



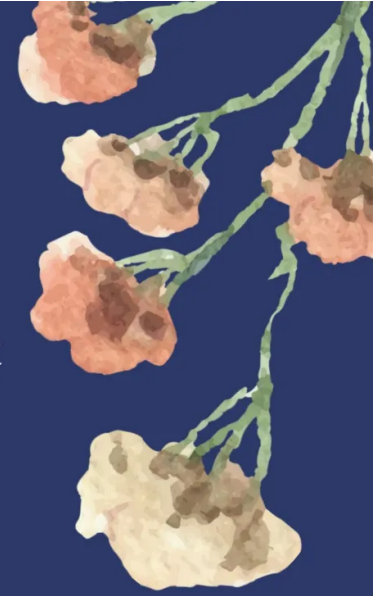
E-CHRONICLE



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Editorial Desk

As the present academic session comes to an end, it truly serves as a prelude to a fresh beginning. B.D.M. International has always catered to the holistic development of every student. Keeping this in mind, it had framed the curriculum and planned the activities and events with a promise to emphasize on the talents and interests of every student. It has been a phenomenal year full of activities, achievements, programs and events. Let us look back to relive the moments and cherish the memories with a hope to go beyond the boundaries to outshine and make a mark in our upcoming endeavours.



Pre-Puja Carnival 'Maa Aschen'

Students of various other play schools were invited to the campus to take part in different amusement activities and enjoy the same to the fullest, to celebrate the homecoming of Goddess Durga on the auspicious occasion of Durga Puja.



Agomoni

B.D.M.ians participated in the Sharod Utsav (Durga Puja, 2023). The students' engagement in a series of dance-drama, recitation, song presentation not only enables an effective learning environment but also makes it an enjoyable experience. Some members of the old age home, 'Nabonir' were felicitated with the token gifts made by the students.

Omkarnath Mission Parampara Mahalaya

The dance and music teachers and selected students of B.D.M.1 performed a dance and a medley on the theme 'Mahalaya - Awakening Shakti of The Divine Mother'. This was organised by the Indian Museum, Kolkata.



Celebrating Diwali @ BDM

An art/craft activity was organized in the classes to celebrate the festivals of light. The Senior Secondary students participated in Rangoli Making. The best chosen works were displayed by the Interact Club members and students of Upper Primary were encouraged to buy the same. The proceeds from this exhibition cum sale were donated to a few NGOs.

A cultural program was organized to commemorate the festival of lights & to focus on tips to stay safe during diwali.

Upper Primary students held a Diwali Mela where they made Rangoli, Banhaanwar and diyas

The secondary students and the students of Mass Media Studies presented a special assembly to spread awareness. The assembly was a fine composition of dance and music, aesthetically showcasing Indian traditions and values. There was an interactive quiz for the audience.



Uttarakhand Diwas

9th of November goes down in history as 'Uttarakhand Diwas'. To commemorate this day, B.D.M.1 represented the state at the 'State Day Celebration' at Raj Bhavan. The students participated with pleasure and emblemized the state with utmost zeal.



Swachata Abhiyan in Classrooms

As per directives from CBSE & Govt. of India regarding the Swachha Bharat Abhiyan, the students themselves took the initiative to clean their own classrooms & made the event a grand success.



Inter-House Extempore Activity

An Inter House extempore activity was organized for the students of Primary to enhance their talents on speaking skills. Valuable feedback was shared on how to improve the skill of speaking unprepared.



Constitution Day

The students read out the Preamble to our Constitution to celebrate the adoption of the Constitution of India. The Social Science Department also took the initiative to educate and enrich the students on The Indian constitution which was adopted on 26 November 1949.



Kindness Activity & Guru Nanak Jayanti

Kindness is a fundamental human value that plays a vital role in shaping the character of a child at an early age. The Pre-Primary wing observed 'Kindness Month' to celebrate World Kindness Day and Guru Nanak Jayanti.

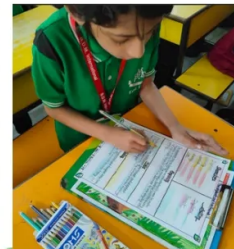


Each One Teach One

Since the month of August, student volunteers of Grade VII have been teaching one non-literate adult individually from their own community or their family. They have successfully made their adult learners realize the importance of being literate and introduced their adult learners to the world of literacy. The adult learners, on the other hand, have equally taken up this golden opportunity and agreed to learn to read and write their vernacular and do the basic calculations with numbers.

Book Fair

B.D.M. International hosted its Annual Book Fair which was the center of attraction for the Secondary and Senior Secondary students.



Craft Making

The KG students participated in craft making activities with recycled material.



Puja Craft Week

Students of Primary showcased their artistic skills while making beautiful craftwork related to Durga puja.



Story Mapping Activity

Students of Grade IV and V participated in this activity to learn & showcase their creativity on making stories with different hints and pictures.

Children's Day Celebration

To bring a smile to the faces of the students, the teachers came together and put up a mesmerising program which included song, drama, dance and poetry on childrens' day. A special assembly was also conducted by the teachers. The children were elated and that made the event a success. The students were overwhelmed and enjoyed the day.



Robotics Exhibition

A robotics exhibition was organized by the students to showcase the usage of robotics & AI in different real life scenarios & also to focus on the importance of AI in the emerging trends.



“Scifari” -Science exhibition in classrooms

A science and technology exhibition was organized in the classrooms of Grade III to V to showcase different aspects of Science using charts & models. Students from the senior classes visited the rooms to encourage the students.



Beyond- Science Exhibition

On 6.10.23 the Secondary and the Senior Secondary Department of Science along with the students hosted the Science exhibition at the Gemstone building auditorium . Chief guest Ms. Maitrayee Das Gupta officially inaugurated the exhibition. The Secondary students equally participated in developing innovative and attractive exhibits based on all spheres of science in and around us.



Kalrav

B.D.M. International basked in the glory of “Kalrav” ... a Fest with a difference for the pre primary students to showcase their talents and exchange ideas. The participating schools were Arun Nursery, BDM1, BHS Mukundapur, TVWS, Garden High School, DPS Ruby Park, Ruby Park Public School, Delhi World Public School, South City International School, Mahadevi Birla World Academy. The judges were Ms. Gitanjali Alagh Jolly, Eminent theater personality, event manager, director and Ms. Madhumita Chattopadhyay, Media Expert, teacher, former editor of Sananda Magazine. The Guest of Honour was Ms. Suman Sood and Special Guest was Ms. Reshma Bhattacharya. It was a fun filled day with smiling faces all around. The performers enthralled everyone with their startling performances. Every child went back with a token of love and appreciation.



Annual Concert

The Primary section of BDM1 witnessed a spectacular display of talent, where the synergy between the hard work and dedication of the teacher-mentors and the enthusiasm of the students contributed to the resounding success of "Rhapsody 2023." The Annual Concert of BDM1, showcasing an exceptional blend of music and dance that resonated with both the heart and the mind. The event lived up to its name, embodying an expression of enthusiasm. Prof. Dilip Shah Rector and Dean of student affairs, Bhawanipur Education Society College & Dr. Tania Chakraverty Dean of Students' Welfare, Diamond Harbour Women's University graced the occasion as The Chief Guest & The Guest of Honour.

The event was executed with absolute pomp and grandeur, leaving an indelible mark on the school's cultural calendar.



Third Expression Series Circular 133

The students of Upper Primary took part in The 3rd Expression Series for the academic session 2023-24 organized by CBSE on the theme “Disaster risk resilience & reduction: Role of Citizen”.

Christmas Assembly

Students of Toddler, Prep and KG participated in the Christmas Assembly. Christmas Carols, a small skit on Nativity and colorful dances by elves and reindeer mesmerized the audience.



Heritage Walk

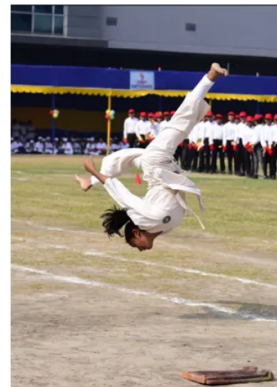
Ahava Communication organized ‘British Historic Walk’ for the students of VII and VIII of B.D.M. International. This was a great opportunity to witness some of the finest British mansions and monuments of Kolkata.



World Monkey Day

Tiny BDMians of Pre primary celebrated the World Monkey Day with a lot of fun and enthusiasm. Their favourite character Bubbles came to life with story-telling sessions in class to enhance public speaking. The famous five little monkeys were named and made to dance with them through puppet play. All activities were designed considering the NEP 2020 principle guideline of critical thinking and creativity to encourage logical decision making and innovation.





Annual Sports

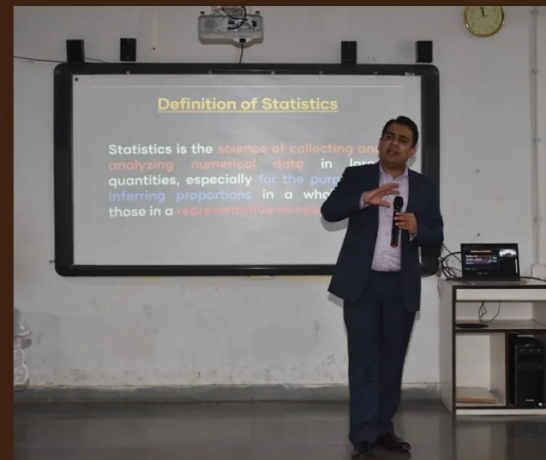
The Annual Sports Meet 2023-2024 of B.D.M. International was held on 10.12.2023. In the grand event, the students from Middle school to Senior Secondary level participated in a series of engaging activities and events which included House-wise March Past, Drills, Karate Display, Yoga, Inaugural Dance, various events like 100m sprint, sack race, relay race and more. The champions of the events were recognized with mighty laurels of honour. The Courage House was declared to be the winner.

Career Guidance Workshop

Times NIE group in collaboration with ERUDITE organized a career guidance related workshop 'IIM right after Class XII' for the students of Grade XII. The keynote speaker was Mr. Sagnik Adhikary from ERUDITE. Different career avenues and the prospective financial aspects were clearly highlighted by the resource person which enlightened the students to choose their career paths.

Workshop on DeltaStep

Parents of the Primary and Upper Primary students attended a workshop by DeltaStep to acquire knowledge on how DeltaStep will be able to help and enhance the interest of the students in the learning process.



Financial Literacy Workshop

A workshop on financial literacy initiative of CBSE was conducted by Khushboo Agarwal at the Indus Valley World School which was attended by teachers from different schools across the city.

Different finance techniques were discussed and the teachers received first hand knowledge about how to adopt different strategies so as to enjoy maximum returns.

Demo By Toon Demi

Pre primary teachers and the coordinator attended the demonstration by Toon Demi. A pilot run is in the process to test the usefulness of the App.



Collaborative Learning In Social Sciences

BDM1 participated in a workshop on Collaborative Learning in Social Sciences organised by Gokhale Memorial Girls' School. The workshop focused on the theme of 'River and its Associated Landforms.' Other participating schools were- Indus Valley World School and National High School.



The Librarians' Meet

The school librarian (Primary Section) attended The Librarians' Meet at the StoryTeller Book Store organised by the Penguin Random House. The guest authors were Devdutta Patnaik, the mythologist and Dipak Dalal, the author of the Vikram Aditya series of stories for boys and girls.



Steam Workshop

Selected students of Upper Primary attended a workshop on STEAM Experiential Learning organized by International S.T.E.A.M Research.



Communicative Skills Workshop For Teachers

The Upper Primary teachers attended a workshop on Communicative Skills. It was an interesting and interactive session where the teachers participated in various activities. The resource person was Ms. Reshmi Bose, an eminent Educationist, writer and lifestyle coach.



Capacity Building Workshop For Teachers

A capacity building workshop was organized by SGS International School, Baruipur, on behalf of CBSE for the teachers of different schools to enhance their capability to address the new emerging challenges. Ms. Payel Acharya and Ms. Archana Mishra attended this workshop.



Online Training For Teachers On Social Media And Cyber Security

As part of the online training series on 'Cyber Safety and Security', in the month of November, CRET-NCERT in collaboration with National Institute of Electronics and Information Technology (NIELIT) organized a five-hour long online training on "Social Media and Cyber Security" to enhance the understanding of teachers, students, teacher educators, and various stakeholders. The online training was live on NCERT official YouTube Channel.



CBSE Hub Of Learning Science Workshop

A workshop for the Maths teachers was held at the National High School. The teachers were given a briefing on the ways and techniques of teaching science in an effective manner.



Junior Doctors Hunt

This seminar with a visionary approach was aimed to empower aspiring Doctors to ace the NEET Examination. It was conducted by a team of Senior Doctors and Experts from PrepMed which believes in extracting results from every NEET aspirant irrespective of their past academic results. The students benefited to a great extent and gathered a lot of relevant knowledge and information from their interaction.



Awareness On E-Waste Management

A workshop on "Awareness on E-Waste Management" had been organised by the school in collaboration with Karo Sambhav, the audience being the Student Council members of the Secondary and Senior Secondary Department. Karo Sambhav, a part of India's E waste program in collaboration with other producers has collected the E waste and has sent the same to the formal recycling centres. BDM initiated a drive to collect e-waste from the students and get it recycled.

Mental Health is a Universal Human Right

The school counselors Asmita Sarkar and Anisha Karmakar attended a workshop on the theme 'Mental Health is a Universal Human Right' at Kalamandir, Kolkata. The workshop was organised by the Indian Association of Private Psychiatry West Bengal State Branch and Indian Psychiatric Society West Bengal State Branch in association with IMA Bengal State Branch. A discussion was held on 'Ragging - A Growing Concern'. The panelists were Dr. Santanu Sen, Dr. Sharmila Sarkar, Dr. Ranjan Bhattacharyya, Prof. Muktipada Sinha and Mr. Mukul Biswas.

CBSE Gymnastics National Championship

Adrija Roy of Grade VI has won a Bronze medal in CBSE Gymnastics National Championship.



CBSE Far East Zone Chess Championship 2023

The students of B.D.M.1 participated in the CBSE Far East Zone Chess Championship 2023 at Royal Global School, Guwahati and won the following positions -

U-14 Boys - 1st Position, U-14 Girls - 1st Runner Up & U-11 Mixed - 12th Position



CBSE National Team Championship 2023

Among 614 participants from 101 schools, B.D.M.1 secured 4th position in U-14 (Boys) and 5th position in U-14 (Girls) CBSE National Team Championship 2023 (Mixed). The program was organized by Gyanshree School, Noida. Rishan Debnath secured 2nd position in the individual category in the same competition.



U-14 Taekwondo, CBSE School Competition

Aishani Pramanik of Grade VII won U-14 Taekwondo, CBSE School Competition.





Painting Competition

A painting competition was organized by Aayakar Bhawan Govt Of India . BDM Grade XI students received two prizes. Abhigyan secured the 1st prize(gift voucher 2,500/-) and Soumita bagged the 4th prize(gift voucher 5,00/-)

Tata Building School Essay Competition

The Tata Building School Essay Competition was organized by Tata Group on 17 November 2023 at B D.M. International. Students from Grades VII & VIII took part at the junior level. The essay competition was conducted in Hindi language on the contemporary theme of the importance of Recycling and how one can adopt five (5) good habits to do the same.



Velocity 1.0.

"Velocity 1.0"- Business Idea Presentation 2023" was organised by the school on 7th Nov 2023 . This programme, featured eight teams, who expressed their innovative start-up ideas through their brilliant presentations. The 8 competing groups were judged by practising company secretary Mr. Nikhil Israni and Soft Skills trainer at ICAI and CA Ms. Anjana Agarwal. The judges were the alumni of B.D.M International. The Additional Secretary, IT&E Dept. and State Information Security Officer, Mr. Sanjay Kumar Das graced the event as the Chief Guest.



Event- ThinQ Quiz

ThinQ Quiz was organized by Indian Navy. Sabyasachi Laskar (X) and Homagni Prakash Ghosh (XI,) had qualified for the 2nd round.

Logiquids Reasoning Test

A general reasoning & aptitude test in MCQ mode was organized by BDM in association with LogiQuids to boost up the knowledge of students outside their usual curriculum.

Hindi Olympiad

The International Hindi Olympiad organised by Hindi Olympiad Foundation was held for Grade VIII and IX.

SOF Examinations

The students of Primary to Senior Secondary wings participated in different SOF examinations like IGCSE, IEO, NSO, NCO, ISSO and ICO throughout the session.



Vigyan Avikshya 2023

In order to increase the knowledge of science & technology among the students, the 24pgs (S) unit of Paschim Banga Vigyan Mancha had conducted an examination in the designated centers of Paschim Banga Vigyan Manch.



SWACHHATA PAKHWADA - Poster Making Campaign on 29 September 2023

Young minds of B.D.M. International with a focus on the issues and practices of Swachhata (Cleanliness) participated in the Poster Making Campaign on 29 September 2023 organized by The Activity Club of Victoria Memorial. B.D.M. Ian Chirantan Halder of Grade VIII received the 3rd prize in the competition for his unique portrayal of "Swachhata Hi Seva"!



You matter Your mind Matters: an initiative by 'Caring Minds'

The Students of B.D.M. International received awards in one of the most prestigious award ceremonies 'You matter Your mind Matters' organized in the City of Joy on 15 October, 2023 at The Bengal Stateroom of ITC ROYAL Bengal. 'Love You Zindagi' an initiative of 'Caring Minds' was hosted by Ms. Minu Budhia, the psychotherapist and Mr. Sanjay Budhia. In every genre, the winner(s) received a cheque, a memento and a trophy. The prizes were handed over to them by noted personalities and celebrities from the world of music, movies and politics.



Lok Nritya Dhara 2023

Selected students of B.D.M.1 participated in 'Lok Nritya Dhara 2023' an interschool Indian Folk dance competition at Bharatiya Vidya Bhavan, Kolkata.



Bengal Chamber of Commerce

Souptika Bhattacharya participated in an interactive session organised by the Bengal Chamber of commerce. The deliberation was on the topic Collaboration and partnership for effective CSR.

Telegraph Debating Star Of The Year

Srijita Roy of Standard X took part as a semi-finalist in Bengal School Debating Star of the Year conducted by Telegraph Young Metro in association with Calcutta Debating Circle. It was conducted at Narayana School New Town. Around 378 contestants all over West Bengal sent their videos in the Prelims round which was conducted virtually. Out of all these nominations, only 16 debaters were shortlisted for the semi-finals. Srijita Roy was amongst them. The Motion of the Debate in the semi-finals was 'Vernacular should be prioritized over English in schools.' She spoke against the motion and was awarded with the Participation Certificate.

British Council Primary English Test

Selected students of Primary and Upper Primary wings took an English Aptitude test conducted by the British Council.

Chandrayan 3 Mahaquiz

B.D.M. International feels proud to announce that Samrat Bhattacharya of XII SCIENCE has achieved an All India Rank of 25 out of around 40 Lakh students who participated in the 'Chandrayan 3 Maha Quiz' hosted by Government of India in October 2023. He is one of the 50 students who has been invited to visit the ISRO campus in addition to receiving a cash prize and a certificate signed by Dr S.Somnath, the Chairman of ISRO.





India STEM Education Award

B.D.M. International won the trophy for the category 'Outstanding Initiative of the year in Robotics' at the India STEM Education Awards, New Delhi.



B.D.M. International - Outstanding Initiative of the Year in Robotics - India STEM Education Awards, New Delhi, 2023

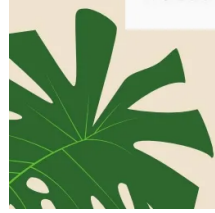
Education Today - India School Merit Awards 2023 No.1 in Kolkata | No.1 in West Bengal | No.2 in India



B.D.M. International is Ranked No.2 in India, No.1 in West Bengal & No.1 in Kolkata under the Category - Top 20 CBSE Schools in a survey conducted by Education Today.

Excellence Award

Ms. Neha Dhanuk won the Excellence Award for being an Outstanding Entrepreneurship Teacher by iLead, a business school of repute. The award function took place on 25th November 2023 at ilead Auditorium, Kolkata.



Media Speaks



B.D.M. International
Media coverage
on Times Nie
11th October 2023

Teachers' Day
Celebrations
2023





Media Coverage 2023



B.D.M. International
Media Coverage on Times Nie
on 16th October 2023

Kids Carnival at BDM International

Media Coverage 2023





B.D.M. International
Media Coverage on Times Nie
on 19th October 2023

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Media Coverage on Times Nie
on 7th November 2023

BDMI students play the Good Samaritan

Media Coverage 2023





B.D.M. International - Media Coverage on Samanyu Raiivaryya on 8th October 2023

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B.D.M. International - Media coverage on Telegraph Young Metro on 17th November 2023

Shatranj 2023 Inter-school chess tournament

What's the right move

Media Coverage 2023





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Media coverage on Times Nie on 23rd November 2023

Diwali Celebration at B.D.M.I.

Media Coverage 2023





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Media coverage on Telegraph Young Metro on 30th November 2023

Inclusion and festive flavour in the air

Media Coverage 2023





B.D.M. International
Media Coverage on Rajasthan Patrika 18th October 2023

ढाक की थाप पर गीत-नृत्य के साथ मां दुर्गा का स्वागत

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