



SHRI SHIKSHAYATAN SCHOOL

Principal's Report

April 2020 to October 31, 2020

Academics: Board Results 2019 - 2020 (AISSE & AISSCE 2020) -

Class	Total number of students	Appeared	Passed	90% and above	80% to 89%	70% to 79%	60% to 69%	Below 60%	Mean
X	302	302	302	149	104	45	4	0	88.21
XII	208	208	208	119	75	14	0	0	89.68

Admission: Primary & Senior Section, Session 2021 - 2022 -

- **Primary Section:** Classes LKG -175; UKG-79; Cl. I - 13; Class II -5; Class III-1, Class IV - 2, and Class V - 1 = Total 274 admissions
- **Senior Section:** Applications for Class XI admission from October, 2020 - Science-147; Commerce-93; Humanities- 65 = Total 305 applications

Academics (Senior & Junior Sections) -

- Academic session commenced on 2nd April, 2020. The transaction of lessons was asynchronous where the videos prepared by the teachers were uploaded and doubts cleared over WhatsApp
- In mid-April, teachers started using digital platform ZOOM for synchronous learning
- Six-day week was introduced to carry out VPA, clubs, library and Physical education activities also
- From 5th May, 2020 the students and teachers joined Google classroom for synchronous learning
- Practical classes were conducted through hybrid teaching, extramarks and learntron lessons, Mathematics lessons by NIIT, YouTube links, modules prepared by teachers and flip learning
- The Orientation for the parents of the New admission 2020-21 (Classes LKG to V) was held online on 6th May, 2020. Virtual online orientations were carried out for classes VI to XII in April and May
- Virtual Parents teachers' meetings for Classes LKG to V were held on 20th June, 18th of July, 22nd August and 19th October. For classes VI to XII meetings were held on 20th and 21st June and 19th and 20th October, 2020
- Need based Mentoring Sessions, Remedial classes and extra classes were conducted online by teachers and special educators. Counselling sessions were carried out as well
- Two sets of online examinations have been conducted for all classes
- School completed its ISA project and submitted it online
- Online Summer Internship for class XI students was organized by Dr. Samir Parikh, Fortis
- Regular morning assemblies were conducted and staff meetings held by the Principal and the Headmistress through google meet

Special Achievements by Students -

- **(2020 batch)** : Pratyasha Nath was selected for B. Tech. in Biotechnology, IIT Kharagpur, Harshita Agarwal, MBBS , IPGMER,SSKM, Disha tibrewal, MBBS, Diamond Harbour Medical College , (From **2019 batch**) Kajal Das, MBBS , R G Kar college, Dishari Ghosh, MBBS in Jagannath Gupta Medical College, Tanu Raghvanshi, I Care Haldia Institute, Debolina Das, KDS Dugar dental College;(From **2018 batch**) Ritika Dey MBBS, IPGMER, SSKM, Bharti Sharma, MMBS, North Bengal Medical College, Darjeeling

- 16.09.2020 - Sadya Naaz of Class X stood first in Ram Awtar Gupt Hindi Pariksha by Sanmarg

Special achievements by Heads and Teachers -

- 05.09.2020 - Ms. Sarita Bhattacharyya received the certificate for Kindness Galore, Ms. Fuljhuri Basu for Out of the Box Thinker, Ms. Antara Ghosh for Pathbreaker of the Year 2020, Ms. Anindita Sengupta and Ms. Baishali Das got 'Torchbearer of the year 2020' Award from Harper Collins
- 08.09.2020 - Ms. Pallabi Ghatak placed 3rd in Teachers' Online Singing Competition by Times NIE
- 09.09.2020 - Ms. Piya Ghosh, Ms. Debjani Sarker, Ms. Susmita Ghosh and Ms. Tanusree Roy received Teachers Day Award by IIHM. Ms. Nilanjana Goswami received Teacher Chef Award
- 15.09.2020 - Ms. Rubi Sharma and Ms. Kavita Kothari were awarded for their exemplary contribution in Hindi language and Literature by Madhubun Publication

Co-Curricular -

CLUBS -

❖ ELOCUTION AND DEBATE -

- 05.06.2020 - Ranjini Majumder, Class XII secured 2nd position in Turn Coat - Biodiversity on Virtual Green Festival 2020 by Notre Dame College, Bangladesh
- 01.07.2020 - Ananti Sen of Class VIII and Fiona Raj of Class X stood second in International Speaking Skill Competition Level 4 and 5 respectively organized by Zamit
- 11.07.2020 -In L.N. Birla Debate by BHS, the school team, comprising Koushiki Ghosh, Cl. XII and Shudiksha Basu, Cl. XI, stood first and received a trophy, cash prize of Rs. 5,000/- and two Bluetooths, Koushiki Ghosh received the trophy and cash prize of Rs. 5,000/- for the Best Speaker
- 06.08.2020 - In Zero Hour Online Debate by Notebook ,64 schools of national and international repute participated. Shri Shikshayatn School debate team placed 3rd Internationally
- 29.08.2020 -Archita Singh of Class XI won 3rd position in International Model UN Programme.
- 30.08.2020 - Anatni Sen, cl. VIII stood first, Sudiksha Basu, Cl. XI stood second and Ishika Khaitan of Class XI stood fifth in Extempore Speech Competition at 10th International Science Conference
- 13.09.2020 - Fiona Raj placed 3rd in the Extempore, Youthopia Fest organized by the Heritage School
- 13.09.2020 - Shudiksha Basu, Cl.XI, placed 3rd in Open Talk Event organized by Allen House Public
- 15.10.2020 - Shudiksha Basu and Swagata Chandra of Class XI stood first and third respectively in Let's Switch, A Turn Coat Debate Competition organized by Tribe Tomorrow Network
- 20.10.2020- Shudiksha Basu, Class XI, participated in a Debate Competition by Vijaybhoomi and received a gift hamper

❖ QUIZ, SLOGAN, CREATIVE and ESSAY WRITING -

- 17.04.2020 - Priyam Sethia of LKG received a medal and a certificate from India Book of records for memorizing several topics of general knowledge at a tender age of 3 years 7 months.
- 25.04.2020 - Sania Ghosh, Cl. XII placed 2nd, received Rs.5100/- in Zamit English Essay Competition
- 05.06.2020 - Suchetana Sen, Class IX stood 1st in a Quiz by Notre Dame College, Bangladesh
- 03.07.2020 - Akansha Gupta, Cl. XII stood first in an Online Essay writing competition by NSHM
- 12.08.2020 - 18 students from Cl. VI 21 from Cl. VII won Online Quiz competition by Classmate
- 17.08.2020 - Sampurna Paul, Cl. XII stood 3rd in Interschool 90 Second English Self Written Poetry Recitation Competition organized by Jayshree Periwal Global School.
- 30.08.2020- Stories written by Madhuri Harlalka, Tripti Singh and Srija Mondal of Class XII have been selected out of 600 entries in the National Writing Contest by The Quill House to be published soon
- 05.09.2020 - Khushi Saxena, Class XII stood 1st in Inter School Article making Competition by MLZS,
- 13.09.2020 - Sampurna Paul stood 1st in Bengali Creative Writing in Youthopia by Heritage School.
- 14.09.2020 - Suchetana Sen of Class IX stood fifth in Essay Writing Competition organized by BITM

❖ FILM and PHOTOGRAPHY-

- 17.08.2020 - Abanti Samanta, Sudiksha Basu, Dishani Basu of Class XI stood 1st in Interschool Movie Making. Abanti Samanta stood 2nd in **photography Challenge** by Jayshree Periwal Global School

❖ Cookery-

- 02.08.2020: - Srijia Rana, Shubhangi Biswas and Sunayna Sinha, Cl. XII qualified in the Virtual Semi Final Young Chef of India by IIHM and received Certificates of Merit.

🎨 VISUAL AND PERFORMING ARTS

❖ Dance-

- 17.05.2020 - Sandheli Dhara, Class X and Koushani Dey, Class VIII secured 1st position in Online dance competition in Great India Talent Competition by Bloom CAP
- 17.08.2020 - Subhangi Pramanik stood first, Shipra Maskara, Saheli Kundu and Riddhi Chakraborty of XI stood third in Interschool Dance Competition by Jayshree Periwai Global School
- 23.10.2020 -Swachhotoya Mukherjee of VIII stood 1st in Dance competition by R D P School Delhi

❖ Music-

- 17.05.2020 - Roopsa Ganguli, Cl. VIII placed 3rd in singing India Talent Competition by Bloom CAP
- 22.08.2020 - Upama Pradhan, Cl. X stood 2nd in Desh Bhakti Geet Competition by Pariwar Milan

❖ Instruments

- 17.08.2020 -Ananti Sen, Cl. VIII stood 1st and Pari Jhunjhunwala of VIII stood 3rd in synthesizer and Nabanita Mondal, of X stood 1st in tabla Instrumental Competition by Jayshree Periwai Global Sch.
- 23.10.2020 -Nabanita Mondal of X placed 3rd in Instrumental event by Rukmini Devi Public Sc., Delhi

❖ Art & Craft-

- 02.06.2020 - Rudrani Addya, Class IX placed 1st in Art - Talent Podium by Heritage of Kolkata
- 01.07.2020 - Isha Patel of IX ranked first in and Swastika Dey of Class VIII ranked amongst top 50 in Fine Gage Art Competition organized by HDFC Bank
- 19.08.2020- Umme Kulthoom Ansari received Certificate of Excellence, placed 10th amongst 1200 participants in Express Karona- National Poster Making by Viraj Shri Ram Centennial School
- 05.09.2020 - Rudrani Addya of Class IX and Shreya Dhavle of Class VIII stood first in Inter School Logo Making competition organized by MLZS, Maheshtala
- 13.09.2020 - Rudrani Addya of IX stood 2nd in a Painting Competition by Artster, Creatorverse & MONTMARTRE
- 09.10.2020- Zoya Ahmed, of VIII won the 3rd prize in painting a competition by Wildlife Week 2020
- 23.10.2020 - Rudrani Addya stood 1st in Doodling competition by Rukmini Devi Public School, Delhi

❖ Commerce -

- 17.08.2020 - Sweta Agarwal, Khushi Choudhary, Chanchal Hirawat and Anuja Dey students of Class XI and XII stood 2nd in Interschool Corporate Titans Competition by Jayshree Periwai Global School
- 21.08. 2020 and 22.08.2020 - Kankona Das and Radhika Lath placed 3rd in Dynamo by LSA

🎨 Intra School Co-Curricular Activities

- 09.05.2020: Beat the Heat was organized by LTS, Cookery, Interact, health and wellness clubs
- 22.06.202: International Yoga celebration was held in the morning assembly and PPT shared with all students
- 22.07.2020 to 25.07.2020, I-animate Competition;13.08.2020 to 15.08.2020 - Inter-house Solo Dance Competition ;13.08.2020 to 15.08.2020 - Inter-house Solo Singing Competition ;29.08.2020 - Inter House Cooking Competition were organized online for classes VI to XII
- 19.10.2020 and 20.10.2020 - Virtual Book Fair was organized by the Oxford Book Store for the middle school and from 17.09.202 to 31.10.2020 for the Junior Section
- Junior School conducted Extempore, Drawing, Music Competitions in June, 2020, Non Flame Cooking Competition in July, 2020, Story Telling and Art Competition in August and Poster Making Competition in September for classes LKG to V

Career Counseling -

- 14.08.2020 - Classes XI and XII attended Online Career Planning Session organized by Indian and international Universities - GEECS

- 28.08.2020 - Cl. XI and XII, Commerce and Humanities attended Career Guidance by BLUB World
- 17.10.2020 - Cl X students attended Career Counseling program for Admission to Class XI
- For classes XI and XII, 'Liberal Education in India' was organized by Ashoka University, 'Impact of COVID 19 on the future of Study Abroad Education' by IDP Education, Kolkata

Community Service -

- Staff of Senior, Junior and Administrative Departments contributed money through school online portal in the month of June, 2020 towards Chief Minister Relief Fund
- 19.10.2020 - Senior and Junior Section Heads and teachers of Senior and Junior Sections donated new clothes for Kasba Home which were handed over to the HOPE Foundation

Celebrations (Primary & Senior Section) -

- Rabindra Jayanti was celebrated online by the Bengali department on 09.05.2020.
- Senior School Investiture was held on 18.07.2020
- The 74th Independence Day was celebrated virtually on 15.08.2020
- Virtual Annual Prize Distribution Ceremony for Classes LKG to Class V was held on 25.07.202 and for Classes VI to XII on 01.08.2020. The Chief Guests were eminent educationists Mr. Ajay Chopra and Ms. Kaveri Dutt respectively
- The Teachers' Day for the session 2020-21 was held virtually on 05.09.2020
- Art Exhibition, Cultural Mosaic, as part of ISA, was held on 11.09.2020
- Hindi Diwas was celebrated by the Senior and the Junior School virtually on 14.09.2020
- International Literacy Week celebration was held on 14.09.2020 by Classes III, IV & V
- Grandparents' Day celebration was held on 26th September, 2020
- SHARODUTSAV was celebrated through PPT by the school on 16.10.2020
- STEAM Exhibition was held on 19.10.2020 and 20.10.2020 by classes VI to XII on Art and Craft, Design, Photography, Heritage, Cookery, Science, Mathematics and Gardening

Global Outreach -

- 28th August, 2020 - Two students of Class XII participated in the IOELL (International Olympiad on English language and Leadership) Experience organized by GEIST
- 8th October, 2020 - Virtual Meeting was held with Ms. Jayne Hamilton, coordinator of partner school, Bannockburn High School Scotland for Connecting Classroom Project under BCL

Workshops, Seminars and Exhibitions attended by students -

- **Motivational Talk**, "Life Through an Optimistic Lens" by Bhavna Damani Bajoria of Fortis Hospital
- **Fununcial Quest / Skill Development-** Gaming Workshop organized by Pearl Academy, Coding Course organised by Macmillan, Table Lay Out organized by IIHM, Webinar Dining Etiquette by Saurav Mitra, Filmit Workshp by INTACH, Khelo India athlete for a meeting on Periodization in Rowing by Sports Authority of India, Learn to Code for classes VI to VIII by Eupheus learning , Scope and trends in IT industry post Pandemic and Masterclass organized by CII
- **Social Workshops** - Dialogue on Air Quality and Biodiversity organized by Centre for Environment Education (CEE),

Workshops, Seminars and Exhibition attended by teachers -

177 staff members from the Senior and the Junior school have attended various workshops organized by different organizations. All teachers from the Primary and the Senior Section attended Super Teacher Workshop organized by School

- **CBSE workshops / Capacity Building** - Teachers attended 114 CBSE workshops in various subjects and topics (Appendix A attached). Teachers teaching Classes Pre-Primary to VIII attended Nistha

Series by DIKSHA CBSE

- **Child Centric Workshop-** Teachers attended 13 workshops (Appendix A attached)
- **Skill Development & Training** - 6 workshops by the British Council, 9 by BCCI, 10 by Plaksha , 4 by UPES , 4 by Pearson , 7 by NCERT , 8 by Dr. GS Grewal, 7 by CII , 5 by Dell Aarambh (Appendix A attached)
- **Art Workshop** - Teachers attended 6 workshops (Appendix A attached)
- **Music Workshop** - Teachers attended 3 workshops (Appendix A attached)
- **Cooking Workshops** - Teachers attended 6 workshops (Appendix A attached)
- **Other Workshops** - Teachers attended 53 workshops (Appendix A attached)
- **Workshop attended by the Headmistress** - Headmistress attended 22 workshops
- **Workshop attended by the Principal** - Principal was a speaker at Virtual Green Summit by Notre Dame College, Bangladesh, Covid and the Challenges by Sanmarg, Evolving Paradigms - The Road Ahead in conversation with Ameeta mullah Wattal, was a panelist at Tribe tomorrow network discussion on Teachers Day and the Chief Guest at Swarnim Intenational School on their Annual Prize Distribution Ceremony. Principal attended 20 workshops (Appendix A attached)



Sangeeta Tandon
Principal



**SHRI SHIKSHAYATAN SCHOOL
KOLKATA**

**Minutes of the virtual meeting of the School Managing Committee
held on Saturday, the 7th November, 2020 at 11:30 a.m.**

Present:

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| 1. Shri S K Birla | - President |
| 2. Shri Sidharth Birla | - Vice-President |
| 3. Shri G K Khaitan | - Trustee Member |
| 4. Shri P K Poddar | - Trustee Member |
| 5. Dr. Kusum Khemani | - Member |
| 6. Shri Sourav Ghosh | - Member |
| 7. Smt. Sharmila Bose | - Member |
| 8. Smt. Bratati Bhattacharyya | - Secretary General |
| 9. Smt. Sangeeta Tandon | - Principal |
| 10. Shri Subhasish Naskar | - Guardians' Representative |
| 11. Smt. Karabi Bhattacharya Rao | - Guardians' Representative |
| 12. Smt. Madhushree Dasgupta | - Teachers' Representative |
| 13. Smt. Piya Basak | - Teachers' Representative |

In attendance :

14. Shri V K Agrawal
15. Smt. Poushali Mukherjee

1. President, Shri S K Birla welcomed all present.
2. Minutes of the meeting held on 31.03.2020 alongwith the Draft Resolution to be passed By Circulation Dated 07.11.2020 were reviewed & noted.
3. **Matters arising:**
 - a) Repairing work in the Secondary Building is completed under the guidance of Jadavpur University, Dept. of Civil Engineering.
 - b) The Emergency Exit staircase upto 6th Floor terrace (Block 3) work is still ongoing.
4. The Principal's report on various activities of School was noted.
5. **Infrastructural Development: (at Lord Sinha Road)**
 - Various repair and maintenance jobs are being carried out at the Lord Sinha premises.
 - Construction of Audio Visual Room work is completed.
 - False Ceiling Structure Repairing and installation of new False Ceiling in the Conference Room is Completed.

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- Construction of additional cabinets and reconfiguration old cabinets done in the Physics Lab.
 - Repairing of Shed Structure and Installation of New Shed in the Swimming Pool is on-going.
 - Repairing & Renovation work is completed in the Multipurpose Room which was damaged due the Cyclone, Amphan.
 - Construction of Tinkering lab. is ongoing.
6. There being no other matter, meeting ended with a vote of thanks to the Chair.

Sd/
[Bratati Bhattacharyya]
Secretary General

Sd/
[S K Birla]
President

Date: 07.11.2020
Place: Kolkata