

# Gandhi Jayanti

## Special Assembly

The 2<sup>nd</sup> of October is celebrated as Gandhi Jayanti to mark the birth anniversary of Mahatma Gandhi. This year marked the 151<sup>st</sup> birth anniversary of Mohandas Karamchand Gandhi. Fondly remembered as 'Bapu', he is honoured for his huge contributions towards India's Independence Movement, and his philosophies towards life.

The students from grades I to V presented inspiring and motivating virtual assemblies to highlight the importance of this day. The online assemblies being the new normal in these times, were colourful, well-synchronised and beautifully coordinated by the respective teachers and their students.

The energetic tots from grades I-L and II- I presented colourful dance performances on patriotic songs like – 'Nanha Munna Raahi Hoon' and 'Bandey Mein Tha Dum'.

The budding performers also enacted the life story of



Gandhiji and paid a tribute befitting to the Father of our Nation by showcasing colourful posters and quoting some of his inspiring thoughts and ideas.

The students of grade III B honoured the Mahatma by singing his favourite prayer song 'Vaishnava Janato'. The spirit of patriotism was clearly visible by the Nationalist Movements and slogans like 'Bharat Chodh Do' and 'No Salt Tax' that echoed through the online platform.

The students from grade IV D, put up an energetic dance presentation on the song 'Bandey Mein Tha Dum', followed by a musical presentation of the National Anthem on the harmonica.

A narrative video was crafted by the students of grade V B, that depicted the life history of our Bapu, his teachings and his role in the Freedom Struggle of India.

Melodious renditions like 'Vaishnav Jan To' and 'Hum Laaye Hai Toofan' were the highlights of these online virtual assemblies.

In all, the students put their best foot forward, breathing life into these virtual shows.

