

## REPORT ON VIRTUAL MEET WITH CROATIA (06<sup>th</sup> October'20)

Bal Bharati Public School, Noida India organised a virtual meet with Varazdin Primary School in Croatia on 06<sup>th</sup> October 20, to mark the celebration of **World Space Week**. Students from Grade 5 joined the event and exchanged words on culture, music, stories, virtually with **Ms Mavrek's class in Croatia**. An array of events marked the celebration – Greetings in 5 regional dialects, along with English and Croatian; introduction of two Indian superheroes and their contribution to aerospace; a story-telling session with India's very own rendition on the folklore about Northern star or '**Dhruv Tara**'; performance of a folksong from Orissa; recitation of a rhyme on tabla beats and the presentation of the classical '**Teen Taal Kaida**' on the classical Indian percussion instrument table. Our students also listened to a famous Croatian fable and enjoyed the reviews of their Croatian counterpart on the story. It was an hour-long event, which concluded with students from both countries clicking a group picture together.

Here are some glimpses from the event:

### Invitation



Exchanging smiles and ideas

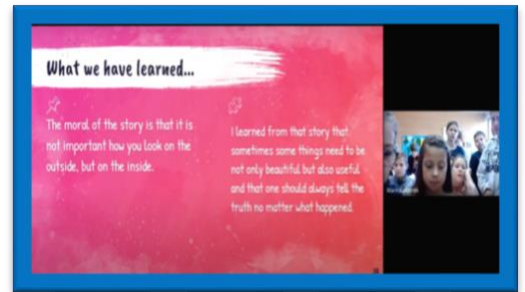


A delightful cultural exchange between India and Croatia



Our avid lot dressed in ethnic clothes greeting in their regional dialect

Taking our Croatian friends through a joy-ride of Indian culture, music and folklore



Tiny-tots from Croatia sharing their insight on the folklore



Our Croatian counterpart engrossed in the cultural performance



Testimony by the parents



A Note of appreciation from Ms Mavrek