

Amritsar Educational Trip

As rightly said, travel is the most intense form of learning. Nothing teaches us more than exploring the world and accumulating new experiences.

To provide a good base of actual hands-on experience of history and discover varied aspects of travelling, Delhi Public School, Gurgaon organised a three-day educational trip to Amritsar for the students of class IX from October 1st 2022 to October 4th 2022. During the trip the students explored fun science and visited various places of historical importance which envisages the true essence of patriotism, love and pride for ones country.

The trip commenced with the visit to the Pushpa Gujral Science City, where the students discovered the wonders of science through various fun activities. Exploring the Flight Simulator, 3D show, Earthquake Simulator, Dinosaur Park, Energy Park and Health Gallery were extremely informative. The visit to the Gobindgarh Fort enlightened them upon its historic significance and stirred their emotion. The Light and Sound Show and the 7D Show was immensely enjoyed by all.

On the second day, the students while exploring the city of Amritsar were enthralled by the semi-arid climate and its cosmopolitan culture, as they headed to their much awaited destination, The Golden Temple, the Harmandir Sahib, also called the Darbar Sahib and informally referred to as the holiest Sikh Gurudwara is located in the city. They could feel the serenity in the air of the sacred place. The visit to Jallianwala Bagh enlightened the students about its special significance in the history of our country.

The students showed great fascination on reaching the Wagha Border, which is located close to the accepted Radcliffe Line, the boundary demarcating the territories of India and Pakistan, after Partition. They also witnessed the Beating Retreat Ceremony there. The ceremony of the flag lowering in the evening conducted by the Indian Border Security Force (BSF) and Pakistan Rangers (PR) at the border was indeed mesmerizing.

The visit to Sadda Pind, a Punjabi Culture Living Village Museum which is spread across 12 acres of land, gave students a chance to experience authentic culture, colours and flavours of Punjab at one place. Overall, the educational trip was an extremely memorable and enriching experience that will be cherished for a long time.

