



The Bulletin

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Celebrating College Placements 2024

"The future belongs to those who believe in the beauty of their dreams." — Eleanor Roosevelt

We are humbled by the achievements of our students as they continue to strive for excellence. This year, from a graduating class of 33, three of our girls have secured full scholarships to Ashoka University. Additionally, 17 students from the batch have earned 100% scholarships to prestigious institutions.

With only two students opting for a gap year to prepare for NEET, the rest of the batch has successfully enrolled in colleges across the country, eager to continue their academic journeys.

Name	College	Course
Anamika	Ashoka University, Haryana	B.Sc. Computer Science
Rajita Rai	Ashoka University, Haryana	BA International Relations
Mehak Thapli	Ashoka University, Haryana	B.Sc. Psychology
Arushi	DIT, Dehradun	B.Pharm
Jyoti Koranga	BML Munjal University, Gurugram	B.Tech CS
Aakriti Rana	BML Munjal University, Gurugram	B.Tech CS
Anshika	BML Munjal University, Gurugram	B.Tech CS
Jyoti Mehta	BML Munjal University, Gurugram	BBA MBA Integrated
Kajal	BML Munjal University, Gurugram	BBA MBA Integrated
Riya Balooni	BML Munjal University, Gurugram	BBA MBA Integrated
Monika Rawat	BML Munjal University, Gurugram	BA Liberal Arts
Shivani Bisht	BML Munjal University, Gurugram	BA Liberal Arts
Vidya Negi	BML Munjal University, Gurugram	BA Liberal Arts
Hema Mehta	BML Munjal University, Gurugram	BA LLB
Ankita Bisht	BML Munjal University, Gurugram	BBA
Shrishti Rawat	BML Munjal University, Gurugram	BBA
Vaishali Pundir	Dyal Singh College, Delhi	BA History (Hons)
Tanuja	Azim Premji University, Bangalore	B.Sc. Environmental Science
Simran	Quantum University, Roorkee	BA Psychology
Chitra Rawat	Quantum University, Roorkee	B.Sc. Agriculture

Our Cadets Shine at Army Training Camp



Twenty cadets from Him Jyoti School attended an Army Training Camp at SBS University from 24th June to 3rd July 2024, where one of them earned the prestigious Best Cadet Award.

The camp focussed on weapon handling, field craft, and battle craft and helped them develop life skills, leadership, and teamwork, while fostering camaraderie.



Empowering Educators with AI



The new academic term began with an insightful AI workshop by EY, led by a Senior Training Consultant at NIIT. The session focused on integrating AI into education, providing teachers with practical knowledge and hands-on experience to enhance their teaching methods.

Alapana Meditation Session



The first day of school after vacation began with an Alapana meditation session, fostering a positive and focused mindset for the new term ahead. We believe mindfulness is key to holistic development, setting the tone for a successful school year.

*"The biggest adventure you can ever
take is to live the life of your dreams."*

— Oprah Winfrey

Kaleidoscope 2024



Him Jyoti girls participated in *Kaleidoscope 2024*, hosted by Kasiga School on July 20th. The girls showcased their creativity in clay murals, photography, mime, spot painting, and collage art, earning 2nd position in Poster Making with a piece on 'Uttarakhand Tourism'.



Session on Indian Knowledge System



Him Jyoti School hosted a session on the Indian Knowledge System, focusing on

traditional Indian food habits and their importance for health. Mrs. Jyoti Dhawan facilitated the enriching event. Dr. A. K. Singh and Dr. Kuldeep Datta shared valuable insights on the ancient Indian practices.



Students Recognized at Toppers' Conclave



At the Toppers' Conclave award ceremony organized by Divya Hingiri, Him Jyoti School students were honoured for their outstanding performance in Class 10/12 (2023-24). This accolade reflects the excellence and dedication of our school community.

"Education is the passport to the future, for tomorrow belongs to those who prepare for it today."

—Malcolm X





Career Counselling Session by IDC



iDream Career hosted a three-day career counselling session for our Class 10 and 12 students. Through personalized and group discussions, our students gained valuable insights into career paths to make various career choices.

Tree Plantation Drive

"Cultivating Green Spaces, Cultivating Minds"



In collaboration with the Eco Group Society, a tree plantation drive was conducted on 25th July. Our students enthusiastically planted 50 saplings of medicinal, fruit, and ornamental plants, contributing to a greener and healthier environment.



18th Manorite Invitational Table Tennis Tournament

"Magic is believing in yourself. If you can do that, you can make anything happen."



At the 18th Manorite Invitational Table Tennis Tournament held at St. George's College on 3rd and 4th August 2024, Him Jyotians showcased impressive skills. Priya Bisht and Sakshi Chadda were runners-up in the Under-16 and Under-19 categories,

respectively. Rekha Pawar and Anshika Brijwasi won their doubles match, and Sheetal earned the title of 'Most Promising Player.'



The event highlighted India's rich history and empowered attendees. Special thanks to Mrs. Jyoti Dhawan for facilitating this impactful session.



Celebrating India's Unsung Heroines



On 3rd August 2024, Him Jyoti School hosted a session titled "Celebrating the Heroic Women of India," organized by Shaswat Bharat. Colonel Vivek shared inspiring stories of unsung heroines like Rani Karnavati, Rani Abakka, and Rani Durgawati, and demonstrated self-defence techniques.

3rd Uttarakhand Javelin Competition



On 7th August 2024, seven students competed in the 3rd Uttarakhand Javelin competition at Maharana Pratap Sports College, organized by the Uttarakhand Athletics Association. They demonstrated remarkable skill

across various age categories, with top placements in both the Under 16 and Under 18 categories.



Space Science Quiz at Indian Institute of Remote Sensing



On 9th August 2024, 18 students visited the Indian Institute of Remote Sensing to explore the field of remote sensing. During the visit, Neha Danu excelled in an open quiz competition, emerging as one of the winners.

The quiz tested students' knowledge of space science and remote sensing concepts.

Top Honours at Inter-School Hindi Debate Competition



On 9th August 2024, Jyotsana Pant and Babita from Class 10 participated in an Inter-School Hindi Debate, hosted by Shri Ram Centennial School, Dehradun. Debating the topic "Artificial Intelligence can replace Human Intelligence," they competed against 18 schools and secured 1st position. Both were honoured for their exceptional performances.

Inter-House Patriotic Song Competition



On 9th August 2024, Him Jyoti School held an Inter-House Patriotic Song Competition, where each house performed stirring patriotic songs. Panchachuli House won 1st position with their soulful rendition of "Ae Mere Watan, Tujhe Meri Kasam," evoking a profound sense of national pride and unity.

Session on Plastic's Impact by Ecogroup Society



On 10th August 2024, a session on the 'Effects of Plastic on Climate,' was organized by the Ecogroup Society. The event featured a discussion on plastic's environmental impact, highlighting the 3Rs: Reduce, Reuse, and Recycle. The demonstration of creating eco-bricks from used plastic bottles inspired students to adopt sustainable practices and reduce plastic use.



Highlights included inspiring speeches, an NCC drill, a dance by Classes 7 and 8, and a patriotic song by Trishul House. Deeksha Joshi of Class 5B delivered a compelling speech on national unity. The day concluded with a vote of thanks by Academic Prefect Khushboo Aneriya.



Independence Day Celebration



On 15th August 2024, Him Jyoti School celebrated Independence Day with pride. The event began with flag hoisting by the Vice Principal, Ms. Bhagwanti Gupta, followed by the National Anthem.

Inter-School Dance Competition



On 15th August 2024, girls from Him Jyoti School participated in an Inter-School Dance Competition at the World Integrity Centre (WIC).

Their captivating freestyle performance, which seamlessly integrated yoga postures and pyramids to the powerful rhythm of 'Jai Ho,' earned them a well-deserved third position.

Engaging in thought-provoking debates they collaborated with students from across India and represented our school with passion and confidence.



Standing Tall at IIMUN Mumbai



Aditi, Pooja Dangwal, and Divya Negi from Him Jyoti School recently made their mark at the prestigious IIMUN conference in Mumbai.

Him Jyoti Students Make Their Mark at STEAM Science Decathlon



Six students from Him Jyoti School showcased their skills at the 5th STEAM Science Decathlon at Selaqui International School on 16th and 17th

of August 2024. They excelled in three categories, securing 3rd place in:

1. English Debate (Elevated Entropy)
2. Sudoku Grid Solving (Maths Dojo)
3. On-the-Spot Problem Solving (Salvage Slog)



in a captivating performance where the girls showcased their newfound skills, enhancing their cultural understanding and artistic abilities.

English Elocution at The Doon Girls' School



On 22nd August 2024, five students from Class 5 proudly represented Him Jyoti School at an English elocution competition at The Doon Girls' School. With the theme of 'Adventure,' the event featured 25 teams from various schools. This opportunity allowed our students to showcase their oratory skills and gain confidence as speakers.

Spic Macay Convention at Unison World School



From 22nd to 24th August, ten girls from Him Jyoti School participated in a 3-day workshop organized by Spic Macay at Unison World School. They explored 16 art forms, including Tabla, Kathak, Tie and Dye, Bharatanatyam, Theatre, and Kalamkari. The convention culminated



"The beautiful thing about learning is that nobody can take it away from you."
- B.B. King

Silver Fiesta Movie Review Competition



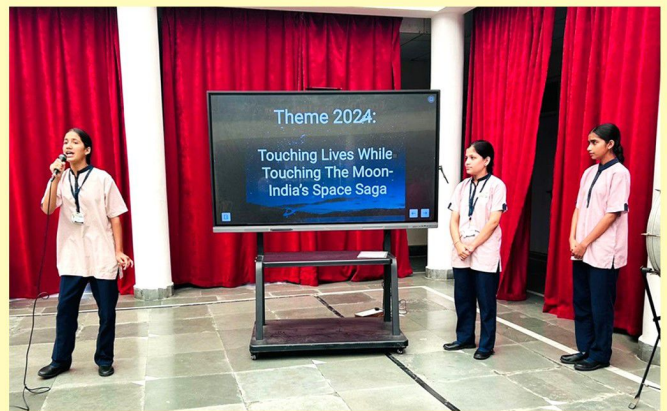
On 23rd August, four students represented Him Jyoti School at the 8th edition of the *Silver Fiesta Movie Review* competition at Kasiga School.

Their challenge was to review the impactful documentary "Elephant Whisperers." This opportunity not only sharpened their reviewing abilities but also deepened their appreciation for storytelling through film.

themed quiz, picture puzzles, and creative art projects. Class 6 created graphic novels on space themes, while Classes 7 and 8 took part in an art activity titled "Bharat on the Moon."



The day concluded with a workshop for Class 11 on the significance of National Space Day and the Chandrayaan 3 mission, followed by an interactive Q&A session.



Exploring the Cosmos: Celebrating National Space Day



On 23rd August 2024, Him Jyoti School celebrated National Space Day with engaging activities that sparked interest in space and astronomy.

Class 5 students participated in a space-

Class 7 Explores Postcrossing and Philately!

On 25th August 2024, Class 7 students at Him Jyoti School attended an engaging workshop about Postcrossing, picture postcards, and the art of letter writing. The highlight was a captivating display of stamps from India and around the world, enriching their appreciation for this unique hobby.

Janmashtami Celebration



On 26th August 2024, Class 8 students hosted a vibrant Janmashtami function to honour the birth of Lord Krishna. The event featured a captivating skit about his birth, playful mischief, and triumph over Kansa, complemented by beautiful dances and bhakti songs.



Shloka Recitation Competition



On 28th and 29th August, Him Jyoti School held a Shloka Recitation competition for the Middle and Senior

Wings, featuring five shlokas from the 6th Adhyaya of the Bhagavad Gita. Trishul House claimed victory in the middle wing, while Nandadevi House triumphed in the senior wing.

The competitions were judged by Ms. Bhagwanti Gupta and Dr. Jyoti Shrivastav, a distinguished Sanskrit scholar.



Outstanding Achievement at UNFOLD: An Inter-school STEM Competition



Our students showcased remarkable talent at the 1st Edition of UNFOLD, an Inter-school STEM competition held at Unison World School on 31st August 2024. The team secured 1st Runner-up positions in both rounds and the overall competition, demonstrating their dedication and skill in STEM.



"Success is not about being the best; it's about becoming your best."

– Mike Ditka



Inter-school Hindi Debate Competition



On 29th August 2024, four students represented our school at The Doon Girls' School in an Inter-school Hindi Debate Competition.

Competing in two categories, they passionately debated topics including "मतदान की आयु 18 साल से हटाकर 16 साल कर देनी चाहिए" and "नारी सशक्तिकरण आदर्श की कल्पना है, वास्तविकता की तस्वीर नहीं."

Teachers' Day Celebration



On 5th September 2024, students at Him Jyoti School organized a lively Teacher's Day celebration to show their appreciation for their teachers' dedication.



The theme, 'Fiesta Fun,' set the tone for a joyous event filled with engaging activities, including games, dances, and musical performances.

Capacity Building Workshop on Critical and Creative Thinking



Him Jyoti School organized a workshop for teachers on *Critical and Creative Thinking* under the aegis of CBSE. Teachers from various schools came together to engage in insightful discussions and interactive sessions aimed at enhancing teaching methodologies.



Alumna Inspires Climate Action



On 10th September 2024, we welcomed back our alumna, Manisha Arya, from the class of 2018, who conducted an enlightening session on Climate Change. Joined by her team from the National Youth Climate Consortium, she inspired our students to take meaningful steps toward improving the planet's climatic conditions.



Celebrating our educators



Three of our teachers were honoured by the Rotary Club for their commendable service during a special event held at the Doon Club in celebration of Teachers' Day. A special thanks to Dr. Farooq, our esteemed Board member, for this recognition. Hearty congratulations to Ms. Aishwarya Jakhmola, Mr. Dinesh Rawat, and Mr. Deepak Sindhwal for this achievement.



Celebrating Excellence in Hindi Writing



On 14th September 2024, five students from Him Jyoti School were awarded cash prizes by the Chief Minister of Uttarakhand for their outstanding performance in the *Hindi Lekhan* competition, as part of the Hindi Divas celebrations.

The event, organized by Uttarakhand Bhasha Sansthan, highlighted the students' exceptional writing skills and the importance of the Hindi language.



Cleanliness Drive



On 11th September 2024, Class 8 girls, accompanied by Mr. Dinesh Rawat and Ms. Mamta Rawat, took part in a Cleanliness Drive organized by Green Gurukul. While cleaning the areas around the school, the students also reflected on the harmful effects of pollution on our planet. This meaningful experience deepened their awareness of the need for responsible resource use and environmental care. They concluded the day with a pledge to contribute to a cleaner, greener earth.



Hindi Debate Competition at WIC: A Platform for Growth



On 14th September 2024, students represented Him Jyoti School in an Inter-School Hindi Debate at the World Integrity Centre, competing against six schools. Debating the topic "जब पैसा बोलता है तो सत्य मौन हो जाता है" the team secured third place.

All India Thal Sainik Camp 2024

A Class 9 student from Him Jyoti School proudly represented Uttarakhand (NCC Unit - 11 UK Girls' Battalion) at the All India Thal Sainik Camp 2024 in Delhi from 1st to 12th September. Engaging in various activities, including firing, she interacted with cadets from across India, making it a memorable experience.

"Education is the foundation of all we do in life. It shapes who we are and what we aspire to be." - Julie Payette



Glimpses of Life at Him Jyoti

