

## **Report - Science Day (Junior School)**

*‘What we know is a drop, what we don’t know is an ocean’. - Isaac Newton*

Children are naturally curious and love to explore, investigate and dive deep to find out the truth behind the facts and phenomena they observe in their everyday lives. To demystify and discover some of these facts and phenomena surrounding us, Delhi Public School, Gurgaon, celebrated Science Day for the Junior Wing on 23<sup>rd</sup>, 24<sup>th</sup>, 25<sup>th</sup>, 27<sup>th</sup> and 31<sup>st</sup> August, 2021.

Students of classes III, IV and V expressed their creativity and scientific temperament online through various activities like Show and Tell, Storytelling and Role Play to name a few. They participated with full vigour and enthusiasm and some of them made their presentations even more interesting by including their self-composed poems and interesting riddles.

The theme of the day for Class III was ‘The fascinating world of animals’. Bright and colourful puppets were used to present their stories which made the activity interesting and enjoyable. This activity enhanced their knowledge of the animal world.

‘Plants – The basis of all life’ was the theme for the students of Class IV wherein they collected information on the uses of plants as food, fiber, wood, medicines and personal care products. The plethora of information collected was beautifully presented through a variety of hand-made props, creative models, charts and illustrations.

‘Healthy body, healthy life’ was the theme for the students of Class V. Children enacted wonderful role-plays of an organ/system using creative headgears, props and colourful illustrations. The students also sported innovative costumes to present their information enthusiastically to the audience. This activity not only helped them in gaining knowledge about the various organs and systems of our body but also brought to the fore their oratory skills and creative talents and generated awareness about health and fitness.

The activities were thoroughly enjoyed by the students and were an eye opener to many scientific facts and phenomena for these young budding scientists. It provided a great learning experience to the students and provided a platform to showcase their creative and communicative skills.

