

REPORT ON DILLI DARSHAN

CLASS IV

‘Field trips are an opportunity to learn something new and make lifelong memories along the way.’

The students of Class IV, DPS Gurgaon embarked on an educational excursion on 11th October 2023 aimed at enhancing their knowledge of India's rich cultural and historical heritage. The trip included visits to three significant landmarks in Delhi viz Gandhi Smriti, Akshardham Temple, and Nehru Planetarium. Students enthusiastically boarded the bus as they looked forward to an exciting day out. Their enthusiasm was evident as the children munched on the refreshments served enroute and chatted with their friends.

The first stop was at Gandhi Smriti, the place where Mahatma Gandhi spent the last 144 days of his life before his assassination. The students were particularly moved by the room where Gandhiji lived and the spot where he was assassinated, which now stands as a memorial. The visit to Gandhi Smriti left a profound impact on the students as they learned about Gandhiji's principles of non-violence, truth, and simplicity.

The second destination was the Nehru Planetarium, where students were introduced to the wonders of the cosmos. The planetarium's interactive exhibits and fascinating presentations captured the students' imagination as they learned about our Solar System, stars and galaxies and the captivating sky show at the dome theatre of the planetarium became the highlight of the visit.

As the bus made its way through the North and South Block, the panoramic view of Parliament House, Rashtrapati Bhavan and several other state buildings filled the children with enthusiasm.

The final leg of our Dilli Darshan journey led us to the mesmerising Akshardham Temple, a masterpiece of architecture and spirituality. The students relished the scrumptious lunch in the canteen of the temple. They marvelled at the intricately stone-carved architecture, beautiful gardens and various audio-visual presentations at the temple complex. They also enjoyed the boat ride which showcased India's rich cultural diversity and contributions to the world.

It was an enriching experience for the students loaded with not only a deeper understanding of India's history, culture and scientific marvels but also the beautiful moments spent with their friends outside the school setting.



