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# EDUCATION WORLD INDIA SCHOOL RANKINGS, 2016

A four month long survey was conducted to rate and rank India's most admired schools to make education the #1 item on the national agenda. After evaluation and comparison with schools countrywide on a broad range of parameters, Modern School, Barakhamba Road topped the ranking league tables in India for the best co-ed Day-cum-Boarding school. The school was also adjudged **number 1** in Sports and Leadership Management quality.

Principal, **Dr. Vijay Datta** and Director Sports, Mr. Rajesh Kumar were felicitated at Education World .India School Ranking 2016 Awards Night at the Leela Hotel in Gurgaon on 23<sup>rd</sup> September, 2016.



**Principal Vijay Datta: tireless striving tradition** 

#### **PRISM 2016**

The 22<sup>nd</sup> edition of the All India Inter Public School Science Quiz: Prism 2016 was held at BRCM Public School, Vidyagram, Bhiwani in August,2016. The team from Modern School, comprising of Divij Mishra S7-D, Ishaan Thakur S7-D and Vanshi Bangia S7-E battled it out with 16 other schools, to clinch the victory at the last minute in the final round, which was the rapid-fire round. The winners received individual trophies and a cash prize of Rs. 5100. It was an enriching and enthralling experience for the students.

#### PERFORMANCE ENHANCEMENT WORKSHOP

Mr. Sanjeev Datta, a noted master trainer and personality coach conducted a workshop for the teachers of Modern School, Barakhamba Road. The workshop, based on the triple 'R' concept i.e Relax-Refresh-Regain was aimed to help enhance productivity and confidence quotient.

Principal Dr Vijay Datta, complimented Mr Sanjeev Datta for the brilliant educative workshop.



# **ART ENHANCEMENT WORKSHOP**

Kriti Club organised workshops in collaboration with Arts University Bournemouth, UK in the art room on 30th September, 2016.

In the first workshop, the students were taught to express and depict different concepts and emotions through a match box.

The second workshop provided insight on "how to make a Portfolio". Various ideas to enhance their personal style were given to our students through a power point presentation.



#### YOUNG LEADERS CONCLAVE

The Modern School delegation comprising of Niyati Narain, Anoushka Gupta, Shubham Gupta and Ms. Shalini Dhaiya attended the young leader's conclave organised by Modern School, Vasant Vihar from 8th to 12th August, 2016. Various current topics were discussed. It was a great learning experience for the participants

GEO MATY 2016



**Graffiti on climate change** 

Arushi Mathur and Rhea Varma of Class 12 participated in GEOMATY '16- the Annual Social Science Festival organised by Amity International School, Noida.

The festival aims at generating interest in Geography and History. This year the theme was "Progressive Mankind and the Changing World" and "The culture of the State of Sikkim. The students of class 12 took part in the Graffiti making contest on the topic, "Cause and Impact of Climate Change".

Although the children were unable to secure a position in the top three, it turned out to be an enriching experience where there was a lot to learn and many new friendships were formed!

#### **CRANIUM CRUSHERS, 2016**

Modern school participated in the science fest 'Cranium Crushers' organised by the Army Public School, Noida on 1st of September 2016. Three teams participated in various events. Amogh Dagar S2C, Alisha Kansal S2C, Farhan Ahmad S2A and Ayaana Jain S1F took part in the 'Best out of waste creation.' Piya Wadhwa S4A, Grisha Bagai S4A, Suhani Jain S3D and Kavya Gupta S3E participated in the collage making competition. Vanshi S7, Ashdeep Singh S6 and Abhinav Agarwal S5 represented the School in the quiz. Modern school bagged the second prize.

#### KIRLOSKAR QUIZ

On 3rd September, the students of The Commerce Society of Modern School, Barakhamba Road took part in the '25th Sir Kirloskar Inter-School Business Quiz Competition' held at The Lawrence School, Sanawar. The team was represented by Ace Quizzers of the School; Ayan Marwaha, Aman Agarwal and Raghav Nath. Our team won the runners up trophy.

#### **SPORTS NEWS**



### YOGA CHAMPIONSHIP

Students from Modern School, Barakhamba, participated in the 11<sup>th</sup> All India IPSC Championship from, 22<sup>nd</sup> to 24<sup>th</sup> September 2016 at Mayo College, Ajmer.

Our teams participated in U-14, U-19, U-17 Girls and Boys Rhythmic Yoga and U-14 Girls Artistic Yoga.
Shivangi Menon of S4B and Karan Anand S4C did us proud by winning a Gold Medal in Rhythmic Yoga. Tilak Virani of S2C won the Bronze Medal in

#### MAYO FOOTBALL, TOURNAMENT

the same category.

The Modern School Football Team came 1st in the Mayo Football Tournament, held from 29th August to 2 September held at Mayo College, Ajmer. Under the captaincy of Himanshu Minocha, the team defeated Assam Valley School. 3-1 and drew 1-1 against Pathways. Our team also defeated RMS, Ajmer in the quarter finals by 2-0 and then the Mayur School Ajmer 3-0 in the semi-final to reach the finals of the tournament. The Modern School team beat the defending champions and host school, Mayo College Ajmer in the final match, scoring 1-0, with Ghazi shah scoring the winning goal in the first 10 minutes of the match. Thereafter, the team defended the lead brilliantly throughout the match and did us proud.

## **BASKETBALL CHAMPIONSHIP**

The students of Modern School, Barakhamba road, participated in All India IPSC, Basketball Championship held at Mann Public School, Delhi on 30<sup>th</sup> September to 5<sup>th</sup> October, 2016. Our team comprising of Hansraj Hooda, Aakash Ahmed, Pranav Manchanda, Yuvraj Singh, Gursher Chadha, Saiyam Gupta, Sanskar Nagpal, Karan Dadwal, Pranay, Nitesh Beniwal, Ladin Sangha and Manan defeated Sainik School, Kangpura in the quarter finals by 25 points. The team beat Mayo College, Ajmer in the Semi Finals by 28 points. They bagged the Championship Trophy by defeating LKS Gotan by 28 points. This is the sixth time in a row that our school is the winner proud of the U-19 IPSC Basketball Championship.