



In her own words, "By faith I am a catholic nun. As to my calling I belong to the world."

Amity reigns South Asia

Best Centre Of Cambridge English Exams



Chairperson with Kate Barnett and Francesca Woodward at the awards ceremony

Educational Service Organisation

Educational Services Organisation, a Centre for running the Cambridge English Exams in all branches of Amity International Schools has been awarded with the trophy for the **Centre of the Year for Overall Performance in South Asia** for the year 2017-18. The award was given away at the Second Edition of the prestigious South Asia Centre Leaders Conference and Awards Reception, held by Cambridge Assessment English at New Delhi on April 16, 2018. In addition, it was also recognised as a **Centre of Excellence** and was conferred the award for being

amongst the **Best 50 Preparation Centres in South Asia**.

The award was presented to Dr (Mrs) Amita Chauhan, Chairperson, Amity Group of Schools and RBEF by Kate Barnett, Group Director Operations, Cambridge Assessment and Francesca Woodward, Director, Global Network for Cambridge, at a special 'Principal's Round Table' conducted by Cambridge Assessment English held at Amity International School, PV. These two feats added another milestone achieved by the Centre established in 2015 under the guidance and patronage of the Chairperson. Although it's a new centre, its continuous efforts towards excellence has seen it bag

awards like 'Best New Centre of the year 2015-16' and employees award for 'Process Pioneer' and 'Best Employee of the Year, 2015-16'.

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Environment quiz

AIS Noida

Team AIS Noida comprising Sarthak Saxena (XI), Aradhya Mukherji (IX) and Ayush Bajaj (X), participated in the 'Inter-School Environment Quiz' competition' held at Vishwa Bharati

Public School, Noida on April 24, 2018. Following a tough round of selection, team Noida made it amongst 4 finalist teams and emerged winners. The objective of the quiz was to spread awareness about conserving the environment and its resources.



Tell a story

AIS Vasundhara 6

Children of Class III narrated various stories during the story narration competition held in the school on April 18, 2018. All the stories shared were value based, woven through beautiful imaginations with presentations supported by lovely props and head gears. The impeccable diction, voice modulation and expressions of children mesmerised everyone. Riddhima Sharma bagged the first position. Aaradhya Mishra and Vania Jain came second. Anay Sharma bagged third prize.



Students participate in hand writing competition

Art of writing

AIS VYC Lucknow

English hand writing competition was held for Class I-V on April 13, 2018 in which students did cre-

ative writing. Little scholars performed exceptionally well and wrote very beautifully. The objective was to encourage students improve the handwriting and think creatively.



Students from USA and Japan given a traditional welcome on arrival at the school

Rendezvous with Awadh

Imbibing Culture Of The City Of Nawabs

AERC

AIS, Viraj Khand campus, Lucknow played host to delegate of the 'YES ABROAD - AFS Intercultural programme' organised under the aegis of Amity Educational Resource Centre (AERC) from April 16 -19, 2018. The delegates Anna McKane, Olivia Vita, McKenna Van Abel, Colin Crawley and Alexander Aurin from USA and Yutaka Enomoto

from Japan alongwith AFS representative Vyom Raisurana, were accorded a traditional welcome. School principal, Mukta Banerjee introduced the delegates to their host families. Delegates were engaged in myriad activities that gave them a close glimpse of the rich and varied culture and heritage of Awadh. These included a school tour, clay modelling workshop, session on ghazal singing and a city tour to Gomti riverfront,

Bada Imambara and The Residency. They attended a session on Kathak and learnt 'Surya Namaskaar' as well as making jute potlis with Warli designs. They also enjoyed learning how to prepare the 'Lucknowi Chaat.' As a part of community service, they visited an animal farm and a blind school. On the final day the guest students performed kathak, sang ghazal and shared their experiences in the 'city of nawabs'.

Paint thy faces

AIS VKC Lucknow

School organised an interhouse face painting competition on the theme 'Celestial bodies' for the students of Class VI-X on April 11, 2018. Zealous students showcased their creativity by painting faces in beautiful motifs and colours inspired. Pawani house won the first prize followed by Alaknanda house at the second position. The third prize was jointly won by Bhagirathi and Mandakini houses. School principal Mukta Banerjee lauded the creative expressions of children and encouraged them.



Principal Mukta Banerjee with students



Young news presenters at their news channel desks

Presenting news

AIS VKC Lucknow

With an objective to inculcate the habit of newspaper reading amongst students, an interhouse 'News reading' competition was held on April 25, 2018 for the students of primary section. The young journalists were well prepared for the event and their news updates were backed up by power point presentations. Each house came up with a creative name for their news channel like

'Alaknanda News - Sabse Aage, Sabse Tez' and 'Pawani News- Always fast, always reliable', etc. Eight young journalists from each house covered and reported stories from various segments like national news, international news, state, city, business, sports, weather, etc. Their performances were assessed on the basis of articulation, diction, voice clarity, confidence and presentation. Mandakini and Bhagirathi house bagged won the first and second prize respectively.

Just a minute

AIS VYC Lucknow

Just-a-Minute competition was held on April 13, 2018 for the students of Class VI-VIII at the school. The activity was designed to help students develop spoken English skills and also overcome the fear of public speaking. Students spoke on an array of topics based on their creative imagination and daily life experiences. All the students orated well and scored good on content, confidence, pronunciation and expression.



A student at JAM