

ANNUAL REPORT 2023-24

Namaste everyone!

Respected Dr.N. Satyanarayana Raju, Hon. Director and Treasurer, Bharatiya Vidya Bhavan, Tirupati, **Prof. Santanu Bhattacharya**, Director, Indian Institute of Science Education and Research (I.I.S.E.R.), Tirupati and **Prof. R.J. Ramasree**, Registrar I/c, National Sanskrit University, Tirupati, esteemed guests of the day, parents, well-wishers, teaching and non-teaching staff and my dear children, a warm welcome to everyone gathered here today. With the belief that children are the torchbearers of tomorrow, our mission is to instill the passion for continuous learning, the ability to think critically and the capacity to contribute meaningfully to the ever evolving global community. Let me take the privilege to present and over view of multifarious activities of our school for the academic year 2023-24 , to this august gathering.

ACADEMICS

In the All India Secondary School Examination conducted by C.B.S.E. in March 2023, for the 26th consecutive year, our school has achieved 100% pass percentage. Out of 186 students who appeared for the examination, 43 students secured 90% and above, 78 students passed in distinction, 47 students passed in 1st Class and 18 students passed in 2nd Class. Kum. Geethamrutha Kalakada and Mas.Puneeth Shekar Reddy Birudala secured 495 out of 500 and got the First Rank at the school level. Kum. V. Ruthika Reddy secured the Second Rank by scoring 493 marks and Mas. Surya Vardhan Jagadeeshwar got the Third Rank by securing 491 marks.

In the All India Senior Secondary Certificate Examination conducted by C.B.S.E. in March 2023, the 5th Batch of Senior Secondary Classes passed with 97% pass percentage. 36 students appeared for the examination in which 17 students passed with distinction and 18 students passed in 1st Class.

Mas. S Ganesh scored 473 out of 500 and secured the first rank in the Science Stream at the school level and Kum. T S Lasitha Reddy scored

461 and secured the 2nd rank and Mas. Aswin Kumar Ganti scored 438 and secured 3rd rank.

Kum. R Sathya scored 483 out of 500 and secured the 1st rank in the Commerce Stream at the school level , Kum. G Deepthi scored 473 marks and Kum. Aparna Das scored 441 securing 2nd and 3rd rank respectively.

Our school has been selected as one of the schools for SAFAL Pilot Programme for the students of classes 3,5 and 8.

****Collaboration with Times of India and The Hindu****

Our school takes pride in fostering a dynamic learning environment through collaboration with prominent newspapers like Times of India and The Hindu. Under the innovative 'Newspaper in Education' programme, the school editions of these newspapers have been integrated as valuable teaching and learning materials in our classrooms. This initiative not only enhances students' reading skills but also provides real-world insights and diverse perspectives, enriching their educational experience.

****Collaboration with Indian Red Cross Society****

In alignment with our commitment to holistic education and community engagement, our school has become an officially registered partner of the Indian Red Cross Society. Around 150 students from classes 8 and 9 have become the members of the society. This collaborative effort empowers our students to become responsible and compassionate citizens.

Orientation Programmes

Teacher orientation programmes offer an opportunity to enhance pedagogical knowledge and implement effective instructional strategies.

A 3-day In-service training programme was organized by Bhavan's Tirupati from 6th June to 8th June 2023 in which all the teachers participated. Eminent resource persons shared insights on teacher professional development in the context of rapidly changing world.

An informative Cyber Crime Awareness Programme was organized for all the teachers.

On account of 8th anniversary celebrations of The Ramakrishna Mission Tirupati a workshop was organized and 20 teachers from our vidyalaya participated in it.

3 teachers participated in a specialized capacity building programme organized by CBSE on gender sensitivity hosted at Delhi Public School Tirupati.

An orientation programme was conducted for the students of classes VII and VIII on 'Physical hygiene and behavior management including anger and anxiety issues'.

Nearly 13 teachers from the science department attended a workshop conducted by Regional Science Center Tirupati.

Almost 60 teachers of the school attended a one day capacity building programme on NEP.

School Library

Our school library is a treasure trove of knowledge, boasting 15,623 general books, 260 reference books, 92 dictionaries, 24 multimedia CDs, and subscriptions to 20 periodicals and 5 newspapers. This extensive collection caters to diverse academic needs and encourages a culture of reading among students.

A well-organized class library system operates from classes 1 to 3, closely monitored by class teachers.

In line with our commitment to promoting literacy and the joy of reading, our school celebrated Library Week from 14th to 20th November 2023. Various competitions were organized, creating a vibrant atmosphere that aimed to instill a passion for reading in a world dominated by gadgets.

C.B.S.E. ACTIVITIES

International Day of Yoga

On 21st June 2023, our school celebrated the 9th international day of yoga embracing the spirit of well-being. Emphasizing the theme "*Vasudhaiva Kutumbakam*," symbolizing the world as one family. The event witnessed active participation from 200 students and 100 teachers.

The celebration was a vibrant display of diverse yoga exercises, promoting both physical and mental well-being.

SHUNYA Project

Taking inspiration from Hon' Prime Minister Narendra Modi's mantra, mission LIFE (Lifestyle for Environment), our school actively participated in the Sustainable Habitat Under Network of Youth Alliances (SHUNYA) Project. This initiative emphasizes uniting people's efforts to protect the Earth and encourages responsible and sustainable use of resources.

Throughout the year, various activities were conducted, including eodrives, a designated "No Trash Day," science skits, and open house competitions to create awareness among students about the importance of adopting a sustainable lifestyle.

Ek Bharath Shresth Bharath Initiative

As part of the "Ek Bharath Shresth Bharath" initiative, our student explored the rich cultural heritage and traditions of Assam. Engaging in multifarious activities, they showcased their creativity through collages, tourist brochures, and wall chart creations.

A highlight of this cultural exploration was an exhibition organized on Independence day celebrating the distinctive culture and traditions of Assam. This not only enriched our students' understanding but also fostered a sense of unity in diversity.

Bharatiya Bhasha Utsav

In accordance to CBSE guidelines, our school participated in the 75 day Bharathiya Bhasha Utsav, wherein our students actively engaged in a myriad of activities, including multilingual melodies, collage making, skits, and presentations.

This celebration served as a vibrant tribute to India's rich linguistic and cultural heritage, fostering a sense of pride and unity among our students.

Vigilance Awareness Week

During the first week of November, our school actively observed Vigilance Awareness Week, focusing on promoting ethics and integrity. The entire school community participated in taking the integrity pledge, reinforcing our commitment to upholding moral values.

Throughout the week, anti-corruption messages were displayed, creating awareness and emphasizing the importance of ethical conduct. A signature campaign further demonstrated our collective commitment to building a corruption-free society.

****Inter-School Competitions**

Our school continued to provide a dynamic platform for students to showcase their talents, skills, and abilities through participation in various inter-school competitions. This initiative aimed to boost self-esteem and enhance teamwork and communication skills among students.

In the current academic year, students from different age groups actively participated in competitions organized by prestigious institutions such as the Regional Science Center, ISCKON, Chinmaya Mission, Ramakrishna Mission Ashram, and Sri Venkateswara Vedic University.

Mas. V. Divyananda of class 4 bagged 2 Prizes in Yoga Demonstration conducted by Global School of Yoga, Indian Yoga Association, at 10th Tamilnadu Yoga Festival, 2023.

Kum. K. Sruthi Samhita of class 9 has been awarded 1st Prize in Carnatic Music in a competition conducted by Bharatiya Kalakshetra. She has been awarded CCRT scholarship by the Ministry of Culture, Government of India.

Competitive Examinations

The competitive exam allows children to believe in themselves, put in necessary hard work and move forward to prepare the trajectory of their careers.

To enhance the skill set and learning process, around 20 competitive exams were conducted in which 1700 students have participated in various levels.

Olympiad exams at all levels, Ramanuja Math Exam, Aryabhata Ganith Challenge, Vidyarthi Vigyan Manthan, National Talent Search Examination, All India Maths Science Examination, IFSE's Global ELT are to mention a few.

S.K. Durgesh of Class XII and G. Sri Sathvi of Class X C secured Gold Medals in the Global ELT Examination.

Club Activities

Our school's vibrant club activities continued to enrich the learning experience, with a total of 10 active clubs.

HOPE - the Social Club hosted themed events, including one focused on Tribal Empowerment. These events aimed to foster awareness and appreciation for the rich heritage and empowerment of tribal communities.

Additionally, during Communal Harmony Week, our school celebrated unity through various activities that emphasized equality of religions and religious tolerance. These initiatives not only showcased our commitment to social awareness but also provided students with opportunities to actively engage in promoting harmony and understanding.

****QUEST Science Club****

Our Science Club, QUEST, achieved commendable success through collaboration with WWF and CBSE by organizing the Global Wild Wisdom Challenge. A total of 60 students registered for the challenge, showcasing our school's enthusiasm for environmental awareness.

In a field of 40 schools, our school secured an impressive VI Position. Further, 30 students advanced to the second level, demonstrating their depth of knowledge. Notably, Master D.C. Balaram (Grade 8) and G. Himasree (Grade 7) showcased exceptional talent by participating in the state-level round, representing our school with distinction.

During a month long Children Science Festival, our students presented a project designed to enhance the effectiveness of tasks for visually challenged.

These achievements highlight our commitment to fostering scientific curiosity and environmental consciousness among our students.

Mathematics Club

Our Mathematics Club celebrated National Mathematics Day in honor of the great mathematician Srinivasa Ramanujan's Birthday. The event aimed to inspire students' interest in mathematics and appreciate the contributions of this renowned mathematician.

Through engaging activities and discussions, the Math Club emphasized the importance of mathematics in everyday life, fostering a positive attitude towards the subject among students. This celebration was a testament to our commitment to making mathematics an enjoyable and enriching experience for all.

All other clubs conducted myriad of activities and competitions and prizes were given away to the winners.

Games and sports

"Games and sports not only shape champions on the field but also build character, teamwork, and resilience that last a lifetime." Our school has registered in Fit India website and obtained the certificate as Fit India School.

Mas. B Ganesh Priyavardhan and Mas. Bhargav of class 12 won first position in the preliminary round of Fit India Quiz.

Our school football team bagged the Runners Up position in the District Football Championship 2023-24 organized by Dynamos Football Club Tirupati.

Mas. K Sohan Reddy of class 10 and Mas. S. Yudeesh and Mas.K Trivedi of class 9 participated in the second Andhra Pradesh Inter District football championship 2023 and were selected for nationals.

Kum. M Parnitha Yadav of class 12 was selected to represent Chittoor District in the under 19 category in the Andhra Cricket Association South Zone Inter District Tournament. She received Best Performer in 'Bowling Award' at the Zonal level.

In the State level Athletic meet organized by the Andhra Pradesh Athletic Association Mas. B Ganesh Priyavardhan secured gold medal in

'Discuss Throw' and Mas. B Praneeth Kumar secured Gold Medal in Shotput.

Mas. B Praneeth Kumar secured the Gold Medal in 'Shotput' and set a National Meet record of 15.25 meters at the South Zone National Athletic Meet.

Our school Athletes put up an impressive performance in the CBSE Cluster VII Athletic Championship. Mas. B. Praneeth Kumar secured gold medals in both shotput and discuss throw.

Mas. B. Ganesh Priyavardhan bagged gold medal in discuss throw. Mas. N.Y. Rathna Tej won gold medals in long and triple jumps and Mas. D Manas Kumar Reddy won Silver Medal in 100 meters 'Dash'. Kum. Sonakshi Gupta of Class 9 participated in Karate Open World Cup 2023 and secured I Position in Individual Kumite under 14 years category.

In the 67th SGF National Archery Championship 2023-24 Mas.Sutej Reddy of class 11 won bronze medal.

****Cultural Performances ****

Our school took pride in showcasing the diverse talents of our faculty and students through various cultural performances.

A group of teachers mesmerized the audience with a music concert at Narayani Peetham Temple, Vellore, earning heartfelt appreciation and certificates for their outstanding performance.

Our students presented a concert at Sri Padmavathi Temple, Tiruchanoor, during the Karthika Bramhotsavams, contributing to the vibrant celebration.

Additionally, a group of students trained in reciting Vishnu Sahasra Namam, presented bal goshtis on different occasions, showcasing their dedication to cultural traditions.

Our dance teachers and a few other teachers showcased their artistic prowess with a classical dance performance at Ramachandra Pushkarini on 14th November, receiving accolades from an appreciative audience.

Teacher Exchange programme

Teachers from Sasi English Medium School visited our campus for an enriching interaction, aiming to exchange insights and gain valuable

benefits. This collaborative effort fosters a spirit of shared learning and professional development, enhancing the educational experience for both institutions.

Promotion of Sanskrit Language

With the objective of popularizing Sanskrit among the younger generation, Bhavan has been conducting Saral Sanskrit Examinations every year. This year, around 260 students participated in the Balbodh, Pravesh and Parichaya Examinations by Bhavan's Shikshan Bharathi, Mumbai, showcasing their proficiency and dedication to Sanskrit.

The school conducts monthly assemblies in Sanskrit to foster language skills and instill cultural pride, providing students with an immersive learning experience.

Infrastructure

A significant addition to our facilities includes the establishment of a Biology lab. This well-equipped lab is designed to facilitate hands-on learning experiences, enabling students to engage with practical aspects of biology and fostering a deeper understanding of the subject.

Interactive Boards in Classrooms

In line with technological advancements, our school has introduced interactive boards in classrooms. These tools enhance the teaching-learning experience by promoting dynamic and engaging lessons. Teachers can integrate multimedia content, making lessons more interactive and catering to diverse learning styles.

Career Guidance

The school has been organizing career guidance and orientation programmes in order to empower students with the knowledge and insights necessary for making informed decisions about their future endeavors.

I profoundly thank Dr N.Satyanarayana Raju, Hon. Director and Treasurer, Bharatiya Vidya Bhavan, Tirupati and other Executive Committee

Members, for their continuous support, encouragement and guidance. I sincerely express my gratitude to all the parents, for their co-operation and support. On behalf of the Kendra and the Vidyalaya, I convey my heartfelt gratitude to Shri E. Phalguna Kumar, Hon. Auditor. I whole heartedly appreciate the team work of dedicated and committed teaching and non-teaching staff.

Wish You A Happy New Year and Sankranthi.