

## ROAD SAFETY



### My Artwork

#### Why is Christmas Celebrated?

**Abir Maity**  
Class- VIII

Christmas is celebrated as the birth anniversary of Jesus Christ of Nazareth, a spiritual leader whose teachings form the basis of Christianity. The name "Christmas" comes from the word "Christ" (Jesus). There are three reasons why December 25 was selected for the Christmas celebration. First, the Roman Christian historian Sextus Julius Africanus dated Jesus's conception March 25th which after nine months is December 25th. The origin of Christmas stems both from the Pagan and Roman Cultures. The 12 days of Christmas is the period in Christian theology that marks the span between the birth of Christ and coming of the Magi. It is a time of God showing his great love for us. It can be a time of healthy and renewed strength.

**Aryan Shaw**  
Class - VIII

#### My First scouting experience

**Harsprit Singh**  
Class- VIII

My First Scouting Experience was far beyond my imagination. I had never thought of having such exciting experience ever. The camp was organized by Bharat Scouts and Guides, at Shree Vishudhan Saraswati Vidyalaya. We went for the camp under the supervision of our games teacher and it was a never before experience. six and 1 other schoolmates went for the camp. The entire camping session was full of fun and we learnt lots of life skills to survive in difficult situations. They provided us with trainings and many other activities were performed which can enrich our lives. On the second day of the camp there was bonfire. Respectable members of the locality were present there to encourage us. The food provided to us was hygienic and fresh. The place was safe and secured for all the children who took part in the camp. Four days passed with a blink of an eye and my experience which is beyond words gave me an immense pleasure that I took decision to join the camp. I would like to convey my fellow schoolmates that they should never miss such an opportunity.

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### From the Principal

The choosing of a school for a child is probably one of the most difficult decisions a thinking parent must make. The considerations are manifold. Gone are the days when success in school simply meant a good result in the examinations and trophies won in sports. The new National Education Policy introduced by the Government of India envisages schooling to be more skill-based rather than mugging up of notes. And while the immensely competitive world demands from our children a higher order of thinking skills than we had ever done before, the parents are torn between prioritising the emotional and the intelligences quotients.

So, here comes Nopany High with a road map to put the parents' concerns to rest. We have already started for our students a free & compulsory A.I. and Coding coaching in collaboration with Coding Wale. This will not only help the students acquire scientific attitude and aptitude, facilitate development of mathematical concepts, problem-solving and communication skills, but also lead them to a constructive hobby that is soon going to turn to a compulsory skill for the future. If artificial intelligence does not replace normal professionals at their workplace, people knowing A.I. and coding surely will.

We also have brought for your students free martial art classes, roller-skating lessons and the Scouting movement in order promote physical and social competence.

Free and compulsory aptitude tests and STEM activities also shall help students progress on the way to success.

Our air-conditioned classrooms help retain the children's intake capacities and better attention spans in the sweltering Kolkata heat. Your children are in the best of hands.

**Dibyendu Sen Sharma**  
Principal

## OUR ISC TOPPERS 2023



## OUR ICSE TOPPERS 2023



### SUBJECT TOPPERS



## VISIT TO INDIAN MUSEUM



On the occasion of YUVOTSAV celebrated on 22<sup>nd</sup> of January, 2023 to inspire the youth of Bengal based on the teachings of Swami Vivekananda and Netaji Subhash Chandra Bose ,

a program was organised at Ashutosh Mukherjee Centenary Hall in the premises of Indian Museum. The students of classes VIII & IX accompanied by five teachers took part in an interactive session with Shri Anuraag Singh Thakur , the current Minister of Sports, Youth Affairs and Minister of Information and Broadcasting. It was an excellent experience for the students.



On the occasion of the National Youth Day, our students had an opportunity to interact with Mr. Anurag Singh Thakur at a programme organised at the National Museum Auditorium.







3rd February, 2023

## INTERNATIONALISM 2023

At Nopany High on February 3<sup>rd</sup>, with the theme of China Day the Celebration began at 10:30 a.m. and showcased various aspects of Chinese culture, including its cuisine, heritage, dragon dance and the Celebration of the Chinese New Year (Rabbit Year).

## MINDWARS QUIZ CONTEST



7th January, 2023

## REPUBLIC DAY 2023

On 26th January, 2023, the students of Nopany High Celebrated Republic Day with great enthusiasm and Patriotism. of the Chinese New Year (Rabbit Year).



26th January, 2023

## Saraswati Puja, 2023

The students of Nopany High celebrated Saraswati Puja on 26<sup>th</sup> January '23 in their school premises.



26th January, 2023

## Bharat Scouts and Guides , Kolkata 2023

The school's focus on experiential learning and personality development has provided an opportunity for students to broaden their horizons beyond the four walls of the classroom.



18th December, 2023



18th December, 2023

# TEACHERS' THOUGHTS

## MANAGING MATHEMATICS



SIPRA KUMAR

Mathematics is known as Queen of Sciences because mathematical knowledge plays a crucial role in understanding the contents of other school subjects such as Science, Social Studies and even music and art. Basic Mathematics skills are those that involve making calculations of amounts, sizes or other measurements. Core concepts like addition, subtraction, multiplication and division provide a foundation for learning and using more advanced Mathematical concepts. Mathematics which is an important subject can be very scoring if approached in the correct way. Ahentiveness in the class and hard work are essential in the study of subject like Mathematics.

Following are the key- points to remember:

- Whatever topic is being taught or discussed in the class every day, the students should make it a point to revise it at home.
- Never memorise theorem proofs and formulae. Try to understand how the formulas are derived and the logical reasoning behind every theorem.
- Do not treat "Rough Work" roughly. Rough work should be done very neatly in the Rough column alongside your fair work so that students can copy the results of calculations correctly from rough column.
- For solving problem sums for Geometry, diagram should be drawn.
- As the timing is very important factor in exams, while preparing for examination, students should go through 'Mock Test'. They may take any question paper and try to finish it within the time specified.
- It is required to answer the questions in given order.
- Good marks in Mathematics depend very much on the number of times one revises the whole syllabus. Revisions also help the students to gain confidence and get rid of tension and nervousness in the examination hall.
- Students should themselves solve the sums given as examples in the textbook as well as the remaining sums given in the exercises.

Nopany High bids a heartfelt farewell to Ms. Sipra Kumar who superannuated from the school on. 31/03/2023 after a glorious career of 24 years as a mathematics teacher.

## AMAZING FACTS ABOUT THE HUMAN BODY

- Well, if humans would be digicams, it would be 576 megapixels.
- On an average, the human heart pumps around 1.5 million barrels of blood during its lifetime which is enough to fill 200 train tankers.
- Each person sheds 40 pounds of skin in his or her lifetime.
- A newborn has only one cup of blood in the whole body.
- In humans, there are about 28,000 to 30,000 genes in each cell.
- The human brain can survive for about 5 to 10 minutes without oxygen, 2 days without water, 11 days without sleeping and 20 days without food.
- The total surface area of both the lungs, in the human body, is 80 square meters which is roughly equal to the size of a tennis court.
- The saliva that a human produces in a lifetime is enough to fill up two swimming pools.
- The gluteus maximus which is located in the buttocks is called the heaviest and the largest muscle in the body.
- If you walked for 12 hours a day, it would take an average person 690 days to walk around the world.



UPASANA BASU

## The Making of the Constitution of India : Some Interesting Facts

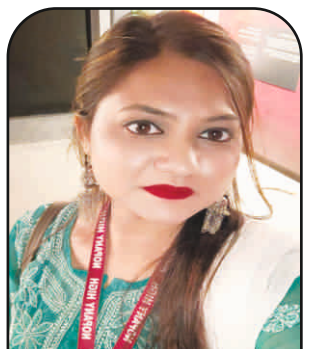


SONALI GUPTA

The Constitution of India was drafted, debated upon, and enacted by the Constituent Assembly. The Constituent Assembly, which had been elected for undivided India, held its first sitting on 9th December 1946. With India becoming independent on 15th August 1947, the Constituent Assembly became a sovereign body. The main principles of the proposed Constitution had been outlined by numerous committees of the Constituent Assembly such as the Union Constitution Committee, the Union Powers Committee, Committee on Fundamental Rights. After discussing the reports of these committees, the Constituent Assembly appointed a Drafting Committee on 29th August 1947. Dr. B. R. Ambedkar, the Chairman of the Drafting Committee played the leading role in the drafting of the Constitution. "The Draft Constitution of India" was published in February 1948. The Constituent Assembly met in November 1948, to consider the provisions of the Draft, clause by clause. The Constitution of India was finally adopted by the Constituent Assembly on 26 November 1949. On 26 January 1950, the new Constitution came into effect and India was declared a "Sovereign Democratic Republic".

## E-Commerce Facts

Though e-commerce now is the fastest growing business model across the globe, the first e-commerce website, Amazon which was launched in 1995. did not make any profit for the first seven years! Today all the e-commerce businesses are following the footsteps of Amazon and incurring huge profit. It was Amazon that had borne the initial loss as well as the risk of business, but now e-commerce has become one of the fastest growing and profit making businesses which has lesser investments and high return. Today a large number of people shop through the electronic mode as it is quite convenient on all grounds. It is open 24x7, 365 days, payment mode is quite easy and the low price, which is due to elimination of middlemen is an attractive benefit. Infact businessmen are finding it more profitable to do their business online. The Advancement of technology and people being tech savvy, it is likely to grow further in the days of come.



ANJANA HELA



## CAREER COUNSELING PROGRAMS HELD AT NOPANY HIGH

Career Counseling is a process that helps us to know and understand ourselves and the professional world in order to make career, educational and life decisions. Career development is more than just deciding what job we want to pursue after we graduate. At Nopany High two Career Counseling programs were held. The first was on the 22<sup>nd</sup> of December, 2022 for the commerce students of classes IX to XII. The resource person Ms. Ruchi Lakhota, a Chartered Accountant herself came on behalf of ICAI (The Institute of Chartered Accountants of India) to our school that day to enlighten the students regarding the prospects of studying Chartered Accountancy and how to prepare for the entrance exam. The second career counseling programme was held on 1<sup>st</sup> of Feb, 2023 for students of classes VII, VIII, IX and XI along with their parents by Mere Mentor team. It was an orientation programme on the different career paths that a student can pursue apart from the conventional ones. Both the programs greatly benefitted the students to have better insight regarding their future plan.

Sreeparna Mitra, School Psychologist



## A CHEERFUL CHRISTMAS CELEBRATION AT NOPANY HIGH

Arrival of the month of December reminds us of two great occasions. The first is "Christmas" which is followed by "New Year". This celebration also gives a good farewell to the passing year and focuses on gift giving; spending time with people we care about. This tradition was also followed by the "Team Nopany High" this year. A week before, the preparation started for this giving and sharing festivals. The great pomp & show was scheduled on 23<sup>rd</sup> December 2022. Respected Principal sir has added the cherry on the cake. His enticing speech and pleasing attitude towards the students made the celebration contented. AS "Jingle bell" rang through the school premise it seemed Santa Clause was showering blessings all over and angels came forward and made the morn a blissful memory, spreading love among audience with great harmony, enthusiasm & happiness. Later "SECRET SANTA" game was arranged for all teaching and non teaching staffs of our school where each of the participants arrayed gift at the foot of the beautifully decked Christmas tree and expressed wonderful thoughts for their counterpart during the game. The moto of this was to maintain collegiality and was turned up as a fruitful one which was actually planned by our Respected Principal Sir and proved his competency.

Sarbani Sengupta Niyogi, EVS Teacher



## MOTHERS DAY



8th May 2023

## EXHIBITION



16th May 2023

## RABINDRA JAYANTI



9th May 2023

## 'वाराही' के द्वारा नोपानी हाई स्कूल के विद्यार्थी सम्मानित

28 मई 2023 को साहित्यिक एवं सामाजिक संस्था 'वाराही' द्वारा नोपानी हाई स्कूल के विद्यार्थियों को हिंदी विषय की परीक्षा में उत्कृष्ट अंक प्राप्त करने के लिए प्रमाण पत्र और पदक देकर उन्हें सम्मानित किया गया। विद्यार्थियों ने, विभिन्न स्कूलों के विद्यार्थियों के बीच अपने स्कूल नोपानी हाई का नाम रोशन किया।



## Students' Appreciation

At Nopany High we always encourage the students to be disciplined and well mannered. To encourage the students and enhance the zeal towards excellence in every field of life we pass a token of appreciation by giving a merit card to the students for being well dressed and well versed in English. Students are appreciated for being well dressed and good communications





## अंतर्राष्ट्रीय बाल दिवस



MS. KANCHANLATA SINGH

अंतर्राष्ट्रीय बाल दिवस के उपलक्ष्य में नोपानी हाई स्कूल इस वर्ष अपने सभी विद्यार्थियों को शैक्षणिक भ्रमण हेतु न्यू अलीपुर केन्द्रीय जेल संग्रहालय ले गए। जहां बच्चों ने ढेर सारी ज्ञानवर्धक जानकारी प्राप्त की तथा संग्राहलय से संबंधित चीजों से अवगत हुए। इसके बाद वहां से बच्चे पार्क स्ट्रीट स्थित सेंट पॉल कैथेड्रल चर्च गए। वहां पर चर्च के शांत वातावरण में सभी ने अल्पाहार का आनन्द लिया। तत्पश्चात मैदान में शिक्षक और बच्चों द्वारा एक रंगारंग कार्यक्रम का आयोजन किया गया। इस रंगारंग कार्यक्रम में विभिन्न बच्चों द्वारा विभिन्न प्रकार के नृत्य व संगीत प्रस्तुत किए गए जिसे देखकर सभी दर्शक आनन्द से झूम उठे। इस तरह के कार्यक्रम आयोजित होने से सभी बच्चे उत्साहित हुए तथा इसी हर्षोल्लास के साथ इस रंगारंग कार्यक्रम का समापन हुआ।

### আমাদের শিক্ষা মূলক ভ্রমণ

ভ্রমণ মানুষকে শুধু আনন্দই দেয় না বরং শিক্ষাও দেয়। আমাদের স্কুল নোপানি হাই-এর পক্ষ থেকে এমনই একটি ভ্রমণের আয়োজন করা হয়েছিল।

গত ২২শে নভেম্বর আমরা পড়াশুনার ফাঁকে একটু ঘুরে আসার সুযোগ পেয়েছিলাম। স্কুলের অধ্যাপক উদ্যোগে আমরা গিয়েছিলাম আলিপুর জেল মিউজিয়াম ও সেন্ট পলস ক্যাথিড্রাল চার্চে। সেদিন সকল ছাত্রছাত্রীরা সকাল আটটার মাঝে স্কুলে উপস্থিত হয়েছিলাম। এরপর প্রায় নটার সময় আমরা স্কুল থেকে বেরিয়ে আসে উঠি। গানে গল্পে কখন যে গন্তব্যে পৌঁছে গিয়েছিলাম বুঝতে পারিনি।

প্রায় সাড়ে দশটার সময় আমরা আলিপুর জেল মিউজিয়ামে গিয়ে উপস্থিত হই। বাস থেকে নেমে সবাই লাইন দিয়ে মিউজিয়ামে প্রবেশ করি। এক এক জন শিক্ষকের অধীনে করে ছাত্রছাত্রীরা এক একটি দল ছিল। সেই মতো ছোট ছোট দলে ভাগ হয়ে আমরা মিউজিয়ামের ভিতরের ঐতিহ্যবাহী নানা জিনিস দেখতে শুরু করি। ভারতের স্বাধীনতার জন্য অত্যাচারী ব্রিটিশদের বিরুদ্ধে যারা লড়াইলেন সেই মহান বিপ্লবীদের যে কীর্তির মঞ্চ দিতে হয়েছিল তা সামনে থেকে দেখে শিহরিত হয়েছি। নেতাজি সুভাষ চন্দ্র বোস, বিধান চন্দ্র রায় প্রমুখ মহান ব্যক্তিদের যেখানে বসি করে রাখা হয়েছিল সেই স স্থান আমরা দেখলাম। সেখানে ওয়াচ টাওয়ারে, সংগ্রহশালার নানা ধরনের ভিডিওর মাধ্যমে ব্রিটিশরা কীভাবে ভারতীয়দের উপর অত্যাচার করত তা দেখানো হচ্ছিল। ঐতিহাস যেন আমাদের সামনে জীবন্ত হয়ে উঠেছিল।

মিউজিয়াম ঘুরা শেষ হলে আমরা আবার বাসে উঠে বসলাম। পেলাম সেন্ট পলস ক্যাথিড্রালে। আমাদের প্রত্যেককে একটি করে চিপসের প্যাকেট ও জুস দেওয়া হয়। সেখানে খোলা আকাশের নিচে মাঠে বসে প্রকৃতির মাঝে সকলে মিলে খাবার খেলাম। আমরা সকলে নানা রকমের খাবার নিয়ে গিয়েছিলাম, বন্ধুরা মিলে একসঙ্গে সেই খাবার ভাগ করে খেতে খুবই ভালো লাগছিল। সেখানে বেশ কিছুক্ষণ সময় খেলা করে, গল্প করে, শিক্ষকদের সঙ্গে ছবি তুলে কাটান। এরপর সেখানে স্কুলের পক্ষ থেকে একটি সুন্দর অনুষ্ঠান উপস্থাপন করা হয়। তারপর আসে ফেরার পাল।

এই ভ্রমণের স্মৃতি আমি সারা জীবনে ভুলব না। পরাধীন ভারত, স্বাধীনতা সংগ্রাম, ব্রিটিশদের অত্যাচার সম্পর্কে এতদিন যা পড়েছিলাম তা চোখের সামনে দেখে মনে হচ্ছিল যেন অতীতকে ছুঁয়ে এলাম। আমি আমার স্কুলের প্রধানকে অসংখ্য ধন্যবাদ জানাতে চাই এই ভ্রমণে যাওয়ার সুযোগ করে দেওয়ার জন্য। আশা করি আগামী বছরও এই রকম ভ্রমণের সুযোগ পাব।



Snehideep Manna X

## An Education Tour

After Two long years, overcoming the impact of Covid-19, Nopany High organized an educational tour to Alipore Jail Museum. The tour was a much needed event for the students as it was quite necessary for them to get out of the monotony of munda activities. Students were really excited to find such a place and they got the exposure to explain those information they read in their text book.



## CHILD HEALTH CAMP AND BABYSHOW.



7th, January, 2023

January 7th, Nopany High had set an example again by organizing a free health check-up camp and awareness Program for the children.



## BASANT MILAN



11th March, 2023

Nopany High organized a Basant Milan event on the 11<sup>th</sup> of March, 2023, where alumni met with current students, parents and teachers to celebrate the spirit of togetherness. It was a joyous moment for everyone present as they reminisced about their fond memories of the school.



## BLESSING CEREMONY



27th February, 2023

On Monday, 27<sup>th</sup> February 2023, Mr. Rajesh Sinha, the Ward Councilor of Ward 25 (KMC), visited the school to join the school authorities in blessing the ICSE examinees (2023) and wishing them well.

## EXPERIENTIAL LEARNING AWARD 2023

It is with great pride and joy that we announce that on 2nd February, 2023, Nopany High has been awarded the India K-12 Awards (IKA-2023) for Excellence in Adopting Experiential & Practical Learning Award based on



## FAREWELL FOR THE ISC 2023 BATCH

A farewell isn't a goodbye but the celebration to begin a new journey. Nopany High organised a farewell function for the ISC 2023 batch to encourage them to come up with flying colours.



7th February, 2023

## GRADUATION DAY



4th April, 2023

A graduation day ceremony was organized on 4<sup>th</sup> April for our little pre-primary graduates who have come a long way! Graduation is a time to celebrate an extremely pivotal milestone in people's lives. The milestone in education is something worth commemorating and enjoying. For pre primary's graduation, their day to shine shows the ones they love all they have accomplished throughout the year.



2nd February, 2023