

DELHI PUBLIC SCHOOL, HYDERABAD
REPORT – ‘SAMVIDHAN SE SAMRASTA UTSAV’

DATE: 23rd to 30th January

“Constitution is not a mere document, it is a vehicle of life, and its spirit is always the spirit of age”
- Dr. B.R. Ambedkar



On the occasion of the 70th Republic Day of India, students of class 9 and 11 organised the Samvidhan Se **Samrasta** Utsav from 23rd- 30th January 2020 in the school premises. The students showcased the various efforts that went into the making of our Constitution and its evolution over the last 70 years.

The exhibition was declared open by our Principal, Mrs. Geetha Vishwanathan along with the Guest of Honour, Ms. Priyamvada, a law student at NALSAR University of Law and also an ex-dipsite. After welcoming the Guest of Honour and lighting the auspicious lamp, students of class 11 put up a presentation giving a glimpse of the various aspects that went into the making of the Constitution.

The presentation kicked off with a recitation of the Preamble followed by a mock session of the intense debates of the Constituent Assembly that was enacted by the Humanities students of class 11. This was then followed by some inspirational messages from a few alumni, which emphasized on the need to be constitutionally aware.



The Guest of Honour, Ms. Priyamvada, who was elated to see young minds take up this initiative enthusiastically, emphasised on the same and shared some very inspiring thoughts with the students. Lastly, our Principal, Mrs. Geetha Vishwanathan addressed the gathering and talked of the importance of the Constitution and its role in the Indian society.

During this period, students from classes IV-IX visited the exhibition, where they were made aware about the journey of our Constitution since its inception. This was accompanied by documentaries of the mock debates and interactive sessions which brought a whole new perspective of the Constitution into their young minds. The students had to face a lot of nerve racking questions which was answered with great enthusiasm.



Elections are an integral part of a democracy. To make the students aware of the importance of a democracy, mock elections were held as part of the Constitution Week celebrations. Classes 5 and 6 participated in this process. There were eight parties representing eight sections. Students showed their enthusiasm and creativity in

deciding their party names and designing logos. Eight parties prepared their manifestos in a convincing way. The creativity of the students was appreciated by one and all. The election campaign was held on January 24th, 2020 and the voting took place on January 28th, 2020. The results were declared on 30th January. The enthusiasm of the students and their efforts in winning the elections was commendable.

Overall, there was an extremely enthusiastic participation from the students. The exhibition which was declared closed on 30th January, turned out to be a grand success. Through this exhibition one not only honoured the Constitution and its makers but also stood testimony to the fact that learning is not just limited to our textbooks, but in fact has a better impact when implemented in real life.

