



THE ENVOY

SARVANAMAN VIDYA MANDIR'S BIANNUAL MESSENGER



"The future of society rests in the hands of our young generation. With Atmiyata (spiritual connectedness) and harmony, we can build a world of unity and peace. It is our responsibility to nurture these values within ourselves and share them with others."

H.D.H. HARIPRASAD SWAMIJI



"My dear students, within each of you lies immense potential, beyond what you may realize. The journey to your best self begins with discipline, perseverance, and belief in your abilities. Strive for excellence, not just in studies but in all aspects of life. The world is waiting for the best version of you—let it shine."

H.D.H. PREMSWAROOP SWAMIJI



SHRI KHANDUBHAI PATEL (TRUSTEE)

I'm genuinely thrilled to see how Pratibimb has grown into The Envoy. Watching this bi-annual newsletter take shape has filled me with pride. None of this would have been possible without the incredible dedication and teamwork of everyone involved. I have complete faith in this amazing team of SVM, and I know they'll continue to make The Envoy a true reflection of our students' voices, creativity, and dreams. Sarvanaman Parivar is building something exceptional, and I couldn't be more confident in the journey ahead.

MRS. MEENAKSHI BHARGAVA (PRINCIPAL)



Dear Students, Parents, and Readers, It is with great pride that I extend my heartfelt congratulations to my team for their earnest effort in bringing out "The Envoy," a reflection of the immense potential within the SVM community. This newsletter serves as a platform to tap into the creative energies of our students, showcasing their literary skills and artistic talents.

I strongly believe that when young minds are nurtured, encouraged, and appreciated at the right moment, they erupt with creativity, much like a volcano, spreading their talents far and wide. "The Envoy" is an opportunity for our students to express themselves and let their ideas take flight. I invite you all to explore the brilliant creations within, as we continue to support and celebrate the boundless creativity of our students.

SVM CREATES HISTORY

Stars of SVM at Inter-school Volleyball Tournament

August 01, 2024

The sound of spikes and cheers filled the air as teams clashed on the court. Unity, strength, determination, and sportsmanship made this volleyball tournament an unforgettable one.



Young Leaders Echo Nation's Voice at the Youth Parliament

August 30, 2024

Our students represented the nation by simulating real parliamentary proceedings, showcasing critical thinking, leadership, and teamwork. Kamyakumari Parmar (IX) secured second place, while Vaishnavi Pragma (IX), Priyal Patel (IX), and Poulomi Banerjee (VI) earned judges' appreciation.



Our Checkmate Champions at Inter-school Chess Competition

August 02, 2024

"Strategy over strength." Our young minds Aayushi Ahir (XI) and Yasvi Patel (XI), plotted and calculated each move in this intense battle of wits. Patience and perseverance were the key to victory.



Students Dazzle at Inter-school Debate Competition

August 30, 2024

"Words have power." Our students, Urvasi Rathod (XII) and Archi Desai (XI) participated for the first time in the prestigious inter-school debate, 'Freedom Cup,' at Chanderbala Modi Academy.



Karate Champs Triumph at the School Games

August 10, 2024

SVM students continue to shine as Yana Patel from Standard 7 proudly secured 3rd place in her weight category, and Teesha Sabhadiya took home 1st place in hers at the Karate Championship - School Games, 2024.



Relay of Champions at CBSE Cluster-XIII Kho-Kho Tournament

September 6, 2024

The ground echoed with excitement as teams dashed in this traditional sport. Speed, agility, and teamwork made this inter-school Kho-Kho event a thrilling experience for all.



Parents, Students Unite in Independence Day Festivities

August 15, 2024

For the first time ever, parents joined students in an unforgettable showcase of culture, featuring stirring performances of dance, music, and drama. The event celebrated the nation's pride, weaving together tradition and unity, as families came together to honour shared values. "A bond beyond the classroom!"



The Principal Bags National Honour at Education Excellence Conclave!

September 28, 2024

At Ahmedabad's Education Excellence Conclave, our Principal, Mrs. Meenakshi Bhargava, received the Swami Vivekananda National Principal Award, bringing immense pride and glory to our school through her exemplary leadership.





NARI TU NARAYANI????

Disclaimer: This article is a sincere reflection on the rising violence against women in India. It aims not to make light of the situation, but to emphasize the urgent need for action and change.

India, a land of rich culture, has long held the belief that women are divine – revered as Narayani, the goddess. Yet, as materialism tightens its grip on our society, this spiritual reverence seems to be fading. Where have the ethics of truly respecting and worshipping women gone?

Today, we must ask ourselves: Are women truly independent? The alarming rise in rape and sexual harassment cases says otherwise. Every day brings fresh horror stories, with the number of cases rising yearly – over 50,000 cases in 2024 alone, according to the National Crime Records Bureau. This is not just a statistic; it's a cry for help. Every number represents a life shattered by trauma, fear, and injustice.

The question isn't just "why"—it's "how long can we allow this to continue?" But what do we actually do about it? Do we simply light a candle on Women's Day, post encouraging messages, and believe we've done our part? The truth is, words alone won't protect women. We need action, starting with awareness, empathy, and accountability.

We must teach our children, both boys and girls, the values of respect, consent, and equality from a young age. Let's foster open conversations at home, in schools, and in workplaces about gender roles, healthy relationships, and the importance of personal space. Strengthening our judicial system, ensuring fast-track courts for sexual violence cases, and holding perpetrators accountable can make a significant impact.

In addition, politicians and leaders must move beyond rhetoric and work toward creating an environment where women can thrive—by providing safety, education, and employment opportunities. Real change lies in giving women the freedom to live without fear. This isn't just a women's issue, but a human one.

We cannot bring back the innocence of those affected, but we can fight for justice and prevent future tragedies. Let us stand together, raise our voices, and demand not just awareness, but change. Only then can we begin to honour the true spirit of Narayani in every woman.

- Bhakti K. Patel (XI Science)

MY FIRST YOUTH PARLIAMENT EXPERIENCE

It was our screening round, and I felt so nervous. But with courage, I gave it my best—and I was selected! I was overjoyed. Our preparations were fun; all the parliamentarians worked together in the computer lab. Priyal Sir guided us, organizing online sessions to help us improve. Vimal Sir patiently answered every doubt, while Meenakshi Ma'am, our Principal, always motivated us, especially when we felt nervous. Sumita Ma'am and the other teachers also supported us throughout.

On the final day, we dressed up in sarees, and Poonam didi and others helped us with makeup and styling. While everyone else wore black and white, our team stood out in vibrant, cheerful kurtis full of colour and spirit!

I am truly thankful to SVM for this incredible opportunity and to everyone who supported us along the way!

-Hasti N. Makwana (VIII)



GRATITUDE: AN EXPRESSION OF THANKS

Gratitude is more than just saying "thank you." It's about appreciating everyone who plays a role in our lives. We should begin each day by thanking God for giving us life and a loving family. We're also lucky to study in a wonderful hostel, thanks to Swamiji's vision for our future. Before we sleep, it's important to reflect on the day—thanking those who helped us and apologizing if we've hurt anyone. Gratitude isn't just a good manner; it shows kindness, respect, and care for others.

-Yana M. Patel (VII)



WHY SVM ABOVE ALL?

સ્વામીજીએ કહ્યુ છે, 100 જન્મોના પુણ્ય ભેગા થયા પછી SVM માં ભણવા મળે.

As Swamiji said, "It takes the merit of 100 lives to study at SVM." Lucky us, right? We're basking in the glow of this amazing institution! With Swamiji's golden trio of Discipline, Dedication, and Devotion lighting our way, every day is a thrilling ride! Our facilities? Next level! Picture smart classrooms with AC that keeps us chill while we feast on knowledge! Our fabulous trustees, Principal, teachers, and didis are like our personal cheer squad, nurturing us academically and spiritually into fabulous, well-rounded beings. A huge shoutout to Swamiji for crafting this stellar school and a big thank you to everyone who's cheering us on in this epic journey!

-Dravi A. Patel (VIII)



THOUGHTS VS. THINKING

You might wonder about the difference between "thoughts" and "thinking." While they seem similar, both involve the mind but differ in function.

Thoughts come from something beyond our mind—the universe. In contrast, thinking is the act of engaging with those thoughts, requiring energy, effort, and willpower. Every minute, multiple thoughts cross our minds, but when we focus on one, that is thinking.

"Thinking is the root cause of all our suffering."

What about positive thoughts? Many believe that to feel positive, we must think positively. However, you don't need thoughts or thinking to experience positive emotions.

Let's do a thought experiment:

What is the dream income you want to earn annually? Take 30-60 seconds to think about it. Now, multiply that number by five. How does this new goal feel? Reflect for another 30-60 seconds.

Initially, the amount you thought of didn't bother you, but when you started analyzing it, doubts crept in. This illustrates the difference between thoughts and thinking. Your first thought was simple and stress-free. But when you began overthinking, you felt pressure, doubts, and limitations.

So, can you see how thinking causes suffering? Thoughts themselves are harmless. It's the thinking that leads to discomfort. When you stop thinking, you stop suffering. To feel positive, simply allow your thoughts to flow naturally without overanalyzing them. Positive emotions come from experiencing thoughts, not from thinking them through.

"THOUGHTS CREATE. THINKING DESTROYS."

- Ishita A. Patel (XI Science)



ALONE. BUT BRIGHT!

You came to this world solo, it's true,
And when you leave, it'll still be just you.
People around? They're here to guide,
But in life's big test, it's you who'll decide.

Emotions are tricky, like sparks that fly,
Keep them cool, don't let them run high.
Stay focused, dodge the bumps on your way,
The world will talk, but let them say.

Don't waste your time proving them wrong,
Just keep walking, steady and strong.
You're not here to please every crowd,
Quiet strength is better than being loud.

Alone you came, alone you'll roam,
But faith in yourself will lead you home.
You're like the sun, glowing at dawn,
Alone—but shining, and moving on.

-Urvashiba P. Rathod (XII Commerce)



-Nishi A. Patel (III)

A THING OF BEAUTY IS A JOY FOREVER

Beauty is something that touches our senses and brings us joy. Whether it's the beauty of nature or a person, we are naturally drawn to it. John Keats, the famous English poet, believed that beauty is timeless. He said, "A thing of beauty is a joy forever," meaning that once we experience something beautiful, the joy it brings stays with us. Even small moments of beauty, like seeing a rose for just 10 minutes, leave a lasting impact. We may recall it 20 times, each memory amplifying the joy we felt.

Beauty, whether in nature or in our hearts, motivates us. It soothes, inspires, and helps us fall in love with life all over again.

When life feels heavy, just watching a sunrise or listening to birds can lift our spirits. Even in the darkest times, the moon in the night sky reminds us that a new day is always near.

As the poet once said, "What is this life, full of care. We have no time to stand and stare."

- Janvi S. Raut (XI Science)



LIFE: BEYOND THE NORM



Do I want to lead a normal life, where everything is predictable and easy? Nah...

I want to live, with my ups and downs, A life with lessons learned, Where experiencing everything is my ultimate quest.

I want to feel, with all my heart— Happiness, love, excitement, sadness. I seek a mind full of sincerity and mischief, With a dash of discipline and a splash of fun, A heart, with tenderness and courage, With sympathy and kindness.

I want to be A force of nature— Something that isn't meant to be controlled. I am ready to ace my goals, To lead, to lend a hand, to make sacrifices. I am READY! To ACCEPT!

- Ziyana B. Rabari (X)

ONE LIFE. MAKE IT COUNT



You've got only one life, So make it unforgettable. Life isn't a challenge— Find your happiness, And it'll become truly incredible. Life is loving who you are, It's chasing dreams, Believing in yourself, And having fun along the way. Life is learning new things, It's making friends, Exploring the world, And enjoying moments with those you love. Yes, life can be tough, It can be hard, It might hurt you, And sometimes, it feels like it's trying to break you. It's a mix of sadness and joy, But remember always— Life is the purest reflection of who you are.

See life as a beautiful garden, Full of colourful flowers, A chance to live your truth. When you do, life is love, And it's heaven. So, it's only one life— Make it unforgettable.

- Lisa H. Patel (IX)

EMPOWERING WOMEN DOESN'T DIMINISH MEN!



"The rise of women is not the fall of men." Empowering women doesn't threaten men— it strengthens society. Women have always been symbols of strength, resilience, and independence, and today, they are leaders in every field. As the old adage goes, "When you educate a man, you educate an individual, but when you educate a woman, you educate a nation."

And yet, when a woman succeeds in a field traditionally dominated by men, whispers emerge: "Will she become the new boss?" But why should her rise be seen as a threat? Respecting someone—regardless of gender—who is in a higher position than you doesn't make you smaller. It makes you wise. As the saying goes, "A rising tide lifts all boats." True strength lies in lifting others, not in tearing them down.

Yet, in a world that's progressing, we still grapple with shocking realities. Every day, new rape cases emerge, forcing us to question where we went wrong. Recent cases in Kolkata and Dehradun, are horrific reminders of the deep-rooted misogyny that still plagues society. Why is sexual violence still so prevalent? Is it because women no longer conform to outdated expectations? Or is it fear—fear that women are rising, challenging old systems, and claiming their rightful place in the world? Blaming women for their clothes or success is wrong. "It's not the woman's dress that needs changing; it's the mindset."

"Respect begets respect." When you respect a woman, she respects you in return. If you support her, she'll stand by you. But if you attempt to break her spirit, remember: "Hell hath no fury like a woman scorned." It's time to change the narrative. The rise of women isn't about men's downfall. It's about creating a world where we all rise together, hand in hand.

- Mahek N. Panchal (XI Science)

MY BROTHER. MY JOY!



Brother, the most important one, His love shines brighter than the sun. He cooks tasty food with so much care. A bond like ours is truly rare. His care is deep, beyond what I can say, His voice, is like a crow, in a funny way. His mobile phone, his constant delight, But with us, he's always just right. His smile lights up my every day, His happiness keeps my worries at bay. I'm so lucky, I must confess, To have a brother who's truly the best!

- Krupa M. Kanani (IV)

प्रकृति के पाठ



कभी प्रकृति को करीब से देखा है? इसके रहस्यों को समझा है? बदलती ऋतुओं से कुछ सीखा है? हर ऋतु अपने आप में एक संदेश लिए होती है। ग्रीष्म जीवन की चुनौतियों का प्रतीक है, तपती गर्मी सिखाती है कि असुविधाओं का सामना कैसे करें। वर्षा सिखाती है कि कठिन समय के बाद सुख-शांति का समय आता है। शरद एकता का प्रतीक है, और सर्दी सिखाती है अपनी कमजोरियों को स्वीकारना। प्रकृति से जीवन का संदेश सीखो!

- दिया मराठे (XI विज्ञान)

THE CIRCLE OF JUSTICE

You know, a king can't thrive without his soldiers, right? But those soldiers need to be paid, and where does that money come from? It's from the revenue collected from the peasants! But here's the catch: peasants can only pay when they're happy and doing well. And how do they achieve that? It's simple—the king has to promote justice and govern honestly. So, it's all connected! When the king ensures fairness, the people prosper, and in turn, the kingdom grows stronger. It's like a big circle of justice!

- Tulsi K. Patel (VII)



-Poulomi P. Banerjee (VI)



-Dhyani K. Patel (III)



-Bhavya Y. Varde (VII)



-Preksha H. Jain (VIII)



-Charmi R. Hadiya (VIII)



-Sachi S. Patel (V)



-Murti P. Darji (V)



-Birwa I. Chhasatiya (VI)



-Vidisha B. Patel (VII)

A Warm Welcome to a New Beginning!

April 1, 2024

"The journey of a thousand miles begins with a single step."



Students were greeted warmly by Didis and teachers, wishing them success and joy in their bright future ahead.

Funfair Frenzy

April 15, 2024

"A day without laughter is a day wasted."

The school came alive with food stalls, games, and thrilling rides. Laughter echoed through the air as students enjoyed a delightful day of fun and frolic.



Ramnavami and Swaminarayan Bhagwan Pragatya Celebrations

April 17, 2024

"Righteousness is the best path." The grandeur of Swaminarayan Bhagwan and Lord Rama's life was celebrated through soulful dances and thought-provoking skits, filling hearts with pride and devotion.



Karaoke Night

April 19, 2024

Music filled the air as both students and teachers took the stage to sing their hearts out. The night was magical, and everyone celebrated the launch of 'Pratibimb,' our very first school magazine!



Father's Day Celebrations

June 16, 2024

"A father is neither an anchor to hold us back nor a sail to take us there, but a guiding light whose love shows us the way."

This emotional day reminded students of the love, sacrifice, and strength their fathers offer.



International Day of Yoga

June 21, 2024

In harmony with the world, students and staff embraced the power of yoga. "Health is wealth," and this day stood as a reminder of the unmatched benefits of meditation and yoga in daily life.



Investiture Ceremony - Empowering Leaders of Tomorrow

June 28, 2024

"The future belongs to those who prepare for it today."

New captains, vice-captains, and junior captains donned their sashes and badges, ready to lead their peers with honour and responsibility.



Health First- Health Check-up Camp

July 16, 2024

"A healthy mind in a healthy body." A health check-up camp was organized, ensuring that the students remain fit and fine, reminding them that health is the first step toward success.



Guru Purnima Celebration

July 20, 2024

"Guru is the guiding lamp." Students and teachers celebrated their gurus with heartfelt performances, honouring the mentors who shape their lives with wisdom and care.



Bonds Beyond Words- Friendship Day Celebration



August 4, 2024

"A friend is someone who knows the song in your heart." Didis and teachers celebrated this special bond with students by tying friendship bands and sharing joy, laughter, and love.

Janmashtami Celebration

August 26, 2024

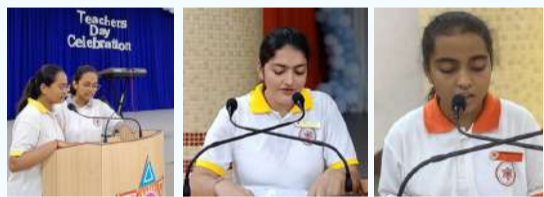
"कृष्णं वन्दे जगद्गुरुम्" The birth of Lord Krishna was celebrated with colorful performances and devotional fervor, bringing the spirit of Gokul to life on campus.



Teacher's Day Celebration

September 5, 2024

"The influence of a teacher lasts forever." Class 12 students became teachers for the day, sharing wisdom and fun with their juniors, followed by a vibrant program of speeches and skits.



Ganesh Utsav

September 7, 2024

"गणपति बप्पा मोरया!"

Lord Ganesh was welcomed with Vedic chants and hearts full of joy. The festive decorations filled the air with devotion, faith, and unity.



Hindi Saptah- Celebrating Our Language, Our Soul

September 14, 2024

Hindi week and the following Hindi Divas celebrated the richness of our national language, encouraging students to embrace it in their everyday lives.



P.P. Suhrad Didi's Birthday

September 21, 2024

"Discipline, Dedication, and Devotion" were the values celebrated as students and teachers honoured P.P. Suhrad Didi's life with inspiring speeches and touching videos.



MY LOVING SISTER

She's the lifetime package
in my life,
Arguing with her? That's my hobby.
But fighting for me? Well, that's hers.
Her anger is like a pressure cooker—
ready to burst, but never for long.

I can't go a day without seeing her face,
Her happiness? It's my whole world.

- Nitarah A. Shukla (IV)



-Yaana V. Hadia (V)



-Aaryaa V. Patel (VII)



-Ananya H. Dubey (VI)

UNIQUELY YOU!

I'm special, and guess what? So are you!
Imagine how dull the world would be,
If Mother Nature said, "Let's make uniformity!"
Every creature, the same look, same shape—
The ant, the ape,
The bear, the cat,
A watermelon and a pear—imagine that!
Birds in the sky, all with the same flight,
Clouds in the air, no fluff, just white!
Leaves on every tree... the same shade of green,
And fish in the sea, all plain and routine.
And the worst? (This gives me the creeps!)
Even you... and me—yikes!!!
Eeeeks!!! What a world of doom,
Everything in the same costume!
If everything looked,
Felt,
Smelt,
Exactly the same—ugh! What a lame game!
Thank goodness we come in all sizes and forms,
With talents and quirks that break the norms!
Each of us has strengths (and maybe a flaw),
But that's what makes us stand in awe!
I've got friends who are tall and friends who are small,
Some who are round, some who stand tall!
Some are graceful, some are quite clumsy,
Some are quick, and some are bumbly.
Friends with glasses, friends in wheelchairs,
Friends with braces and wacky hair flairs!
Friends I help, and those who help me,
Together forever, we're meant to be!
Some are brainiacs, ace every test,
While others shine at what they do best—
Dancing, music, or painting a scene,
Or on sports days, they're lean and mean!
And some don't win prizes, but you'd be surprised—
They've got tricks up their sleeves that'll open your eyes!
'Cause we're all one of a kind, designed with care,
Specially made—one of the rare!
We all have a purpose, a goal that's unique,
We're different, we're special, we're the ones who speak—
To the magic of life, to what's wild and true,
Because I'm me... and YOU are YOU!

- Niya A. Patel (XI Science)



MATHS=LIFE AND LIFE=MATHS

Shoutout to our Maths wizard, Alok sir!

One, Two, Three, Four,
Maths is what we adore!
Add some love, subtract the hate,
Let those numbers decide our fate!

Justify your place in the world wide
Like you justify your answers unfurled, nothing to hide!
Life's about Relations and Functions, and more,
And guess what? So is Math to its core!

So, drumroll, please- Life equals Maths!
And if you look closely, Maths equals Life!

It is time for some calculations,
But don't forget permutations!
We've played with numbers and grown up so fast,
Who knew we'd end up in the PCM class?

In the end, Maths is just a game,
And we're all in it, chasing for the fame!

- Kanika A. Patel, Mahek N. Panchal,
Nishi J. Patel, Tulsi D. Patel (Class XI PCM)



MY LIFE: SPORTS

When I practice my sports,
It feels like rehearsing a song,
Like a musician learning
A new verse to sing along.
My feet find their rhythm,
My arms soar and float,
Like a musical note,
With every high and low, I devote.
I play my sports like a melody,
Not just for the win,
But for the victory song within.
For when the day arrives,
And my nation takes a stand,
To sing its proud anthem,
I'll join in, hand in hand.
My soul and my body,
Together we'll sing,
In harmony and joy,
As the victory bells ring.

- Arvi M. Patel (VIII)



FOR MY SPECIAL FRIEND!

I met you once as just a stranger,
Now you're my friend, and that's not a danger!
I hope our friendship never ends,
Like a cool magnet that pulls and bends!
You're my best buddy, that's for sure,
With you around, I'm never bored!
Friendship isn't about who's known the longest,
It's about who sticks around the strongest!
A best friend's there through thick and thin,
They'll cry with you and let the fun begin.
So don't ditch a friend over a silly fight,
Because losing them wouldn't feel right!
Real friends are those you can always trust,
They'll search high and low, it's a must!
With a best friend by your side, life's never a bore,
It's filled with laughter, love, and so much more!

- Mahi J. Parmar (VI)



-Riya S. Patel (VII)



-Vaishnavi Pragya (IX)

GIRL'S LOVE FOR MOTHER EARTH

Once upon a time, there was a sweet little girl named Riya.
As she grew up, she had a golden opportunity to move to
America, and by the age of 18, she had a great job there. But
deep down, Riya knew that her heart belonged to India, the
country she loved the most. So she returned.

However, when she arrived, Riya was heartbroken to see
pollution and garbage everywhere. Determined to make a
change, she immediately joined the Swachhata Abhiyan
(Clean India Mission). She started with her neighbourhood,
picking up litter, spreading awareness, and encouraging
others to join her cause. Slowly but surely, her efforts paid
off, and her surroundings became cleaner, inspiring many.
Moral: One small step towards cleanliness can spark a
movement—change begins with you!

- Murti M. Patel and Zeni D. Thummar (VI)



TWO FRIENDS AND A GHOST

Once, in a quiet village, two best friends decided to explore the nearby jungle. They played
until dusk, but soon realized they were lost. With darkness creeping in, they quickly built a fire
and found shelter. Exhausted, they fell asleep.

One of the friends, terrified of ghosts, had a nightmare. In his dream, a ghost crept closer, its
eerie hands reaching for them, accompanied by a spine-chilling sound. Startled, he woke up
in a panic, waking his friend too. "Relax; it's just a dream," said his friend.

But when the same nightmare returned, the terrified friend shook awake again. This time, his
friend smirked and said, "Next time, when that ghost shows up, tell it, 'I'm not afraid of you!
Come closer.'"

Determined, the scared friend did exactly that in his next dream. As the ghost approached, he
bravely declared, "I'm not afraid of you—come closer!" After three rounds, the ghost
vanished!

The next morning, he thanked his friend, realising fear loses its power when you face it head-
on.

Moral: Don't run from your fears—stand up and watch them disappear!

- Sanaya R. Patel (VII)





-Pavitra R. Patel (V)



-Mahi P. Jain (IX)

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इसतुं-भीलतुं मारुं बाणपण
भोवाई गयुं डवे ई-टरनेटमां,
पेटी पेन लईने इरतुं बाणपण
भोवाई गयुं भोवाईलनी जणमां,
बाणवातार्थो वांयतुं बाणपण
भोवाई गयुं क्राईन नेटवर्कमां,
आपणो शोधवा जईशुं बाणपण
तो शुं मणी आवशे गूगल सर्चमां?

-प्रार्थवी सी. पटेल (VIII)

चिट्ठियाँ



लेटरबॉक्स में पड़ी हुई चिट्ठियाँ
अनंत सुख-दुःख वाली अनंत चिट्ठियाँ
लेकिन कोई किसी से नहीं बोलती
सभी अकेली-अकेली
अपनी मंजिल पर पहुँचने का इंतज़ार करती हैं।

कैसा है यह एक साथ होना
दूसरे के साथ हँसना और रोना
क्या हम भी
लेटरबॉक्स की चिट्ठियाँ हो गए हैं?

-उन्नति ऐ. शाह (VIII)

मेरी स्कूल



मन खुशी से भर जाता है
जब मेरा स्कूल मुझे याद आता है
हेतवी की शरारत, चायनीज़ की हिकारत
मान्या का डॉन वाला अवतार
पर हिया पर बहुत आता है प्यार।
टीचरों की बात है निराली
कभी ठंडा, कभी गरम
जैसे कोल्ड कॉफी की प्याली।
क्लास में नींद का आना
फिर टीचर से बहाना बनाना
दीदी के सामने हल्के से मुस्कराना
यही तो है हमारे स्कूल का तराना।
बिना बात के वॉशरूम जाना
टीचर के पूछने पर दर्द से चिल्लाना
वाह! यही है स्कूल का तराना।

-हेतवी सी. पटेल (VIII)

ज़िन्दगी: सफर है, खेल नहीं



ओ मन, तू कर वही जो तेरा दिल कहे,
न सुन किसी की, न कर किसी की।
बस ढाल बन तू अपनेपन की,
ये ज़िन्दगी है, कोई खेल नहीं।

इसे जी ले, बस काट मत,
और अगर मन निराश हो जाए, तो मना ले वहीं।
क्योंकि दिन खराब है, ज़िन्दगी नहीं,
रास्ता मुश्किल है, मंज़िल नहीं।

बस शांत रह, विचलित मत हो,
क्रोध को हावी मत होने दे यूँ ही।
तेरा मौन तेरी कमजोरी नहीं,
तेरे शब्द ही तेरी ताक़त नहीं।

चुप रहकर चलता जा,
क्योंकि तेरी किस्मत किसी और के हाथों में नहीं।
और अगर कहीं रुकना पड़े,
अगर कहीं थक जाए तू,
तो रुक जा बस दो पल के लिए,
ये ज़िन्दगी का अंत तो नहीं,
और इसमें कोई हर्ज़ भी नहीं।
क्योंकि ये ज़िन्दगी है, कोई खेल तो नहीं।

शीया आर. पटेल (X)

BAPPA VIGHNAHARTA



Ganapati Bappa... Morya
God of Wisdom
Son of देवोना देव मछादेव
And माता पार्वती
Beloved of रिद्धि-सिद्धि
Father of शुभ-लाभ
Writer of महाभारत

Bappa Morya! Your arrival brings tears of joy, while your departure brings a touch of sadness. The most favourite thing is that you bring happiness to our 'HEART' and 'LIVES'. You light up our darkest rooms, destroying bad karma and negativity.

बाप्पा! तमे भूळ ज दयाणु, ज्ञानी अने अंतर्भाषी छो . भाग्या पडेला
ज तमे अमने सधनुं आपी दो छो. नाना-नाना भूलकांओनी वात तो
तमे बोल्या पडेला ज सभज्जु वो छो.

बाप्पा, एक बात बोलूँ?
तेरी बात तो निराली है, और तेरी सुंदरता भी।
तू तो अनोखा है, और तेरा दिल भी,
क्योंकि तूने तो सबका दिल है जीता,
इसलिए तू सबका प्यारा है।

Please hold my hand and never let go—that's my prayer. You save us from drowning in life's troubles, caring for all, near and far. Vighnaharta, fill every home with joy. You must come again next year, bringing happiness once more!

तुझको फिर से जलवा दिखाना ही होगा,
अगले वर्ष आना है, आना ही होगा।

-Yashvi N. Patel (X)

THE FIRST DIAMOND



Once upon a time, in a land covered in coal dust, lived a humble miner named Jack.

One day, a royal messenger arrived in the marketplace, announcing loudly, "Hear ye, hear ye! All noble lords and princes are invited to a grand gathering to find a worthy suitor for our beloved Princess Sofia!"

Excitement filled the air as the townsfolk hurried to prepare. The next day, the palace courtyard buzzed with lords and princes, each hoping to win the princess's heart. Among them, unnoticed in his simple clothes, was Jack. When he saw Princess Sofia, his heart leaped with joy. But soon, he remembered his humble life as a miner.

The king welcomed everyone, saying, "I know you are all worthy suitors, but only one can marry my precious Sofia. Your task? Bring me the rarest treasure in the world! You have three days." With that, the court erupted with activity as each man raced to find the ultimate treasure.

The very next morning, Jack was back in the mines, working hard. Suddenly, the ground gave way, and he fell into a deep pit. Inside, he discovered a cave full of wonders. There, he spotted something shiny and began to chip away at a rock, revealing a stunning blue gem. "A diamond!" he exclaimed, amazed. He was the first person ever to find a diamond, and he hurried home to polish his incredible discovery.

Over the next few days, Jack carefully shaped the diamond, while the other suitors presented the king with beautiful necklaces, grand swords, and exquisite jewellery. But none of these impressed the king. "I want something unique, something only you have," he declared, leaving everyone puzzled.

Then Jack, feeling confident, said, "Your Majesty, I have such a treasure!" All eyes turned to him in curiosity. "What is it?" the king asked.

"I have a diamond!" Jack announced proudly. The king, intrigued, asked, "What is a diamond?"

Jack replied, "It's something special that only I possess!" The king examined the diamond and smiled. "You, dear Jack, shall be the new ruler of my kingdom!"

Then, leaning in, the king whispered, "And you will marry my daughter."

Jack was speechless. He married Sofia and became king, forever remembered as the man who brought the first diamond to the kingdom.

Vidhi H. Jadav (VI)

DECODE THE LINGO!



Nowadays, our chats—especially the online ones—are sprinkled with these snazzy shorthand gems. How sharp is your abbreviation game?

1. I'll finish the project _____. (ADN)
2. Sorry, I can't talk _____, I'm really busy. (ATM)
3. I'm going out tonight because I don't want to miss it – you know, _____. (FOMO)
4. _____, have you checked the latest update? (BTW)
5. _____, I'll figure it out myself. (NVM)
6. If you're free later, _____. (HMU)
7. I love working on projects because I prefer to _____. (DIY)
8. _____, that's what you meant! (OIC)
9. I'll be _____, please email me. (OOO)
10. That article was way too long. _____. (TL)
11. I have to go now, but _____. (B4N)
12. I loved watching the extras _____. (BTS)
13. _____, let's meet at the café? (WYA)
14. It's time to leave for now, _____. (TTFN)
15. Skipping the homework today is _____. (NAGI)
16. I'll meet you tomorrow! _____. (SYS)
17. Nothing new to report, it's just _____. (SSDD)
18. _____, this show is really good! (IMO)
19. I'll be back soon. _____. (BRB)
20. Hello? _____, I need help. (AYT)
21. We can discuss more later. _____. (TTYS)
22. Please send the documents _____, I need them urgently! (ASAP)
23. I'm running late, _____. (G2G)
24. I'm sorry about what happened. _____. (IFYP)
25. I don't mind, you can choose – _____. (IDC)
26. I'm exhausted. I'll go to bed. _____. (ZZZ)
27. That joke was hilarious! _____. (CSL)
28. _____, I really think we should be honest about this. (TBH)
29. Looks like we both had the same idea! _____. (GMTA)
30. No big deal, I'm just here _____. (J4F)

- Answers:
1. Any Day Now
 2. At The Moment
 3. Fear Of Missing Out
 4. By The Way
 5. Never Mind
 6. Hit Me Up
 7. Do It Yourself
 8. Oh, I See
 9. Out Of Office
 10. Too Long
 11. Bye For Now
 12. Behind The Scenes
 13. Where You At
 14. Ta Ta For Now
 15. Not A Good Idea
 16. See You Soon
 17. Same Stuff, Different Day
 18. In My Opinion
 19. Be Right Back
 20. Are You There?
 21. Talk To You Soon
 22. As Soon As Possible
 23. Got To Go
 24. I Feel Your Pain
 25. I Don't Care
 26. Sleeping, Bored, Tired
 27. Can't Stop Laughing
 28. To Be Honest
 29. Great Minds Think Alike
 30. Just For Fun

-Archi D. Desai (X)

MANGO TREE



Once upon a time, there was a mango seller who had the best, sweetest mangoes in town. Every day, many people came to buy his fruit. One day, an old woman visited his shop. She didn't have much money, so she asked the seller, "Can I please buy some mangoes with this?"

The seller frowned. "With this little money? You can only have this!" he said angrily, handing her a single mango seed. Feeling sad, the old woman walked away.

As she walked, she saw some mango trees and got an idea. She found a small patch of land, planted the seed, and cared for it every day. With love and patience, the seed grew into a tall tree full of juicy mangoes.

Grateful for her tree, she decided to thank the seller. She picked the ripest mangoes, returned to the shop, and said, "You gave me a seed, and it gave me so much more. Here are some mangoes to thank you!" The seller was surprised and realized the value of kindness.

Moral: Even small things can grow into something great when nurtured with care and patience.

-Iris A. Patel (VI)



-Reeti V. Patel (IV)



-Janvi N. Patel (IV)

Jeevan Vidya Workshop for Teachers

May 30 - June 3, 2024

"New beginnings, new perspectives!"

Over five insightful days, Ms. Yogita Sojitra led our teachers through a transformative workshop to kickstart the academic year. It empowered them to foster growth, balance, and positivity in their classrooms.



Quiz Competition

August 2, 2024

With a thirst for knowledge and competitive spirit, our students faced mind-boggling questions. It was an exciting event full of learning and discovery.



Patriotic Song Competition

August 9, 2024

"Sing for the motherland." Voices rang with pride as students expressed their love for the nation through beautiful melodies, celebrating the spirit of unity and independence.



English Handwriting Competition

June 14, 2024

"Handwriting is the mirror of the mind."

Our students showcased their skill and creativity through beautiful penmanship. It was a celebration of expression, discipline, and elegance.



Debate Competition

July 26, 2024

"He who knows how to debate knows how to lead."

Fiery arguments, strong voices, and critical thinking marked the debate as students tackled tough topics and built their confidence.



Gujarati Elocution Competition

August 28, 2024

With eloquence and passion, students paid tribute to our rich Gujarati heritage. Their words carried the essence of tradition, culture, and pride.



Spelling Bee Competition

July 19, 2024

Words flew in every direction as students battled it out with spelling prowess! With intense rounds, our young spellers demonstrated their command of vocabulary, leaving us in awe of their linguistic talent.



Extempore Competition

July 26, 2024

With only seconds to prepare, our students amazed us with their quick thinking and fluency! This extempore event highlighted their spontaneity, creativity, and courage in public speaking.



FROM THE EDITOR'S QUILL



"Creativity is intelligence having fun."

Curating 'The Envoy'—from gathering insightful articles to designing every detail—has been a journey of discovery. As this is our first newsletter in this format, it's been a thrilling experience, especially blending editing and design. I hope you enjoy this edition as much as we did crafting it!

Warmly,
Ms. Shalaka Kashikar
Editor-in-Chief

Physics Wallah Aptitude Test

September 1, 2024

A challenge for the brightest minds, testing knowledge in the field of physics and beyond. Our students embraced this opportunity to gauge their aptitude with enthusiasm.



Literacy Day Essay Writing Competition

September 8, 2024

Marking World Literacy Day, our students put pen to paper to reflect on the power of education. Their words ignited awareness, emphasizing the importance of literacy for all.



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