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#### At VGS your child gets:

- Best Quality Education by finest teachers under CISCE guidelines.
- 40 acre Campus with playgrounds & fields.
- Most of Extra curricular Activities specially designed for your child.
- Confidence to excel in life!



# VISION GLOBAL SCHOOL



# Academic Session 2014 - 15

"School is not a building but a Dream., Not a business but a Vision."

Pt. Sheo Narayan Pandey

VGS has continued on the same legacy to build a school with excellent standard of education coupled with various co-curricular activities, and an overall development of the personality of its students.

Our Academic Session for 2014-15 started on with our First Assembly. It was really heartening to see students reassemble and search for friends. While few students had left the school, many new had joined VGS family. Eyes searched for few moments and then the smile sailed to lips. It was equally relaxing to find old friends as was to make new ones. O Childhood thou art really Blessed!

VGS upheld few traditions as sacrosanct, and introduced few more for innovative flavor. We held Inter House Competitions, Summer Camp, and other annual events in the same spirit as past few years. However 2014-15 saw change in form of our students realizing their social responsibilities.

With our first batch of 10th to appear in ICSE Exam, the Session 2014-15 saw special stress on the academics. Special classes were arranged throughout the year.



VGS Campus

My heart leaps up when I behold a rainbow in the sky: So was it when my life began; So is it now I am a man.

William Wordsworth

#### Vision 2015!

Students and Staff of VGS family always desired a showcase to display the life at VGS. Without any doubt the school life is the most integral and joyful part of life. We at VGS always strive to make learning a natural process, emphasizing on the child's growth in all dimensions of life.

It gives us immense pleasure to present the first Edition of Vision 2015!

This Newsletter is crafted to portray various activities which run throughout the year at VGS Campus. The Newsletter has 4 pages dedicated to the students of VGS, who mesmerize us with their innocent approach coupled with raw potential.

This is just a start, but then dawn is certainly the most inspiring part of any day!

# **Inter House Competitions**



Inter House Debate Competition

In order to realize the highest ideal of education and inculcate a healthy competition, the school has been divided into the four Houses. Inter House competitions are organized regularly to nurture the overall growth of the child.

Debate & Elocution form a major part of Inter House competitions. For Junior School, selected students from each house recite a poem on stage with the entire school as audience. For Middle & Senior School Debate is organized which compromises of two students from each House speaking both in favor or and against a given topic. Mostly relevant social issues are selected as Debate

Inter House Hindi Debate & Elocution competition was organized in July 2014. Students gave an outstanding performance and depicted high standards maintained at

Inter House English Debate & Elocution was organized on 14th August, 2014. Students participated enthusiastically. was the winner.

Inter house singing competition was held on October, 2014. Our young Lata Mangeshkars & Md. Rafis mesmerized the audience with their performance. Inter House Quiz, & Essay Competition was also organized successfully.





### you want, you'll never have it. If you don't ask, the answer is always no. If you don't step forward, you're always in the same place."

"If you don't go after what

-Nora Roberts

# Vrindavan Tour



Tours and Excursions form an integral part in the school curriculum. These group activities are proven tools to improve a child's confidence. VGS organizes a tour every year and we have already taken students to Agra,

Holy City of Vrindavan, where the Supreme Lord Krishna spent his childhood days.

Our group visited Govinda Dev temple, one of its oldest surviving temples built in 1590.



We also visited Madan Mohan Temple located near the Kali Ghat, The tour also included visit to other prominent places like Garud Govind Temple, Vrindavan Chandrodaya Mandir & Radha Vallabh Temple. The tour included a sumptuous lunch, and a number of small competitions during the journey in our school bus.



## सीख

मिटा सको तो गर्व मिटाओ। प्यार मिटाना मत सीखो।।

कमा सको तो पुण्य कमाओ। पाप कमाना मत सीखो।।

लगा सको तो बाग लगाओ। आग लगाना मत सीखो।।

बिछा सको तो फूल बिछाओ। धूल बिछाना मत सीखो।।

बचा सको तो जीव बचाओ। जीव मारना मत सीखो।।

दिखा सको तो वक्ष दिखाओ। पीठ दिखाना मत सीखो।।

> Avidhiv Pathak Class-3

#### The Great Ashoka (304-232 B.C.)

Regarding as one of the greatest emperor of all times.

Fought battles and won most of them.

Gave up war and became a follower of Lord Buddha after the battle of Kalinga.

Built Many Pillars and carved on them the teaching of Buddha.

# Akbar the Great (1542-1605)

Was a great ruler and very fond of art music and literature.

Respected all religions and loved by people of all the religions.

Built many monuments like Fatehpur Sikri and Agra Fort.

Rudra Class IV

#### What is Life

Life is a bank, fill it
Life is a problem, face it
Life is an equation, lance it
Life is sun, solve it
Life is a load, Carry it
Life is a challenge, accept it
Life is a book, road it
Life is a game play it
Life is a gift, receive it
Life is a pain, bear it
Life is a camera, face it with a smile

Anshika Singhal Class - X

"DARE TO BE FREE,
DARE TO GO AS FAR AS
YOUR THOUGHT LEADS,
AND DARE TO CARRY THAT
OUT IN YOUR LIFE.

- VIVEKANANDA



#### बचपन

वो भी क्या बचपन था, जब मैं अपनी तोतली भाषा में, कुछ बोलता था, अपने टूटे– फूटे अल्फाजों में, कुछ समझाने की कोशिश करता।

मेरी बाते कोई समझ न पाता, तब सिर्फ माँ मुझे, फरिशते – सी दिखती, वे मेरी हर बात समझ कर, मुझे प्यार से दुलारती-पुचकारती।

जिंदगी की सीढ़ी, चढ़ना था आसान, जब माँ की उंगली ली थाम, कठिन से कठिन काम सरल लगते, मुझे यकीन हो गया, इसमें भी माँ की दुआओं का, असर नजर आता।

में कामयाब होता चला गई, परन्तु मेरी अंतरात्मा मुझे झकझोरती, और कहती दिल न दुखा, अपनी माँ का, नहीं तो वक्त निकल जाएगा, और बाद में तू पछताएगा।

> Yash Gupta Class-V

# बेटी बचाओ

कहती बेटी बाँह पसार मुझे चाहिए प्यार, दुलार

बेटी की अनदेखी क्यूँ करता है निष्ठुर संसार

सोचो जरा हमारे बिन बसा सकोगे घर परिवार

गर्भ से लेकर यौवन तक मुझ पर लटक रही तलवार

मेरी व्यथा, वेदना का अब तक न हो पाया स्थायी उपचार। Pragya Maheswari (Maths Teacher)

#### बेटी एक वरदान

बेटी ही बचाएगी,देश, समाज, परिवार इसको भी दे दो, जीने का अधिकार। भोली है, भली है देखो गुड़ की डली है ये कंस, रावण ने हर युग में छली है ये।।

श्क्ति – स्वरूपा बन अन्याय से लड़ेगी ये दुर्गा, काली सम शत्रु–दमन करेगी ये। कर्मों की खुशबू से महकाएगी – संसार सारे जग में होगी इसकी भी जय–जयकार।।

बेटी ही बचाएगी,देश, समाज, परिवार इसको भी दे दो, जीने का अधिकार।।

बेटो पर करलिया बार—बार विश्वास एक बार दे के देखो इसको भी वही प्यार। माँ बाप को सपने में भी न ये तड़पाएगी दुख के आसूँ न कभी उन्हें रूलापायेगी।।

बेटी बिन बाबुल का सूना है घर—द्वार माँ की ममता भी उसी से पाए निखार। बेटी ही बचाएगी,देश, समाज, परिवार इसको भी दे दो, जीने का अधिकार।।

> Rati Gupta Class-X

## नारी

धरती हिल उठी,
नारी की आवाज फिर इस देश में गूँजी थी।
इस भारत में गूँजी फिर से एक कहानी थी।
जिस प्रकार लक्ष्मीबाई ने
अँग्रेजों को खदेड़ने की ठानी थी।
उसी प्रकार आज हर बेबस नारी ने
इंसाफ लेने की ठानी है।
तोड़ देगी वो हर उँगली और हाथ को
जो उस पर उठता है।
काट देगी वह उस सिर को
जो नारी को अबला समझता है।
अबला नहीं है नारी, नारी है माँ काली।
जब—जब नहीं दिया जाएगा नारी को सम्मान,
फिर से दोहराया जाएगा इस दुनिया में
महाभारत का संग्राम।

Diksha Singh Class-X

#### **Brainy Quotes**

Arise, awake and stop not until the goal is achieved.

Swami Vivikanand

We spend our days waiting for the right path to appear in front of us, but what we forget that paths are made for walking, not for waiting.

**Bal Gangadhar Tilak** 

Yesterday is gone. Tomorrow has not yet come. We have only today. Let us begin.

Mother Teresa

Proceeds from the qualities that man by grace and not others.

Lal Lajpat Rai

The highest education is that which does not merely give us information but makes our life in harmony with all existence.

Rabindranath Tagore

Strength does not come from physical capacity it come from an strong will.

Mahatma Gandhi

Teena Singh Class IV

## मेरा घर

मेरा छोटा घर है सुंदर, आओ, आकर देखो अंदर। खुब धूप आती है इसमें, और हवा फिर जाती इसमें। चूल्हा है कमरे से बाहर, धुआँ नहीं भरता है अंदर। छोटा—सा है द्वार बनाया, परदे से है इसे सजाया। रोग मेरे घर में आता, आलस कभी न मुझे सताता। रखो तुम भी अगर सफाई, सख पाओगे मेरे भाई।

Navneeta Pandey Class-III

# Honesty is the main pillar of a man 's character

Once a general manager wanted to test his people who had come all over India, and who were excelled in their profession.

He announced that they would be given a task. He gave them all all seeds of a plant. He ordered them to put the seed in a pot with good soil and look after it well. He would hold a competition and the best plants would be awarded

Everyone did what was told to him. A year passed quickly. There were hundred of pots and a great variety of plants all except one. In this pot was soil but no plant. The owner of the pot was standing quietly.

The general manager called him on the stage. He asked him what has happened. The man told him the truth.

He planted the seed, which he has given, and did what was to be done- but nothing happened.

The general manager declared him the winner. Everyone was shocked.

It was announced,

"Gentlemen The seeds I gave you were boiled seeds. You planted them and nothing happened.

You acted smartly and used some other seeds. This man was honest to his work and therefore, he did not cheat me and himself."

This showed that honesty is the best policy.

Shalini Rathi IX

# पेड़ लगाओ

सबको यह समझाना है, तुमको पेड़ लगाना है। जो भी पेड़ लगाएगा, वही सुखी रह पाएगा।।

> Sakshi Class-I

#### Need of reforming the Education System in India

According to the constitution of India, elementary education is the fundamental right of the children aging from 6-14 years. According to the statistical data there are 688000 primary schools and 110000 secondary schools in India. Government has also launched the plans like "Sarva Sikha Abhyaan" (SSA), "District Primary Education Programme" (DPEP), Operation Black Board, Mid-Day Meal etc. to impart primary education to all the children but the target is still unachieved and at least half of the students from rural areas drop out before completing school.

Indian education system at the Primary Level And Secondary Level is passing through a state of confusion because the question of the medium of education is still disputed. The schools of government sector teach in regional languages while the schools of primary sector especially in urban areas provide education in English Medium.

Syllabus is prepared in such a manner that instead of developing analytical facilities of the students, they are compelled to remember dry facts without a sense of joy. No doubt the efforts made by NCERT are praise worthy as in some of its books new methods to impart knowledge with pleasure and activity are given.

The thinking of the students' teachers and parents that makes are more important than knowledge has further put a question mark on the acceptability of the present education system. The result of this thinking is that the cramming power of the students has increased and knowledge has been put on the side track. One who can cram well becomes successful than the other who knows well.

Therefore, there is an acute need to overcome these confusions. The education should be given to the students according to the Nation's present day need. As the needs persistently change so there should be flexibility in our education system so that

needs of the nation may be met accordingly. Primary education should definitely be aimed to inculcate basic values of human life besides giving knowledge of different subjects. Afterwards, Secondary and Higher education should be given with a purpose to earn one's living.

Riya Gupta Class IXth

#### Responsibility

The words 'Responsibility' signify the basic value Response & ability. The great ability you put in your work, the great response you will achieve. We are made wise not by the recollection of our past, but by the ability to work is present and filing responsibility-towards our future. As long as we require someone else to make us happy, we remain slaves. Take the whole responsibility on your on shoulders and reaffirm that you are the creator of your destiny.

Responsible people do their part in a job Responsible people do not credit for other people's work, and they admit own mistakes. They show self-control by choosing words or action carefully. That means they think carefully before they say or do anything. They take care of their possession and obey rules. They work hard and do their best.

Tanu Sharma Class-IX

#### Image of Life

Check your image,
It becomes your personality.
Check your personality,
It becomes your hobbies,
Check your hobbies,
It becomes your Character,
Check your character,
It becomes your action.
Check your action,
It becomes your Desitnly.

Pranjal Senger

## Academics & Board Exams

Academics form the core of any educational institute. A VGS teachers and students alike have always emphasized on academic development.

The school organized special Summer Classes in Summer Vacation for Class 8th, 9th & 10th. For class 10th specially the priority was timely syllabus completion along with revision classes and mock exams.

Period Order 1, Half Yearly & Period Order 2 were held as per the annual planner.

VGS started with new software management system to ensure proper and timely syllabus coverage. Director & Principal themselves did surprise checks and audits to ascertain the quality of education being imparted in each class. Faculties were crosschecked and changes made wherever necessary.

Special classes were held for Class 10th in the Winter Vacation. Class 10th syllabus was completed by mid of January 2015. Two Pre-University-Exams were held along with over 10 practice tests for each subject. Separate workshops were organized on stress management, ICSE marking pattern, past paper trends, etc. ICSE Exams started from 26th February, 2015 and we ensured all the students went for the Board Exam brimming with confidence! We wish all the Best to our 1st ICSE Batch!



Exams!

### Annual Events

"There are far, far better things ahead than any we leave behind." These lines by C. S. Lewis inspire us to always look forward.

Student life at VGS is a real fun with various events throughout the year! Rakhi Making Competition was organized on 2nd August 2014. Tree Plantation Ceremony was organized on 19th August 2014.

Teacher's day celebration on 5th September was a big hit! Various dances were performed by the juniors and toddlers. Speech were delivered and Drama enacted to highlight the role of teachers in our life. The function brought nostalgic feeling and moistened eyes of many.

Rangoli Competition was organized before Diwali Holidays. Artistic traits were emphasized on canvas by colors.

A Gala Fete was organized on 14th November, 2014, the occasion of Children's Day. "Our greatest weakness lies in giving up. The most certain way to succeed is always to try just one more time."

-Thomas A. Edison

# Social Responsibility

VGS has boldly taken forward few social causes and apprised our students of their role as responsible citizens. We are catechizing our students to harness their energy towards making a positive and meaningful change in the society as a whole.

We encourage students to realize their social responsibilities by organizing Tree Plantation ceremony, Anti cracker campaign, Visit to the slums, and number of similar activities and workshops.







Anti-cracker Campaing organised by VGS Students!



# VISION GLOBAL SCHOOL

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# Where The Mind is Without Fear

Where the mind is without fear and the head is held high

Where knowledge is free

Where the world has not been broken up into fragments

By narrow domestic walls

Where words come out from the depth of truth

Where tireless striving stretches its arms towards perfection

Where the clear stream of reason has not lost its way Into the dreary desert sand of dead habit

Where the mind is led forward by thee Into ever-widening thought and action

Into that heaven of freedom, my Father, let my country awake

from Rabindranath Tagore's Geetanjali

# Toddler School Activities

Toddler School of VGS (Classes Nursery, KG, & Prep) is truly an enchanting place! We take pleasure in nurturing young cadets and have made it a point to satiate the unending quench of knowledge of these inquisitive minds. All Toddler School classrooms are Air-Conditioned and equipped with Audio-Visual Facilities. Annual Calendar is full of weekly activities, to captivate the spirit of life evident here.

I miss the swings & the playful laughter So, let me return to what I find good I miss the innocent talks without any falter So, let me return to the joys of childhood!















