ENGLISH RECITATION COMPETITION

25 July 2014; The English Recitation Competition for classes VI, VII, VIII was held on 25\textsuperscript{th} July. As we all know poetry is the essence of literature. Poem is meant for enjoyment. Beauty is the apparel of poetry. Children enjoy the beauty of expression, thoughts, feelings and music of words in a poem. The poems were recited beautifully keeping in mind the rhythm, mood, diction and expressions. Certain poems recited by students managed to create images in the minds of audience.

Through this competition children got an opportunity to exhibit their talent and confidence. The students chose a variety of topics for their recitation like nature, discipline, unity in diversity etc. With a lot of zeal and enthusiasm the preliminary round was conducted in the class rooms on 11\textsuperscript{th} July 2014 during assembly time and two children from each section were selected for the final round. Two teachers were requested to judge the students. The selection was based mainly on four criteria i.e. Introduction, Intonation, confidence, Time and memory. The participants showcased their confidence, expression and talent. Viewers appreciated and applauded the performance of the participants. Final round of the competition was an inter house competition. It was held on 25 July 2014. For class VI the competition was organised in the activity block (ground floor) for class VII it was organised in the assembly area, for class VIII in the school auditorium. There were three different judges for the three groups, to judge the competition in which the children were placed in first, second and third positions from each group.