



The Scholar

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New Session, New Promises

First Day in school is very important for a child as it sets the mood and the tune for the whole year. A child feels very nervous when he comes to school with little steps. To help him to come out of all the fears & to familiarize him with the school, the teachers & friends we had specially designed 'First Day in school'. With the aim of making the first day in school rocking & memorable for all the Scholars at YS, variety of activities were conducted like Magic show, Camel Ride, Aerobic Sessions, Dance Classes, Bubbles Fun, Pop corn time, Hand Impressions etc. Similarly, for an exciting start to the session for Senior Students number of Socializing Activities like Get Acquainted, Talent Chain, Thread Twine and many such activities were planned where our young scholars had lots of fun & enjoyment.



Workshop on Rocketry Science by Scientists

A "ROCKETRY SCIENCE WORKSHOP" was held at Pushpa Gujral Science City, Kapurthla. Only three students from each district of Punjab were selected to visit experience and engage in Rocketry Science & Technology. We are glad that the opportunity once again was grabbed by the scholars into their basket as such all the three students from Barnala district belongs to YS School Handiaya.



They learned about rocketry science and technology, its functioning, practically made rockets themselves and launched them on their own under the guidance of well known scientists Dr. M.P. Deomurari, Dr. Neil Shah from Vikram Sarabhai Research Center, Gujarat. We are also sharing here the everlasting and learning experience of our scholars at Science City.

High Tea Party - Celebrations For The "Achievers"

With the Vision of making Students learn to be Thankful and to appreciate the Society, the concept of HIGH TEA was introduced at YS Schools. Few selected students who have brought laurels to the school in various fields along with their teachers are invited to be part of this unique get together where students introduce themselves, tell about their achievements and also express their gratitude towards their teachers and parents who have contributed in their achievements. These types of get togethers are indeed very motivating for the scholars as well as the staff members. Where staff members came to know about hidden talents of scholars and Scholars also get chance to sit with their ideals & get inspiration from them. Four High-Tea Parties were organized where High achievers of various fields like State and National level Sports, National Science Olympiad, International Maths Olympiad, Academic Achievers, Robo champs etc were honored. Each and every student felt honored being part of the High Tea. They shared their achievements and felt proud.



Gaurav Garg



Sybhy Goyal



Kirti Sharma



Ridhi Gupta



Aksh Garg



Roshni Singla



Pratishh Mittal



Anshu Gupta



Mehok Garg



Shikha Gupta



Parvinder Kaur



Ravi Garg



Adish Garg

Heartiest Congratulations

to All Students, Parents and Teachers ...

13 Students

Got 10/10 CGPA (100% Marks)
in CBSE X Class Board Exams



50 Students

Scored 90% and above
in Exams



Know Your School

With the aim of making children familiar with the school, "Know Your School" activity was conducted where students visited the whole campus. Students got to know about various places of the school like Director Office, Principal Office, Library, Computer Lab, Robotics Hall, Activity Hall, Play Ground etc. & also the faculty members of their school.



Workshop on Gratitude

A 'Gratitude Workshop' was organized for seniors & juniors groups students to make realize the importance of Being Thankful to their Teachers, Parents, Friends and Everyone around them who contributes in their life in one or the other way. They learnt how to express their feeling of Gratitude by various Activities like Gratitude Pot, Jar, Cards, Bag etc. Such activities help the students to build their characters & thus become better citizens of this Society.



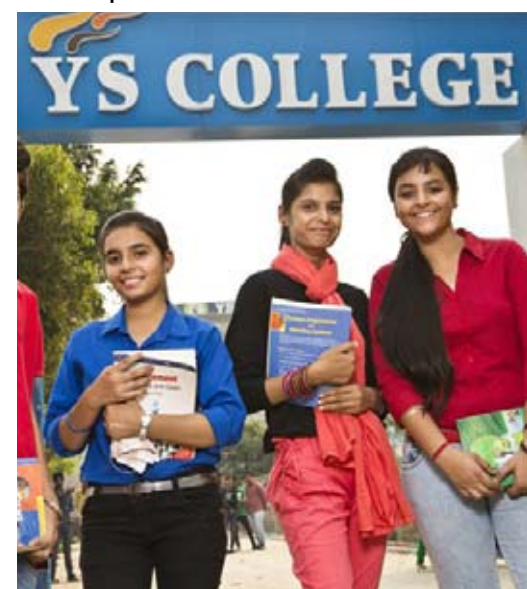
Baisakhi Celebration

The colorful aspect of Baisakhi was celebrated with lots of joy & enthusiasm. School's Activity Hall which was beautifully decorated as 'Haveli'. Students of Tiny Tots and Atom group were present in traditional Punjabi Dresses where they danced on the tunes of Punjabi Songs and enjoyed the traditional Punjabi sweets. YS Junior and senior Group students presented Bhangra, Baisakhi based role plays, and speeches in the Morning Assembly to celebrate the auspicious Festival of Baisakhi



Induction Program @ YS College

YS College, Handiaya (Barnala) organized the Induction Program for the upcoming batches of BBA, BCA, B.Sc. IT and B.Com at its Handiaya campus on 15-17 May 2014. The Induction Program incorporated academic orientation classes, cultural performances, games and sports, aiming to breed and nurture a healthy mental state amongst the students and creating a congenial atmosphere for the overall growth of the students of the college. Academic lectures related to different academic essentials i.e. Maths, IT, Internet, Accounts, Personality Development and English were organized. The post lunch time was utilized in engaging students in Dance and Aerobics classes. The Induction Program will be followed by One Month Longer Orientation Classes commencing from 19th May which will last till 14th June. In these Orientation classes, students will acquire knowledge about various prerequisite domains. These prerequisite includes Accounts, IT, Maths, English, Internet and Personality Development.



Sunday Revision Classes

11th and 12th are one of the most crucial and career deciding classes of students life. Here, at YS, we impart Board as well as Competitive classes to our students so that they may able to clear and get good marks in both the examinations. Keeping same in view, we have started with Sunday Revision Classes where faculty members teach from basic to competitive concepts of subjects and student of any School may attend the classes without any charges.

A School with a Difference

At YS, we strongly believe that lessons must aim to teach students real Education where focus is to understand Practical Applications of concepts, target at better analytical skills; where need is to uncover than to cover the syllabi. They must be more practical or field-

oriented rather than be merely bookish.



We take pride in sharing that we have a wonderful atmosphere at YS where focus is on Practical learning through various activities and we have taken the concept to a level where assessment is also based on understanding of concepts than mere cramming of books.

Here are the few activities by which classrooms are made interesting and informative on daily basis.

"Investiture & Oath Ceremony"

At YS, we try to foster leadership & co-ordination skills among the students. As the elections were conducted on 26th of April and the much awaited results were declared, it was followed by an Oath-Taking Ceremony. In the morning assembly for each House Captains, Vice-Captains, Sports Captain, Discipline Heads and Saturday – My Day Perfects where students took pledge to work in discipline and with full dedication towards the development of school.



House Captain Elections

It was the day for the elections of "House Captain" at school. The Candidates from 10th class presented with their convincing and enthusiastic Speeches in the Morning Assembly. Students voted for their candidates of all the four houses i.e; "Aryabhata", "J.C. Bose", "C.V. Raman" & "Einstein". Voting went throughout the first half and in the second half winners of each of the four houses was declared and finally heart beatings of the candidates & their supporting students got relaxed when the results were announced.



Messy Day

Messy Day was organized not only to develop the Fine motor skills of Tiny Tots and Atom Group but also to motivate them to work in groups & cooperate with each other. Children enjoyed their day with Paper Tearing, Sand Castle, Clay Play activities etc. Whereas Value Tree, Flip Book, Wall Hangings, Movie Time(Inspirational videos) etc. activities were conducted in Juniors & Seniors groups.



Mother's Day Celebration

It is a celebration of honoring mothers and motherhood, the unconditional love of mothers and their influence in society. To generate this special feeling in our students Mother's Day was celebrated on 10th May, 2014. The celebrations started in the morning assembly with special skit, group song, poems, dances & speeches. Through different faces of motherhood and sweet dialogues, they emphasized the greatness of mothers. Scholars used this opportunity to express their love and admiration to their mothers by preparing gifts through various activities like Necklace Making, Bracelet Making, Purse Making, Greeting Card Making, Photoframe Making, Poem Composition, Bouquet Making, Jewellery Box Making and Farmaan Making.



Summer Facts Workshop

Workshop on summer Facts was conducted for Tiny Tots & Junior Group students to aware the students for the measures to be followed in hot summers. They were told about the importance of eating Fruits and Vegetables, Drinking plenty of water and to use lotions and shades with the help of Role plays, Puppet Plays and Educational Videos.



World No Tobacco Day

On this Day, students of the senior & junior groups participated in Poster Making, Slogan Writing, Cartoon Making and other activities related to Anti Tobacco Day. A Quiz was conducted for the students to provide them with the relevant information. The objective behind the activities were to aware the students about harmful effects of tobacco.



Birthday Celebration

Birthday Time is most treasured moment for any child. Every child wishes to celebrate this day in the presence of his friends with lots of fun and with a feeling of Being Special. To give these pleasures to children Monthly Themed Birthday Parties are organized for Tiny Tots & Atoms groups where they enjoy delicious cake and other eatables and Dance with their friends. To make it extra special and memorable, children are presented with gifts and also photographed with their friends and loving teachers.



English Speaking Ambiance

No one denies the Importance of English language in present Time as global language. It is clear that English language has become more dominant around the world. In Order to get scholars well versed with English Language and to give them Exposure, confidence, and a platform to perform, explore and express themselves; lots of Podium Friendly Activities were conducted in Eng. Communication Classes as well as in Morning Assemblies which includes My Favorite Toy, Here I Am, Guess Who's Who, Select Your Breakfast, Pass The Ball & Introduce Yourself and many more. Confidence is also being imparted among the students through Role Plays in Morning Assembly.



Morning Assembly



At YS Morning Assembly is not just a compulsory ritual of school but it sets the tone of a disciplined & organized day. There are separate Morning Assemblies for our Tiny Tots & Atoms & Senior group. These provide a platform for compulsory & maximum students' exposure. Role Plays, Puppet Shows, Individual Performances, Aerobics & Yoga Sessions, News reading, Thought of the Day, Appreciation Awards and Quiz, Occasion Celebrations, Singing Birthday Songs for Birthday students apart from

prayer and national anthem are regular & integral features of assemblies at YS with the aim to incorporate motivational themes, promote English Communication, inculcate etiquettes among students, imbibe leadership qualities for students & show case their talent.

Celebrating "World Dance Day"

"Let us read and let us dance - two amusements that will never do any harm to the world." International Dance Day (World Dance Day) was celebrated on April 29. The students enjoyed this day by shaking their legs on the fast beats in the morning assembly under the guidance of our Dance teachers. The purpose of celebrating the "World Dance Day" was to add fun and excitement and to increase the awareness of various benefits of dance among the students.



YS Scholars Field Visits

Education without excitement only brings boredom. When children don't experience fun while learning, they simply don't learn. Various field visits & excursions were organized for 8th to 10th class Scholars to learn the Practical applications of their concepts. They saw various agricultural implements like plough, seed leveler, cultivator, thresher and other important cultivation processes such as Bio Gas Plant, Tube well (irrigation process), Manure (composition process). Visit to Thermal Plant Bathinda was organized where Young Scholars were shown the actual working of the plant and electricity production.



Visit to Thermal Power Plant Bathinda

Students of class X went to Thermal Power Plant at Bathinda where they learnt about electricity production. Students had an interactive, fun filled and informative session with the authorities.



Tours N Excursions

Outing is something which every child loves. It not only gives a refreshing change from classroom environment but also promote learning by developing Social Skills and Leadership qualities. Availing all these advantages for our young scholars we at YS Schools organized fun trips for students of different age groups to different places like BAHIA RESORTS Bathinda, Dhillon Fun Park Patiala and Hardy's world Ludhiana. Students enjoyed various fun rides and swings in park, wonder water games, community lunch, water slides, multi lane slides, rain dance etc.

