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REPORT ON THE VISIT TO THE NOIDA PUBLIC LIBRARY (2018-19) CLASS IV

"I don't have to look far to find treasures. I discover them every time I visit a library." -Michael Embry



A visit to Noida Public Library was organised by our school on 10 September, 2018 in continuation of the endeavor to expose them to different experiences for their overall development. 40 selected students from class IV went for this visit. These students were selected on the basis of their interest shown towards reading. Mrs. Deepika Pandey, head librarian warmly welcomed students and teachers. She guided students towards an open area where they all gathered.



She took in charge and gave a brief introduction of the history of their library and how they run it. She along with some attendants had an interactive session with students where they discussed various genres of the books available in the library. Students seemed inquisitive and asked different questions from them. For instance, How old is this library; How many members do they currently have or what is the favourite section of their readers. Afterwards, they divided students into two different groups. Each group comprised 20 students. One group was taken for a tour in the library where they were shown small rooms stacked with different books.



This library had small rooms with racks arranged properly with the sitting area in the middle. Children showed their ardent interest by selecting and reading their favourite book from the racks. Simultaneously, other group was taken to the AV room, where short video clips based on parables were shown to them. Students were ecstatic. They even discussed the morals that they've learnt with the staff. After the completion of first group's library tour, the management interchanged these groups for the similar experience.

Students found the visit quite enthralling. It was an enlightening time spent by students surrounded by array of different books or journals. They felt motivated to read and explore more such libraries in their vicinity.