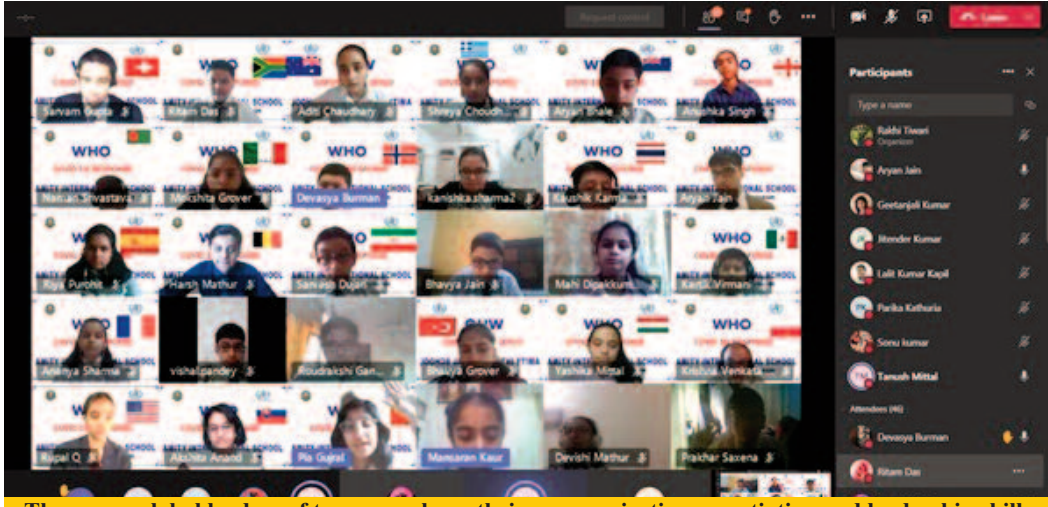




The Naga tribe speak over 89 languages and dialects.



The young global leaders of tomorrow hone their communication, negotiation and leadership skills

Simulating UN

The Virtual MUN Fosters Young Diplomats

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In an endeavour to empower young minds with global competencies like critical thinking and effective communication, the first ever virtual MUN was held by school on October 6, 2020. Envisioned by Dr (Mrs) Amita Chauhan, Chairperson, Amity Group of Schools and RBEF as a platform to enhance the leadership and negotiation skills of young minds by simulating real UN, the event was attended by more than 350 students from Class VIII-XI. Ajeet Bajaj, national games bronze medalist for kayaking

and a Padma Shri awardee along with Lokesh Bhan, President of the Rotary Club, Gurugram graced the event as the chief guests.

The event commenced with a virtual lamp lighting ceremony followed by the welcome address by school principal Dr Anshu Arora. There were total eight committees namely WHO, UNICEF, UNESCO, OIC, General Assembly, UN Human Rights Council, All India Political Parties Meet and UEFA. Secretary General Sarah Chawla (Class XI) declared the meet open following which the delegates discussed, debated,

and strategised on myriad global issues like multilateralism, protection of children's rights, COVID19 response, protection of rights of unskilled workers, eco crisis and COVID19 lockdown, territorial disputes between Israel and Palestine, etc. The conference came to close with a dance performance and release of the MUN newsletter by the members of International Press. Total six awards namely best delegate (1), best position paper (1), high commendation (3) and special mention (2) were given in each category. In the end, all the winners were bestowed with e-certificates. [G](#) [I](#)

The environment champ

National Winner At WWF Quiz 2020

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Making her school proud, Swasti Sharma of Class III bagged second position at the national level in the primary category of 'Wild Wisdom Quiz 2020' held by WWF in collaboration with CBSE. Coordinated by AERC, the quiz was held virtually with prelims being held on August 9 and finals on August 16-17. Participants from around 100 nations competed in the quiz. Theme of the quiz was 'Re-imagine our planet' and it comprised MCQs based on topics like Amazon rainforests, national parks, revolutionary



Swasti Sharma

along with a chance to interact with the international chess grandmaster, Vishwanathan Anand soon.

About the programme

Wild Wisdom Quiz is an initiative of the World Wide Fund for nature (WWF) in partnership with CBSE, which is conducted for the primary school (III-V) and middle school (VI-VIII) students in India, every year. As India's only international wildlife quiz, it aims to instil sensitivity in the young towards the environment and helps them create solutions to ensure absolute harmony between the world and the wild.

conservationists and ecosystems around the world, etc. For her exemplary feat, Swasti was also featured by the India News channel, and will also be awarded an e-certificate signed by Sir David Attenborough,



India news channel features the winsome environment quiz champ Swasti Sharma



Members of Interact club donate PPE kits to the police officers

Saving the saviours

AIS Saket

As a mark of gratitude and honour to the services of the police force during pandemic times, the Interact Club of the school donated 20 PPE kits at Saket police station in the presence of Keshav Mathur, the SHO, on September 18, 2020. Cost of the kits were borne by all the members of the student council of interact club.

Two members from the student council of the club, Parth

Khullar and Ananya Nayyar accompanied, interact club member Srishti Malhotra and mentor Manveen Kaur to donate PPE kits to the warriors of pandemic. They also interacted with the police officers and apprised them about the club's activities. They further enquired about other places where PPE kits are required so that help can be extended there too. With this gesture Amitians truly proved that they have adopted the motto of 'service above self' as a way of life.

Literati 2020 goes virtual

The Annual Fest Of Languages Celebrates Diversity

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Tenth and first ever virtual edition of 'Literati - A festival of languages' was held from July 17-25, 2020. The festival has been conceptualised to hone the linguistic abilities and literary knowledge of the young minds as envisioned by Dr (Mrs) Amita Chauhan, Chairperson, Amity Group of Schools and RBEF.

Around 48 schools with over 650 students from Delhi / NCR, Gwalior and Lucknow participated in the festival of linguistic diversity.

The event was graced by the Chairperson. Aditi Arya, former Miss India World and a school alumnus was the special guest at



Chairperson graces Literati

the closing ceremony.

The fest of languages comprised 14 different competitions comprising debates, poem recitation, role plays, podcasts, virtual storytelling, essay writing, declamation, poster making, tongue twisters, shloka gaayan, rap song, theatre, voicing the opinion, quiz competitions, etc., being held in five languages.



Special guest Aditi Arya and school principal address students

Students from different branches of Amity Group of Schools bagged 30 awards for their stellar performances in various award categories.

Sarmed Mirza -BAFTA - nominated film producer and an award-winning actor; Dr Meenakshi Pathak and Dr Ashok Lav were some of the eminent jury members who judged the

competition. Some of the alumni of school like Harshall M Mehta, Tanvi Chaturvedi, Vibhor Grover, Nayesha Gandotra and Khwaish Gupta also donned the jurors hat for the occasion. The festival came to an end with the virtual vote of thanks by school principal Arti Chopra. All the winners were given the e-certificates for their victory. [G](#) [I](#)



Children showcase their creative creations made out of waste as a tribute to Babu and Shastriji

Remembering visionaries

AIS VKC Lucknow

Students from Class I-VIII celebrated Gandhi Jayanti and also remembered the great leader Lal Bahadur Shastri who was also born on the same day, virtually on October 2, 2020. All the students took a virtual pledge to adopt Gandhiji's and Shastriji's

teachings in life. They participated in various online activities like 'Best out of Waste', 'Clay Modelling' and 'Flower making'. Class VI-VIII students participated in inter-house poster making and slogan writing competitions based on the values propagated by Babu. They also made motivational e-cards to celebrate the day. [G](#) [I](#)