## ARMY PUBLIC SCHOOL GWALIOR (MP) MONTHLY FEEDBACK ON SCHOOL ACTIVITIES

### PERIOD COVERED FROM 15 JAN 2021-15 FEB 2021

### 1. CCA – KITE FLYING AND QUIZ COMPETITION

The school has born an important responsibility for being a social agent in order to guide the students not only academically but on the moral, emotional grounds as well. The activity of Kite Flying was planned in the month of January to keep alive the culture of kite flying as a ritual to celebrate the occasion of Makar Sankranti. Academic Supervisors and class teachers provided needful guidance and motivation to the students to participate in kite flying activity. As students were informed in advance, they ensured to engage in kite flying activity beforehand and sent the related videos for pursual of their teachers. The activity gave a fresh opportunity to create some happy and fun memories with their family members not only to accomplish the task but to feel their cultural ties as well. Sahil Kumar Ray, Anushka Tomar , Anshul Singh Kushwaha, Shiva Pratap Singh Kushwaha of 8 C Juniper shared their videos. Navneet Yadav of class 8 prepared a beautiful hand made kite. Harshit of 8 D also contributed in the activity by sharing the kite flying video. This activity has provided a platform to the students to enjoy themselves being inside their homes during the Covid -19 phase. The efforts and inputs of the school in reviving an ancient game of our country are highly appreciable.

Ek Bharat Shreshtha Bharat programme aims to enhance interaction & promote mutual understanding between people of different states/UTs through the concept of state/UT pairing. The states carry out activities to promote a sustained and structured cultural connect in the areas of language learning, culture, traditions & music, tourism & cuisine, sports and sharing of best practices, etc. So in order to align APS Gwalior with the vision of Honourable PM of India an an online GK quiz was conducted on 15 January 2021 for Classes I, II and III on the theme of 'Ek Bharat Shrestha Bharat'.Quizzing is an interesting activity to develop inquisitiveness in young learners, it also fosters inquiry and develop general awareness towards home land, learners were in high spirits while taking part in the quiz competition.

### 2. ONLINE WEBINAR ON CAREER IN ARMED FORCES

An online webinar was organized by APS Gwalior on 6 February 2021, on the **Topic Career in Armed forces** Col Mukesh Tiwari came forward to share his knowledge, experiences and wisdom to enlighten the young adults of class 11<sup>th</sup>.

The objective was to make students aware about the various options available for them as a Career in Indian Army.

His enthusiasm flowed throughout the interaction. Students were enthralled by the insightful presentation specially tailored to make them understand aware about Arms and Services . He also touched upon the Life of an officer which is full of adventure, action, growth and service to motherland at the same time earning respectable emoluments as well. The students were attentive throughout the session and applauded Col Sir for giving his valuable time.

### 3. PARIKSHA PARV 12<sup>TH</sup> FEBRURY 2021

Army Public School, Gwalior organised 'Pariksha Parv' on 12 February 2021, it was taken up by all the class teachers from classes 3rd to 12<sup>th</sup>, as an innovative practice to celebrate exams as a preparatory step towards forthcoming examinations. A friendly chat with the students reiterated how students can ease out exam stress and anxiety, by chunking out sufficient time for revision.

Students were made aware of importance of proper sleep and healthy diet especially during and before exams. They were suggested to avoid overflow of information through internet and other mediums as rather than clarity it may raise confusion many a times.

As it is well said, preparedness brings one closer towards success, so the class teachers shared practical tips to prepare students well in advance so that last minute panic can be eliminated.

They motivated students to be positive and learn to accept result with a sportsman spirit, while redetermining to perform better next time.

### 4. ONLINE FDRC WORKSHOP ON INCLUSIVE EDUCATION

An online Webinar for 5 days was conducted by FDRC on Inclusive Education (Progress and follow up workshop No. 02 from 11<sup>th</sup> Jan to 15<sup>th</sup> Jan 2021). It was attended by Principal A. K. Sikarwar, Special Educator Ms Swati S Bhambore and TGT (Biology) Mrs Suman Sharma.

The webinar started with the opening address by MD AWES Maj. Gen. R.K. Raina. Later on included informative and educative presentations on IE Project Progress- Implementation and Innovations by Principals of 8 APS (APS Meerut, Jaipur, Ferozpur, Jabalpur No. 1, Mathura, Delhi Cantt., Chandimandir, Udhampur) out of 16 schools where Pilot Project on Inclusive Education was launched by AWES. The webinar also included Case Studies on CwSN at Primary Level by Ms Priyanka Bajpai, APS Mathura, while at Secondary level by Ms Suneeta, APS Bolarum, and at Senior Secondary level by Mrs. Yachna Kamboj, APS Meerut. Case Studies with children in Asha school was taken up by Mrs Meera, Asha School Bangalore. Insights on Curriculum adaptations and examination provisions/guidelines for CwSN was given by Mrs. Suman Singh, APS Chandimandir. Curriculum adaptations for CwSN at secondary level were given by Mrs. Sunita Devi, Asst. Prof. NCERT.

The webinar was very informative and enriching to empower teachers to work with CwSN. Overall workshop highlighted and sensitized participants on

- · Different types of disabilities included by CBSE
- Infrastructure improvement
- · Issue of early identification and intervention
- Information about certifying agencies
- Information on adaptations, modifications or concessions for CwSN
- Parents' counselling
- · Checklist for disabilities

The webinar was very educative to deal with CwSN inclusively and making the teaching-learning process more effective in an inclusive classroom. The webinar was concluded by MD AWES Maj Gen R.K. Raina.

### 5. ONLINE FDRC WORKSHOP ON APPS RESTRUCTURED CURRICULUM

APPS Restructured Curriculum workshop no 01 was organized by FDRC team of Lead Master Trainers (LMT's) from 18-22 January 2021, it was attended by Principal Arvind K Sikarwar & CPW Chandrakala as master trainers for cluster 7 along with Special Educator Swati S Bhambore. The workshop was opened by AWES MD Maj. Gen. R.K. Raina, MD sir made it clear that as per new Education Policy 2020, the APPS curriculum has to be restructured and in that regard Cluster Level master trainers have been identified from all APS schools across PAN India who would further train teachers in their respective clusters.

The overview of the restructured curriculum was given by Ms Shyda Rana Senior faculty FDRC. Dr Parul Kohli and Mrs Samreen Kaur Hansi further dig deeper into the Curricular Framework. Further thorough sessions were taken up throughout the span of the workshop which included detailed coverage upon the developmental aspects of the learners in preschool, pedagogies for pre school, assessment of and for the process of teaching and learning along with monitoring and evaluation of the entire journey of learning in pre school bringing out the importance of seamless transition from pre-primary to primary schools.

The terms like emergent literacy and seamless transition were made clear by Mrs Pooja Kaushal and Dr Poonam Singh, Mrs Poonam Sharma, Dr Parul Kohli and Mrs Samreen Kaur Hansi.

The workshop was designed and delivered precisely in order to prepare the participants as per the nuances of NEP 2020 and APPS restructured curriculum.

### 6. ONLINE WORKSHOP ON ART INTEGRATION

A online workshop was conducted on 28 January 2021 at 6:00 PM by GuruShala Dr. Surinder Kaur Nagpal from A.P.S. Gwalior, M.P. attended the same.

The resource person Ruchi Sengar focused on the Integration of Art forms with Curriculum, she highlighted, how Art Integration opens learning pathways and helps to understand various academic subjects and comprehend complex concepts in an interesting way.

Human mind is dynamic in nature if stimulated in young age using various techniques it opens new learning gateways and a quench for exploration and creation can be instigated in young learners. In order to bring out the same the resource person shared her insights about the topic.

Haward Gardners Theory of multiple intelligences perfectly aligns with the objectives of Art Integration, using various art forms, stimulation of all eight intelligences can be achieved hence learning process can be made students need focused.

The workshop gave a perfect opportunity to build teacher capacity to integrate art and make the process of learning fulfilling and enriching.

### 7. ONLINE FDRC WORKSHOP ON APPS RESTRUCTURED CURRICULUM

An enlightening workshop was reorganized by FDRC from  $1^{st} - 5^{th}$  February 2021, to further reiterate the need and want of APPS Restructured Curriculum to align itself with the vision laid down in NEP 2020, it was attended by Principal Arvind K Sikarwar & CPW Chandrakala as master trainers for cluster 7 along with Special Educator Swati S Bhambore. The workshop was opened by AWES MD Maj. Gen. R.K. Raina, MD sir made it clear that as per new Education Policy 2020, the APPS curriculum has to be restructured and in that regard Cluster Level master trainers have been identified from all APS schools across PAN India who would further train teachers in their respective clusters.

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This workshop was a step ahead in preparing the master trainers to take on the baton of training and preparedness of teachers in their respective clusters.

# 8. ONLINE WEBINAR ON THE TOPIC MISCONCEPTIONS IN NEWTONS LAWS OF MOTION

Army Public School Ahmad Nagar, conducted a webinar on 9<sup>th</sup> February 2021 on the topic **Misconceptions in Newtons laws of motion.** The resource person Ms. Pragya Nopany is a renowned Experiential Learning Experian and CBSE Master Trainer, a proud recipient of National award for teachers- 2018. The work shop was attended by Mr. Upendra Gupta and Mrs. Ruby Anil. Lots of activities were integrated in the webinar to make the concepts easily comprehendible and further remove the misconceptions related to Newtons Laws of Motion. The session was a great learning experience as the basic knowledge required to upgrade us in this particular domain was achieved.

We are thankful for receiving such an amazing learning opportunity.

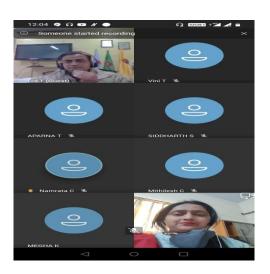
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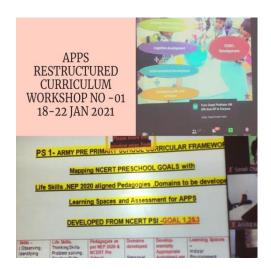
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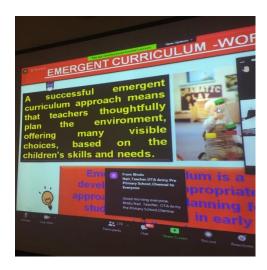




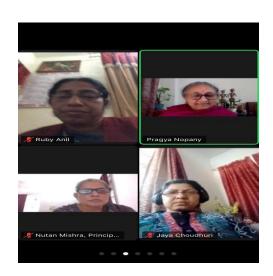
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