

**Kothari International School**  
**Grades 4 & 5 Session 2020-21**

DATE/MONTH	EVENT	GRADE	FEEDBACK	PHOTOGRAPHS
November	Solo Semi-Classical Online Dance Competition	4&5	<p>Semi classical dance is the combination of classical dance performed on bhajans and ghazals.</p> <p>Originating in India, classical and folk dance, when put together, is called semi-classical dance form.</p> <p>Yashika Sankhla of Grade 4A, Kothari International School, Noida, received the opportunity to entrance and stun her audience with her exceptional performance in the solo semi classical dance competition – All India Social-Distancing Online National Dance Contest conducted by Natrajam Aantar Sanskrutik Sangh, Nagpur.</p> <p>The competition was conducted on an online platform where the jury panel rigorously screened each participant and assessed each performance to reach their</p>	

			<p>final verdict.</p> <p>From a pool of extremely talented and passionate participants, Yashika Sankhla was able to come out as the winner of the competition and received first prize.</p>	
<p><b>November</b></p>	<p><b>DIWALI CELEBRATIONS</b></p>	<p><b>4&amp;5</b></p>	<p>Feeling the spirit of the festive season, in the month of November, KIS students of Grades 4&amp;5 celebrated Green Diwali with creative and skillful activities. The students made beautiful 3D Wall Hangings and painted beautiful Diyas on the occasion of Diwali during their online sessions.</p> <p>They made the beautiful craft work using colourful papers arranged in a 3D design and painting diyas with creative and expressive patterns. The activity enhanced their skill of paper crafting, cutting, pasting and assembling of a craft work, and also shared their knowledge on the tradition behind the celebration. They loved to do this craft work and were very expressive of their feelings while sharing them with each other.</p> <p>These fun activities were conducted to enjoy the onset of the festival during the Diwali week. The</p>	

			<p>students thoroughly enjoyed the activities and sharing their Diwali celebration ideas and inspirations to keep this festival healthy and environment friendly.</p>	
<p><b>8<sup>th</sup> November 2020</b></p>	<p><b>POSTER MAKING AND SLOGAN WRITING COMPETITION</b></p>	<p><b>4</b></p>	<p>Kothari international school, noida had organized a poster making and slogan writing competition for the students of grade 4 on 8<sup>th</sup> november, 2020. The objective of the competition was to ignite the fire of imagination and creativity in the students. The theme of the competition was 'clean water and sanitation'.</p> <p>All the students participated with immense zeal and enthusiasm. It was a great opportunity to watch these young minds creating and displaying their ideas on paper.</p> <p>The competition was judged by ms sharmita roy who holds a master degree in design from the national institute of fashion technology (nift).</p> <p>The competition was really enjoyed by all the students.</p>	

<p><b>14<sup>th</sup> November 2020</b></p>	<p><b>Children's Day Special Assembly</b></p>	<p><b>K1-12</b></p> <p>“Children are the future so nurture them right. In the end, they are the one who’s going to bring change to the world and make it a better place”.</p> <p>One of the special heroes during the Covid-19 pandemic were children, accepting and molding into the new normal as naturally as anything, becoming an emblem of resilience. Saluting the spirit of these young superheroes a special virtual assembly was conducted on 14<sup>th</sup> November 2020 to celebrate Children’s Day.</p> <p>The assembly was presented by the teachers of Kothari International School. The objective behind this assembly was not just to make children aware of the significance of celebrating Children’s Day but to help children create some beautiful memories of this school year with their teachers and to enjoy a day dedicated to joy and hope children bring in the each life they touch.</p> <p>The assembly included fun skits, presentations and dance performances by the teachers of different grades. The assembly concluded with the school song and national anthem.</p> <p>Afterwards, the honorable principal of Kothari International</p>	
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<p><b>21<sup>st</sup> November 2020</b></p>	<p><b>Feet Active - Dance Competition</b></p>	<p><b>4&amp;5</b></p>	<p>On 21<sup>st</sup> November, 2020 Grade 4 5 of Kothari International School, Noida culminated the Feet Active – the Dance competition with a grand presentation and result declaration ceremony. The performances of students were mesmerising and beautiful and left the audience in awe of each child’s talent and caliber. Miss Mallika Manocha, a young and talented Kathak Artist judged this event and declared the winners with her wonderful and productive feedback which will surely help all the participants to improve and perform even better in the future..</p> <p>The event became a platform for students to showcase and hone their talent.</p> <p>Grade 4 &amp; 5 students, Deetya Srivastava &amp; Shreyal Sharma hosted the</p> <p>event and the event commenced with a lovely prayer presented</p>	

by – Vaidehi Chaudhary , Avanya Haldar and Sharavya Pandey.

After the presentation of the finalist winners were announced as,

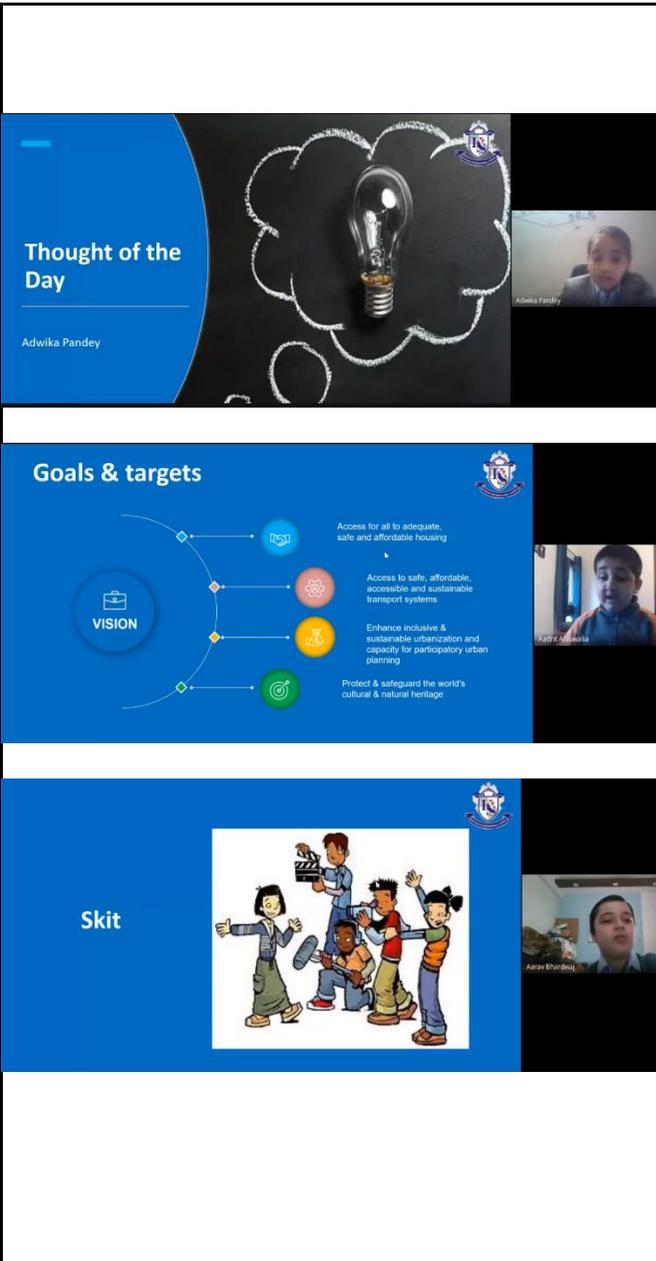
Outstanding – Aadhya Bhatnagar ( Grade 5<sup>th</sup> ) & Asmi Garg (Grade 4<sup>th</sup>)

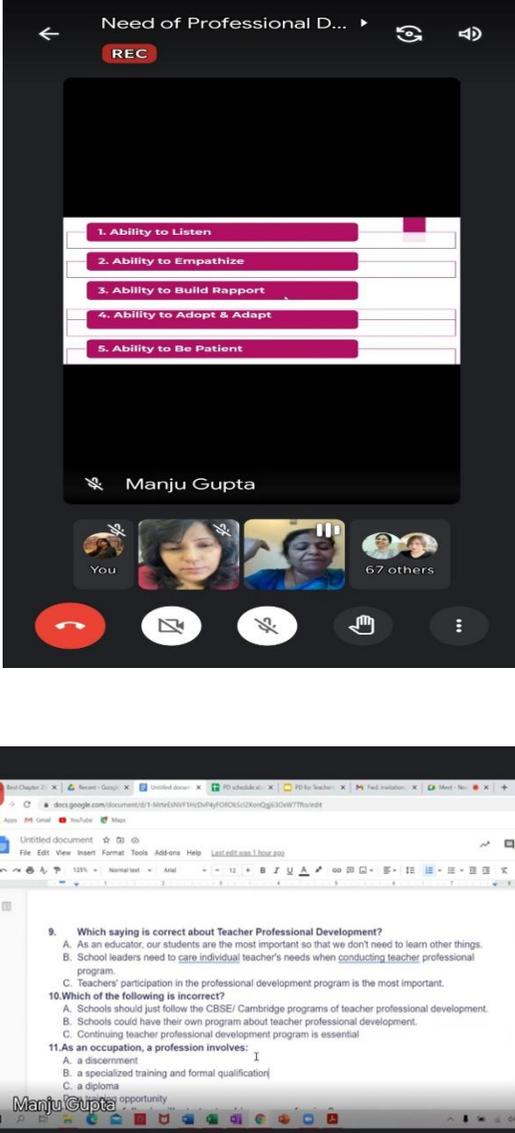
Excellent – Ishita Marathe (Grade 5<sup>th</sup> ) & Samriddhi Maru ( Grade 4<sup>th</sup>)

Very Good – Nishika Shukla (Grade 4<sup>th</sup> ), Anika Singh ( Grade 4<sup>th</sup> ) & Ahana Kukreti (Grade 4<sup>th</sup>)

We congratulate all the participants and look forward to more such events from the extremely talented KIS students.



<p><b>24<sup>th</sup> November 2020</b></p>	<p><b>Assembly - Sustainable cities and communities</b></p>	<p><b>4&amp;5</b></p>	<p>Special Assemblies are an important feature of the school's routine. They form a significant part of the school's curriculum. They are a means to create a positive, reflective ethos and promote value-based education.</p> <p>The assembly was conducted on the topic - Sustainable cities and communities. The world's population is constantly increasing to accommodate everyone, we need to build modern, sustainable cities. For all of us to survive and prosper, we need new, intelligent urban planning that creates safe, affordable and resilient cities with green and culturally inspiring living conditions.</p> <p>In any good school, morning assemblies are a must thing to begin the day with. It simply strengthens the way a school works. It is conducted with a complete and active participation of students and the teachers.</p> <p>The morning assembly is held twice a month at KIS and forms an integral part of the School curriculum. Various activities in the morning assembly include Prayer, Thoughts, Talk on the topic, Book review etc.</p> <p>The morning assembly is held twice a month at KIS and forms an integral part of the School curriculum. Various activities in the morning assembly include Prayer, Thoughts, Talk on the topic, Book review etc.</p>	
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<p><b>28<sup>th</sup> November 2020</b></p>	<p><b>Online Workshop – Skill Upgrade – Why Professional Development</b></p>	<p><b>K1-5</b></p>	<p>On 28<sup>th</sup> of November, 2020, Kothari International School Noida organised a skills upgrade online workshop for the faculty members of grade K to 5. As part of the enriching peer learning culture of KIS, the workshop was facilitated by KIS principal, Ms. Manju Gupta.</p> <p>The objective of the workshop was to kindle a rigorous practice of professional and personal development where the entire KIS family comes on same platform and facilitate a steady enrichment of education, training and development in each other.</p> <p>One of the main focus points of this workshop remained to understand and bridge the gap between personal and professional development of faculty members and how consistent efforts to achieve it may help in achieving desired goals.</p> <p>Participants of the workshop found it helpful and enriching and look forward for the next session.</p>	
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29<sup>th</sup> November  
2020

**“HEALTHY  
SALAD MAKING  
COMPETITION”**

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The students of grade 5 participated in a healthy salad making competition in the second week of November. This competition was based on SDG 3-Good health & well-being and it consisted of two round in total.

In the first round the students created a healthy sandwich and based on various criteria, 10 students were selected for the second round. In the second round the students created their own recipe of a healthy salad. They also explained the nutritional values of the different ingredients used. They also had to explain how the healthy food contributes to our good health and well-being.

The participants' presentation videos were judged on different criteria such as presentation, content knowledge, confidence etc. judge for this competition was Ms. Sumati Mishra who is a PGT- Science in Kothari International School.

This competition helped the students to understand the value of healthy food and how important is it to consume balanced diet especially in this pandemic time.

