

DPS Kalinga

KALINGA POST

News Letter

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Principal's Message

Greetings to all members of DPS Kalinga Family.

It is indeed a matter of great pride for all members of the DPS Kalinga family to see the sapling planted in 2003 growing for two decades and presently standing tall as a deep rooted tree bearing fruits of endurance and perseverance.

DPS Kalinga strongly believes in providing experiential learning through an engaging & exciting curriculum during the formative years which is showcased in this newsletter. Interdisciplinary and multicultural ideology generates curiosity and encourages children to wonder which in turn makes the teaching-learning process a joyful ride leaving an everlasting impact on the young minds. Students are exposed to individual & group activities like camps and rallies to instill leadership qualities, team work and collaborative learning.

Teachers play a pivotal role in nurturing the child's mind and overall personality development. Workshops are organized for them from time to time to adapt innovative teaching techniques and be instrumental in building a positive and creative learning environment.

Results of AISSE & AISSCE 2023 speaks of the equilibrium between dynamic curriculum and co-curricular activities basing on the theory of Multiple Intelligence.

My blessings to each and every child and best wishes to all members of DPS Kalinga.

Anuradha Rakshit

PRINCIPAL

AWARDS & ACCOLADES



Pro Vice Chairperson Mrs. Mala Mishra received an award for her Pioneering Contribution in the field of Education by Interview Times at the 'State Business Leadership Awards & Summit 2023' held on 5th March 2023.



DPS Kalinga Ranked No. 1 CBSE School in Odisha & Cuttack and No. 9 in India in the category "India's Top 20 CBSE Schools" 2022-23 by Education Today. Principal Mrs. Anuradha Rakshit received the Award at The Taj, Bangalore in December 2022.



DPS Kalinga is Ranked No.1 in Odisha & No.1 in Bhubaneswar in the Co-ed Day Schools category in the Education World India School Rankings 2022-23.

CLASS X & XII CBSE RANK HOLDERS 2023



DELHI PUBLIC SCHOOL KALINGA CBSE CLASS - X RESULTS 2023



RISHABH MISRA 98.6 %



ANSHUMAN KIRAN PRADHAN 98.4 %



NILAY MOHANTY 98.2 %



ABHIPSA PATI 97.8 %



LAKSHYA KHANDELWAL 97.8 %



SREYAN KHUNTIA 97.8 %



GAARGI SAANVI KANUNGO



RITESH PARIJA 97.6 %



SHREETI SAVALI 97.6%



SWAYAMBHU BISWAL 97.6%



PALAK AGARWAL 97.4%



SNEHASIS DAS 97.2 %



SAI SUBHAM PANDA 97 %



97 %



SAMARTH KHATOR SOMESH KUMAR SATAPATHY 97 %



WAMIKA SWAIN



ANANYA SANDHIBIGRAHA 96.8 %



DEVANSHI PATEL 96.6 %



DHRUV KHEMKA 96.6 %



DELHI PUBLIC SCHOOL KALINGA

CBSE CLASS - XII RESULTS 2023

COMMERCE TOPPERS

SCIENCE TOPPERS





CHANDNI DHANAWAT



MAYANK GARG 96.2 %



94.4%



DISHA GOYAL 96.2 %



KRISHNA BIRTHARIYA 95.4%



AYUSHMAAN AGARWAL 95.6%



PARIKSHIT SUNDARKA 95.6 %



TANISH KUMAR AGARWAI 92.8%



HUMANITIES TOPPERS

SUMEDHA PRADHAN 90.8 %

FELICITATION CEREMONY 2022-23





Felicitation Ceremony 2022-23 was held on 1st Aug 2023 to celebrate the achievements of Class X and Class XII students in the CBSE Board Exams. Over 200 students were awarded trophies, medals and certificates for their commendable performance. Shri K. Srinivasan, Regional Officer, CBSE Bhubaneswar Region was the Chief Guest of the day.

SENIOR INVESTITURE 2023-24



The Senior School Cabinet 2023-24 of DPS Kalinga was inducted into the Students Council in the **Investiture Ceremony** held on 14th August 2023. Wing Commander Rajalakshmi Prithviraj, Commanding Officer in the Indian Air Force was the Chief Guest of the day.

JUNIOR INVESTITURE 2023-24



The Junior School Cabinet 2023-24 of DPS Kalinga was inducted into the Students' Council in the Investiture Ceremony held on 10th August 2023. Dr. Sudha Mishra, Prof. & HOD, Department of English, XIM University was the Chief Guest.

EVENTS @ DPS KALINGA

STUDENT OUTREACH PROGRAMME





DPS Kalinga organized a **Career & Education Fair** in collaboration with **Student Outreach Kolkata** in the school premises on Thursday, 6th July 2023. The primary objective was to offer career guidance and profile building opportunities for the +2 students who are currently at a stage of exploring their interests and trace their future paths. More than 20 universities conducted interactive sessions, informative presentations and group counselling programmes.











































MODEL UNITED NATIONS





The second edition of **Model United Nations** was held on 12th & 13th of August 2023. Many students from various schools of Bhubaneswar and Cuttack participated in the same. **Dr. Narayani Rajashree Kanungo** from the **World Food Program Odisha** and **Shri Jagadananda**, **Co-founder**, **Centre for Youth & Social Development (CYSD)** were the Chief Guests for Day-1 and Day-2 respectively.

ACHIEVEMENTS IN SPORTS



Hitesh Agrawal of Class VI, Jayastu Dasgupta and Naitik Bhalla of Class VII & Ayushman Acharya of Class VIII were the Junior Boys Team Champions at the State Inter-School & Table Tennis Championships 2023 (U-14 Boys) held in August 2023 at Jawaharlal Nehru Indoor Stadium, Cuttack.



Shubham Sarangi of Class XII was the Runners up at the All India Tennis Tournament Series 3, held in August 2023 at KT Global School, Bhubaneswar.



Suryansh Thatoi of Class V was the Runners Up in U-12 AITA Tennis Tournament Series held in August 2023.



Students of DPS Kalinga were the "Cuttack Champions" in the Odisha State Taekwondo Championship held in Aug 2023 at Jawaharlal Nehru Indoor Stadium, Cuttack.

Adrija Thakur of Class II - Bronze Medal; Arushi Rath of Class IV - Kyorugi - Gold, Poomsae-Gold; Apurba Thakur of Class VI-Kyorugi-Bronze; Pratyusha Priyadarshinee of Class VI-Poomsae- Silver, Kyorugi-Bronze; Neetisha Sur of Class VII-Kyorugi-Gold, Poomsae-Indv-Silver, Pair-Silver & Group-Gold; Asheer Khalid of Class VII - Kyorugi-Silver; Aditya Ballav Misra of Class VIII- Gold; Adyasha Misra of Class XII - Silver Medal.



Advik Aditya Swain of Class II secured the 2nd Position in the All Odisha U-7 Chess Championship Selection held in August 2023. He was also the Champion at the 14th KIIT International Chess Festival 2023 (U-7 'C') held in KIIT International School in June.



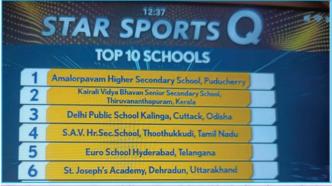
Adyasha Jena of Class VI was awarded 1st Position in the Odisha State (U-13) Open & Girls Chess (U-11) Championship 2023 held in June 2023.

- Susanna Roul of Class V was the Champion and won a Gold Medal & a Trophy in the Mini Skating Roll Ball National Championship (East Zone) held in Kolkata in Aug 2023.
- Arihan Mishra of Class VII won a 2nd Prize in the 19th State School's Open Chess Championship held at DAV Kalinganagar in Aug 2023. He
 also received a 1st Prize in the 2nd Santosh Kumar Singh Memorial State Schools' Open Chess Championship held in June 2023.
- Ishaan Nanda of VI won the First prize in the 3rd Pabitra Mohan Mohanty Memorial State Schools' Open Chess Championship in the U-11 category held in May 2023.
- Neetisha Sur of Class VII was the Runners Up in the Brain X Cup School Chess Championship organised by King Chess Centre Cuttack in May 2023.
- Kashika Choradia of Class VI won the First prize in Girls Yoga Championship (10-12 years category) held in April 2023. She also won the title
 of Yoga Kumari 2023.
- Rajasvi Atmakuri won 5 medals (Gold & Silver) at the 5th Skating Championship organized by the Utkal Unicorns Roller Sports in May 2023.

LITERARY AND CULTURAL ACHIEVEMENTS



Sharique Ahmed Khan and Tathagata Mondal of Class X bagged the *Runners-Up* position in the National Level Fit India Star Sports IPL Quiz held in Mumbai in May 2023.



Sharique Ahmed Khan of Class X participated in the Star Sports Online Quizzes held in August as a run up to the ICC Men's World Cup 2023. DPS Kalinga has bagged the 3rd Position among schools nationwide.



Team DPS KALINGA - Sharique Ahmed Khan & Tathagata Mondal of Class X were the *CHAMPIONS* of the Inter School Sports Quiz organised by The Hindu in association with OMC on the occasion of National Sports Day at Rail Auditorium, Chandrasekharpur on 29th August 2023.



Adwait Panda of Class VI, Ashrit Puhan of Class VII and Akhilesh Varigonda of Class VIII qualified for the Eco Achievers Quiz National Finals held at Mumbai and finished 4th on the stage out of 40 City Champions from across the country assembled there.



Aadidev Dash of Class IX and Tathagata Mondal of Class X are *Runners Up* in the Synapse Quiz 2023 held at Saheed Bhawan Cuttack in July 2023.



Paritosh Modi & Swastik Kumar Rout of Class XII were the *Runners-up* at the Metal Quiz 2023 held on 6th August 2023 at CSIR-IMMT, BBSR.

LITERARY AND CULTURAL ACHIEVEMENTS



The Music Team of DPS Kalinga won the *First Prize* at the Inter School Group Patriotic Song Competition organised by BJEM -I School, Bhubaneswar in August 2023.



Debanshee Sarangi of Class VI secured the *INTERNATIONAL RANK* No.1 in the SOF International General Knowledge Olympiad 2022-23.



Divya Priyanshi Pradhan of Class VI won the *Third Prize* in the **National Level Art Competition** (Junior category) organized by Nirjhara Cultural Academy in June 2023.



Divya Abhipsa of Class VII was the *Winner* of the **Arancia National Level Online Drawing Competition** (11-15 years category) held in August 2023.

SAHODAYA SCHOOLS COMPLEX (BHUBANESWAR CHAPTER) INTER SCHOOL ENGLISH ELOCUTION & ESSAY COMPETITION @ DPS KALINGA (26th August 2023)

- Nysa Patro of Class XI was the 2nd Runner up at the Sahodaya Inter School English Essay Competition (Senior Category).
- Sakshin Ghosh of Class VII was the 1st Runner up at the Sahodaya Inter School English Elocution Competition (Junior Category).

Special Mention: SOMESH KUMAR SATAPATHY of Class XI

- Winner of the Digital Poster & Slogan Writing Competition organized by Bharati Vidyapeeth College of Hotel & Tourism Management Studies, Navi Mumbai and Save Environment Poster Making Competition organised by Kshitij Forum for Art & Culture, Rajasthan on the occasion of World Environment Day in June 2023.
- Winner of the Pan India Online Painting Competition organised by School of Environmental Studies, JNU, New Delhi in June 2023.
- Awarded First Prize in National Level Online Painting Competition on the occasion of International Day for Biological Diversity 2023 organised by EIACP Programme, Wildlife Institute of India, Dehradun in May 2023.
- Received the "Pablo Picasso International Artist of the Year Award" from U.S Art Gallery in May 2023.
- Awarded the title "BEST EXTRAORDINARY YOUNG ARTIST" for Best Art Work in the "Who is the next Ravi Varma – National Level Drawing Contest".



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ACTIVITIES @ DPS KALINGA

INTERNATIONAL YOGA DAY





A workout for the mind, body & soul! International Yoga Day, 21st June 2023.



Bonds of Love! Celebrating **Raksha Bandhan** [Class V]

AUTHOR ILIKA RANJAN VISIT US



Childrens Author Ilika Ranjan visited us on 9th August 2023 and interacted with students of Classes IV & V. She is popular for her Fantasy series, **'Secrets of Zynpagua'**.



Independence Day Week [Class IV]

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Spreading Cheer. Grandparents Day [Nursery]



Saare Jahan Se Achha! Independence Day [Nursery]







The World of Puppets. Pre-Nursery, Nursery & Prep enjoy a puppet show.







Janmashtami Special [Class Prep]



A Refreshing Nature Walk by students of Class Prep, July 2023.



The Tropical Treat-Mango Day Celebrations by Students of Prep.

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हिन्दी हमारी पेहचान है। Hindi Divas [Class I]





Eat a Rainbow! Students of Class II celebrated Nutrition Week and learnt the importance of eating a variety of fruits & vegetables for a healthy life.







Fireless Cooking by the Master Chefs of Class I



Daddy's Day Out! Father's Day by Class I in July 2023.



"Roar for Tigers!" - Students of Class II spreading awareness on International Tiger Day on 29th July 2023.



Class III students celebrating RathYatra 2023 with songs and dances dedicated to Lord Jagannath.



Har Ghar Tiranga.....

NCC AND SCOUTS & GUIDES



NCC Cadets of DPS Kalinga participated in the State Parade at Barabati Stadium, Cuttack on occasion of the 76th Independence Day on 15th August 2023.



NCC Cadets of DPS Kalinga pay homage to the Kargil War Heroes of Odisha on **Kargil Vijay Diwas** observed on 26th July 2023.



NCC Cadets participating in the Paper Bag Making Competition at the **Combined Annual NCC Training Camp** held in DAV Kalinganagar from 29th May to 7th June 2023.



Scouts & Guides of DPS Kalinga visited the **Utkal Blind Association Bhubaneswar** on the occasion of Raksha Bandhan.



The following students of DPS Kalinga passed the Rajyapuraskar Examination 2022-23 with flying colours and received their certificates from the Hon'ble Governor of Odisha Prof. Ganeshi Lal, who is the patron of Bharat Scouts and Guides Odisha.

Aaryajeet Ray, Ayan Khan, Vishesh Singh Pawar, Sattwik Satapathy, Hiranshi Biswal, Bijayalaxmi Sahoo, Smaraki Priyadarshi, Epsita Mohapatra, Daksha S Panigrahi, Dibyanshee Pradhan, Sansi Nayak, Suhana Sahoo and Sharmistha Routray.

SCOUTS AND GUIDES INVESTITURE CEREMONY





The Scouts & Guides Investiture Ceremony 2023 was held in DPS Kalinga on 12th September 2023.

SCHOOL CORNER

SAHODAYA SCHOOL COMPLEX - INTER SCHOOL COMPETITION







DPS Kalinga conducted the Sahodaya Schools Complex (Bhubaneswar Chapter) Inter School English Elocution & Essay Competition on 26th August 2023. More than 48 schools participated in the same.

CAPACITY BUILDING PROGRAMMES BY CBSE CoE



DPS Kalinga hosted a Capacity Building Programme on 'English Language & Literature' on 17th & 18th May 2023, organized by the Centre of Excellence, CBSE. Teachers from around 19 schools attended the workshop.



A Capacity Building Programme on 'Cyber Safety & Security' was organized by the Centre of Excellence, CBSE in DPS Kalinga on 22nd July 2023. Around 50 teachers from various schools attended the same.

INTER SCHOOL TEACHERS' COMPETITION



Team DPS Kalinga was the First Runners up in the Inter School Teachers Folk Dance Competition organised by BJEM-I School on 10th September 2023. Avani Gandhi, Jyoti Bahuguna, Susmita Pal, Bhargabee Mishra, Srabani Swagatika, Rama Jena Pradhan, Dr. Suranjita Devi, Mohan Charan Sahoo and Prabhudutta Padhi were the participants.

DPS KALINGA WISHES EVERYONE A HAPPY DUSSEHRA-2023!