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## REPORT

### TRIP TO ISRO AHMEDABAD

**“It’s better to see something than to hear about it a thousand times.” Every expedition made is an experience which leaves students pondering and implores them to think.**

Bal Bharati Public School NOIDA endeavours to inculcate a holistic approach towards life amongst the students. Continuing this legacy an “Educational Trip” to VSSE (Vikram Sarbhai Space Exhibition) at the Space Application Centre, Ahmedabad was organized for the students of classes VI to XI from October 4, 2017 to October 8, 2017. 48 students along with 5 staff members boarded the train on 4th October at 7.55 pm.

**Day-1 (October 5, 2017):** After an overnight journey from New Delhi to Ahmedabad students checked into the designated hotel. Post lunch all were headed to the most excited destination of the trip, VSSE –SAC. A model of a satellite launcher at the entrance of the centre fascinated all the students. This center is dedicated to Sir Vikram Sarabhai for his contribution to the Space Research Program. Two enthralling 3D movies were shown to the students on the process of launching of Space Crafts and the activities of astronauts in space ship. The mechanism of launching of satellites were explained by the demonstrators through LED screen too. The visit to VSSE was really a great experience and students learnt about geostationary satellites and polar satellites.



***Most exciting visit to VSSE-SAC***



***Demonstrator showing mechanism of launching of satellite***

**Day-2 (October 6, 2017):** Next morning students visited Gandhi Ashram which is located at the river front of Sabarmati which makes its location extremely spectacular. The original letters written by Gandhi Ji are displayed at the ashram. Students also observed the things like spectacles, watch and utensils used by Bapu.

This visit was followed by the next heritage site Adalji Baoli/stepwell which was built in the year 1498 by Mughal Emperors. It is intricately carved and decorated with beautiful sculptures. This stepwell is five-storey deep and a unique sample of the art of carving.



Post lunch, the students visited Hutheesing Jain Temple, a heritage site. It was constructed in the year 1848 and dedicated to Shri Dharamnath the 15<sup>th</sup> Teerthankar of Jain Religion. The front of temple is exquisitely ornamented by a dome shaped structure. Stone carving is the main attraction of this temple.

Next tourist destination was Kankaria Lake. The lake front is developed around it, which has many public attractions such as Zoo, Toy train, Kids City, Tethered balloon ride, Water ride, Water Park, Food stalls and entertainment facilities. Students enjoyed the scenic beauty with sprawling the lights.

### **Visiting Hutheesing Jain Temple- A Heritage Site**



**Visiting Adalji Baoli and enjoying beautiful  
stone carving**



**Exploring Gandhi Museum**

**Day-3 (October 7, 2017):** On the last day of the trip the most famous Akshardham Temple was explored by the students. This temple is a tribute to Swami Narayana, a benign spirit and also to his teachings. The calm and serene atmosphere of the temple filled all of us with a renewed energy. Beautiful and well maintained park inside the premises are amazing and extremely spectacular. Over and above students enjoyed the food at the food court over there.

With this the trip came to an end leaving all the students yearning with a desire to further explore the beautiful city for the beautiful handicrafts but time and tide wait for none and it was definitely time for us to pack our bags and board the train to Delhi. Treasuring the memorable moments of the trip, students reached Delhi and were picked up by their parents from railway station.

Apart from the knowledge, such excursions provide an opportunity to the students for caring and sharing with their peer group.

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