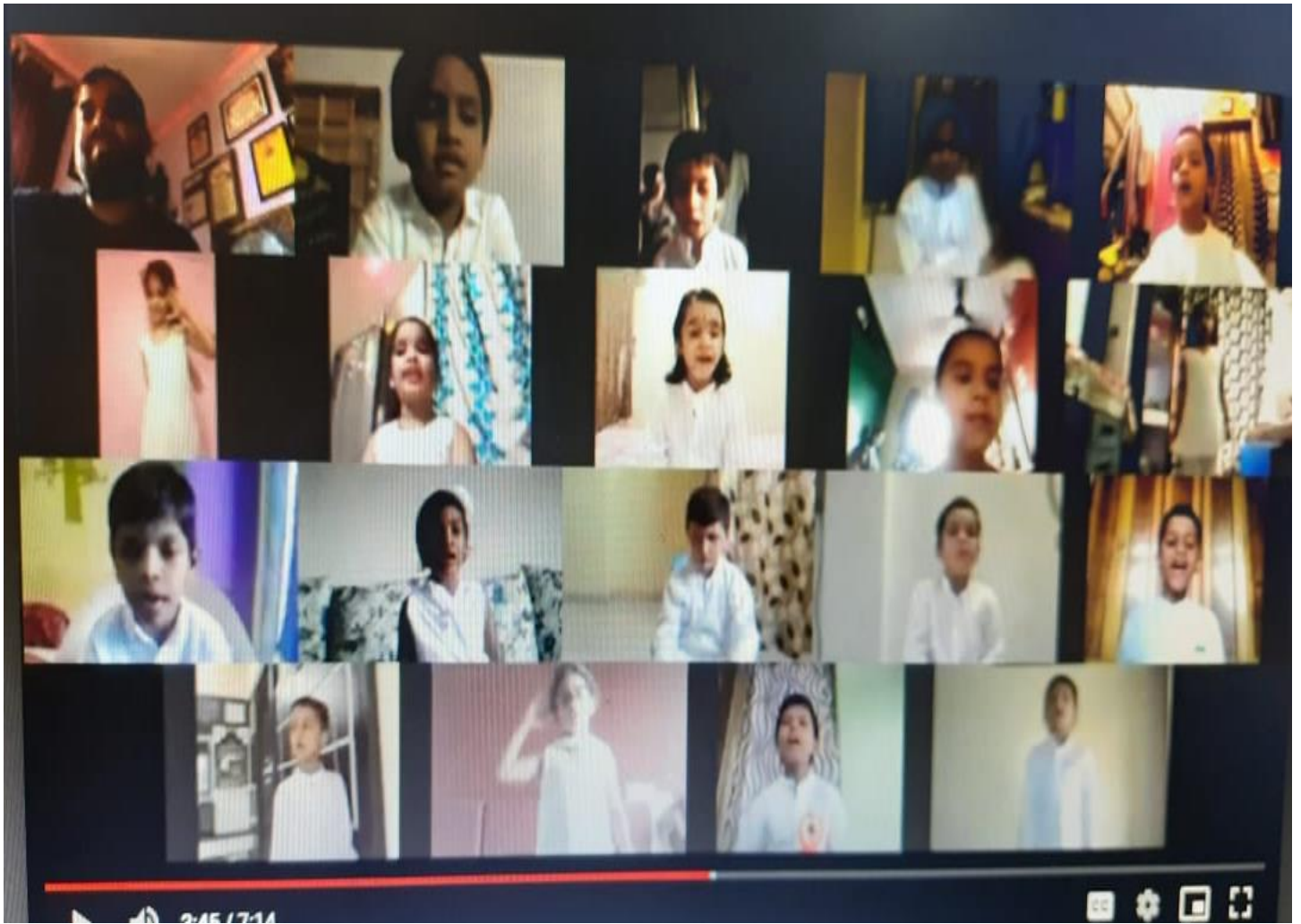
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VC: KALIDASA HOUSE



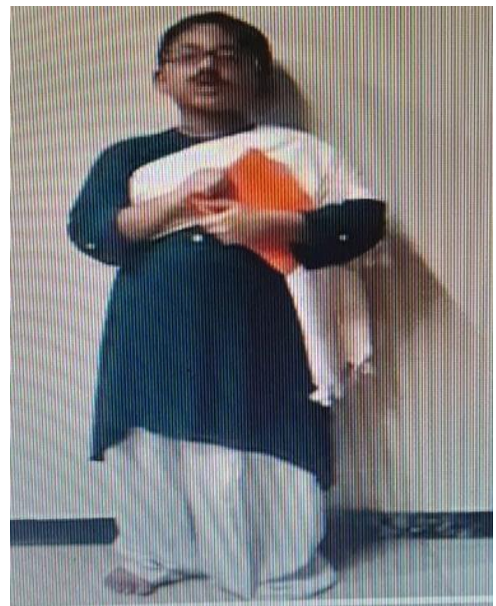
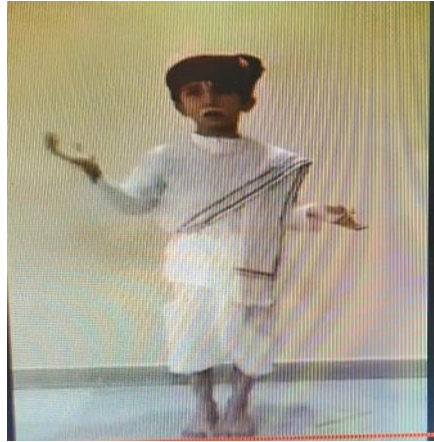
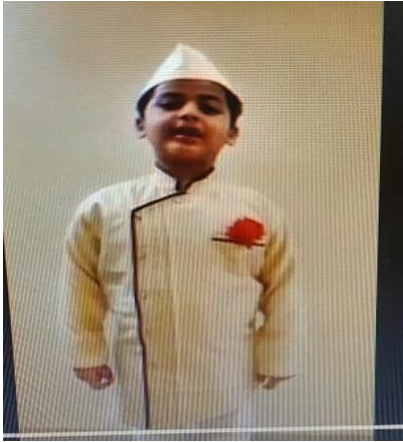
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VC: SUSHRUT HOUSE

GRADE I
STATES OF INDIA

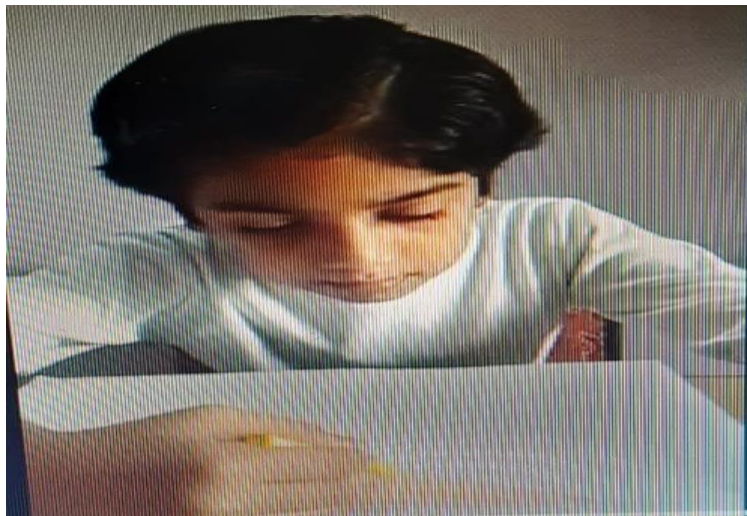
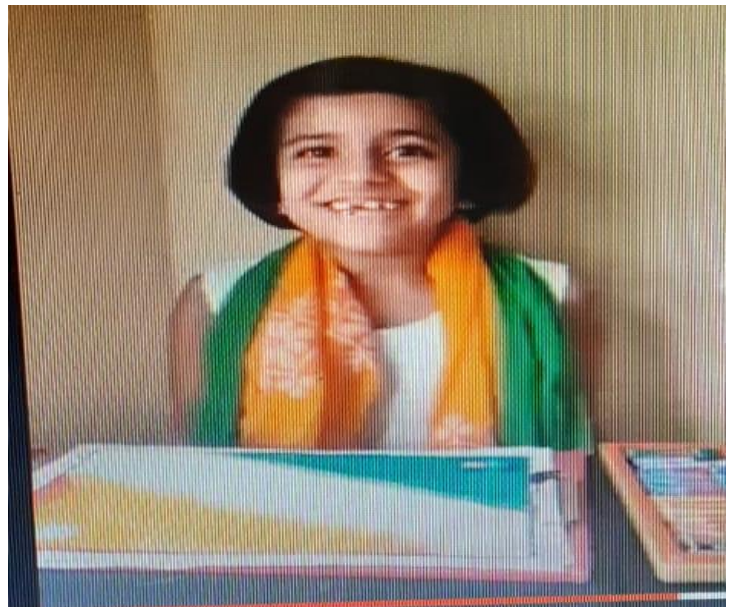
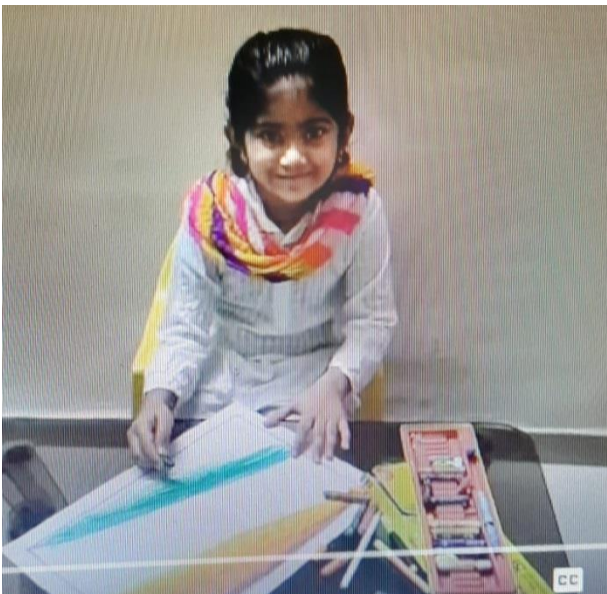




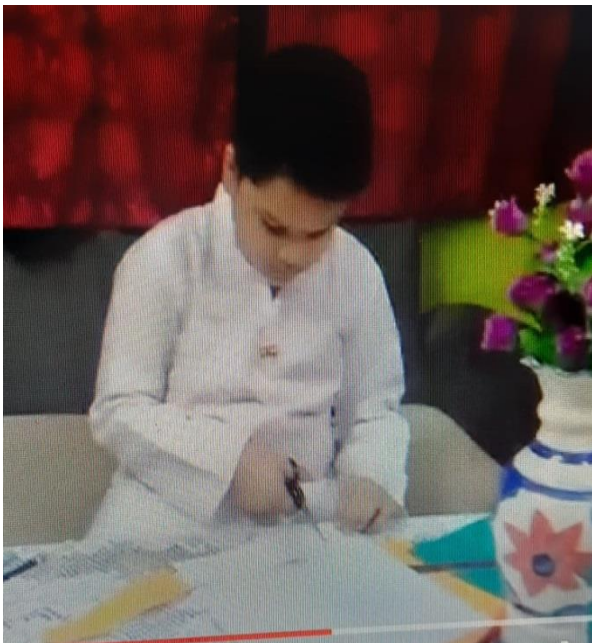
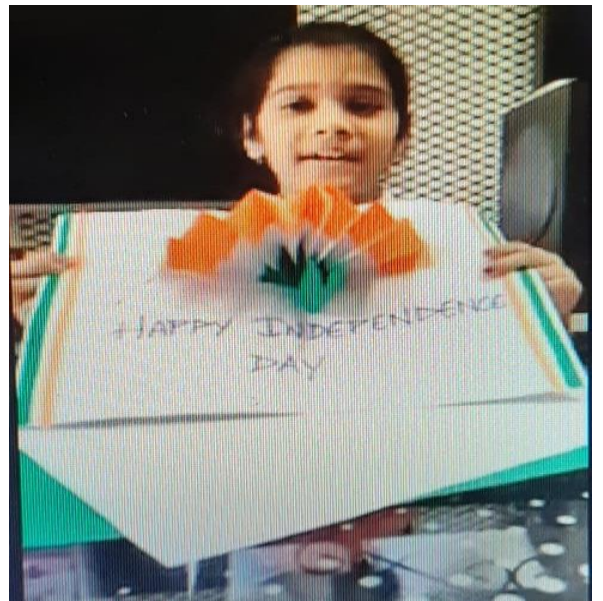
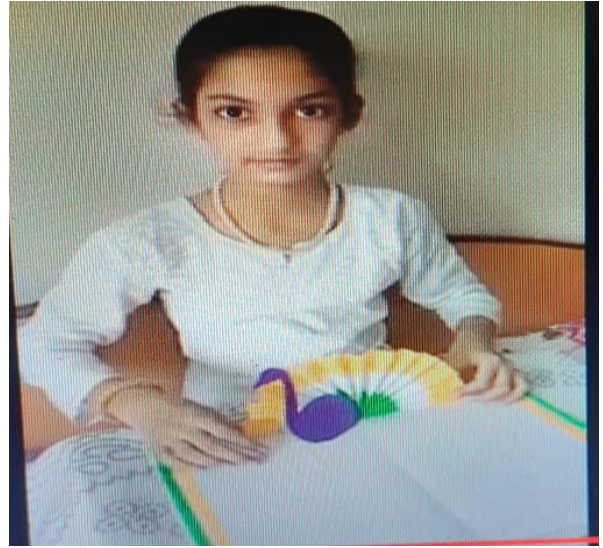
GRADE II
FREEDOM FIGHTERS OF INDIA



GRADE III
DRAWING ACTIVITY



GRADE IV
CRAFT ACTIVITY



GRADE V
INDUSTRIALISTS OF INDIA



GRADE VI
COOKING TRICOLOUR FOOD ITEM

