

ARMY PUBLIC SCHOOL, MUMBAI

REPORT -JUNE 2024

Construction Work:

- Container Overhead shed work done.
- XI Science & XII Science-class roof sheet work done.
- Open Shed for Storage of furniture work done.
- Heritage building- wooden staircase repair work done.
- MES washroom to pathway shed work done.
- XI Science & XII Science class - 4 Door repair work done.
- MES washroom - work in progress.
- MES washroom - Internal fitting work in progress (by school)
- C-type purling repair work done.

Summer Camp Activities Report:

Summer camp was organised for the students of classes I to IX from 13th June to 22nd June.

Swimming:

The summer camp's swimming sessions provided students with an excellent opportunity to improve their aquatic skills and build physical fitness. Under the guidance of skilled instructors, participants gained confidence in the water and learned essential safety techniques.



Karate:

Karate classes were a highlight of the camp, emphasizing discipline, self-defense, and physical fitness. Students learned various martial arts techniques and developed a sense of respect and perseverance through rigorous training.



Calligraphy:

The Calligraphy sessions introduced students to the art of beautiful handwriting, enhancing their focus and creativity. Campers enjoyed experimenting with different styles and tools, creating elegant and expressive pieces of art.



Guitar:

Guitar lessons at the camp were a hit, allowing students to explore their musical talents and learn to play popular songs. The program fostered a love for music and encouraged collaboration as students practiced and performed together.



Dance:

Dance classes offered a vibrant and energetic environment where students could express themselves through movement. The sessions covered various dance styles, promoting physical health and boosting confidence as participants prepared for a final performance.



Vidyanjali School Activities Report:

International Yoga Day Yoga Session:

On International Yoga Day, 21st June 24, APS Mumbai School organized a comprehensive yoga session to promote physical and mental well-being among students from Sau Usha Devi Panduranga Waghe High School, a school adopted by APS Mumbai under the Vidyanjali Initiative. Participants engaged in various asanas and breathing exercises, learning the importance of a healthy and balanced lifestyle.



Kho Kho Match:

The APS Mumbai organized for the students of Sau Usha Devi Panduranga Waghe High School a Kho Kho match. That was an exciting event that encouraged teamwork, agility, and strategic thinking. Students eagerly participated, showcasing their athletic abilities and fostering a spirit of camaraderie and sportsmanship.



Visit to Astronomy Lab:

Sau Usha Devi Panduranga Waghe High School's students' visit to the astronomy lab provided students with a fascinating glimpse into the wonders of the universe. The hands-on experience with telescopes and celestial observations sparked a keen interest in science and expanded their knowledge of astronomy.



Health check-ups

Sau Usha Devi Panduranga Waghe High School, a school adopted under the Vidyanjali initiative by Army Public School, Mumbai, had its students medically examined on 26th June 24 by a team of doctors from SHO, Mumbai. This initiative ensures the well-being of the students by providing regular health check-ups. Additionally, it aims to address any health issues early and promote a healthy learning environment, ensuring good health for all.



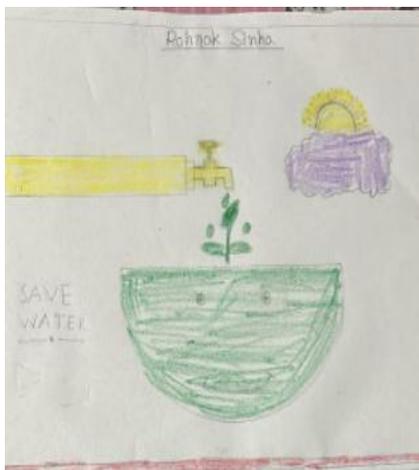
International Yoga Day Celebration:

At APS Mumbai, teachers and students enthusiastically participated in the celebration of International Yoga Day on 21st June, 24. Yoga classes were held during the event, highlighting the significance of both physical and mental well-being. Participants were led through a variety of asanas and breathing exercises by knowledgeable instructors. An exercise in group meditation brought the day to a close and helped the participants feel at ease and united.



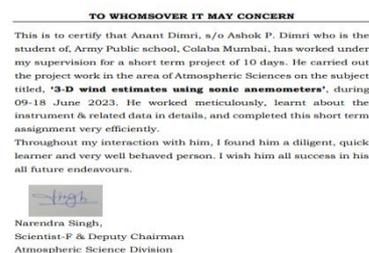
World Environment Day Activity:

The school celebrated World Environment Day with lively events that emphasized the value of environmental preservation. Tree planting efforts, clean-up projects, and eco-friendly workshops were undertaken by teachers and students. These events emphasized how important it is to preserve the environment and promote sustainable lifestyles. These are important days because they encourage action, create awareness, and teach the next generation about environmental stewardship. Observing World Environment Day fosters a sense of accountability and dedication to building a more environmentally friendly future.



Students Achievements:

- We are proud to announce that **Raghav Krishna Sinha** of class VIIIth , has been shortlisted as a winner in the November 2023 CBSE Budding Authors Programme. His achievement is a testament to his creativity and dedication to writing.
- **Anant Dimri**, son of Ashok P. Dimri and a student of Class XII of Army Public School, Colaba Mumbai, has received admit offers from the University of Texas Austin, Purdue University, Penn State University, and the University of California Davis in the US, as well as Imperial College London, Durham University, and the University of Manchester in the UK. **He has completed two short-term projects in Atmospheric Sciences:** one on the seasonal variability in surface temperature over Nainital (June 20-30, 2022) and another on 3-D wind estimates using sonic anemometers (June 9-18, 2023). **Anant also completed an internship on sun-earth interactions and the usefulness of remote sensing, demonstrating his dedication and competence in the field.**



- Ms. **Aksheeta Ghosh**, of class XII, participated in a seven-week **summer program at Harvard**. During the summer term, she focused on problem-solving, project design, power and privilege, and crime and justice.

Dear Parents and Guardians of Online SSP Students:

As director of the Harvard Secondary School Program (SSP), I am pleased to present an overview of the program to you. I hope this letter will answer your questions, and if it doesn't answer them all, you are welcome to contact me directly. My contact information appears at the end of the letter.

The Program

At Harvard Summer School, SSP students enroll in college courses for college credit during the seven-week Harvard summer term. The program has been around for more than half a century. Through the SSP, high school students can avail themselves of Harvard Summer School faculty and an amazing array of college courses. Harvard resources, such as many of its libraries and museums, are open and available to our students through various online options. The program welcomes high school students from all walks of life, all countries; students meet and make friends with other students their age from all over the world.

Classes begin Tuesday, June 20. The summer term ends for students when they complete their final academic obligation, which for most courses is a final exam during the first week of August.

Grades are available once the instructor submits them and the Summer School administration processes them. Grade reports are not mailed to students, who may view their grades online. Transcripts may be requested by students via the Summer School website.

Among the best things students can get out of the SSP, in addition to the friendships, the learning, and the intellectual growth and maturity they gain, is a Harvard transcript with a couple of good grades on it. This document can prove extremely valuable when applying to college. That is why we say that academics should be a student's first priority. Anything you can do to convey that message to your student will pay dividends.

- **Mr. Shubh Shrivastav**, Class XII Science (2023-24), scored 99.488 percentile in MHT-CET.
- **Mr. Nikhil Dhoran**, Class XII Science (2023-24), achieved 88.9 percentile in MHT-CET.
- **Ms. Mahek**, Class XII Science (2021-22), secured a 92.8 percentile in NEET 2023.
- **Ms. Tanmayee Ghughe** attended the Combined Attachment Training Camp (CATC) at Khadavali, BSV, organized by the NCC from May 7th to May 17th. The camp was conducted to teach cadets basic military training and leadership skills.



- LOGIQIDS MENTAL APPTITUDE OLYMPIAD (2023-24)

LOGIQIDS mental development program was introduced to the students of classes 3 to 9th to prepare students for the International Mental Aptitude Development Program & Olympiad 2023-24. This program, designed by IIT IIM alumni, helps develop skills like analytical thinking & problem-solving abilities in children. Students received personalized worksheets for practice and all participants of the first round got certificates from LogiQids & Techfest, IIT Bombay. The results for the Final Stage of the Olympiad which was conducted on 23 Feb 2024 with 29 Students participation were declared on 9th May 2024. Ayan Vashishtha of class 6B demonstrated exceptional dedication and talent and secured Zone Rank: 7 & International Rank: 9

CBSE Capacity Building Program:

On June 22, 2024, APS Mumbai hosted a workshop focusing on effective teaching strategies aligned with learning outcomes. Dr. Sunil Yadav shared invaluable insights, emphasizing innovative pedagogical approaches. Participants engaged actively, gaining practical knowledge to enhance classroom practices. A token of appreciation was presented to Dr. Yadav for his contribution. The event concluded with a commitment to apply newfound strategies for improved educational outcomes.



Ethics Bowl:

Students from APS Mumbai actively participated in the Ethics Bowl, a debate competition organized by the Army Welfare Education Society, showcasing their skills in ethical reasoning and critical thinking. Their involvement in this event not only honed their argumentative abilities but also deepened their understanding of moral and ethical issues in contemporary society.



IIMUN Session

Army Public School, Mumbai organized an IIMUN session regarding the upcoming Championship Conference. Ms. Stuti Tak, Senior Director of IIMUN, conducted the session for students of classes 7th to 9th on June 26, 2024. She highlighted the importance of these conferences in instilling leadership qualities, fostering interaction with students from other countries, and shaping future policymakers for the world.



Cyber Safety Workshop

A workshop on cyber safety was organized for girls from classes 6th to 12th on June 26, 2024. The workshop highlighted the importance of safe online practices, recognizing and avoiding cyber threats, and protecting personal information. It also emphasized the need for responsible social media use and maintaining digital well-being.



Medical Health Check-up

On June 26th, 2024, a comprehensive medical check-up was organized for all students of Army Public School, Mumbai. The event was conducted by a team of medical doctors in collaboration with the SHO Mumbai. This initiative aimed to ensure the overall health and well-being of the students. Detailed medical examinations were carried out to identify any health concerns early on. The check-up also aimed to promote health awareness and preventive care among students. This proactive approach underscores the school's commitment to maintaining a healthy learning environment.



Pledge to Lead Drug-Free Lifestyle

On June 26th, 2024, Army Public School, Mumbai, organized activities to promote a healthy and drug-free lifestyle. Students took a pledge to lead drug-free lives and promote a healthy society. Such activities raise awareness about the dangers of drug abuse and help the youth of India understand its severe implications. By engaging in these programs, students learn the importance of making positive choices for their well-being and future.



In service workshops

A 4 day In-Service training workshop on various topics was successfully conducted in the Army Public School, from 18th – 21st June 2024 by School Management. The In-Service training workshop received an overwhelming response with 45 participants.

The schedule of IN-SERVICE TRAINING WORKSHOP program is given below:

<u>JUNE</u>			
18-06-2024	12pm - 2pm	Critical Media literacy	Mrs. Manisha
19-06-2024	12pm - 2pm	Creative art integration	Mrs. Neeta & Mr. Raj B
20-06-2024	12pm - 2pm	Differntiating instruction for english language lerners	Mrs. Sonika & Mrs. Ishu
21-06-2024	12pm - 2pm	Yoga (Teachers / Students)	Ms. Ashwini, Mr. Afroz & Mr. Dinesh
		First Aid	Forest Fire / Mr. Afroz
22-06-2024	12pm - 2pm	Civic Engagement & Community service	Mrs. Faiza & Mrs. Preeti Sudha