

BAGLESS DAY – HAPPY DAY

‘Creativity is a wild mind and a disciplined eye.’

In view of the National Education Policy 2020, Delhi Public School, Gurgaon conducted ‘Bagless Day-Happy Day’ for the students of class VIII on Tuesday, 7th June 2022.

The day commenced with an informative INTACH video, ‘Giving life to old clothes – GUDRI ART’, the art of dyeing and weaving, followed by a group discussion. To facilitate the collaborative efforts and enhance the analytical skills among students, block printing activity was conducted wherein a PPT was shared, for students to explore the procedure of block printing. In this fun and hands on activity, children created their own motifs and patterns as well as explored the principles of repetition, pattern scale and symmetry.

Keeping interdisciplinary approach in mind, they learnt about the use of Indigo as a natural dye in the European market that even led to Indigo rebellion. Students listed the advantages of using natural dyes over synthetic dyes as well as understood the cultural significance of block printing.

Students’ speaking and communication skills were enhanced by selling their textile products through a comical advertisement. Brochures were also designed by the students to highlight their interdisciplinary work. Students proudly showcased their masterpieces through a fashion show and shared their experiences with the class reporters.

It was a day well spent with smiles and laughter that nurtured their creativity and talent simultaneously, promoting the artistic bent of mind amongst young artists.



