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A GALAXY OF BRILLIANT MINDS, ON A TRAIL BLAZING SUCCESS

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Dear Readers,

A New Year is like a blank canvas, waiting for your thoughts, dreams, and creativity to take shape. Each one of you carries a unique voice, and this is your opportunity to let it shine. Whether it is through poems, stories, personal reflections, or imaginative write-ups, your words have the power to inspire, connect, and express what sometimes cannot be spoken aloud. Every idea, no matter how small, can be the seed of something remarkable.

Writing is more than putting words on paper; it is a journey of self-discovery. Through poems, you can capture emotions that words alone cannot describe; through stories, you can create worlds and characters that reflect life, imagination, and your perspective; and through personal reflections, you can share experiences that may resonate with others and create empathy and understanding. Each form of expression is a bridge between your inner world and the world around you.

We encourage you to take small steps each day—jot down a thought, draft a few lines, or sketch out an idea. Creativity thrives when nurtured consistently. Do not be afraid to experiment with styles, voices, or themes. Some of your best ideas may emerge when you least expect them. Every draft, every attempt, brings you closer to discovering your own creative voice.

This magazine is a celebration of your imagination and expression. It is a space where your poems, stories, and write-ups find a home, inspiring others and enriching our school community. Let the pages reflect your curiosity, your dreams, and your courage to express yourself. Remember, creativity has no limits, and your imagination can lead you to places beyond what you can see today.

We hope that this edition encourages each of you to pick up your pens, open your notebooks, and share your thoughts with the world. Let this year be not only about learning from books but also about expressing, imagining, and creating. We look forward to reading your words and celebrating your unique voices.

Looking forward to your creations....

PRINCIPAL'S DESK

Dear Students, Parents, and Teachers

The arrival of a New Year is often accompanied by hope, reflection, and renewed purpose. January invites us to pause, look inward, and realign ourselves with what truly matters. While resolutions are often made with great enthusiasm, their true strength lies not in grand promises but in small, steady steps taken every day. Consistency, sincerity, and self-belief are the quiet forces that shape success.

For our CBSE Board class students, this period marks the final and most decisive phase of your school journey. As you prepare for your practical examinations, remember that they are not merely tests of memory but opportunities to demonstrate understanding, application, and intelligent thinking. Approach them with confidence, clarity, and calmness. Trust your preparation, read instructions carefully, and allow your knowledge to guide you. This final leg is not a burden—it is the bridge to your goals.

The New Year also brings with it a moment of mixed emotions as we prepare to bid farewell to our senior students. As you step out of the familiar classrooms and corridors, know that you carry with you years of learning, friendships, and values nurtured within these walls. Though you may be moving on to new paths, this school will always consider you its own children. Our support, pride, and good wishes will remain with you, wherever life takes you. This institution will always be your home—a place you can return to, in memory and in spirit. Farewell is not an end, but a beginning. As you move forward, let the values you have imbibed here—discipline, empathy, resilience, and integrity—be your guiding light. They will serve you far beyond examinations and classrooms.

May this New Year bring you clarity of purpose, strength in effort, and confidence in every step you take. We believe in you, and we walk beside you—always.

Best Wishes



Swati Joshi



Success stories that inspire....

Indian
Idol

HARSHIT RANA

FROM GIS CRICKET GROUND TO INTERNATIONAL CRICKET GLORY

Harshit Rana, an esteemed alumnus of GIS from the 2017-2018 batch, has carved a remarkable path in the world of cricket. With an unwavering passion for the sport and a relentless drive for excellence, he has risen to become a distinguished name in international cricket.

EARLY LIFE AND FAMILY BACKGROUND

Born into a humble and supportive family, Harshit was introduced to cricket at a young age. His parents recognized his potential early on and encouraged him to pursue his passion despite the challenges. His father, a firm believer in discipline and hard work, played a significant role in shaping his career, while his mother provided unwavering emotional support. Growing up, Harshit idolized legendary cricketers and dreamt of representing his country on the global stage. His family's sacrifices and belief in his talent fueled his determination to excel.

JOURNEY TO SUCCESS

Harshit's cricketing journey began at GIS, where he honed his skills under the guidance of dedicated coaches. His exceptional bowling talent was evident from an early age, and he quickly made a mark in Inter-School and District-level tournaments. His perseverance and relentless practice sessions earned him a spot in prestigious cricket academies, where he trained rigorously to refine his technique.

Despite facing numerous challenges, including intense competition and physical demands, Harshit remained focused on his goal. His breakthrough came when he was selected for

State Level Championships, where his stellar performances caught the attention of national selectors. His unwavering commitment and remarkable performances earned him a place in the national team, ultimately leading to his selection as a senior bowler in the winning squad of the ICC Champions Trophy.

ACHIEVEMENTS AND LEGACY

Harshit's ability to deliver match-winning performances under pressure has earned him accolades from fans and experts alike. His

journey from the school grounds of GIS to the international cricketing arena is an inspiration to aspiring athletes. Beyond his cricketing prowess, he is known for his humility and dedication to mentoring young players.

GIS takes immense pride in his achievements and celebrates his success as an embodiment of the school's legacy of nurturing talent and fostering greatness. Harshit Rana's story is a testament to the power of perseverance, hard work, and an unbreakable spirit, proving that dreams, when pursued with passion and commitment, can indeed turn into reality.



GANGA INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL HOSTS THE ICONIC ICC WORLD CUP TROPHY

Ganga International School, Hiran Kudna, was privileged to be selected as a venue for the prestigious ICC World Cup Trophy Tour—an honour that filled the entire school fraternity with immense pride and joy. This remarkable achievement not only strengthened the school's identity at the national level but also ignited a deep sense of sportsmanship and patriotism among the students. The arrival of the World Cup Trophy on 27 January 2026 created an atmosphere of excitement, curiosity, and celebration across the campus. The trophy was accorded a grand and enthusiastic welcome amid an ambience charged with thrill and festivity. The school premises were beautifully decorated for this historic occasion, and students, teachers, and invited guests felt honoured to witness such a memorable moment. From tiny tots to senior students, everyone displayed extraordinary zeal and enthusiasm. The campus resonated with thunderous chants of "India-India", reflecting the students' deep love for the nation and the spirit of the game. Waving the tricolour with pride, the students gave the World Cup Trophy a magnificent reception, turning the event into a glorious chapter in the school's history. The occasion was further elevated by the gracious presence of the Chairman, Mr. Sushil Gupta, CEO, Mr. Bharat Gupta, and



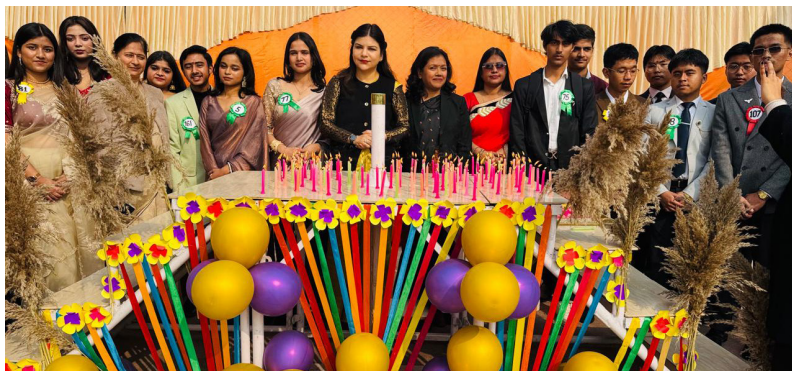


Director, Col. Ashok Kaul, whose attendance added dignity and grandeur to the celebration. Their encouragement and support greatly inspired the students and staff alike. To make the event even more engaging, an ICC Cricket Quiz was organized, in which students enthusiastically participated, showcasing their knowledge and passion for the sport. Colourful cultural performances by the students, including dance and music, beautifully expressed patriotism and the true spirit of sportsmanship. Addressing the gathering, the suave Principal, Ms. Swati Joshi, highlighted the importance of sports in students' lives. She emphasized that sports are not merely about winning or losing, but are powerful tools for instilling discipline, dedication, teamwork, and perseverance. She described the hosting of the ICC World Cup Trophy as a moment of pride not only for the school but also for the nation. The school's glory reached new heights as it proudly recalled its contribution to Indian cricket. Ganga International School has groomed several national and international cricket stars, including renowned Indian pacer Harshit rana and Ishant Sharma, along with distinguished Ranji players such as Sumit Mathur, Rahul Dagar, Mohit Sharma, and Sachidanand Pandey—a testament to the institution's strong sporting legacy. Undoubtedly, the ICC World Cup Trophy Tour at Ganga International School will be remembered forever as a golden milestone in the school's illustrious journey.



STEPPING INTO THE SPOTLIGHT: A MORNING OF RADIANCE!

Laughter, nostalgia, and a touch of bittersweet excitement filled the air as the Class of 2026 gathered for their final milestone, "Valedictory Vista," at Ganga International School, Hiran Kudna on 31 January, 2026. The ceremony commenced with a divine Ganesh Vandana, followed by the traditional lamp-lighting by Principal Ms. Swati Joshi. This led into a moving candle-lighting ceremony, where the flickering flames symbolized the passing of the torch and the enlightenment the students carry into their futures. The stage then came alive with a high-



energy musical dance and a glamorous ramp walk, where students showcased their confidence and style under the bright morning sun. The atmosphere was further electrified by a series of wonderful performances; the choir delivered a series of foot tapping melodies with fusion and modern zest. The Principal Ms. Swati Joshi delivered an inspiring address, followed by emotional reflections from the Head Boy and Head Girl, who shared memories of their transformative years at Ganga International school. A highlight of the celebration was the distribution of citations and prestigious titles, including Mr. and Ms. GIS, alongside special accolades like Mr and Ms. Sunshine Mr. Ms. All-rounder. The event reached its emotional peak with a vibrant dance and other performances. As the function drew to a close, a formal Vote of Thanks was delivered, expressing gratitude to the faculty and juniors for the





spectacular send-off. The day ended with a grand lunch and a flurry of snapshots, leaving behind a trail of memories for everyone.

Class XII Title Winners:

- Mr. GIS: Arnav Bubna
- Miss GIS: Nabhiga Maryam
- Mr. Congeniality: Aarush Choudhary
- Miss Congeniality: Yashrib Khan
- Mr. Genius: Ishank Drall
- Miss Genius: Vanshika Phalsawal
- Mr. All-Rounder: Moirangthem Chinglen
- Miss All-Rounder: Tanisha Drall
- Mr. Creative: Rickysan Khangembam
- Miss Creative: Aparna Kiran Kumar Soude
- Mr. Sunshine: C. Tlangmawia
- Miss Sunshine: Nangthombam Linthoi
- Mr. Co-curricular Icon: Kanishk Sharma
- Miss Co-curricular Icon: Priya Negi



A GLORIOUS EXPRESSION OF PATRIOTISM ON REPUBLIC DAY



Ganga International School, Hiran Kudna celebrated Republic Day with a grand, dignified, and emotionally enriching cultural programme on the 77th republic Day. The entire school campus was immersed in the vibrant hues of patriotism. The programme commenced with a special assembly, where every note, word, and expression reflected deep love for the nation. On the auspicious occasion of the Republic Day, the Principal, Ms. Swati Joshi, ceremoniously unfurled the National Flag and paid reverence to the Tricolour. The fluttering flag narrated the immortal saga of India's glorious heritage, sacrifice, and valour. The entire school fraternity expressed its unwavering devotion to the nation by singing the National Anthem in

unison. This was followed by a series of captivating cultural performances that filled the atmosphere with patriotic fervour. Through dance, drama, and songs, students vividly portrayed the struggles, sacrifices, and dedication of freedom fighters, along with the glorious journey of Independent India and its Constitution. The inspiring role plays by the young performers depicting Dr. B. R. Ambedkar, Rani Lakshmbai, Subhas Chandra Bose, and Sarojini Naidu deeply moved the audience. Group songs such as "Bharat Teri Gaurav Gatha" echoed the spirit of unity in diversity, while vibrant folk dances from different regions of India beautifully showcased the country's rich cultural mosaic. On this sacred occasion, students also





expressed their thoughts on the theme “Incredible India” through speeches, highlighting the nation’s cultural, social, and constitutional strengths. During the ceremony, the Principal honoured students who excelled at divisional, district, and State Level Competitions by awarding them certificates. Additionally, 28 students who scored more than 90 percent in Hindi were conferred the title of “Bhasha Doot”, two eminent teachers: Ms. Poonam Singh and Ms. Pushplalata of the Hindi Department were honoured with the “Bhasha Gaurav Shikshak Samman”. On this proud national occasion, the School Chairman, Mr. Sushil Gupta, CEO, Mr. Bharat Gupta, and Director, Col. Ashok Kaul, conveyed their heartfelt greetings to the entire school community. They extended their warm wishes to students and staff, encouraging them to uphold constitutional values, national discipline, and a spirit of dedicated service to the country. In their inspiring messages, they emphasized devotion to the nation, the balance of rights and duties enshrined in the Constitution, and the significance of discipline, sacrifice, and nation-building. Addressing the gathering, Principal Ms. Swati Joshi urged students to understand that true patriotism lies in performing one’s duties with honesty, dedication, and sincerity. She reminded them that such commitment is the truest tribute to the martyrs of the nation. The talent, discipline, and enthusiasm displayed by the students made the celebration truly memorable, leaving an enduring imprint of patriotism in every heart present on this proud occasion.



HEARTIEST CONGRATULATIONS!

GLOBAL SCHOOL AWARD WINNER: GANGA INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL BEST IN RESIDENTIAL FACILITY

The prestigious Global School Award for Best in Residential Facility has been conferred on Ganga International School, Hiran Kudna, New Delhi.



GLOBAL SCHOOL AWARD 2025-26 BEST IN RESIDENTIAL FACILITY

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SPREADING SMILES THROUGH SERVICE

As part of the school's initiative to promote empathy, social responsibility, and compassion, Middle Department students of Ganga International School visited a Welfare Home. The visit proved to be a meaningful and enriching experience as students interacted with the kids and witnessed the happiness that small acts of kindness can bring. Through this initiative, students learned the true value of sharing, caring, and giving back to society, reinforcing the importance of compassion and humanity.



THE STORYTELLER'S CANVAS

The Pre-Primary Department organized a joyful and engaging storytelling session titled "The Storyteller's Canvas." Our teachers beautifully brought the story to life through expressive role play, actions, and visuals, instantly capturing the attention of our little learners. The story revolved around the moral "Honesty is the Best Policy," presented in a simple and relatable manner suitable for young minds. The children watched with excitement, laughed, participated actively, and thoroughly enjoyed every moment of the performance. Through this interactive session, students not only had fun but also learned an important life value in a meaningful way. Such activities help nurture moral values, listening skills, and imagination in early learners. It was truly a delightful experience, filled with smiles, learning, and joyful memories for our tiny tots.



INTER-GANGA MODEL PRESENTATION COMPETITION

Primary Department Sweeps Inter-Ganga Model Presentation

When education inspires responsibility, success follows. On January 30th, the Primary Department celebrated a proud milestone at the Inter-Ganga Model Presentation Competition. Centered on the theme “Conservation & Restoration,” our students achieved a clean sweep, securing First Position in all three categories. The judges were deeply impressed by the students' originality and their ability to align local solutions with UN Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs).

The Winners:

Class III – Organic Farming (SDG 2 & 15): Swara, Rudraksh, and Viraj highlighted natural farming to reduce chemicals and restore soil fertility.

Class IV – Control of Water Pollution (SDG 6): Riddhi, Vivan, and Agya demonstrated effective methods to conserve and restore clean water resources.

Class V – Air Pollution (SDG 13 & 3): Riti Sharma, Shaurya, and Arna proposed practical measures to improve air quality for a healthier environment.

This achievement reflects the tireless efforts of our students and the devoted guidance of their teachers, reaffirming that our young minds are growing into the confident changemakers of tomorrow.



WHEN YOUNG MINDS TURN PURPOSE INTO IMPACT

We are honoured to be recognised for championing the Sustainable Development Goals. At our school, sustainability is lived every day—through eco-clubs, waste segregation, water and energy conservation, tree plantations, and responsible learning practices. This achievement reflects our students' curiosity, compassion, and commitment to creating a greener, more equitable world. We extend our heartfelt gratitude to the school management for providing the vision and opportunities that empower our learners to grow into responsible, conscious leaders of tomorrow.



WORLD SKILL CHALLENGE : FROM REGIONAL CHAMPIONS TO NATIONAL CONTENDERS!

The Aerobay Junior Team (Classes VI-VIII) of Ganga International School clinched the Overall Winner title at the Regional Level of the World Skill Challenge , held under Aerobay Skill Education on the theme



“Technology for Good,” and has qualified for the National Championship. Kudos to our young achievers for their dedication and teamwork. Best wishes for the national stage ahead!

EMPOWERING YOUNG MINDS : CELEBRATING ENTREPRENEURSHIP & FINANCIAL LITERACY GRADUATION DAY!

Ganga International School hosted a remarkable Graduation Day Event for Grades 9-12, marking the culmination of the Entrepreneurship and Financial Literacy Programs! Students presented their innovative business ideas, showcasing their entrepreneurial skills and financial literacy knowledge, pitched to an industry leader Mr. Pranay Jindal, a renowned entrepreneur and digital growth strategist, who appreciated their entrepreneurial spirit! Principal Ms. Swati Joshi congratulated the students on their achievements. Kudos to our young entrepreneurs!



CHEMISTRY OF HUMAN EMOTIONS

“Your feelings are not just in your heart—they are written in the language of molecules.”

One of the most fascinating gifts of life is human emotion. Emotions color every thought, word, and action. They make us laugh, cry, love, and dream. Without them, life would feel like an empty equation. But have you ever wondered—what exactly makes us feel the way we do? The answer lies in chemistry.

WHAT ARE EMOTIONS?

Psychologists often describe emotions as “an agitation or disturbance of the mind.” But they are much more than that. Emotions are conscious experiences, shaped by both our inner chemistry and the world around us. They act as bridges between our body and soul—turning invisible molecules into visible expressions like a smile, a tear, or even silence.

The Chemical Orchestra Inside Us

Our feelings are not random; they are guided by tiny messengers called neurotransmitters.

Think of them as the “musical notes” that compose the symphony of our emotions.

Some of the most important ones are:

DOPAMINE - THE MOTIVATION MOLECULE

It gives us drive, focus, and pleasure. Every time you achieve a goal or enjoy a reward, dopamine is behind that rush of happiness. Too little, and life may feel dull or unmotivated.

SEROTONIN - THE MOOD STABILIZER

This chemical keeps us calm, optimistic, and emotionally balanced. A healthy dose of serotonin brings peace of mind, while its deficiency can lead to anxiety, irritability, or depression.

NORADRENALINE - THE ENERGY BOOSTER

This one fuels our alertness and quick responses, especially in stressful situations.

It's what makes your heart race before an exam or a big event.

HISTAMINE - THE WAKE-UP CALL

Often linked to allergies, histamine also plays a role in keeping us awake and responsive.

The Endless Palette of Emotions

Human emotions are as diverse as colors on a canvas—affection, anger, wonder, confidence, guilt, trust, and joy. Each emotion is a unique “chemical painting” created inside our brain.

As neuroscientist Dr. Candace Pert beautifully said:

“As our feelings change, the mixture of peptides travels throughout our body and brain. They literally change the chemistry of every cell in our body.” The Takeaway Emotions are not just moods that come and go—they are living chemistry.

They shape our decisions, relationships, and the very way we experience the world.

Understanding this chemistry not only deepens our knowledge of science but also helps us appreciate the beauty of being human.

So next time you feel happy, anxious, or inspired—remember, it's not just in your heart or mind... it's chemistry in action.



MR. ASHISH DILWANI
PGT CHEMISTRY

CONGRATULATIONS



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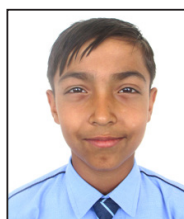


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PRIMARY ZONAL ATHLETIC MEET



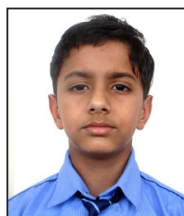
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SILVER MEDAL IN 100MTR RACE



KARTIK DIXIT
GOLD MEDAL
STANDING BROAD JUMP



ISHITA SINGH
GOLD MEDAL
STANDING BROAD JUMP



RIHAN RANA
BRONZE MEDAL MEDICINE BALL THROW



VIDIT DRALL, HIMNISH TANWAR, MOHD.FAIZ, SHOURYA PRAJAPATI
GOLD MEDAL 4 X 100 RELAY RACE (BOYS)



ISHITA SINGH, SNEHA GUPTA, KAVYA, MAHI DRALL
GOLD MEDAL 4 X 100 RELAY RACE (GIRLS)

हिन्दी शिक्षकों का राष्ट्रीय स्तर पर गौरवपूर्ण सम्मान



हिंदुस्तानी भाषा अकादमी द्वारा डा०. अंबेडकर इंटरनेशनल सेंटर, जनपथ में आयोजित भव्य पुरस्कार सम्मान समारोह में विद्यालय के हिन्दी विभाग की उत्कृष्ट उपलब्धियों को राष्ट्रीय मंच पर सम्मानित किया गया। इस समारोह में विद्यालय की समर्पित हिन्दी शिक्षिकाएँ पूनम सिंह एवं पुष्प लता को उनके उल्लेखनीय शैक्षणिक योगदान के लिए विशेष सम्मान प्रदान किया गया।

यह प्रतिष्ठित पुरस्कार उन शिक्षकों को दिया गया, जिनके कुशल मार्गदर्शन एवं सतत परिश्रम से विद्यार्थियों ने परीक्षा परिणामों में शानदार सफलता अर्जित की। उल्लेखनीय है कि विद्यालय के 28 विद्यार्थियों ने 90 प्रतिशत से अधिक अंक प्राप्त कर न केवल विद्यालय, बल्कि अपने शिक्षकों का भी मान बढ़ाया। इसी उत्कृष्ट परीक्षा परिणाम के आधार पर दोनों शिक्षिकाओं का चयन इस सम्मान हेतु किया गया।

'अखिल भारतीय स्तर' पर आयोजित इस समारोह में शिक्षा जगत से जुड़े अनेक विद्वान, शिक्षाविद् एवं गणमान्य अतिथि उपस्थित रहे। सभी ने विद्यालय की शैक्षणिक गुणवत्ता, अनुशासित वातावरण तथा हिन्दी शिक्षण के उच्च स्तर की मुक्तकंठ से सराहना की। इस अवसर पर विद्यालय परिवार ने दोनों शिक्षिकाओं को हार्दिक बधाई देते हुए कहा कि यह सम्मान उनके समर्पण, मेहनत और विद्यार्थियों के प्रति जिम्मेदारी का सजीव प्रमाण है। यह उपलब्धि न केवल हिन्दी विभाग, बल्कि पूरे विद्यालय के लिए गर्व का विषय है।



WISDOM OF A PENCIL

It was a quiet night, the kind where the silence feels almost alive. I was sitting at my study table, lost in my work, when fatigue began to creep over me. Leaning back, I closed my eyes for a moment, hoping to relax. The clock read 1:30 a.m., and the house was perfectly still—until I heard it.

Soft whispers.

My eyes were wide open. My heart beat increased. Voices? At this hour? This time I felt alone in the room—wasn't I? Generally, I don't. I sat up, and started scanning the room, but all in vain as I saw nothing unusual. Still I could hear the faint chatter that persisted.

Curiosity got the better of me. Somehow I don't know but the drawer of my study table opened—and left me frozen.....

Two pencils were standing upright, yes the pencils and they were talking to each other. One was sharp and polished, its tip shining in the dim light, while the other was blunt, worn down, its wood frayed at the edges and look tired. My mouth fell open as I watched them animatedly bicker. "Ah," the sharp pencil said, stretching slightly as if showing off its perfect form. "Look at me! My lines are crisp, my body unblemished, and my tip is as precise as an artist's finest brush. I am the perfect tool for any task."

The blunt pencil chuckled, the sound was soft but full of knowing. "Perfection, you say? That's amusing."

The sharp pencil turned toward the companion. "Why is that amusing? Isn't it obvious? A pencil must be sharp to be useful."

The blunt pencil sighed. "Ah, my young friend, you have yet to understand what true usefulness is. Tell me, what have you done with your perfection?"

The sharp pencil hesitated. "Well, I, I, I—" It faltered, realizing that it had not yet been used. "That's not the point. I am ready for great things."

The blunt pencil smiled knowingly. "And yet, you have made no mark, no story, no sketch, no answer to a problem. You sit here, proud of your unbroken form, while I have been out in the world, shaping ideas and bringing thoughts to life."

The sharp pencil frowned. "But look at you! You're short, worn, and dull. You've lost your fine point."

"Yes," the blunt pencil agreed. "Because I have been used. I have written words of love in a letter, solved math problems for a struggling student, and drawn pictures that made a child smile. Every time I was pressed to paper, I gave something of myself. And in that giving, I found my true worth."

The sharp pencil considered this. "But... doesn't it bother you? Being so small, so imperfect?"

The blunt pencil affirmed again, "I may be smaller, but I am full of stories. I have left my mark in ways that matter. You, too, will lose your sharpness one day. Every pencil does. The question is, will you be remembered for the marks you made, or will you be forgotten, still sharp but unused?"

The drawer creaked open again, and a hand reached in. It hovered over both pencils. The sharp one held its breath, expecting to be chosen. But the hand grasped the blunt pencil instead, lifting it out into the light. Before disappearing, the worn pencil gave one last smile. "Good luck, my friend. May your first marks be bold and full of purpose."

As the drawer closed, the sharp pencil lay in the darkness, deep in thought. For the first time, it wondered—was perfection really about staying sharp, or was it about being willing to be worn down in the service of something greater?



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SPOTLIGHT ON ART



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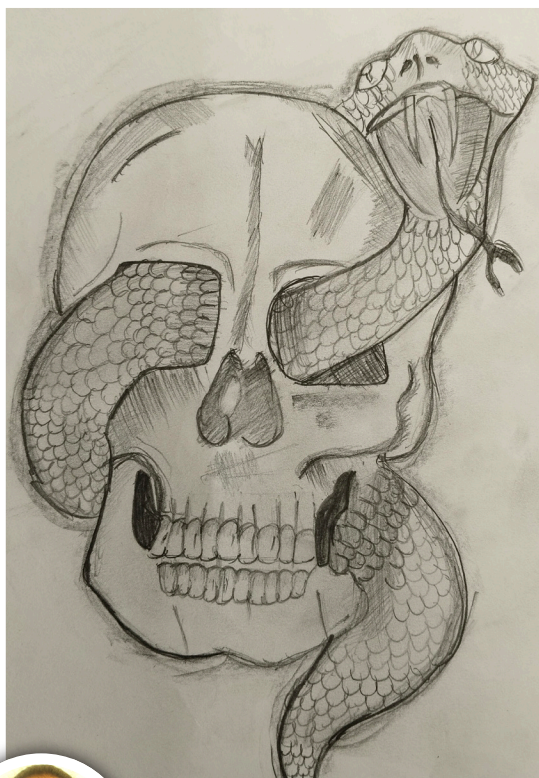
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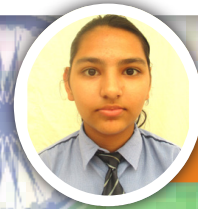
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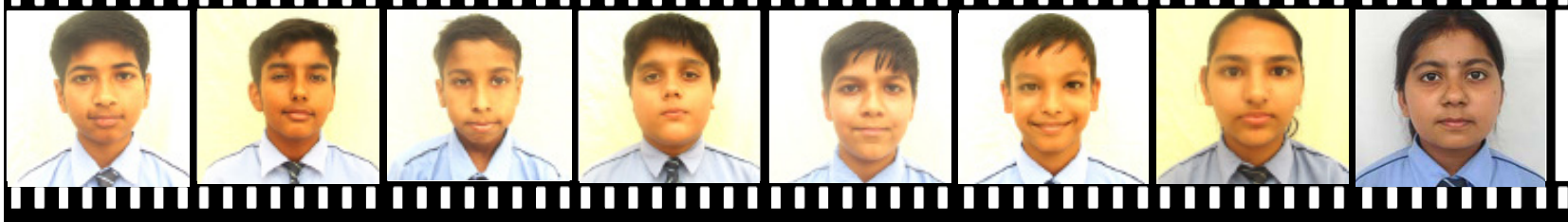
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