

## REPORT ON INTERNATIONAL LITERACY DAY

*Education is the kindling of a flame, not the filling of a vessel. ~ Socrates*

Education opens the windows of the mind. Every year, International Literacy Day is celebrated on September 8 to advance the literacy agenda towards a more literate and sustainable society. To spread the message about the importance of literacy among the learners, this year International Literacy Day (ILD) 2022 was celebrated under the theme **“Transforming Literacy Learning Spaces”**. This day heralded an opportunity to rethink the fundamental importance of literacy learning spaces to build resilience and ensure quality, equitable, and inclusive education for all. To ensure no one is left behind, Bal Bharati Public School, Noida organised various activities for children of all grades to enrich and transform the existing learning spaces through an integrated approach and enable literacy learning in the perspective of lifelong learning.

Reading aloud is the foundation for literacy development. The students of class I and II participated in **“Read Aloud, Get Crowned”** activity to show the joy of learning and fulfill the mission of literacy. The students participated in the activity which not only brought smiles to their faces but also was helpful in inculcating the moral values such as generosity, caring, sharing etc.



### ENTHUSIASTIC STUDENTS

Dictionaries are considered human beings' best friends and pictures on top of that, increase students' inclination towards learning new words and adding them to their vocabulary. To follow the footsteps to become good at communication, **“Pictorial Dictionaries”** activity was organised for the students to class III to make them understand that language connects them to the world. For classes IV and V, the activity **“News Presenters”** was organised wherein the students read and presented the news loud and clear in order to enhance their reading skills. Reading and listening to the interesting news helped them in improving their reading skills. Students were able to improve their spellings, enhance their vocabulary and develop correct language usage.



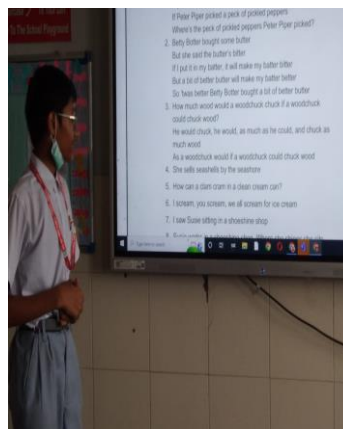
### DICTIONARIES ARE OUR BEST FRIENDS



## NEWS AMUSE

The Tongue Twisters are used to improve pronunciation and fluency. These are phrases designed to be difficult to articulate properly and hence can be used as a type of spoken word game.

Thus, “**Tongue Twisters activity**” was conducted in classes VI-VIII wherein overwhelming response of the students was witnessed. The children participated with great enthusiasm and put in their sincere efforts to speak fluently in an interesting way. A **Role Play** encourages students to develop and enhance team work and persuasions in real world situations. International Literacy Day was marked with immense zeal and exhilaration in which the students of classes IX-X showcased their talent through amazing enactments and commendable performances. The role play was based on their textbook lesson- ‘The Kingdom of Fools’.



## THE KINGDOM OF ERUDITES

Proven that Literacy is the prime requisite for learning and plays a vital role in the development of a country, the activities conducted on International Literacy day highlighted the importance of literacy amongst individuals, communities, and societies.

**Submitted By:**

Ms Rajni Gathania (TGT, Hindi)

Ms Sona Rawat (PRT, English)