



"All that we are is the result of what we have thought. The mind is everything. What we think we become".

- Maharishi Mahesh Yogi

◆ ANNUAL REPORT ◆

Wishes from Maharishi family. This report gives a glimpse of happenings during the academic year 2019-2020.

The main object of Shri Maharishi Vidya Mandir is to train the students to have excellent character and inspire them with high ideals of service and sacrifice with leadership qualities. It teaches the students to develop reliance in themselves, integration of thought, word and deed and developing the cult of discipline, devotion, dedication, determination and uprightness. The teachers who enter our institution understand this ideology and serve to attain them.

➤ PROGRAMMES FOR TEACHERS:

The school takes effort to train the in-coming teachers by conducting orientation programme for them. It was a week-long programme held in May 2020 in which the experienced staff members were coach as well as learners.

A discussion on year plan and the proceedings of the year was held, the participants including Principal, Head Of the Departments and the subject-handling teachers. This helps in framing the academic calendar for the year.

To enhance the language skill of teachers, Dr.K.Manoharan, Former HOD-English, G.T.N.Arts & Science college, Dindigul trained our teachers on alternate days of the week that continued for three months. Later it was handled by our staff Mrs.D.Priyadharshini , a skilled spoken English trainer.

The teachers of various departments and grades participated in the CoE trainings & workshops that had helped them to enhance themselves.

➤ **SCHOOL STRENGTH:**

The school had a student strength of 1514 [Boys – 840 , Girls – 674] across 41 sections and staff strength 88 [teaching–71, non-teaching–17].

➤ **INSPECTION:**

The inspection for extension of affiliation was held in August 2019, the IC member being Mrs.Poonam Syal, Principal – Camford International School, Coimbatore.

Inspection for 'Upgradation to Senior Secondary level' was held in February 2020 by Mr. R. Selvaraj & Mrs. S. Vijayalakshmi, Principals of Kendriya Vidyalaya-Madurai & Chinmaya Vidyalaya-Chennai respectively.

➤ **CELEBRITY VISIT:**

Dr. Jayanthasri Balakrishnan, an educationalist, a renowned public speaker, specialized in motivational speech visited our school to address the students of Class VI to X, the topic covered being the role of parents, teachers and elders in a child's life and how he / she should reciprocate for it.

➤ **ACTIVITIES / COMPETITIONS:**

The students of all classes were divided into four houses : Red headed by Mrs. Vinaka , Blue by Ms. Sheela Vinnarasi , Green by Mr. Simon Paul and Yellow by Mrs. Rajapriya. The inter-house competitions covered testing the artistic, mental & physical talents of kids.

“MAHA FIESTA” is an event held every month as a Co-curricular Activity competition to bring the creativities of students of all classes. The competitions were held on second Thursday of every month and the best three of each section were awarded with prize and certificate.

Many scholastic activities were performed by students in-campus based on the different subjects they learn. The few activities performed by students for which parents were invited to enjoy –

- (i) Science Expo
- (ii) புரவி எடுப்பு
- (iii) வாரசந்தை
- (iv) Food mela
- (v) Maths Exhibition

➤ **CELEBRATIONS:**

To make the students understand the culture , importance and meaning of the festivals – Ganesh Chaturthi, Navratri , Diwali , Christmas, Pongal were celebrated traditionally.

The other important days remain green in the minds of students were – Independence day , Teachers' day , Children's day, Republic day because of its implementation in true sense.

Our school has been contributing one-day culturals in 'இலக்கிய களம் புத்தகத்திருவிழா' every year. Last year our school students staged various cultural programmes to create social awareness. And to inculcate reading habit and to understand the value of books, students were motivated to save money for purchasing valuable books.

➤ **TOUR:**

Educational excursion not only enhance the knowledge of the students but also broaden their outlook towards outside world. Students of VI – VIII std visited Mysore and Madikere whereas classes IX & X enjoyed visiting historical and renowned places of Hyderabad.

➤ **ACADEMIC MEETING:**

Learning ties students, teachers & parents in a line. Parent – Teacher meeting strengthens the process of learning. Each section was allotted for a day and performance of every child was discussed. Suggestions and feedbacks were collected to move for the improvement.

➤ **ACHIEVEMENTS:**

ACADEMICS – The most appreciable event was that 154 students cleared the All India Secondary School Examination 2019 successfully. The top three places were occupied by T. Divyadharshini [478/500] , B. Vijayasagar [476/500] & G.S. Nantha [475/500]. Eight students scored centum in Social Science whereas four secured centum in the skill subject – Information Technology. The top score was 99 in Mathematics & Science, 98 in Tamil and 96 in English.

SPORTS – Our Maharishians who performed well in Sports events:

- ❖ The twins S.Heshanth & S. Heshna (Class IV) placed in swimming competition of District Sports Meet.
- ❖ G.Sivamanickam (Class IX) secured first position in Carom competition of District Sports Meet.
- ❖ In Madurai Sahodaya Sports Meet, boys participated in –
 - Volley ball [under – 14 & under – 17] travelling to Ramnad
 - Kho-Kho [under – 14 & under – 17] played in Manapparai
 - Cricket [under – 19] at Prassidhi Vidhyodaya, Dindigul, the notable players being A.Vishwajith (Class VIII) & P.S.B. Kanishk (Class IX).
- ❖ S. Kaviarasu (Class X) was a key player in the Kodai Cricket Club that won runner-up place in Dindigul Cricket Association Meet conducted in 2019.
- ❖ In the Inter-school cricket matches held for PSNA Trophy, school advanced to second round.

I wish to bring my gratitude to the management, staff members, parents and dear students who were the active parts in making another successful year.

-Principal

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