

Drive for Swachh Bharat - Swachhta Pakhwada organized at Little Flowers International School

As part of the campaign for Swachh Bharat-Swachhta Pakhwada (CBSE), various activities were conducted at Little Flowers International School from 1st to 15th September, 2018, to create awareness among the students regarding Cleanliness and the ongoing cleanliness drive "Swachh Bharat" started by our respected Prime Minister, Shri Narendra Modi.

The following activities were conducted in the School Premises:

- **SWACHHTA SHAPATH (1ST SEPTEMBER, 2018)**, Cleanliness pledge taken by School Chairman Mr. Rajesh Dua along with all students and teachers commemorating the Swachhta Pakhwada, a CBSE Initiative.
- **GREEN SCHOOL DRIVE (5TH SEPTEMBER 2018)**, The students of class Ist and IInd made eye catching slogans on cleanliness, thus spreading the message. Teachers and students planted trees across the school premises. School Chairman Mr. Rajesh Dua, Vice Principal Mrs. Anita Mahajan and Co-ordinator Mrs. Bhavna not only planted saplings but also added manure and watered them.

- **HANDWASH DAY AND PERSONAL HYGIENE DAY (SEPTEMBER 7TH, 2018)** was celebrated to promote the benefits and practice of hand washing with soap, as well as fostering access to and improving hygiene facilities. In the morning Assembly School Vice Principal Mrs. Anita Mahajan addressed the students about the importance of hand washing with soap as an effective and affordable way to prevent diseases and save lives. Students from the primary classes were taught how to wash their hands in a proper manner. All the students washed hands with soap and learnt to make hand washing a habit.
- **SWACHHTA SCHOOL EXHIBITION DAY (11TH SEPTEMBER, 2018)** The activity aimed at providing a common platform to students to give shape to their innovative ideas and learn from each other's experiences. The exhibits were indeed eye openers on various topics related to Cleanliness, Water Harvesting, Agriculture and Organic Farming, Resource Management and Waste Management. Demonstrations and explanations were given by the participants. The School Chairman Mr. Rajesh Dua, Vice Principal Mrs. Anita Mahajan, and Co-ordinator Mrs. Bhavna guided the students about the improvements they can make in their models. With an

endeavor to promote scientific attitude among budding young students, this exhibition was one of its kind.

- **SWACHH WATER DAY (12TH SEPTEMBER, 2018)** LFIS celebrated Swachh Water Day as a part of Swachhta Pakhwada to make the students aware of the water crisis taking place all over the world. The awareness drive started with a special School assembly in which the School Principal Mrs. Anita Mahajan and Co-ordinator Mrs. Bhavna spoke about the importance of water guiding them not to waste water. Students of classes V, and VI gave speeches spreading the message "Water is Precious", "Save Water Save Life".
- **WATER HARVESTING DAY (13TH SEPTEMBER 2018)** was celebrated by the students of class VIIIth and IXth . Students gave speeches during the morning assembly on the importance of water harvesting and its benefits. They also explained how the water harvesting system of the school works. Overall, this initiative made everyone understand the importance of water harvesting.
- **PRIZE DISTRIBUTION DAY (14TH SEPTEMBER 2018)** Little Flowers International School honoured all its achievers for making Swachhta Pakhwada a success. The School Vice Principal Mrs. Anita Mahajan and co-ordinator Mrs. Bhavna appreciated the efforts of little Florians and awarded them certificates.

- **SHRAMDHAN (15TH SEPTEMBER 2018)** The School organized a cleanliness drive - SHRAMDHAN as a part of Swachhta Pakhwada where students of class VII to X along with their teachers took an initiative for cleaning the School Environment by removing the waste paper, plastics, etc. They not cleaned the school ground but other areas of the school premises, thus making the drive a success.