

Most notably our atmosphere is conducive to a holistic learning. We live in a society, where concerned parents like you make all efforts to give the best potential to their children, the best possible learning, best of living, latest gadgets, etc. All these are to enable children for success and prosperity.

We at Buxi Jagabandhu English Medium School attempt to take up an additional issue; how to prepare children for life itself? How to evolve fully developed human beings? How to make Student's life enriched with values and discipline? We seek to prepare children best not only for academic independence and prosperity, but also to face life's challenges with confidence and happiness. Albert Einstein says Education is what remains after one has forgotten what one has learned in school. We here at B.J.E.M. School - II give our children something to remember for life – that something which will make them precious citizens and mature human beings! This is what makes B.J.E.M. School - II, one of the premier schools in Odisha. You all have been honestly following the initiatives of our school still, just to refresh your memory, let me present a brief report of the year that has handed out a battery of awards to our hardworking students.

This year too B.J.E.M. School - II kept up its tradition of good results by ...

- 1) Monitoring the progress of students of both below average and excellent categories in regular intervals.
- 2) Enhancing learner's appetite for studies.
- 3) Recognizing students 'specific area of interest and nourishing them for better future. Special care is taken for students having expertise in co-scholastic areas.
- 4) Inculcating globalization and its impact amongst school projects and curriculum through effective partnership with UK's leading educational organization British Council.

In order to reinforce holistic learning comprising psychomotor and cognitive development hobbies and passions of students are well-taken care of. And the core segment of our composite learning system includes dance, music and art, to fortify its momentum. To groom budding talents the competitions like fancy dress, art, dance, pot painting, clay sculpting, flower decoration, creative writing is held to develop versatility among students. This year the Annual Exhibition 2016 – 17 was conducted purposefully to fine-tune the communicative skill and mastery of

our students on subjects. The guests of the occasion were all praise to witness the artistic presentation of colour and voice of our students. The projects dealt with science as well as social issues like national integration and socio cultural activities. The following achievements which are potential testimonies of our hard work may be summed up to our credit.

The first batch of Std.X passed in the year 2015-2016 and created a record seldom achieved by beginners. 69 students appeared the exam and all of them passed with 1st division. 18 of them secured a perfect CGPA 10. A beginning which was least expected but most appreciated.

Talking about our achievers there were many students who made us proud. Through the achievers are many and we would love to speak about them at length but time is a constraint and hence we have to name a few:

1. Prateek Das of Std.I appeared the mental maths examination held by UCMAS. He got the 1st position and received the champions trophy.
2. Abhipsa Das of Std.I got National Dhauli Art Festival Award-2016 for National Level Painting Exhibition.
3. Ayush Kumar Maharana of Std.II got National Dhauli Art Festival Award-2016 for National Level Painting Exhibition.
4. Sai Swadin Samantaray of Std.II got awarded for best painting in State Level Children's Art Competition.
5. Rituraj Samal of Std. III got 2nd prize in Odisha State Level Fashion Show Competition.
6. Kavyasudha Dash of Std.III has been awarded the Champion Prize in the 10th All Odisha UCMAS State Level Competition-2016.
7. Tejaswini Sahoo of Std.VI kept on receiving accolades for her dance & painting throughout the year. She received 1st position at programmes organized by "The Samaja", "Navrang", "Itikili Mitikili" and many other. She secured 2nd position at various competitions organized by the Government of Odisha, RRL Sangeeta Kendra, Odisha Road Safety, Convent School P. Club, Mount Litera Zee School etc. She also bagged 3rd prize at KASTURY, Kalpataru Arts and Crafts, Madhukatha Samaroh-2016, and at various other Government Programmes.
8. Payal Priyadarshini Patra of Std.VI was awarded the 2nd prize in State Level Art Competition organized by Suchana and Lokasampark Vibhaga. She also got awarded at the Shilpi Diwas.
9. Shradhanjali Patra of Std.VI got selected for the Audio Studio round of Sa Re Ga Ma Pa Little Champs-2016 by Sarthak TV.

10. Subrat Mallick of Std. VI has been awarded at the National Dhauri Art Festival-2016 for National Level Painting Exhibition.
11. Aradhana Behera of Std. VII has been awarded for the participation in the Training cum Workshop on Terracotta and Tribal Painting on the occasion of "International Museum Day".
12. Bibek Kumar Sahu of Std. VII has been awarded at the 9th KIIT International Chess Festival-2016. He also achieved award at 30th National Chess Championship-2016 in the group of under-11, at the Odisha State Youth Chess in the group of under 25, at the District Chess Championship in Kendrapara, at the 1st Berhampur All Open Chess Championship-2015 and at the Odisha State Open Chess Championship-2016.
13. Shivangi Giri of Std. VII has received Gold Medal at the International Child Art Exhibition organized by Odisha Modern Art Gallery. She also secured 1st position at the Kasturba Nari Mahal for Kothighara and passed with 1st division from Lalit Kala Akademi.
14. Raturaj Moharana of Std. IX has participated in National Children Assembly and Integration Camp held in Delhi by National Bal Bhavan. He was also selected for the Regional Level of All India Camel Colour Contest-2016. He also participated in various programmes conducted by the Odisha State Bharat Scouts & Guides.
15. Saurav Panigrahi of Std. IX has been awarded 1st prize in Music competition organized by Murchana Bharatiya Sangeeta Nrutya Natak Anusthana. He was also awarded 5th position in the song competition organized ISKCON.
16. Dibyansika Biswal of Std. X got the 1st prize in Poster making competition and participated in National Children's Assembly and Integration Camp 2016. She also got 2nd position in State Level Art Competition organized by Kastury and got felicitated at Jagatsinghpur District Festival "Kallola-2016". She got the Rajya Puraskar and Surf Smart Badge participating in the programmes of the Bharat Scouts and Guides. She received scholarship from the Crafts Council Of India for her excellence in Pattachitra. She was also awarded for the National Level Painting Exhibition organized by Dhauri College of Art & Crafts.
17. Jharana Nayak of Std. X was adjudged the best artist in fine art at the State Level Rajiv Gandhi Pratibha Puraskar-2016. She also received accolades from the Crafts Council of India for Pattachitra and got the 1st prize in folk dance junior group at the 31st Odisha Circle Postal Cultural Meet-2016. She also got the prize of best Delegate at BJEM MUN.

- 18.Neha Niharika Kar of Std.X got the 1st prize for song competition organized by ISKCON-2016 and PECUC-2016 at different events. She also received “Akshay Samman-2016” given by PECUC-2016 and “UPCOMING YOUTH SINGER” award by Toshali Art and Craft Mela-2016. She also qualified for the first round of Voice Of India,Kids aired on AND TV.
- 19.Subodh Kumar Swain of Std.X held onto the 1st position in 35th National Level Children festival Organised by Swagatika . He also got the RajyaPuraskar in Bharat Scouts and Guides.
- 20.Priyanka PriyadarshiniNayak of Std.X got the Champion’s position in the 36th National Level Children’s Talent Hunt-2016. She secured 1st position at the Rangeela Dance International and at the State Level Dance Competition organized by Kastury.

Students of different classes went for a study tour and practically experienced what they had read before.

Our students participated in GaonAkhada and secured the 1st position.

Hundreds of students have bagged prizes in Science Olympiad Foundation.

Regular workshop for teachers and parents-teachers’ meetings are building blocks for our improvement and we conduct these programmes frequently.

Mr.DigantPattanaik and Mrs. Sangeeta Sharma went to Kolkata for attending a core skills workshop organized by the British Council and are awaiting the reflection part. Apart from them various teachers participated in the workshops organized by CBSE at DPS (Rourkela), DAV(Unit 8),by Macmillan, Orient Blackswann, O.P.Jindal University, etc.

Principal too was a part of most of the workshops.

British Council

The school joined hands with the British Council, which is the United Kingdom’s International Organization for educational opportunities and cultural relations and I must say, that we have indeed gained a lot through this collaboration. Though the ramifications are many, I would try to compile everything in a nutshell.

The programme that we enrolled into is known as “Connecting classrooms”. It is a global education programme which offers:

- School partnerships – for effective exchange of knowledge across various cultures.

- Professional developments for teachers – enhancing teaching by employing better methods &
- International School Award – an international recognition for school.

We are proud to inform that our school has received the prestigious International School Award for the year 2016 and it would extend up to 2019.

It has helped the students by equipping them with a deeper understanding of other countries and cultures, their rights and responsibilities as global citizens and the skills needed to work in a global economy and build a fairer, more sustainable world.

We had undertaken 7(seven) projects and I would like to give you an outline of an idea about the projects and it's importance in context of knowledge:

- 1) Spectrum of the sky : involving students of lower nursery &Std.I to develop their knowledge about various colours, their usage, thumb painting and palm painting.
- 2) Food, Fun, Fiesta : involving students of Std. III to VIII to develop the knowledge about the food habits of the world.
- 3) Matter of Money “Matters” involving students of IV – V to create an understanding about the currencies of different countries it's evolution and their exchange values with respect to Indian currency.
- 4) Transparency of Water : involving students of Std.VII-VIII to develop awareness about the need for good hygiene about drinking water.
- 5) The Healthy symphony of Dance : including students of Std. V-VII to understand medical benefits of dance.
- 6) Tribal Harmony across the world : involving students of IV-IX to explore facts about tribes of different countries & their life style.
- 7) The positive dimension of Waste : involving students from VII to IX to understand and appreciate the process of compost.

Apart from these the school also submitted three additional projects and the ISA coordinator completed three online Continuous Professional development courses. We intend to take the benefits in to the future and build upon this excellent beginning.

GAMES AND SPORTS

Students having inclination for indoor games or outdoor games are guided technically just to make them achievers. Under fitness programme regular drill and yoga classes are conducted every week. Not only inside the campus, but also in state as well as national level our students have outshined their co-competitors. To name a few:

- Sai Bisesh Mishra of Std.X represented India at the ITF South Asian Taekwondo Championship and bagged the Gold medal for his stupendous performance. He also bagged the silver medal at the Zonal National Meet.
- Vedant Das received silver medals for both Kata and Kumite in the 14th Kofukan All India Karate Championship. Apart from that he has been a regular achiever at the National Level Karate Championships.
- PayalPani of Std X won the sub-junior girls singles title in the 10th KDTTA All-Odisha Ranking Table Tennis Tournament. She has also been a regular achiever at the State and National Level TT Championships.

Our Kho-Kho, Kabbaddi and Football team have been receiving appreciation from various quarters for fine performances.

Scout and Guides:

45 Scouts and Guides were selected for 26th District Camporee.

5 students were selected for 1st State Tribal and 16th State Jamboree 2016.

8 students are selected for the National Jamboree-2016 to be held at Mysore.

S.AdishreeMohanty ,of our school, received trophy on behalf of Best Platoon of Bharat Scouts & Guides, BBSR from Chief Minister Shri. Naveen Pattanaik.

The Scout and Guides students were involved in Plantation Drive, Basant Divas, World Hepatitis Day, Vanamahotsav, Sadavhabana Divas, World Tourism Day, Swachha Bharat Abhiyaan, etc.

Social Activities:

Besides taking care of students' academic and co-scholastic segments we mean it wise to discharge our social responsibilities consequently making them sensitive towards good health of our surrounding.

Plantation Drive :

We undertook to plant saplings in the nearby localities with a sense of loyalty towards our dear environment. We were encouraged by the populace of our dear ambience to carry out acts of such kind .

Cleanliness programme :

We constantly conduct cleanliness drive campaigns on a regular basis to inculcate a sense of cleanliness and hygiene in our students.

Health camp :

Regular health camps for teachers as well as students are an integral part of our whole system. Mission good health is our motto and we shall do it to the fullest.

An Eye Check Up Camp was organized in our school by The Government of Odisha.

Infra structure

Apart from providing the students with the promised individual laboratories for Science, the English Language Laboratory was installed with the collaboration with Wordsworth Company. This laboratory will be used as a multipurpose place where provisions for GD's, Seminars, Extempore, Enactments, Debates, etc. are available. The +2 Block has also started to function.

Our mission

An understanding and appreciation of India's rich culture.

A sense of integrity, ethics and uncompromising honesty.

A strong secular ethos. Leadership, with a sense of team work and fair play.

An awareness of the environment.

A concern for the less fortunate

A concern for human rights and democratic values.

Concern for a questioning mind and a spirit of adventure.

Be passionate about our work to serve students.

Be the best at promoting student awareness and success.

The School got its 1st lease of life in 2006 with a handful of teachers and students on 11 May 2006 by the community efforts of BuxiJagabandhu Education Society. Now it has grown manifold expanding its wings of morality and productive education with hundreds of students and around 50 skilled teachers to its pride. And for all these moments of struggle and rise we owe to the support and suggestions of our dear ambience.

Last but not the least it is my pure pleasure to thank all the members of BJEM fraternity for their unbending support and suggestions. It is my privilege to thank all the people who are behind the smooth journey of our school and lending their heart-felt support for making the occasion a truly memorable one.

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