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New Shoots

The Ambience Newsletter



Dear Children

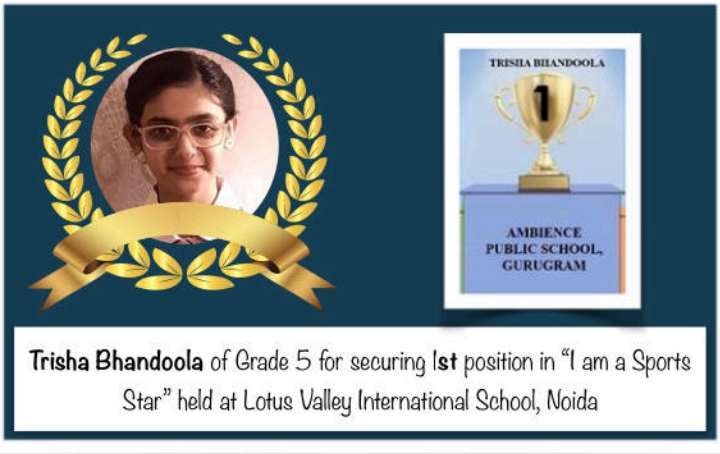
I want to share, excerpts from Amanda Gorman's poem,' The Hill We Climb" which she had read out at the inaugural ceremony of the American President Joe Biden and Vice President Kamala Harris. Amanda is National Youth Poet Laureate and the youngest inaugural poet in U.S. history. Although written in context of the situation prevalent at that point in America, I find the poem is very relevant and inspirational. Hope you enjoy it too!

The Hill We Climb

When day comes we ask ourselves,
where can we find light in this never-ending shade?
The loss we carry,
a sea we must wade.
We've braved the belly of the beast,
We've learned that quiet isn't always peace,
and the norms and notions
of what just is
isn't always just-ice.
And yet the dawn is ours
before we knew it.
Somehow we do it.
Somehow we've weathered and witnessed
a nation that isn't broken,

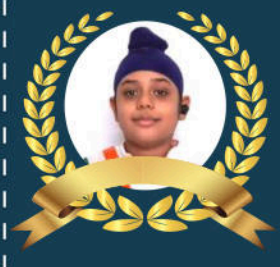
but simply unfinished.
And so we lift our gazes not to what stands between us,
but what stands before us.
We close the divide because we know, to put our future first,
we must first put our differences aside.
We lay down our arms
so we can reach out our arms
to one another.
We seek harm to none and harmony for all.
Not because we will never again know defeat,
but because we will never again sow division.
Scripture tells us to envision
that everyone shall sit under their own vine and fig tree
and no one shall make them afraid.
If we're to live up to our own time,
then victory won't lie in the blade.
But in all the bridges we've made,
that is the promise to glade,
the hill we climb.
If only we dare.

"AMBIENCE LAURELS"

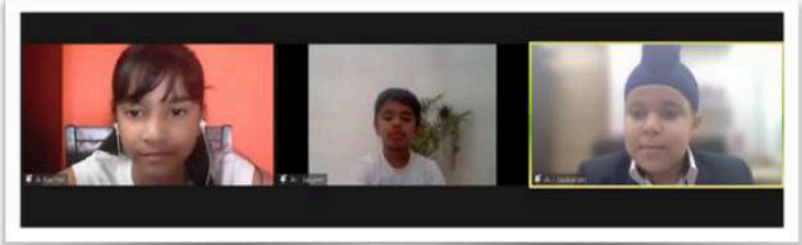


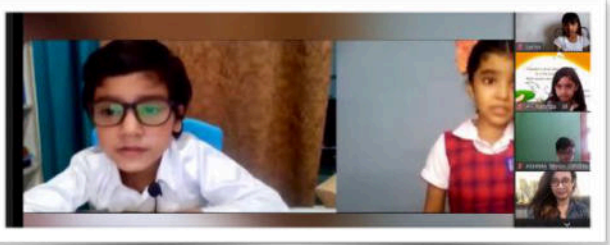
Trisha Bhandoola of Grade 5 for securing **Ist** position in "I am a Sports Star" held at Lotus Valley International School, Noida

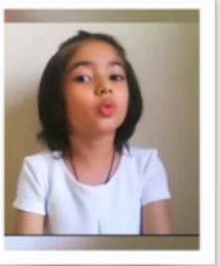
Naamdeep of Grade 5 for securing **4th** position in "Technodium -Artistry Hunt" held at DPSI

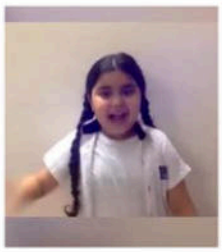


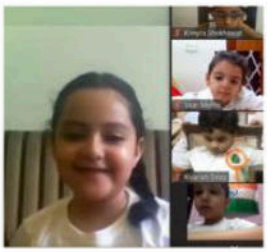
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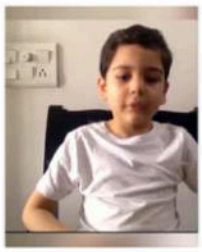


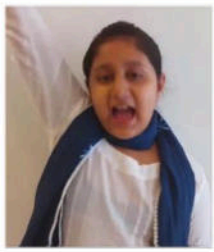


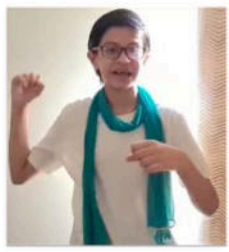




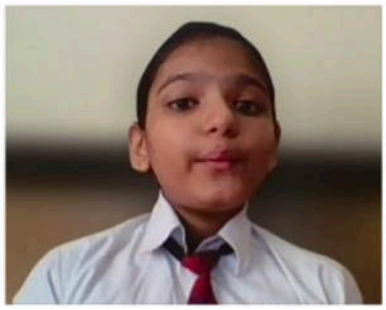


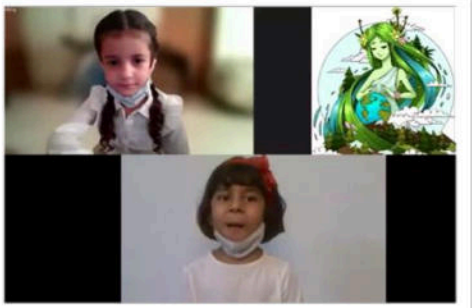












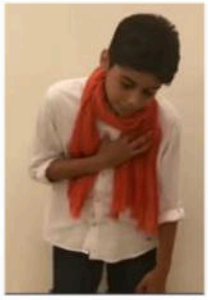












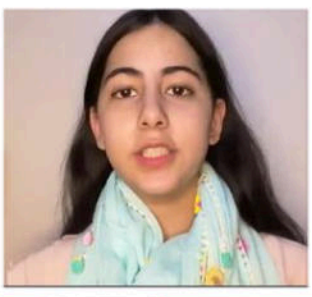








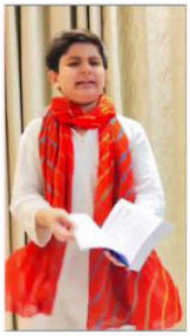







Mohnish's Mother








Ridhaan's Mother


Naamdeep's Mother


Jiyansh's Mother


Navya & Vats Mum


Aisha's Mother


Shreyaan's Mother


Atharva & Anika's Mother


Navya & Vats Mother


Aggrata's Mother


Madhav's Mother


HOW DO WE GET
FREEDOM
FROM ALL
OF THESE?


Hind


FREEDOM
FROM
EMR












Aggrata
Gargi
Kashish
Taara
Aadya




Fur looks best on its
ORIGINAL
OWNER
Pamyra
Thakran


SHOW CARE FOR US WE CARE FOR YOU
Mohnish Dutta

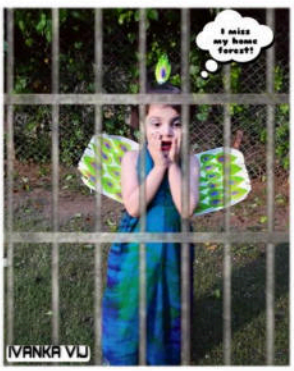

I can't speak for
myself,YOU are my
VOICE
Panaaz
Thakran

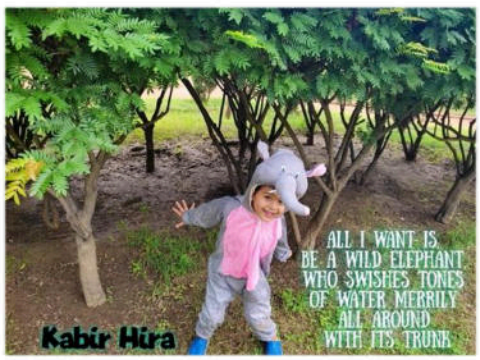

DON'T CAGE US SET US FREE
ADIDEV KHANNA


INTELLIGENT
&
SMART
Dolphins love
their FREEDOM
VIAAN SINGH
Nursery


SHOOT US
with CAMERAS,
Not GUNS
Kabir Arora




I miss
my home
forest!!
VANKA VU


ALL I WANT IS
BE A WILD ELEPHANT
WHO SWISHES TONES
OF WATER MERRILY
ALL AROUND
WITH ITS TRUNK
Kabir Hira


Wanna come and
swim with me


Lets set them free!!
SAY NO TO CAGING
AARNA SETH


I am a playful fish
Dolphin
Mishka
Khandelwal


DON'T KILL THE BEAUTY OF THE JUNGLE
AYAANSH KHANNA


Wild & free,
That's the way to be..
Save our reptiles
KANISHKA LOHIA

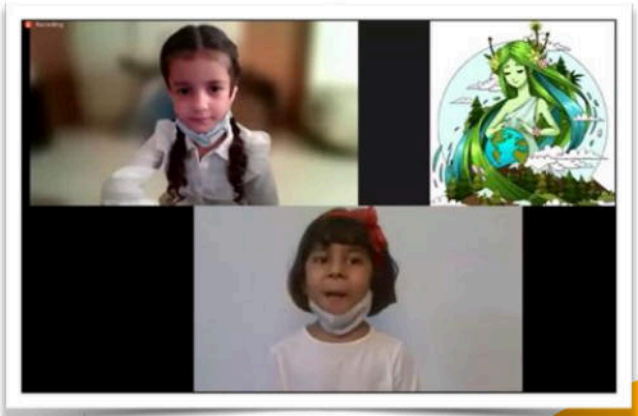

BEAUTIFUL,
WILD
&
FREE
SIRAT MEHTA


NITARA SINGH
Out in open-fun and
fearless


Do Not Use This
If You Love Me
AYMAN SHERIFF


When a Tiger walks free
In its natural habitat
Nature feels Proud





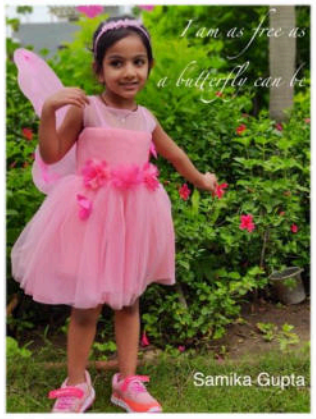


The open spaces I used to roam -
they were my home.
Running wild, the sun and moon -
they were my guide.













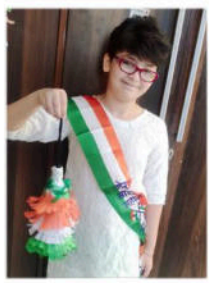




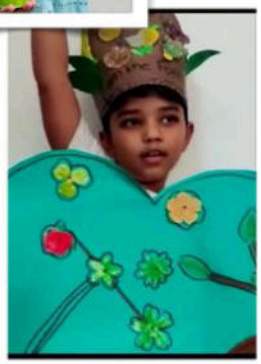


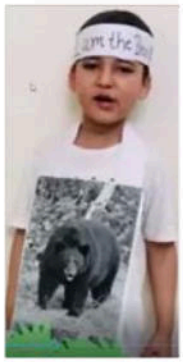


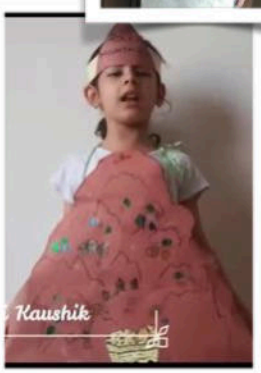




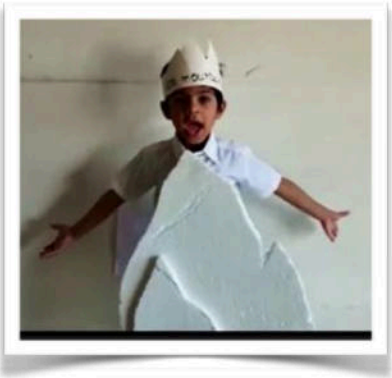




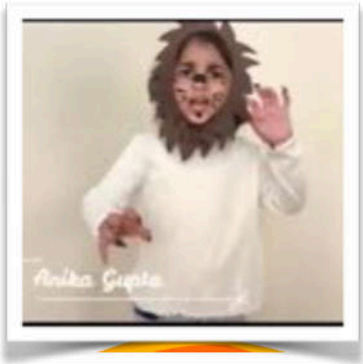


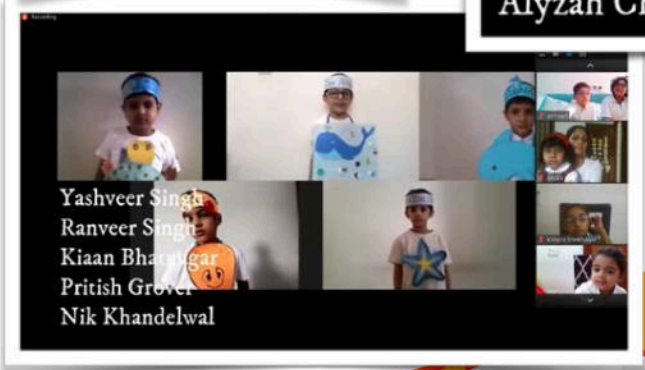







Viya Guaba
Rashi Jain
Alyzah Chowdhury


Anika Gupta


Yashveer Singh
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Kiaan Bhargavgar
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Heyansh Yadav
Janak Tawar
Kiyaan Daangi





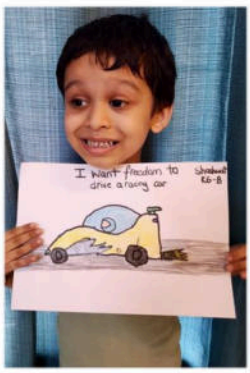




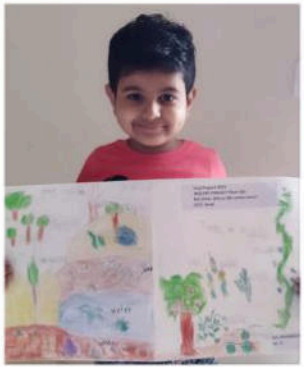




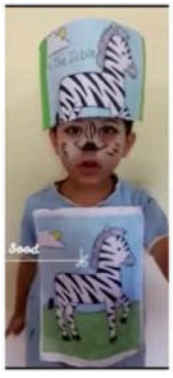



I want freedom to drive a racing car

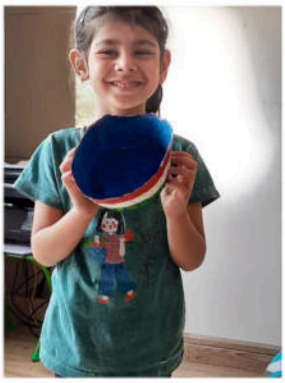





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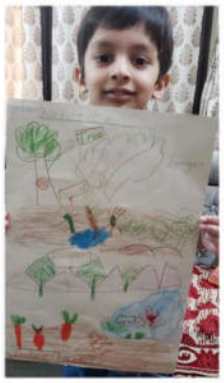






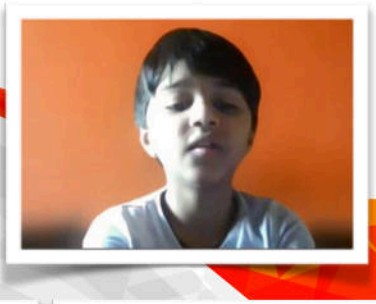




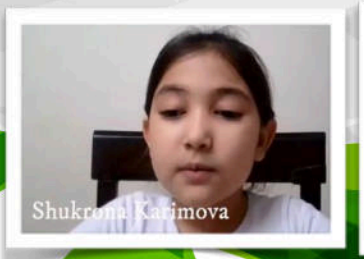


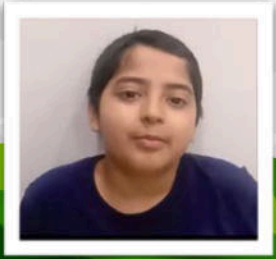
Freedom with Responsibility

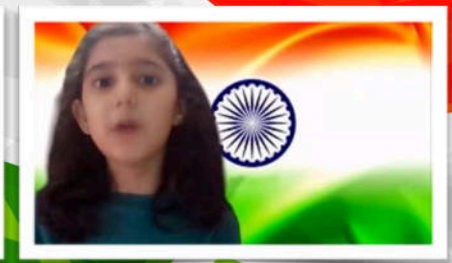


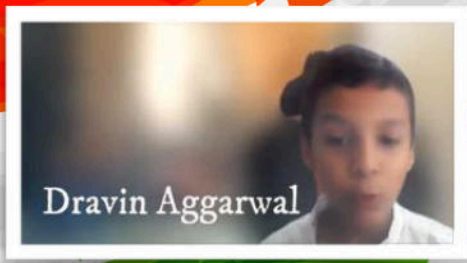


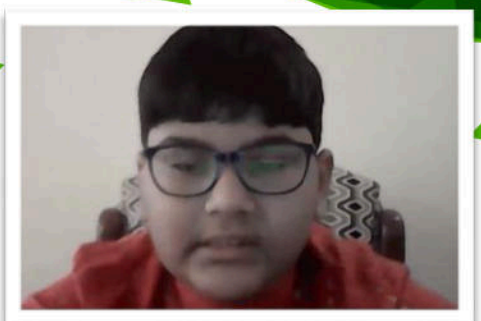


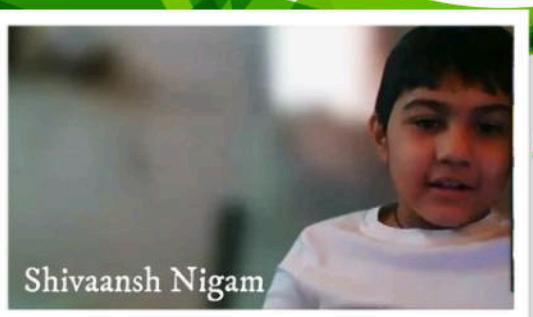


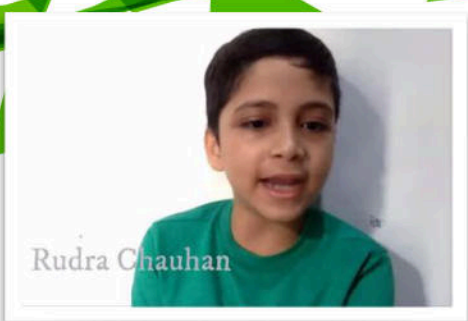












When I have the freedom to choose, I think
I'll be a detective
With a skeleton key.
I could be a soldier

And a sailor too
I can be a keeper
At the public zoo.
I can be an astronaut, going up to the sky
I'll tell you when I fly really high
A teacher, a doctor
An artist of make-up
I wonder what I'll be

Swim through the seas
Walk through dense tiny forest
Risk our life many and over times
To reach the destination where all joy lies
They say I am free like a bird
But I need to trim my wings and change my flight
They say I am free like air
But I need to watch my speed and see where I am heading to settle

Travel to the place
Where we have enough space, Work without race,
No tension on face.
Travel to the place
Where we can dance,
Sing at glance,

Bit of too time to take a chance. Travel to the place
Where we have silence, Flower of fragrance,

And nature to admire.
Freedom is to wonder the whole world and explore what wonders it has Freedom is to travel the place where mind is set to peace
No one can see
Feel us free,
But always remind yourself to do it responsibly.

With freedom comes responsibility
And Freedom of speech has so many
We cannot just say what we want to say
Whatever the place, the reason or the way
We cannot just throw every verb and pronoun
All adverbs and adjectives just spread around
Life is not a circus, we think before we act,
We must write what we know as the truth and fact. Freedom of speech requires responsibility
It must regard rights of others to be truly free.

Freedom...

It comes with a partner, responsibility

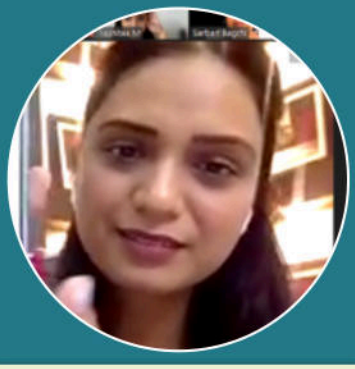
With freedom comes a lot of responsibility

If you want to experience more freedom in your life... You must take more responsibility for your choices.

Lastly, we've got to keep waking each other up- Freedom comes with responsibility!

Freedom comes with responsibility
Take time every day to honor those who gave their lives for this,
For this freedom to speak, to travel, to settle, to choose your profession, to be seen.

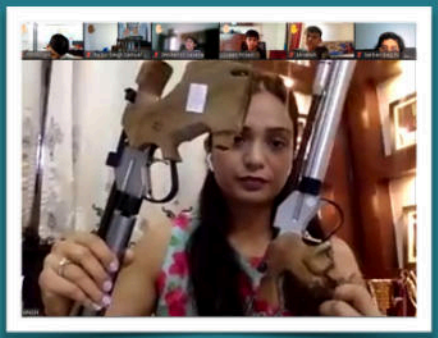
"The Shooting Star"



Ms. Shweta Chaudhry

Back in 2014, shooter Shweta Chaudhry gave India its very first medal on the opening day of the 17th Asian Games. She is an Indian shooter and participated in the 10m Air Pistol event. Ms. Shweta met the learners of Grade 1 as well as Grade 3 and spoke about the significance of discipline, routine and hard work and how they led her to getting the numerous medals she has received in her sports career.







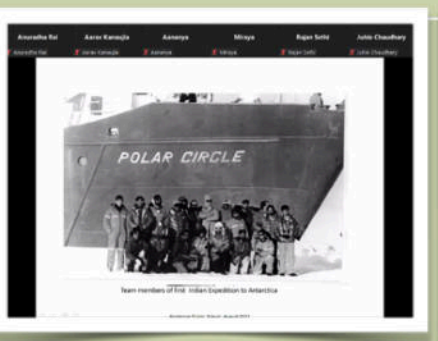
"Conquering the Antarctica"

Ms. Aritri Sanyal, is a marine scientist working at the National Centre for Polar and Ocean under the Ministry of Earth Sciences. Aritri is a biologist specialized in studying about glaciers and visited Antarctica in November 2018. In her presentation, she talked about the research work carried out by the Indian scientists on glaciers which naturally includes Antarctica. The session captured the history of Indian expedition to Antarctica, why glaciers need to be studied, glimpses of her own visit to Antarctica, the state-of-the-art Indian facilities in Antarctica, and the animals she saw in her field of work! Most importantly she emphasized on the importance of effort, perseverance, teamwork and collaboration which are the essential elements of such expeditions.



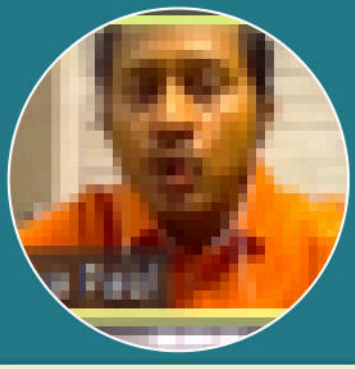
Ms. Aritri Sanyal







"Coal & Petroleum"



Mr Anindya Paul

Mr Anindya Paul, an electrical engineer with 26 years of experience in the field of power plants, oil & gas, mining projects in India and Middle East Asia, USA, Canada and Kazakhstan visited learners to share his knowledge on Petroleum extraction and processing. He talked about how engineers work in different kinds of offshore and onshore oil fields/mines and the challenges as well as the excitement of it.





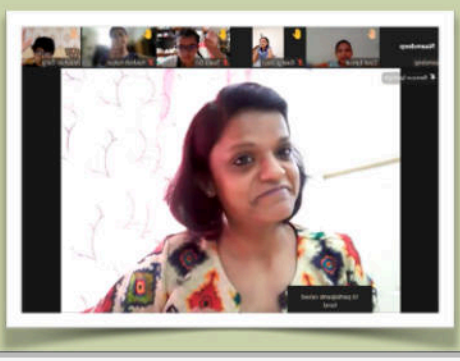


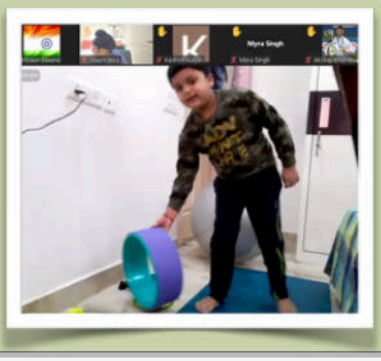
"The Healing Touch"

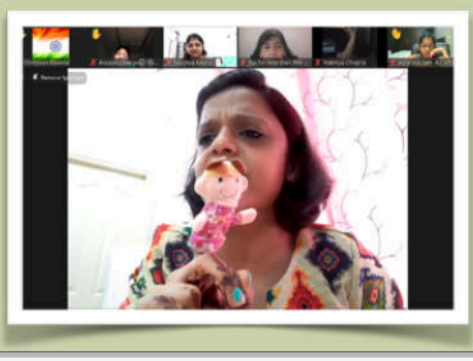
'The Healing Touch', by Dr. Neha Gaur, a physiotherapist with 16 years experience of healing her patients was one of our guest speakers for freedom with responsibility. In her speech she introduced the kids to physiotherapy with a finger puppet show. She told about her journey as a student, as a doctor, her responsibilities as a doctor to heal her patients and make them fit. She took us to a real time tour through her physiotherapy clinic. She also demonstrated use of various physiotherapy equipments. She emphasized on our responsibility towards ourself to stay healthy and fit, and to create awareness about the same within our family.



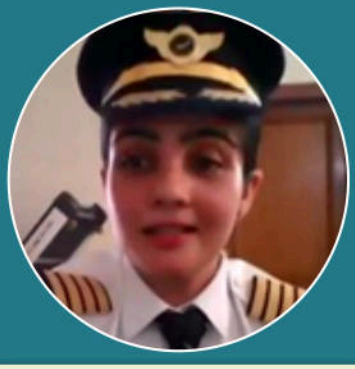
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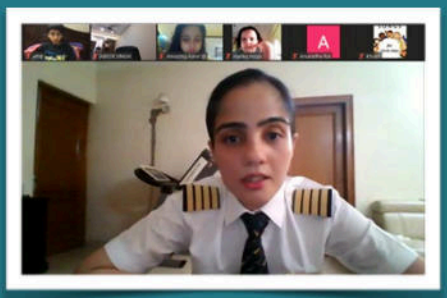


"Where the sky is the Limit



Capt. Bhavna Kaul

Capt. Bhavna Kaul came to meet our learners of grade 2. During the session, Capt. Kaul, who flies Boeing 320 Air India, spoke to the children about aircraft operations and her responsibilities as a pilot. She talked about the freedom the learners enjoy as children, and how to make sure they exercise this freedom responsibly. She also encouraged children to pursue their dreams and work towards reaching their goals. She inspired them to love their studies and to take care of their health to succeed in their careers. Students asked many questions about her profession and experience.







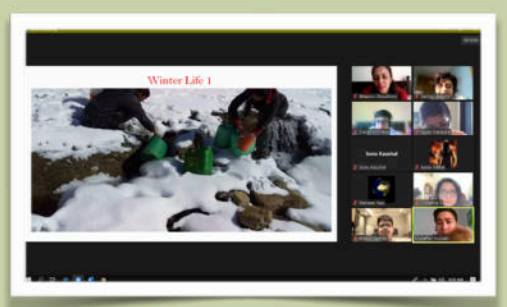
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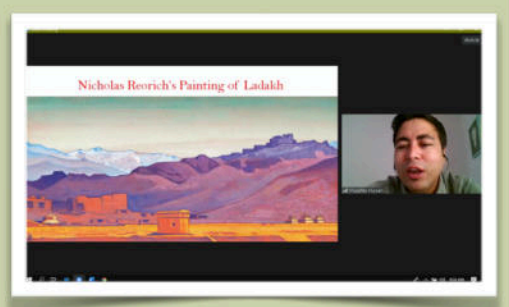
Asst Prof Muzaffar Hussein, is currently working in the Political Science department of Maulana Azad National Urdu University, Hyderabad. During the session, Mr. Hussein spoke about the connect between freedom and responsibility. Freedom for him is essential to live a dignified and happy life and to achieve our potentialities and goals. He emphasized that freedom must be exercised with an understanding of the consequences of our actions. Human beings must realize their responsibilities towards other human beings, the environment and the future generations (sustainable development). Mr. Hussein also gave the learners glimpses of life in Ladakh, situated in a harsh terrain and climatic zone. He talked about the lifestyle and economy of Ladakhi people which are an example of harmonious coexistence with their natural surroundings.



Asst Prof Muzaffar Hussein







Our Lovely feathered Friends !



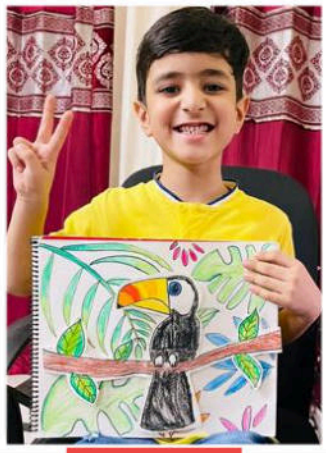
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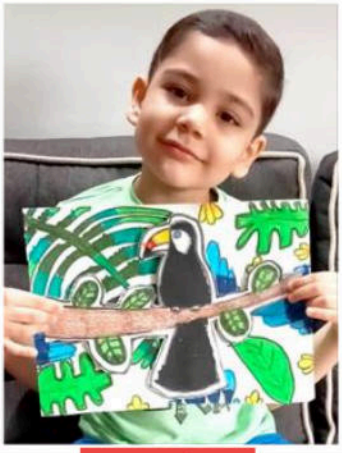
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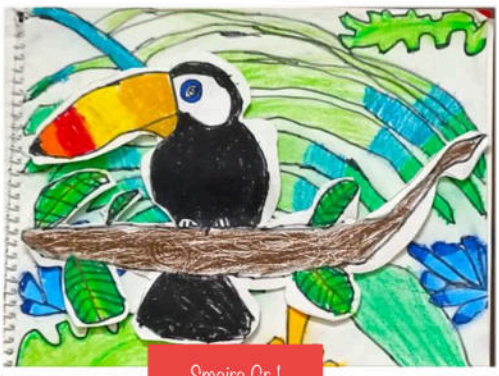
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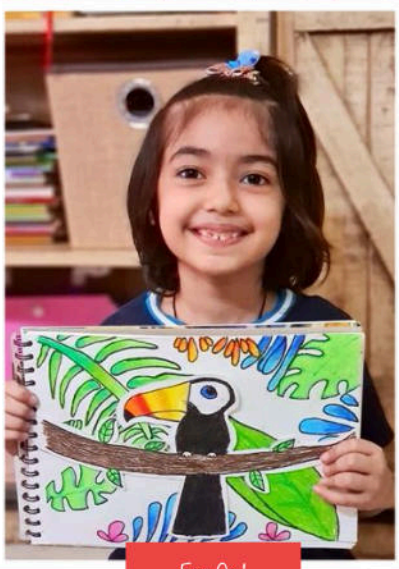
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Eva Gr 1

Did you Know ?!?

- Toucans spend more time hopping than flying
- Toucans Make Many Noises
- Toucans use their beak to peel and eat different kinds of fruit





Miraya Gr 2



Rudraveer Gr2



Dhruv Gr 2



Ashvik Gr 2



Larisa Gr 2



Harika Gr 2



Aksha Gr 2



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Triyansh Gr 3



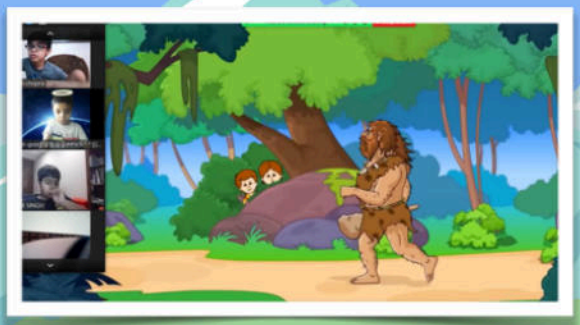
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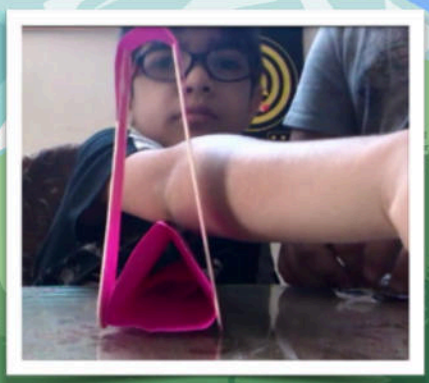
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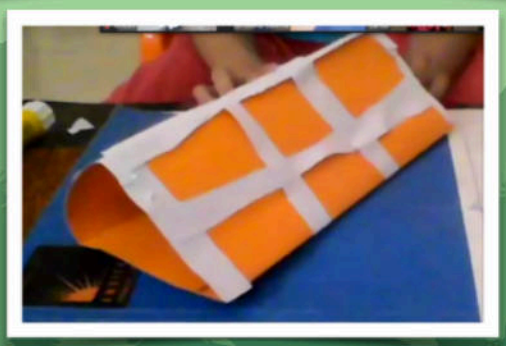
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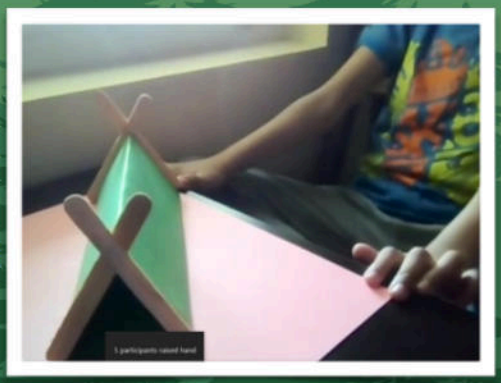
Learners of Grade 2 & their Camping craft - Learning about nomadic life and temporary homes





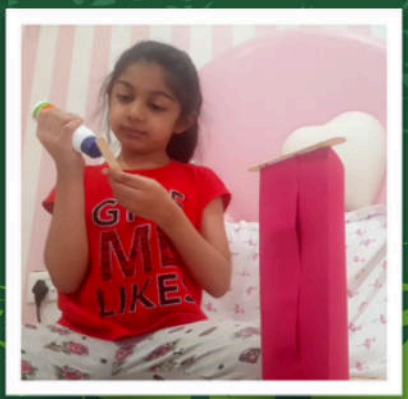


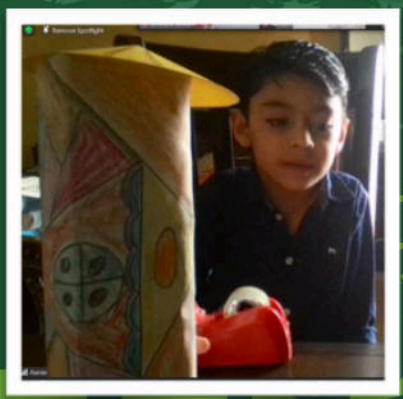










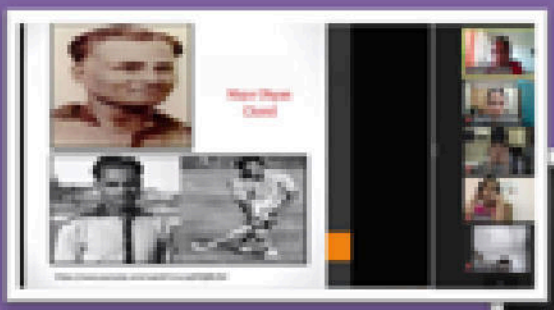


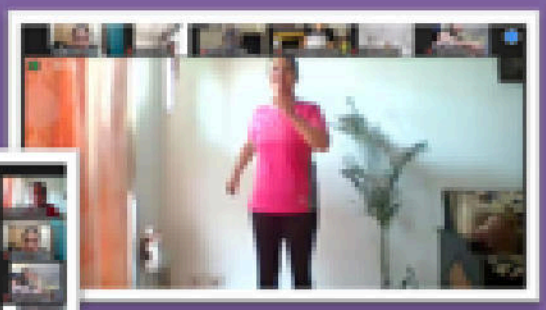




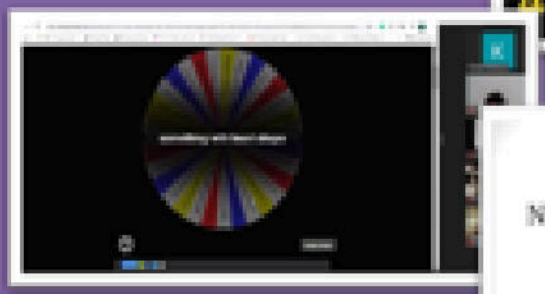


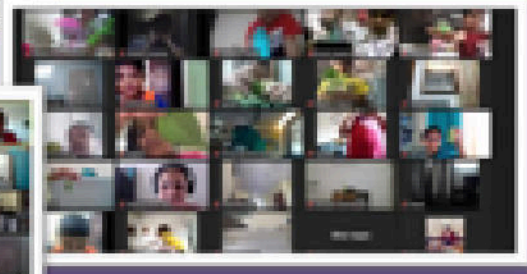
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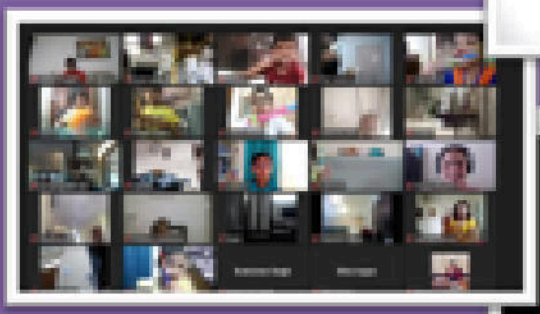


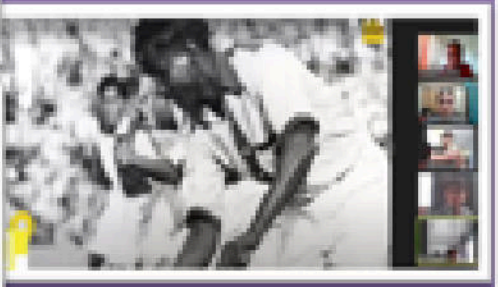


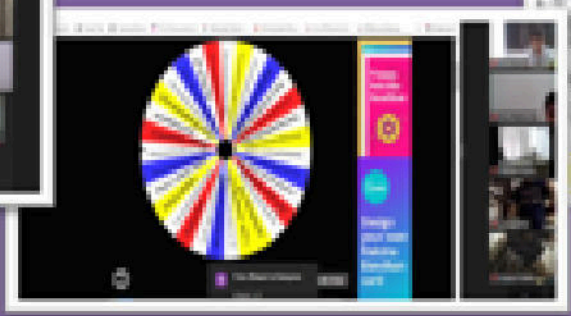




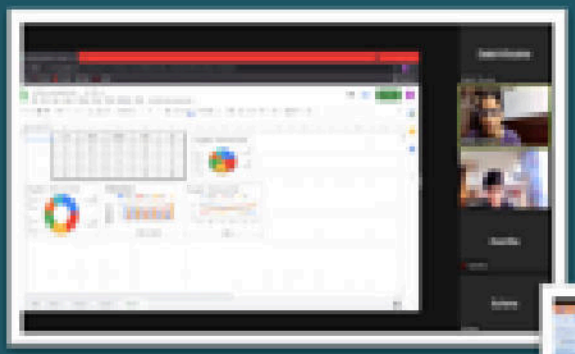




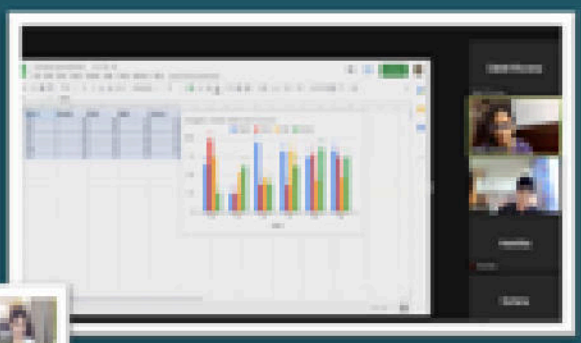


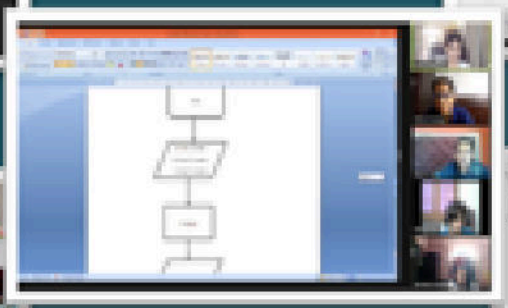


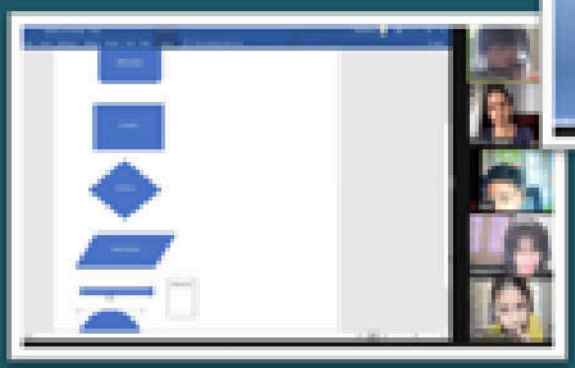
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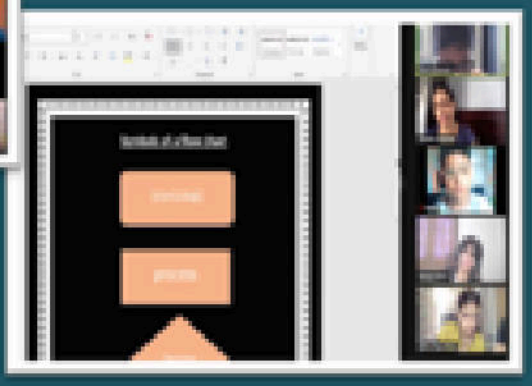
Grade 9-Learners represented data through charts in Excel.





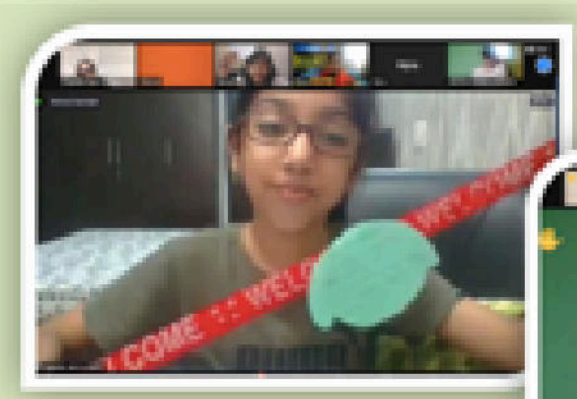


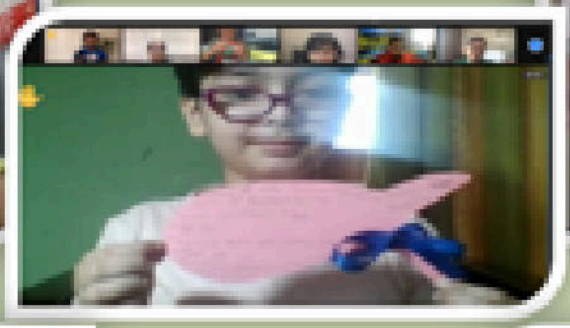
Grade 6-Learners solved problems using an algorithm and the flowchart.

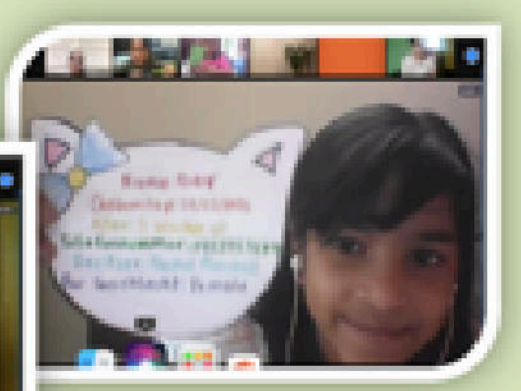


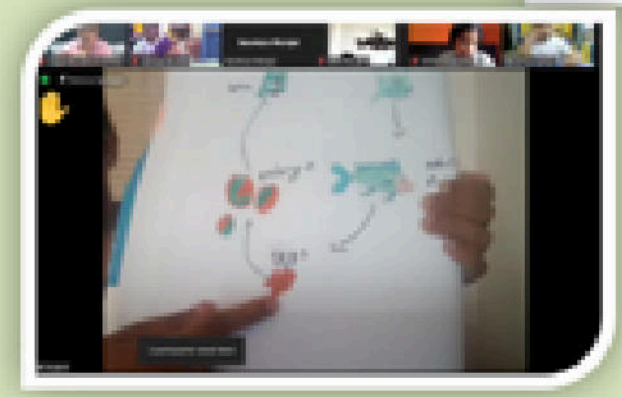
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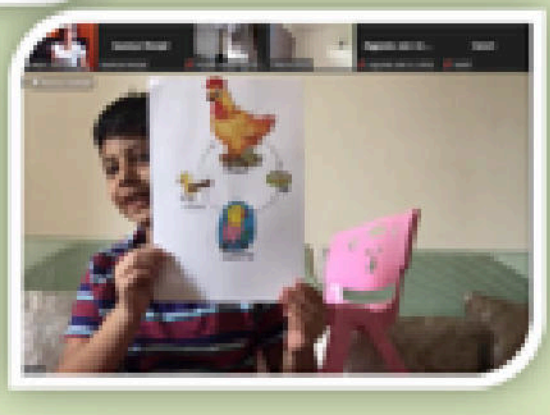


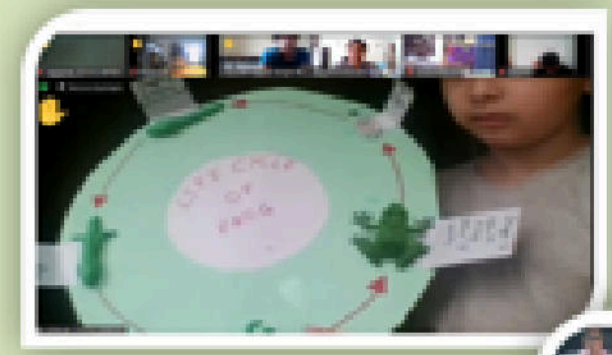


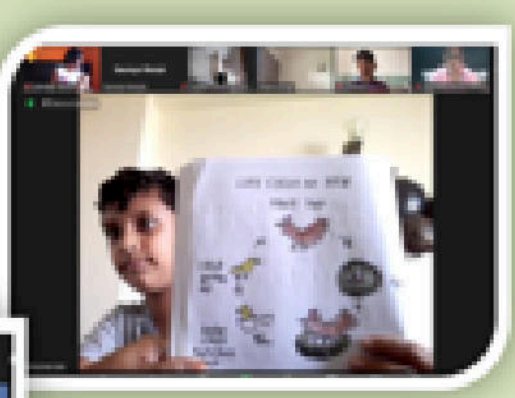


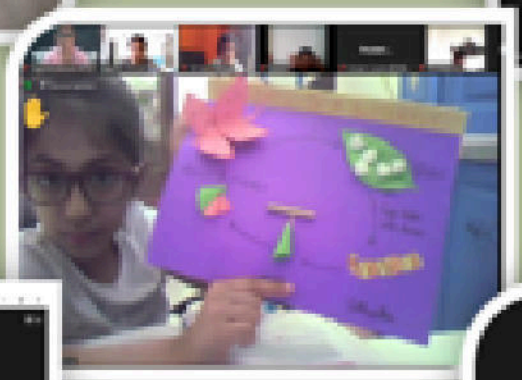


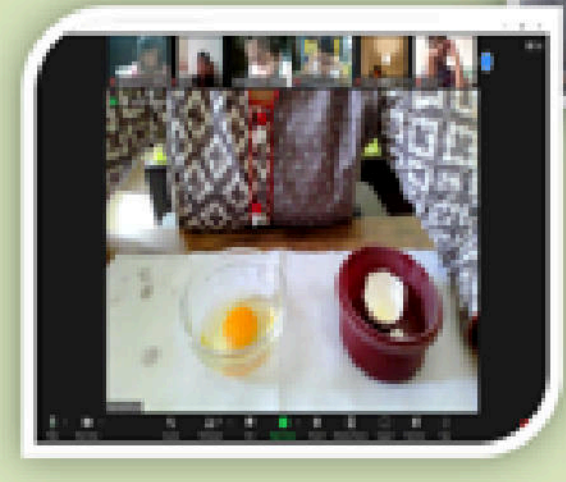
Prepared beautiful models and explained the life cycle of different animals (metamorphosis in frog, butterfly, chicken, elephant)



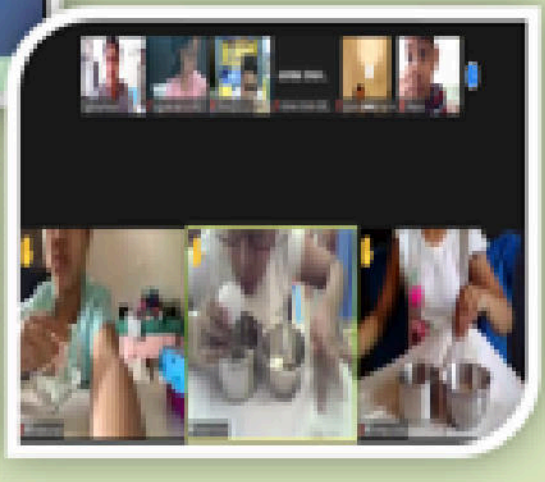




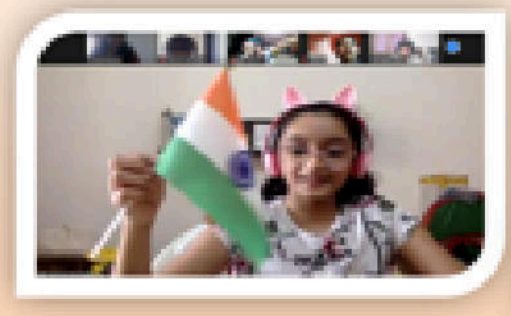




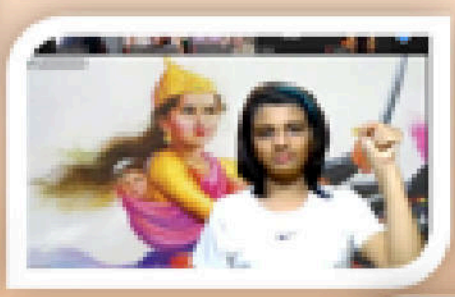
Observed the different parts of an egg, noticing the texture of the outer shell, shell membrane, locating the albumen and yolk , noting their texture and then drew the parts of the egg.

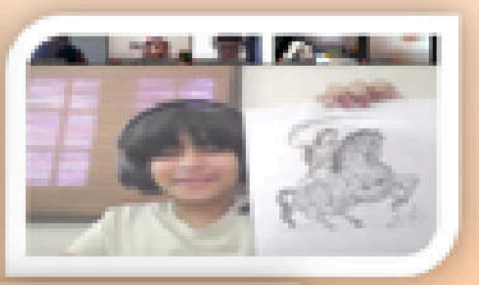


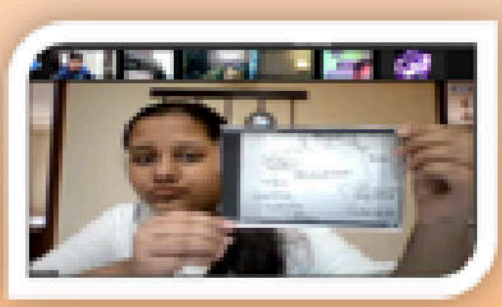
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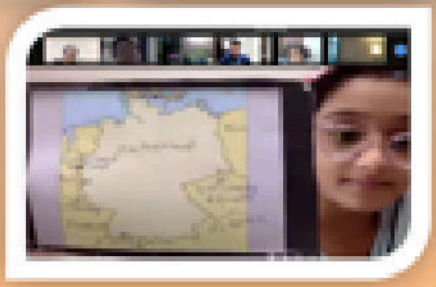
देश-प्रेम व मातृभूमि की रक्षा के लिए आत्मबलिदान की भावना से परिपूर्ण कविता 'झाँसी की रानी' का वाचन उत्साह व जोश के साथ किया।



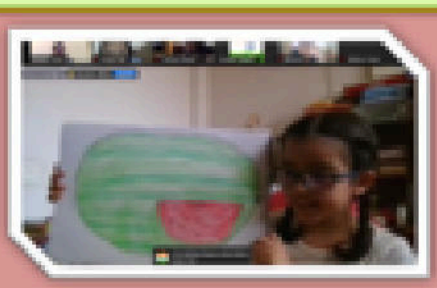




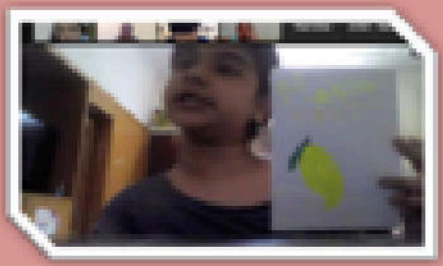
German Map activity

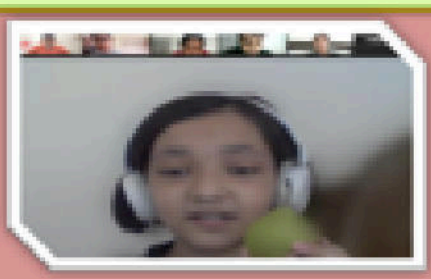


Grade 5



German Show & Tell activity- My favourite fruit!!



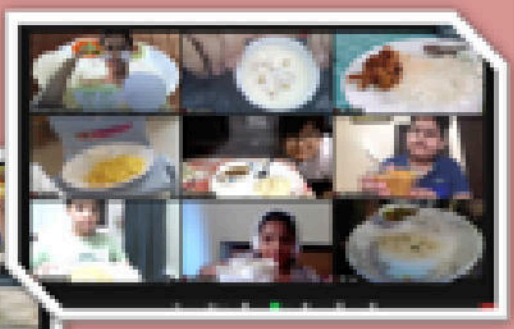


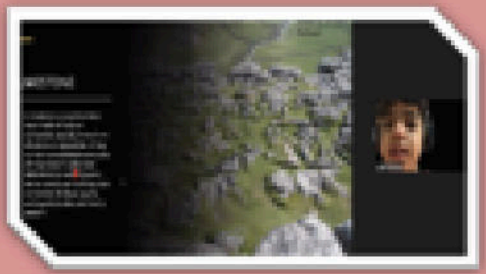


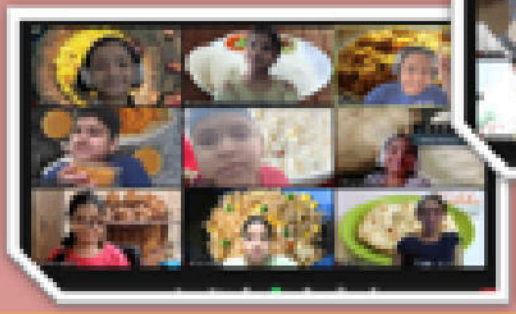
'बस एक मिनट' गतिविधि के अंतर्गत अपने मनपसंद भोजन की सामग्री और उसे बनाने की विधि के बारे में अपने विचार साझा करते हुए बहुत सुंदर प्रस्तुति दी।



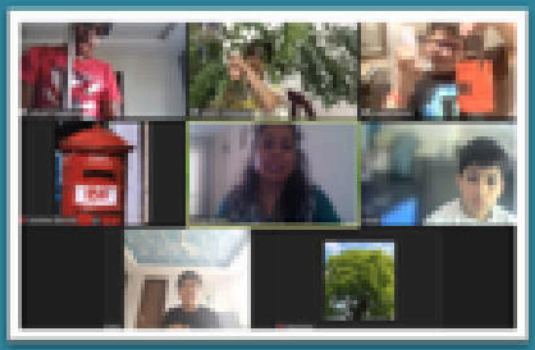
Presented and explained formation and uses of different types of rocks



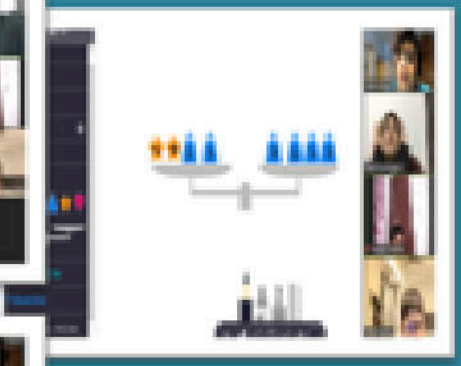




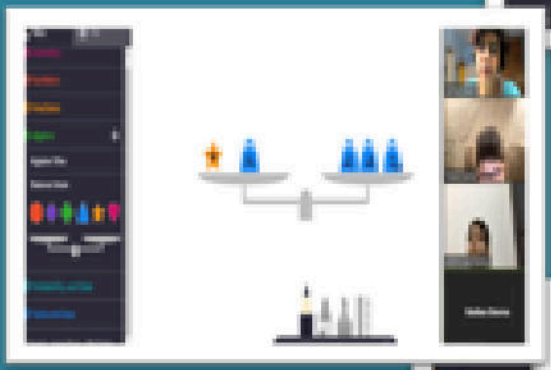
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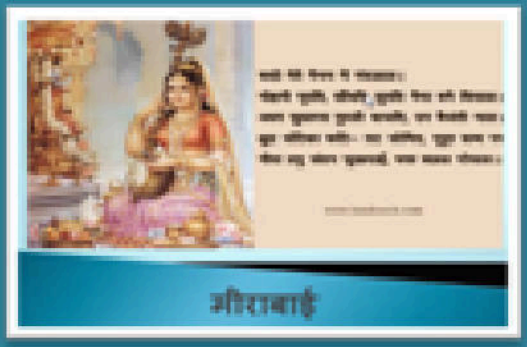


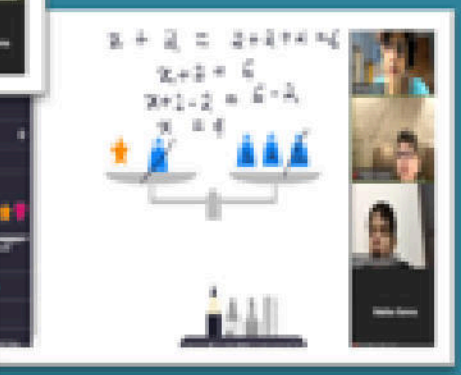


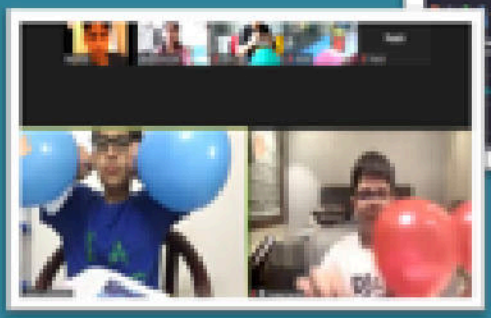
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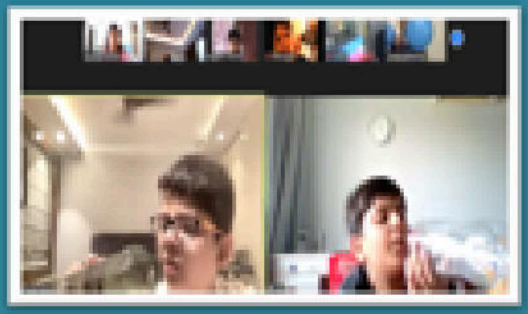


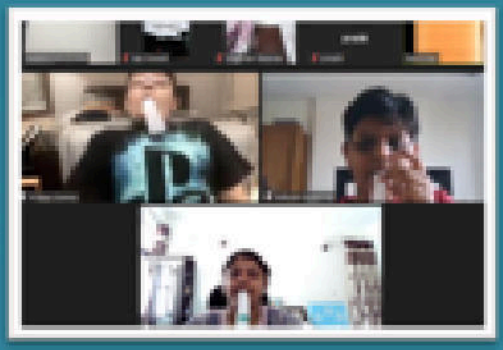
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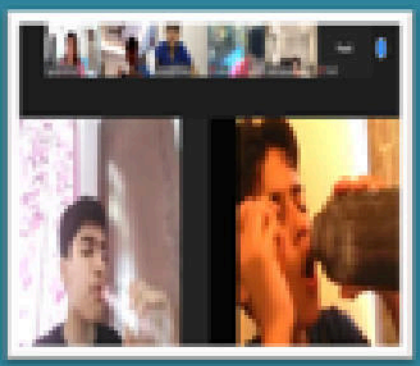




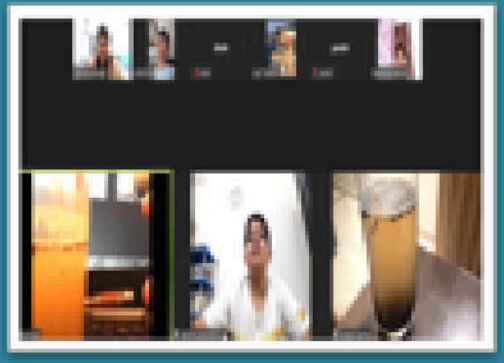




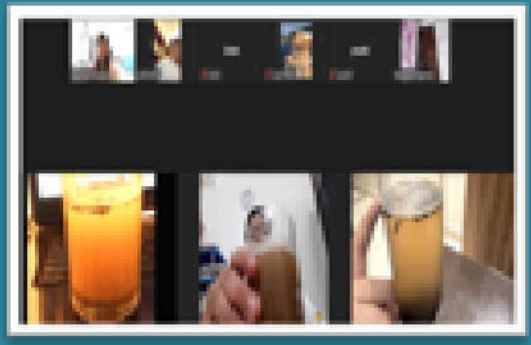




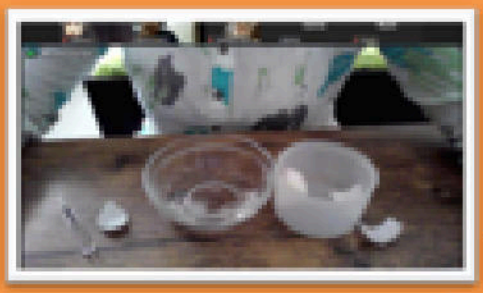
Performed various experiments to see that air exerts pressure and hot air rises.



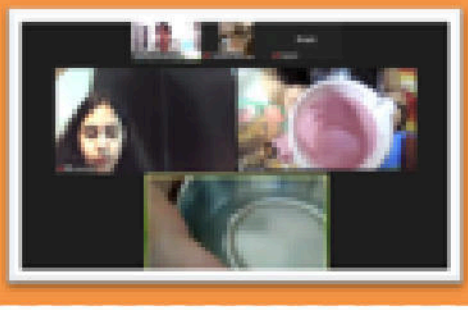
Performed various activities to observe composition of soil and properties shown by different soil samples.

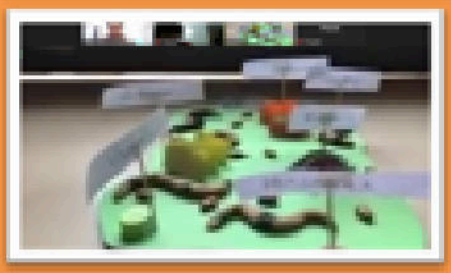


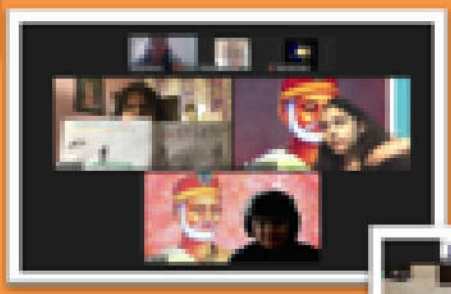
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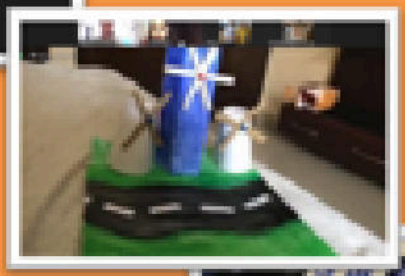
The process of observing onion peel cell under the microscope.



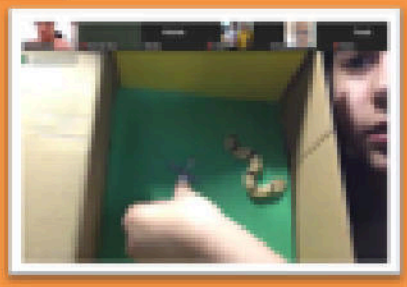




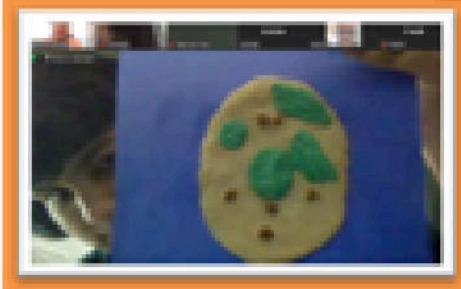
'कबीर की साखियाँ ' कविता में से दो साखियों की अर्थ सहित प्रस्तुति दी गई



Models of plant and animal cells, learners explained and compared the two types of cells on based on their structure and function.







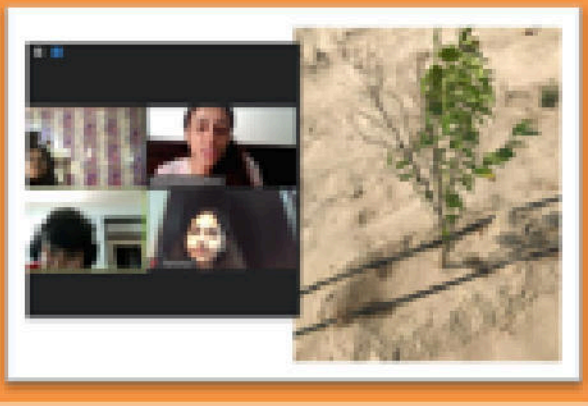




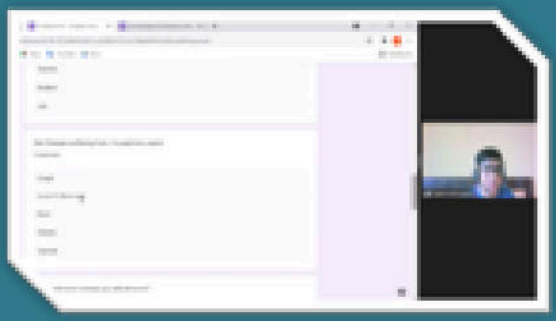


Learners learned about the modern eco friendly practices being adopted in agriculture.

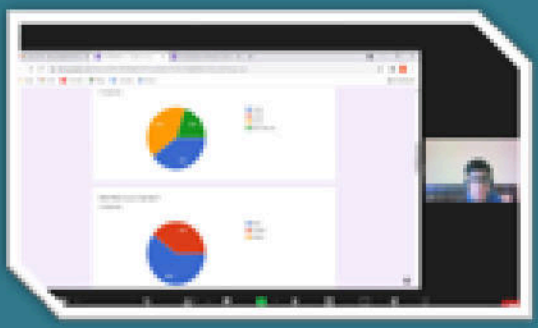


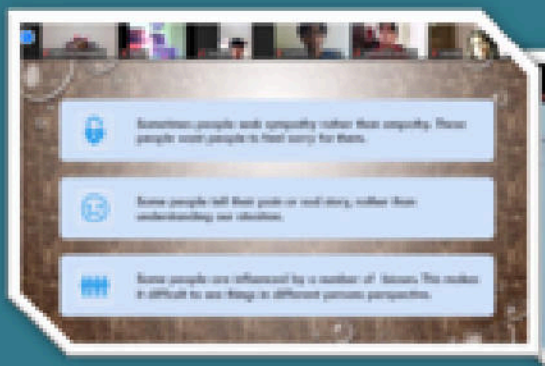


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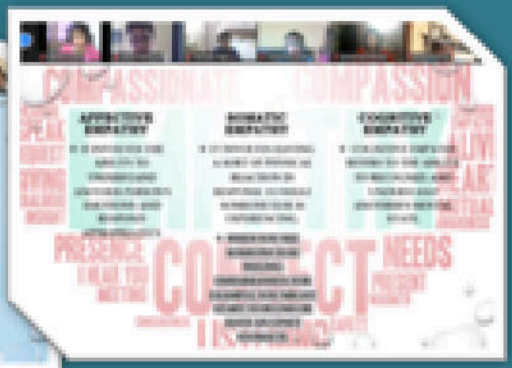


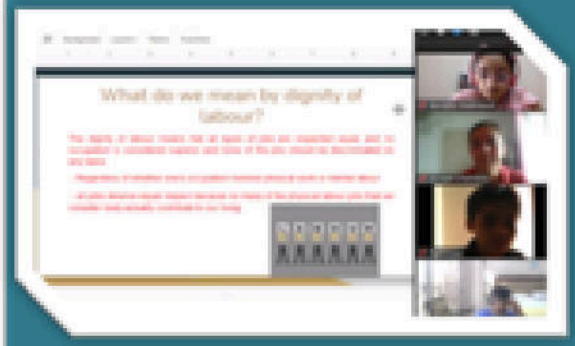
Survey on Diseases











As a part of their SEWA project work, learners of grade 9 made presentations for their juniors to increase awareness on topics such as Dignity of Labour, Empathy and First Aid.





