

Vantage Hall Girls' Residential School



THE
Fallmark

2024-2025

This book is dedicated to the
Class Of 2025

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Messages from *Leaders and Advisors*

A Note from the Founder-Director



It gives me immense joy to present Hallmark, the first-ever yearbook of Vantage Hall. This milestone has been made possible through the vision, dedication, and tireless efforts the Editorial Board, who have brought this idea to life with remarkable passion.

I extend my heartfelt congratulations to our entire community of students, teachers, and staff. Without your creativity, energy, and commitment, this achievement would not have been possible. Each page of this yearbook is a reflection of the spirit that defines Vantage Hall, a spirit that constantly inspires us to do more, to dream bigger, and to strive higher.

Hallmark is not just a magazine; it is a celebration of who we are. It tells the story of our school as a living, breathing community where every student is valued not just for what she achieves, but for who she is. At Vantage Hall, we don't merely acknowledge individuality - we celebrate it.

To the graduating batch of 2024-25, a special place in these pages belongs to you. May you carry the courage, resilience, and joy of your years at Vantage Hall into all that lies ahead.

This first edition of Hallmark is more than a record of memories. It is a testament to our shared journey, our collective achievements, and above all, to the indomitable Falcon spirit that binds us together.

S. Rishi Singh

Founder & Director, Vantage Hall



Message from the Principal



Dear Class of 2025,

The wheels of time roll by, and here you are, standing at the threshold of a new chapter, ready to step into uncharted territories of life.

As your teacher of English, I have watched you grow—not just in language and literature, but as individuals. It gives me immense pleasure to see you become more responsible and self-aware.

As you set forth, remember that the world is a vast, open book, waiting for you to write your own story. Embrace every challenge, stay curious, and never stop learning. May your journey be filled with wisdom, courage, and the same passion you have shown in your years here.

Know that we at school will remember you fondly. We will always be here, eager to hear your stories, celebrate your successes, and welcome you back. You have left an indelible mark on our hearts, and though you move forward, you will always be a part of this family.

Class of 2025, the world awaits you!

With Best Wishes

Seema Sharda

(Principal)



Message from the Advisory Board



My journey at Vantage Hall began in September 2013.

It was the beginning of a vision unfolding - a school, a boarding school just for girls. Destiny and the challenge of building something entirely new was something that comes to the lucky few, and I have had the privilege and honour to be part of the growth story of Vantage Hall. We launched our school from the hallowed Golden Temple in Amritsar with fervent prayers and firm resolve, and since then there has been no turning back. The dream took shape into a living, breathing reality as the school took shape. I can never forget the first set of students, parents, and the staff who joined us in this shared dream.

The years have just sped by - 2014 to 2025 - breathless years of growth, of proving ourselves and being counted among the very top boarding schools of India. To compress this journey of twelve halcyon years is impossible. However, I did chart this progress through our Facebook and in printed form of Newsletters & Sports Roundup magazines till the year 2018, and I am so glad to see the Vandroid now run by a very creative Student Editorial team.

In a world saturated with television, videos, and social media, there is still much to be said for the written word — to hold a book, a letter written by a loved one, to turn a page and go back to it and read again, sit under a tree or in your favourite quiet place, or find a book on the library shelf that catches your eye. I treasure the beautifully painted cards, even little notes scribbled on and given to me by my students over twenty-seven years. Letters by grandparents, parents, and friends are still among my most prized possessions! The written word is sacred.

I am sure our creative team will constantly strive to be true and honest in charting and sharing the excitement of each passing year of Vantage Hall... to proudly follow its history unfolding year by year, to log the creation of its traditions, to record its triumphs and commemorate its milestones.

I hope the vignettes of knowledge and creativity expressed in the pages of The Hallmark will cast a warm glow on all those connected to Vantage Hall; the students, staff and parents.

With Best Wishes

Mrs. Giriraj Parmar

(Member of The Advisory Board)



Message from the HOD Pastoral Care



As this remarkable year comes to a close, I want to take a moment to reflect on the journey we've shared together. Though my time as your head pastoral has been relatively short, it has been filled with unforgettable moments and cherished memories. From the first day I took on this role, I've watched you navigate the ups and downs of school life with determination and resilience. Whether it was negotiating for an extra five minutes of phone time, debating the fairness of tuck shop allowances, or the endless reminders about trimming nails and keeping rooms tidy, each interaction has left a lasting impression on me.

I've enjoyed our gossip sessions, where we shared laughter and spilled the tea. I've cherished the times we've spent discussing moral values and the importance of integrity. We have had our fair share of moments, from hiding tuck to those lively disagreements about my random checks, and it's those experiences that have brought us closer together.

And, of course, thank you for teaching me all the Gen Z slangs - I'm officially not a noob anymore!

This year hasn't been without its challenges, and there have been times when some of you flipped the script and became my support system during tough times at school. Whether it was a kind word, a supportive gesture, or just your unwavering positivity, your encouragement and genuine care helped me more than you know.

As you stand on the brink of new adventures, I want you to remember the lessons we've learned together this year: the value of kindness, the power of perseverance, and the importance of being true to yourself. The world beyond these gates might seem a bit overwhelming, but I know you're more than ready to face it with confidence and grace.

Always remember that this school will forever be your home, and we will always be here to welcome you back with open arms. Carry the light of this community with you, and let it guide you in all your endeavors.

With deepest admiration and affection
Ritu Sharma



Message from the HOD Activities

Dear Class of 2024-25,



As you turn this page and step into a new chapter of life, take a moment to cherish the memories, friendships, and lessons that have shaped you. These years have been filled with laughter, challenges, and growth—each moment preparing you for the journey ahead. Believe in yourself, chase your dreams fearlessly, and embrace every opportunity with an open heart.

Remember, life is not just about the destination, but the journey—the people you meet, the experiences you gather, and the lessons you learn along the way. Celebrate your successes, but also learn from your setbacks, for both are essential in shaping the person you are meant to become.

Carry forward the values of Learn, Lead, and Contribute. Continue to learn—not just from books, but from experiences, people, and the world around you. Lead with integrity, empathy, and courage, inspiring others through your actions. And contribute meaningfully—whether in small acts of kindness or through big ideas that make a difference.

Let your curiosity guide you to new horizons and your courage help you overcome every obstacle. Stay humble in victory and gracious in defeat, and never forget the strength that comes from kindness.

As you move forward, know that the classrooms, corridors, and fields you leave behind still echo with your laughter and footsteps. You have left your mark here—not just in achievements, but in the warmth, joy, and memories you've shared. You take a part of this school with you, and you leave a part of yourself here forever.

No matter where life takes you, this school will always be your home, and we will always be cheering for you. Once a Falcon, always a Falcon—soar high, chase your dreams, and let the sky be your only limit!

With best wishes,
Ms. Kritika Gora



Message from the HOD Sports



Dear Students,

As you step into the next chapter of your lives, I want to take this moment to truly acknowledge and celebrate the incredible journey you have had in this School. Over the years, each of you has displayed qualities that go far beyond physical ability. Your hard work, determination, and passion have shaped you not just as athletes or students, but as individuals who are prepared to face life with courage and confidence.

Through practices, competitions, and challenges, you have shown that success is not measured only by trophies or medals, but by the resilience to rise after every fall, the spirit to work together as a team, and the perseverance to keep moving forward despite difficulties. These values, which you have lived and demonstrated here, will guide you in every stage of life ahead.

Remember that the lessons you have learned—on the field, in the classroom, on the court, or on the track—are not temporary. They are lifelong assets. Continue to strive for excellence, stay disciplined, and always keep the flame of sportsmanship alive.

I am proud of your achievements and confident that success will follow you wherever you go.

Best wishes,
Mr. Kabirich Mirtunjay





Messages from Former *Student Council* 2024-25

Message From The School Captain



Here's to the background of my message—

I'm in the middle of my boards, with math looming next, and yet, here I am, writing what will probably be my last message for the yearbook. My ink flows within these halls one last time, and I intend for this to be different—less of a speech, more of a journal (my *forté*).

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MATH LAB

They say time flies, but I never truly understood it until now. As I watch the trees shed their blossoms along Goa Road, taking yet another walk through the school that has been my home, I come to a quiet realization—this is my last strand. The paths I once wandered as a ten-year-old, unsure and wide-eyed, are the same ones I now tread as I prepare to take my final bow. It is strange, this feeling, knowing that soon I will no longer be a student within these walls but a memory that lingers in its corridors.

I am fond of constellations and stars. I know that may surprise you, but I promise, it will all make sense. Constellations are the reason I put pen to paper today. They are beautiful, aren't they? A collection of stars, each burning at its own intensity, scattered across the night sky—yet only in their connection do they form something greater than themselves.

We are Falcons—each one of us a star in the vast constellation that is Vantage Hall. Some shine the brightest, some flicker in the background, and some go unnoticed until the right moment when they blaze across the sky. But together, we create something infinite—a galaxy bound by laughter, struggle, ambition, and an unbreakable sense of belonging. Some stars burn out too soon, others drift apart, but the patterns they form remain, just as each of us will leave behind a mark on these pink walls, whether in stories told years from now or in the unspoken echoes of our time here.

We are meant to soar, to carve our own paths in the sky. But before we take off, we must acknowledge what has shaped us. This school, our HOME. It has been more than just classrooms and corridors; it has seen us at our best and worst, held us through our failures, and celebrated our victories. And now, as we stand at the edge of this chapter, ready to step into the unknown, it is this very place that makes saying goodbye so difficult.

The School Captain's badge has rested on my chest for a year, yet its weight was never just in the title. It was in the trust placed upon me, in the silent responsibility of keeping the spirit of this place alive. Because the post does not define us; we define the post. Leadership was never about authority—it was about service. "The mystery of human existence lies not in just staying alive, but in finding something to live for," wrote Dostoevsky. And for me, that something was this school, these people, this journey.

And so, to all those who will remain—**learn, lead, and contribute**. Keep the spirit alive, nurture what has been built, and leave something greater behind.

Stepping into someone else's shoes was one thing, but now stepping out of them feels even harder. The pressure to fit in, to uphold legacies, to make those who watched me grow proud, it all lingers as I prepare to leave. And now, the time has come for my class—the 38 of us, each carrying our own battles, triumphs, and stories, to take flight. To walk the yellow brick road that stretches beyond these walls, carrying the weight of our memories and the strength of our dreams. "Nothing is ever really lost to us as long as we remember it," wrote Oscar Wilde, and I know that no matter how far we go, Vantage Hall will live on in us—in every laugh, every tear, every lesson we carry forward.

So to my Falcons—always strive, soar, and conquer. May your constellations forever shine bright. Because each one of you is a star, brimming with light. Find it. Burn with it. Illuminate the world.

And as I close this chapter, I whisper one last promise to these pink walls, these familiar halls—

"For you, a thousand times over."

Serving for the very last time,

Signing off,

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School Captain 2024-2025

Message From The School Vice-Captain

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<h2> Farewell, Vantage Hall. </h2>
<p> Six years ago, in 2019, a girl named Navya walked into Vantage Hall as a 7th grader, unaware of the incredible journey that awaited her. Little did she know that she would leave her mark on every corner of the school—quizzes, dance, theater, sports, MUNs, coding—you name it, and she was there. </p>

<p> Today, as the Vice Head Girl, I stand here with immense gratitude. Never in my wildest dreams did I think I'd wear this badge. If you ask any girl in school, no one wants to be called the vice captain. But once I had this title, I gave it my all, and I hope I did justice to it. </p>

<p> Vantage Hall wasn't just a school; it is home. A place where I laughed, cried, and grew into the person I am today. Every classroom and every corridor holds memories I'll cherish forever. The morning assemblies, the endless practices, the adrenaline of inter house competitions, the late-night assignments—every single moment made these years unforgettable. </p>

<p> Wearing the Vice Head Girl badge wasn't just a title; it was a journey of immense growth. This role pushed me beyond my limits and taught me responsibility, leadership, and resilience. I learned how to stand up for others, manage pressure, and balance multiple responsibilities. It shaped me into a more confident, empathetic, and determined person, preparing me for challenges beyond these school walls. </p>

<p> Of course, my journey wouldn't have been the same without my friends. From sneaking in tuck to pulling all-nighters before exams, they have been my constant support. The crazy jokes, the endless gossip, the shared dreams—these are the memories I will carry with me forever. </p>

<p> To all my juniors, work hard, push your limits, and believe in yourself. These years will shape you in ways you can't even imagine right now. Cherish them. Give your best in everything you do, because one day you'll be writing your own farewell message, wondering where the time went. </p>

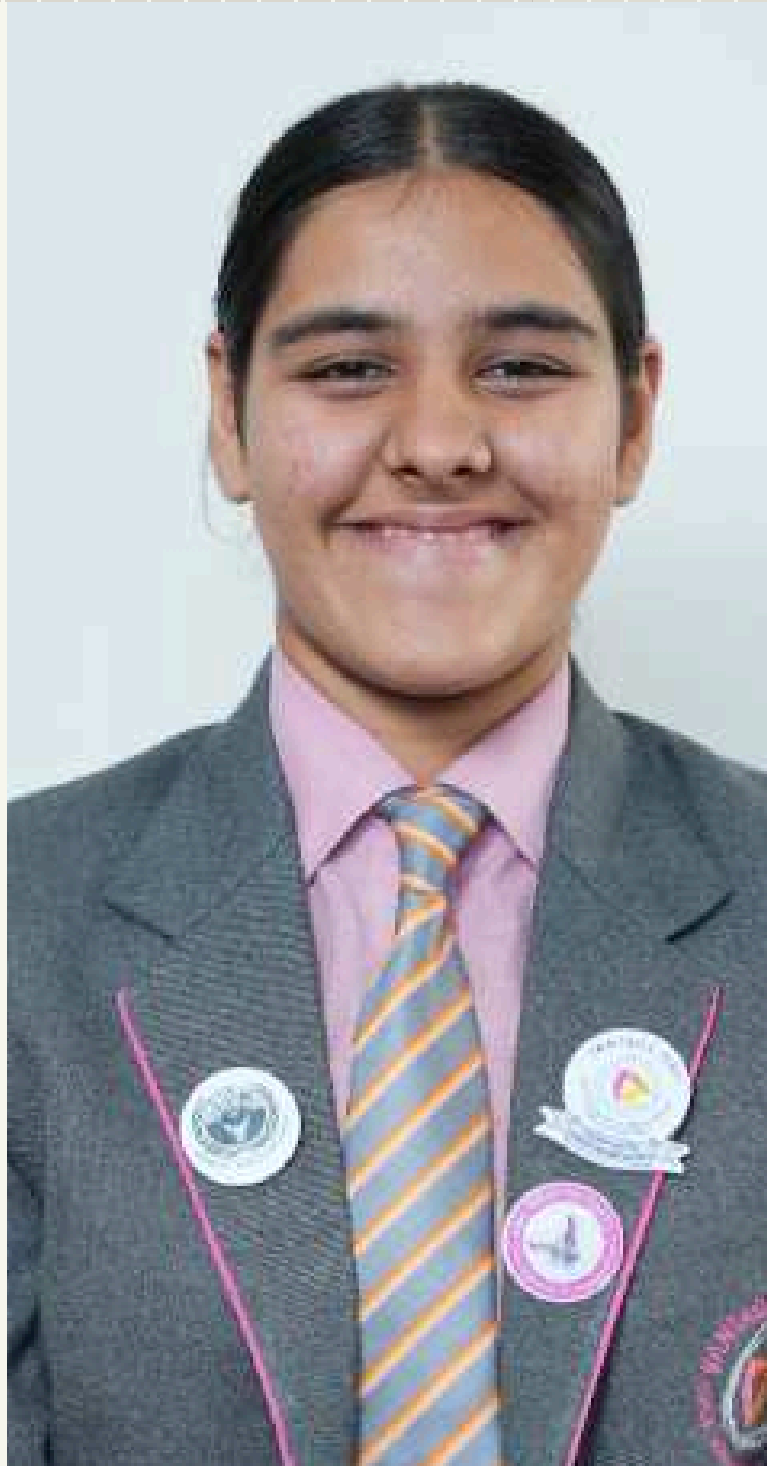
<p> And of course, as the IT Club President, I had to write this in code. After all, some habits never change. </p>

<b> Goodbye, Vantage Hall. You will always be home. </b>

<h3>With love,
Navya Chugh</h3>
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Message From The School Sports Captain



As I write this message, my heart is heavy with the realization, how do you say goodbye to a place that has been your home, your comfort, and your greatest teacher? Home away from home, a place which became my own over the years. These past four years have been more than just an academic journey, they have been a chapter of growth, realisation, friendships, and memories that I will carry with me for life. Serving as the school sports captain this year has been an honour, but even more than that, it has been a reminder of how much this school has shaped me into the person I am today.

I still remember my first day here, nervous and unsure, watching the seniors with admiration. They were more than just students, they were mentors, leaders, and, most importantly, family. I looked up to them as they guided me with patience and kindness, showing me what it meant to be strong, hardworking, and compassionate. I remember the way they encouraged me on the sports field and comforted me during tough times. I never imagined that one day, I would stand where they once stood, hoping to inspire others the way they inspired me.

Over the years, this school has given me more than just knowledge, it has given me friendships that feel like home, teachers who have believed in me even when I doubted myself, and experiences that have shaped my dreams. From early morning prep to late-night study sessions, from victories to failures, from crying to laughing together, every moment has been a lesson in between the chaos.

As we step into the next phase of our lives, I know I will carry a piece of Vantage with me because, as they say, “You take the man out of the city, not the city out of the man.” This isn’t just goodbye; it’s a promise to cherish these memories, to honour the lessons we’ve learned. No matter where life takes us, this magical place will always be a part of me—a home I can return to in our hearts.

Khushi Gupta

Message From The School Vice Sports Captain

As I stand on the threshold of a new journey, leaving behind the place that has been my home since Grade 7, my heart is filled with gratitude, nostalgia, and countless cherished memories. Vantage Hall has been more than just an institution; it has been my family, shaping me into the person I am today. The walls of this school have witnessed my growth, my struggles, and my triumphs. From the very first day I stepped onto this campus, unsure of what the future would hold, to now, ready to embrace the next chapter of my life, every moment spent here has been a step towards becoming who I am meant to be.

As the Vice Sports Captain, I had the incredible privilege of representing this school in athletics, swimming, and football. These experiences have not only pushed me to be the best version of myself but have also shown me the true meaning of teamwork, perseverance, and leadership.

To my teachers, “your guidance has been my strength”; to my juniors, “may you carry forward the legacy of this wonderful school”; and to my friends, “you are my greatest treasure.”

Leaving Vantage Hall is undoubtedly bittersweet. It feels surreal to say goodbye to a place that has been my second home for so many years, where I’ve laughed, cried, learned, and grown. Yet, I know that the values and lessons instilled in me here will continue to guide me, no matter where life takes me next. The sense of community, the spirit of resilience, the power of friendship, and the importance of embracing every challenge will remain with me as I step into the unknown. While the future is uncertain, I take comfort in knowing that Vantage Hall will always be a part of who I am.

“Learning is a journey, Leadership is a responsibility, and Contribution is a gift. Vantage Hall has taught me all three, and I will carry them forward with pride.”

Muskan Kumari



Message From The President- Community Service



"The true measure of leadership is not in titles or accolades, but in the impact we have on the lives of others."

Reflecting on these years I've spent in Vantage, I realize just how much I've grown, not just as a student, but as a person. When I first arrived here, I was unsure of who I was or where I was headed. But this school, the community and my friends changed my life in ways I never imagined. It shaped me into someone stronger, braver, and more confident than I ever thought I could be.

Being the community president over the past year has given me the unique opportunity to see leadership in a new light. I've come to understand that leadership isn't about being in charge or commanding attention. True leadership is about showing compassion – understanding people, supporting them through challenges, and celebrating their successes.

And when compassion is paired with strength, that's when real leadership is born. It's what helps us lead with both our hearts and our minds.

Be the person who listens, who supports, who lifts others up. Whether it's within our school community or beyond, be the one who leads with kindness, with courage, and with an open heart.

Vantage Hall has given me the tools and confidence to be a leader – not just for others, but for myself. I am forever grateful for the experiences, the lessons, and the amazing people who helped me along the way. I hope all of you can take these lessons with you, too.

Thank you, Vantage Hall, for turning me into someone better than I was when I arrived.

With all my love and appreciation

Shreya Sikdar

Message From The Vice President- Community Service

With a heart filled with passion and desire and vantage being in its core, I, Aniya Kedia, President of Community service, am privileged for such an unforgettable year full of productivity and collective work .

Community Service is where one has to be selfless and have determination no matter what situation is and maintaining consistency is the foremost priority. Being in the position has taught me uncountable values one should have within them and that is the main principle of the learning phase . Next is to lead , to guide and spread affirmative awareness of values and lastly to contribute to the society in whatever way possible.

“Knowledge is not completely useful unless you make others aware about it.” Together it becomes Learn, Lead and Contribute. Our motto for self development and to become ideal future leaders in society. As a member of council, I always looked up to these and tried my level best to give as much as I could to our family, our school community with discipline and hoping for more to come. As at the end it has always been about development and welfare of our school and the people.

Aniya Kedia



Message From The President-All Clubs



The threshold between the end of one chapter and a new beginning in life is graduation. It is important to feel the pathway of my journey to date at this juncture. Unforgettable memories amidst challenges and growth are the nutshell of my unexpected stories that have shaped me. Serving as the All Clubs President has been one of my greatest honours. The support of my teachers and friends has shaped me into the person I am today.

Becoming aware of my strengths, finding confidence in my own path, learning from my mistakes, and creating memories that will last a lifetime have been an important part of this journey.

I know life won't be the same hereafter, but the strong foundation laid here will always give me confidence to face the challenges ahead. I can't believe how fast time flew by! Grateful for the memories, the laughs, and the people who made it all worth it.

Harman Batra

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I know life won't be the same hereafter, but the strong foundation laid here will always give me confidence to face the challenges ahead. I can't believe how fast time flew by! Grateful for the memories, the laughs, and the people who made it all worth it. As I sit down to write this, I find it hard to put into words what this journey has truly meant to me. Being the President of the Clubs Council wasn't just a title it was an adventure filled with excitement, chaos, laughter, and memories that will stay with me forever. From planning events at the last minute to dragging people (sometimes literally) into activities, from endless meetings that turned into gossip sessions to celebrating the smallest victories together. We stayed up late designing posters or costumes, rehearsing performances, and making sure everything was just right only for things to go ridiculously wrong at times. But that's what made it fun, right? The inside jokes, the behind-the-scenes disasters and the last minute saves (teacher's day) they all became part of our legacy. To my fellow partner Harman, club presidents, falcons and every single person who made this experience so incredible thank you so much . You made every challenge worth it, every effort meaningful, and every moment unforgettable. As we move forward into the future, I hope we never lose the passion, and the spirit that defined

us. No matter where life takes us, we will always be the batch that dared to dream, to create, and to leave a mark that no one will ever forget.

Ananya Garg

Message From The Academic Captain

As I step down from my role as Academic Captain, I find myself filled with gratitude and reflection.

Serving in this role has been a one-of-a-kind experience, one filled with growth, challenges, and countless memories that I will carry with me for the rest of my life. Being able to lead alongside so many brilliant and inspiring peers has been a privilege. Together, we have worked towards academic excellence, and I couldn't be prouder of what we've achieved.

I want to extend my heartfelt gratitude to Dr. Bagchi, our esteemed Dean of Academics. His constant support, wisdom, and encouragement have been instrumental in guiding me throughout my tenure. His commitment to fostering academic excellence has not only shaped the way I approach learning but also influenced how I've led.

Among all the roles, the position of Academic Captain stands apart. This role doesn't demand visibility or constant presence, but rather a quiet dedication to fostering an environment where others are inspired to excel. Throughout the year, I may not have been in the spotlight or as visible as other council members, but my focus has always been on encouraging my peers to pursue their academic passions and career goals. The essence of this role lies in providing support, guidance, and motivation behind the scenes, helping others realize their potential and stay committed to their journey of growth and success.

To all those preparing for their upcoming examinations, especially the board classes, I extend my best wishes for success. With hard work, determination, and focus, there is no doubt that each student will rise to the challenge. The journey ahead may be demanding, but it is also a valuable opportunity to demonstrate resilience and commitment.

It has been an honour, thank you.

Manya Bhatia





Messages from *The Teachers*



As we are preparing to bid Farewell to the Batch of 2024-25, I wish all the very best to the falcons who are ready to fly high and conquer the sky. Your growth, resilience and determination have been an inspiration to your juniors. As you embark on this new journey, remember that the world needs your unique talent and perspectives. May you find success, happiness and fulfilment in all you do.

Stay true to yourself and make a positive contribution to the world around you.

With love, pride and best wishes,

Ms. Upasana Bhatia

Dear Falcons,

Teaching you the language of colours and creativity has been a journey of mutual learning and growth. Each of you has brought your unique perspective, turning the art room into a vibrant tapestry of ideas and expressions. From the first hesitant strokes to bold masterpieces, watching your skills evolve has been a privilege and a joy.

Beyond technique and theory, I hope you carry with you the deeper lessons that art teaches us - to observe keenly, to think freely, and to express fearlessly. Remember, life, like art, is about embracing imperfections and finding beauty in unexpected places.

I am proud of each one of you and confident that you will leave your mark wherever you go. Keep dreaming, keep creating, and keep believing in the power of your own narrative.

Farewell, dear artists. May your canvas of life be as vibrant and inspiring as the masterpieces you leave behind.

With love and blessings,

Mr. Biplab Roy



Dear Class of 2025,

You've worked tirelessly, grown immensely, and are now ready to take on the world. Remember the lessons learned here, embrace new challenges, and always strive to make a positive impact. Keep learning, don't settle for less than what you deserve and desire, enjoy the journey, surround yourself with the right people. Choose your ambition with hunger and determination. Trust yourself and above all trust the supreme power which is all the time with you.

I am so proud of you and wish you all the best in your future endeavors!"

With love and blessings,

Ms. Vijaya

My Lovely, adorable girls

After home, if there is any place on the earth where I feel myself more connected, it is obviously my school where I studied.

You must have seen a kind of impatience in me to pour everything I have . The only reason was that I never got an opportunity like the one you had. I wish I could have shown you my school. It was unlike Vantage Hall but still I adore it very much .You will also have similar feelings when you come to our ages and when only our words will be there in place of us. I've witnessed your transformation from curious students to confident, analytical thinkers. Your growth, resilience, and enthusiasm have inspired me every day. Our classes have been more than just lectures – I've also had the pleasure of seeing you shine in various competitions - from winning the Eco-Briq competition to excelling in numerous theatre competitions. Your talents, passions, and achievements have made me proud to be your teacher!



"I've also seen your playful side - the laughter, chatter, and 'fashionably late' arrivals with creative excuses! "Who could forget the '5 more minutes' requests or the 'one more toffee' requests?" And, of course, I'll never forget the morning wake-up calls I made to the hostel, dragging you out of bed to start the day! These moments may seem small, but they're etched in my memory as times of joy, friendship, and laughter that made our classroom come alive!" Missing you after your departure is not new to me as I miss every girl whom I taught and you are next in the sequence. If we happen to meet at some point in life , a proud feeling should prevail, that's what motivates me to teach more and more. At times I must have irritated you but only to do our duty as your parents trusted and handed you over to us.

Each one on my side has put in their best efforts to shape you. Here after the next phase of your life starts. Be assured, the best in your life would always be waiting. Keep collecting “ALL THE BEST” in your basket from everyone you meet and keep using them one by one till they are over. So here comes the first one from my side ALL THE BEST to each one of you.

Keep Trying, how hard it seems it will become easy.

"The toffee jar will always be here, waiting for your return!" I will miss your classes.

With love, pride, and best wishes,

Ms. Meenu Batra (PGT Accounts and Economics)



Farewell, dear friends! May your future be bright, and may your hearts remain filled with joy, love, and kindness.

And Finally, you're free from our lectures, homework, and exams. We'll miss you, but not your snores during lectures. To my amazing students, I'm so proud of each and every one of you. As you move on to the next chapter, remember that you'll always have a home and a family here.

With Warm Regards

Mr. Navneet Sharma (Chemistry PGT)



Dear Grade 12 Graduates,
Congratulations on reaching this incredible milestone in your journey! As you step beyond the gates of our school, know that you carry with you not just knowledge but also the values, friendships, and memories that have shaped you into the individuals you are today. Your time here has been filled with challenges, laughter, late-night study sessions, and countless moments of learning—both inside and outside the classroom. Each one of you has left an indelible mark on our school, and while we celebrate your achievements, we also feel the bittersweet reality of bidding you farewell. You will truly be missed—your energy, leadership, and presence have been invaluable to our school community. As you embark on this new chapter of your life, remember that success is not just about reaching a destination but about growing through the journey. Stay curious, embrace new opportunities, and never stop striving for excellence. The world awaits your talents, and we have no doubt that you will make a meaningful impact wherever you go.

May you find happiness, success, and fulfilment in all your future endeavours. Keep the spirit of your school alive in your heart, and remember—you will always have a home here.

Wishing you all the best for a bright and promising future!

With Warm Regards,
Mr. Sunny Jain

Jai Siya Ram,
As you move on to the next chapter, remember to embrace challenges and never stop learning. I am confident you will achieve great things.
All my best wishes.
Jai Siya ram.

Mr. Ram Sevak Sharma



Dear students!

I wish you the very best in life and encourage you to keep on going, even when the going gets tough!.Become the version of yourself you want to be. Work hard, learn, build and be open so that you are prepared when opportunities come your way.Be bold, brave, and courageous as you continue to pursue your dreams.Believe that there is more to come. Have gratitude! don't give up! Prevail!! Remember the world is a better place with you and your contribution!
Good luck, bon voyage!

With love and prayers,
Ms. Smitaa Pandey



Dear Students,

I am filled with happiness as I see you graduating. Your journey through high school has been amazing and I am happy to have been a small part of it. Remember that the lessons you've learned, the friendships you've forged, and the memories you've created will stay with you forever. The world needs your unique talents and perspectives. Be brave, take risks, and chase your dreams. And when the road ahead seems uncertain, draw upon the resilience and determination that have brought you to this moment.

Though we haven't had a lot of chances to communicate with each other, I wish all the very best for you future. May your path be filled with happiness, success, and fulfillment.

Congratulations Graduates,
Ms. Rashmi Thapa

Dear Grade 12th

I wish you Good Luck for your future aspirations . Trust in your abilities and move with determination in the journey ahead. It will surely lead to limitless success and happiness in your life. Stay optimistic and stay healthy.

With Love ,
Ms. Sapna Negi



The years flew by, like whispers in the breeze, You've grown in strength, with dreams like seas.
From curious minds to soaring hearts, You're ready now for life's new starts.
Each lesson learned, each tear and smile, Have shaped your journey, mile by mile.
The world awaits, bold and wide, Go forward with courage, your teacher's pride.
Ahead lies the real world, fierce and vast, With winds of change and shadows cast.
Yet trust yourself—your roots run deep, Your values are strong, your dreams won't sleep.
Remember the halls, the laughter shared, The friendships built, the moments cared.
In every challenge, stay true and wise— Your spark will light the darkest skies.
Though farewells bring a touch of pain, Our memories here will still remain.
Go conquer the world, with all you've learned— The future is yours. It's your turn.

Mr. Anil Singh



I can hardly believe we've reached this point! Watching you all grow over the years has been such a privilege, and I'm incredibly proud of everything you've achieved. Your passion, hard work, and the way you express yourselves through dance have been so inspiring. No matter where life takes you next, remember that the strength, creativity, and discipline you've developed will always be with you. I'm excited to see where your next chapter leads and will always be cheering you on. Thank you for an unforgettable year!

With so much pride,
Ms. Anita Negi



Class Photos of *Grade 4th to 12th*



CLASS IV



L-R

Row 1- Taranjot Kaur, Navya Thakur, Ms. Yogita Negi, Ms. Seema Sharda, Mr. Rishi Singh, Avni, Arohi Jaiswal



CLASS V



L-R -----
Row 1- Riya Rawat, Chitrakshi Arora, Ms. Kriti Rawat, Ms. Seema Sharda, Mr. Rishi Singh, Zareen Khan, Khushi Khurana



CLASS VI



L-R

- Row 1- Girisha Ralli, Lyla Kaiser Kawosa, Ms. Ipshita Banerjee, Ms. Seema Sharda, Mr. Rishi Singh, Ms. Supriya, Anshika Pachouri, Parnika Tripathi
- Row 2- Mansirat Kaur, Keerti Kumari, Aradhya Khandelia, Meenakshi Mahato, Sampada Singla, Sonakshi Verma, Shatakshi Singh
- Row 3- Bhimavarapu Jaasvi, Divya Durga, Yashika Singh, Vadde Sreshta Jaya Chandra



CLASS VII



L-R

Row 1- Anvi Garg, Smrite Rungta, Ms. Charlotte Imbert, Ms. Seema Sharda, Mr. Rishi Singh, Yashika Shashi, Aaradhya Jain

Row 2- Kashwi Tripathi, Binita Hijam, Shayna Singh, K. Nanditha Raju, Vidushi Panwar, Surbhi Bahri, Bhavika Gupta,
Kenisha Agarwal, Aarna Rastogi, Partigya



CLASS VIII



L-R

- Row 1- Siddhi Kumari, Sneha Ramraika, Shreya Saju, Ms. Payel Chowdhury, Ms. Seema Sharda, Mr. Rishi Singh, Navdha Chola, Sanjana Bharti, Prachi
- Row 2- Nattakan Thongsubkul, Vaishnavi Chaudhary, Taarika Bhanot, Tanisha Chouhan, Sheryl Agarwal, Maira Panwar, Lalthankimi, Aanya Jain, Joshina Nameirakpam, Priyanshi Pandey, Arnavi Negi, Shreya Soni
- Row 3- Stanzin Dolkar, Rida Sharma, Aahana Chaudhary, Pramaira Kaur Bagga, Gehna, Siona Ray, Mansi Singh, Anshika Kushwaha, Maitri Negi



CLASS IX A



L-R

Row 1- Nishita Elangbam, Ms. Vijaya Sharma, Ms. Seema Sharda, Mr. Rishi Singh, Dr. Shubhashish Bagchi, Shivangi Bhagat

Row 2- Zeenat Sultana, Anvi Tomar, Divyanshi Jakhwal, Vani Bisht, Sadhika Agarwal, Khwaish Malik, Hiyara, Mahika Mishra

Row 3- Divya Chaurasia, Shambhavi Mandal, Inayat, Mannaz Singh, Aarna Gaba, Tvisha Kothari, Manaas Kaur Mehta

Row 4 Mysha Ahmed, P. V. Sri Varshini



CLASS IX B



L-R

Row 1- Harshika Kashyap, Ms. Shivani Bisht, Ms. Seema Sharda, Mr. Rishi Singh, Dr. Shubhashish Bagchi, Kanishka Khatri

Row 2- Gunjan Sharma, Karnika Alreja, Anokhi Sah, Anushka, Dhairyaa Tolani, Riya Rathore, S Dhvani, Gaurika Agarwal, Omya Hora

Row 3- Navya Mehrotra, Lakshita Ghai, Tejaswini Pandey, Arshiya Sakuja, Jhalak Agarwal, Agrima Shekhar, Arushi Agrawal, Akshita



CLASS X A



L-R

- Row 1- Tanishka Bharti, Ms. Meenu Batra, Ms. Seema Sharda, Mr. Rishi Singh, Dr. Shubhashish Bagchi, Sanskrithi Agarwaal
- Row 2- Laxmi Pandey, Trusha Sarkar, Dishika Dixit, Kashvi Bhardwaj, Archisha Dutta, Pari Mehrotra, Garima Singh, Gurleen Kaur, Gaargi Agarwal
- Row 3- Ujala, Harveer Kaur Riar, Siya, Moli Agarwal, Sanya, Shakya Negi, Bhavya Pandey, Bhimavarapu Daakshi Sarayu



CLASS X B



L-R

Row 1- Himadri Kuntal, Ms. Smiitaa, Ms. Seema Sharda, Mr. Rishi Singh, Dr. Shubhashish Bagchi, Ipsa Rungta,

Row 2- Alice Elangbam, Amairah Negi, Viranjot Kaur, Tanvi Yadav, Isha, Divyanshi Negi, Isha Bepari, Manya Garg

Row 3- Minal Arora, Soumya Joshi, Aastha Singh, Ananya Shah, Gauranshi Dhamija, Kruti Kritika Bantha, Sanvi Jain,
Saniya Khatoon, Prisha Dabas



CLASS XI



L-R

- Row 1- Nandini Tiwari, Pawni Singh , Ms. Ankita kotnala, Ms. Seema Sharda, Mr. Rishi Singh, Dr. Shubhashish Bagchi , Pratha Gangwar, Mudita Bhandari, Tsering Chosdon
- Row 2- Priya Rani, Siddhi Soni, Khushi Jain, Vaishnavi Bansal, Vaanika Arora, Zoya Shah, Riya Bhagyawan Gharge, Aditi Mehrotra, Sarishti Chandel, Aanya Singh, Anya Sehgal
- Row 3- Arya Gupta, Apprilla Kabak, Kamakshi Singh, Shalu Kumari, Aaradhya Gupta, Anvee Agarwal, Prachi Bisht, Tejasvini Paresh Patel, Prachi Mondal, Anwesha Vimal, Niyati Gupta
- Row 4- Mahi Ravibhai Vasoya, Riddhima Jaiswal, Avani Singh, Aayat Kaiser Kawosa, Mansi Thakur, Tanishka Jain, Mokshda Singh, Anushka Rastogi
- Row 5- Vidhi Sharma, Aditi Dagar, Leesha Goel, Kavya Bansal, Shree Agrawal, K. Dhanya Raju, Anant Kaur Dhaliwal



CLASS XII

CLASS OF 2025



L-R

- Row 1- Mr. Kaibirich Mirtunjay, Ms. Sapna Negi, Ms. Ayantika Guha, Ms. Kritika Gora, Ms. Seema Sharda, Mr. Rishi Singh, Dr. Shubhashish Bagchi, Mr. Terence Osler Imbert, Ms. Sunita Mishra, Ms. Anita Negi, Ms. Rashmi Thapa, Ms. Himani Pant
- Row 2- Urvi Tomar, Sameeksha Negi, Aratrika Ghosh, Aarya Rao, Martha Zothansangi, Reemum Likha, Navya Chugh, Many Bhatia, Shreya Sikdar, Shaily Bhauka, Anusha Sharma, Aananya Bansal, Sanvi Narayan, Nitya Wadhwa, Dhyana Joshi, Stuti Kumari, Rinzey Lhamu, Anushka Chouhan
- Row 3- Shreya Yadav, Kunishka Satija, Aanandi Khurana, Sakshi Singh, Avni Dev Pharasi, Muskan Kumari, Aniya Kedia
- Row 4- Aarna Rathor, Agrima Tolani, Harman Batra, Naisha Kumar, Trisha Mallick, Rishika Singh
- Row 5- Shreya Singh, Sanchi Singhal, Kanak Gelani, Khushi Gupta, Wancee Taneja, Hiral Jasuja, Ananya Garg





The *Houses*

GRIFIN

S T R I V E T O
T H E
U T M O S T



HOUSE MENTORS

MS .YOGITA NEGI
MS. SMITA PANDEY
MS. ANKITA KOTNALA
MR SUNNY JAIN
MS IPSHITA BANERJEE
MS. UPASANA BHATIA

HOUSE CAPTAIN

KUNISHKA SATIJA

HOUSE VICE CAPTAIN

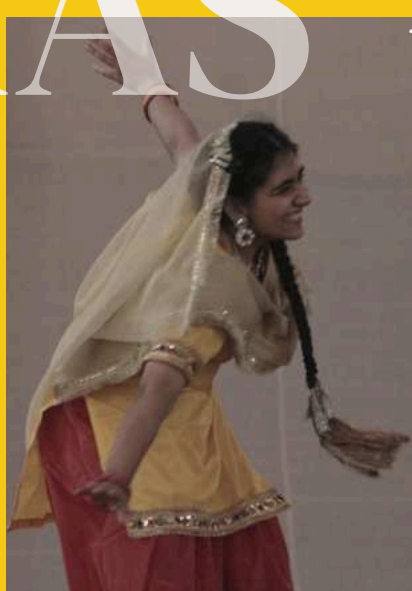
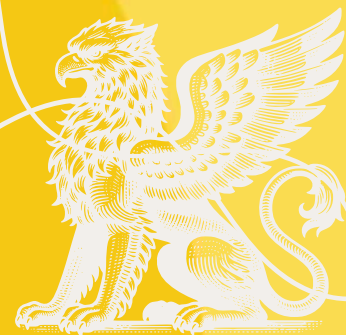
HIRAL JASUJA

ACHIEVEMENTS

1st position in:

- BADMINTON
- TENNIS
- TABLE TENNIS
- SQUASH
- SKATING
- CRICKET
- HINDI LITERARY
- ART/ DESIGN
- PHOTOGRAPHY/
- VIDEOGRAPHY
- MARCH PAST
- MASS PT

WHO HAS THE POWER OF TWO KINGS





Kunishka Satija
House Captain-Griffin

"Alone we can do so little; together we can do so much."

– Helen Keller

As my time as the Griffin House Captain ends and I begin a new journey of my life, I will always look back and cherish the moments I spent working for the house. Leading the house was one of the best things I have done in my time at Vantage. Surrounded by passionate performers, artistic minds, great ideas in the mind of these golden girls or as i call them “kiddos” taught me a lot of new things but trust me choosing out the idea was the hardest part.

From the first house meeting to the last it hasn't been easy, the house faced numerous obstacles and all of them faced each challenge as a proud Griffin. Sometimes I taught them something and sometimes they taught me something. My mindset the day i got the batch was not just to become a captain for the house but to also to be an elder sister. Talking things out was a task when it came to misunderstandings within the house but at the end everyone was there to cheer the house on the field and stage. From checking up on practices to getting them ready for a competition came with a lot of work and burden, but together we achieved everything.

To my kiddos, no matter how many ups and downs the house has faced you all have remained strong and always by my side. You all are filled with amazing ideas and have always managed to surprise me with them. Remember, we have the power of two kings. And I will always be proud of each one of you.

Griffin is not just a house for me it's my family and I will cherish every moment I have spent in the last six years. From being one of the little ones who sit in the front to being the one everyone is listening to, I have grown up with the house. It brings tears to my eyes as I write this but it brings me relief when I realize that I will forever be part of this yellow family. Once a battu, always a “battu”.

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I'm not sure where to even begin because, honestly, I'm still trying to process this whole “graduation” thing. As I sit here reflecting on this weird rollercoaster ride—the chaos, the laughs, the stress, and the unforgettable moments that defined these years, it feels surreal to think that it's finally time to say goodbye. These past 6 years have been nothing short of incredible, and it's hard to put into words how much I will miss this place. From the first day I walked through these doors—unsure of what to expect but over time, this school became more than just a place to learn. It became a home—a place where I grew, discovered myself, and built connections that will always be special to me. As a young, wide-eyed seventh grader, I looked up to the captains with so much admiration and watched them lead with confidence. This year having the honor of being a badge holder swells my chest with pride.

This place has shaped me in ways I am grateful for, and now, as we all take our next steps, it's hard to imagine what life will be like without the familiar faces, the classrooms, and the hallways we've walked through every day. Also it was the people I've had the privilege of sharing this experience with. We've all grown, learned, and changed here, and that's something I'll carry with me forever. Though we may be heading in different directions, I know that these memories will stay with me, no matter where life takes me. I'm proud of everything we've accomplished together, and even though it's bittersweet to leave, I'm excited to see where the future takes me.

Leaving isn't easy. I'm not ready to say goodbye, but I guess life doesn't care if we're ready. So, here I go—walking out the door, just knowing nothing will ever feel like this place. This school, and the people I've met here, will forever hold a special place in my heart.



Hiral Jasuja
Vice House Captain-Griffin

PHOENIX

AS HIGH AS
HONOUR



HOUSE MENTORS

MR. ANIL RAWAT
DR. REENA UNIYAL
MS. VIJAYA SHARMA
MS. CHHAVI DURGA

HOUSE CAPTAIN

SANCHI SINGHAL

HOUSE VICE CAPTAIN

MARTHA ZOTHANSANGI

ACHIEVEMENTS

1st position in

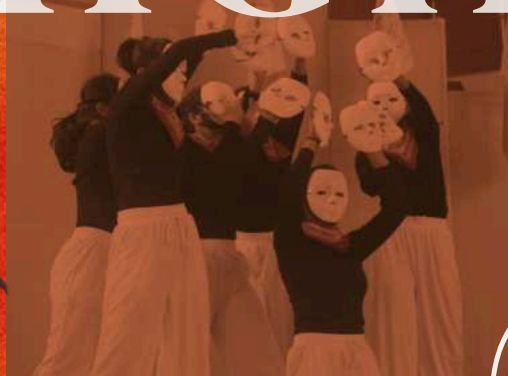
- BASKETBALL
- SHOOTING
- BOARD DISPLAY
- QUIZ
- CLASSICAL DANCE
- INDIAN MUSIC

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Sanchi Singhal
House Captain-Phoenix

"To my second family,

This place wasn't just where I learned about history, math, or science — it was where I learned about myself. It's where I discovered strength in moments of vulnerability, where I found comfort in the laughter of friends, and where I truly felt at home.

I never imagined how much I would grow and change here. From the first day, when everything felt so new and overwhelming, to the final day, when leaving felt like tearing a piece of my heart away. The bonds we formed. You all became my support system, my safe haven, and my guidance. I will carry every one of you with me in my heart forever.

To my cutus : You have been my everything. In moments of joy, we laughed like there was no tomorrow; in moments of fear or uncertainty, you were there with open arms, ready to lift me up. You've become my family, the ones I could rely on, and the ones who knew me better than I knew myself. I will never forget our late-night talks, the shared dreams, and the way we stood by each other through thick and thin.

"To my kiddos, keep shining and chasing your dreams! You've got so much potential, and I can't wait to see all the wonderful things you'll achieve. Remember, the journey is just as important as the destination. Keep growing, keep learning.

"To my teachers: "Thank you, for everything. Your guidance, support, and patience have made all the difference in my journey. I'll always carry the lessons you've taught me, not just in academics, but in life as well.

As we all move on to different paths, I know we will never truly be apart. The connections we've made here are timeless. While our journeys take us in different directions, the love and the memories we've shared will forever stay in my heart.

So, goodbye is not the right word, because this isn't the end. It's just the beginning of something new — and wherever life takes us, a piece of this place, and each of you, will always be with me.

Being a house vice-captain has been an unforgettable journey filled with teamwork, leadership, and countless moments of joy. From cheering during competitions to celebrating victories, every experience brought us closer as a house. The energy, dedication, and passion of my housemates made every challenge worthwhile, and I am incredibly proud to have been part of such a spirited and determined team.

One of the most rewarding aspects of this role has been the sense of unity within our house. Whether it was practicing for events, supporting each other during tough moments, or simply sharing laughter in between, these experiences created lifelong memories. The excitement of seeing our house give its best, pushing limits, and standing strong together has been truly inspiring. No matter the outcome, the unwavering spirit of my house has always been something to admire.

Of course, leadership came with its challenges. Balancing responsibilities, ensuring teamwork, and keeping morale high was not always easy. But through it all, I learned the importance of resilience, patience, and leading with positivity. I've grown more confident in my ability to support, inspire, and bring people together. Leadership, I realized, isn't just about giving instructions—it's about lifting others up, building team spirit, and leading by example.

Most importantly, this journey has been about the people—the friendships, the shared victories, and the countless moments of joy. Being part of such a passionate and dedicated house has been an incredible experience, one that I will always cherish. The lessons I've learned and the memories I've made will stay with me forever, and I couldn't be prouder of everything we've achieved together.



Martha Zothansangi
Vice House Captain-Phoenix

THUNDERBIRD

C O N Q U E R
F R O M
W I T H I N



HOUSE MENTORS

MRS. KRITI RAWAT
MRS. SHIVANI BISHT
MRS. CHARLOTTE
IMBERT

HOUSE CAPTAIN

WANEE TANEJA

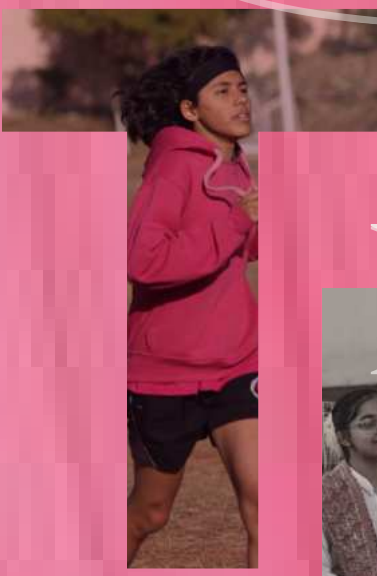
HOUSE VICE CAPTAIN

SHREYA SINGH

ACHIEVEMENTS

1st position in:

- CHESS
- SWIMMING
- FOOTBALL
- LITERARY
- DRAMA
- ATHLETICS



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Wanee Taneja

House Captain-Thunderbird

My Journey as Thunderbird House Captain

I can't help but feel overwhelmed with gratitude as I look back at my journey as the House Captain of Thunderbird. Being a part of this house, and leading it, has been one of the most fulfilling experiences of my life.

Thunderbird has always been a place where we embrace laughter, creativity, and the joy of simply being together. Our motto, "Conquer from Within," has guided me and each one of us to be better, not just for ourselves, but for each other.

I know we didn't win this time, but winning was never the only goal. We created memories that are far more valuable. From cheering together at inter-house events to the endless laughter during practices, every single moment is impressed in my heart. The house spirit we shared - the pink banners, our inside jokes, and the way we always lifted each other up - was truly special.

To my Thunderbird family, I want to say thank you. You made my role as captain an absolute joy. You trusted me, stood by me, and reminded me why our house is so unique. To my vice-house captain (my partner), teachers, and everyone who supported us, I'm deeply grateful for your guidance and encouragement.

This journey taught me the true meaning of teamwork, resilience, and love for a community. Thunderbird isn't just my house; it's my family. And though this chapter ends, the bond we share will stay with us forever.

I love you all, and I'm so proud to be a part of this incredible house. Thank you for making this experience unforgettable.

'It was miserable and Magical at the same time'

Taylor Swift

It's hard to believe that after 8 amazing years at this school—since I first walked through the doors as a 5th grader, amazed by the fishes in the aquarium of the academic block—I'm now reflecting on this remarkable journey. This school has been more than just a place to learn; it has been where I've grown, made lifelong friends, and experienced so much. From the first steps I took here to the leadership role I hold now, the memories I've created will stay with me forever.

I think when it's all over, it just comes back in flashes. To my friends, I don't think I could ever fully express how much you all mean to me. You've been with me through thick and thin, and I will cherish the memories we've made here forever. Whether it was laughing until our stomachs hurt, supporting each other during tough times, or celebrating our successes, you've all made this journey unforgettable. You are the ones I'll miss the most—the ones who truly made this place feel like home.

This year, I've had the privilege of watching this incredible group of students come together with a shared sense of purpose, determination, and passion. It has been a year full of highs and challenges. Thunderbird House, you've shown me exactly what it means to lead with compassion, strength, and teamwork. I am so proud of everything we've achieved together, and I couldn't be prouder of the individuals you've all become. Each one of you has brought something special to our house, and I will always carry the memories of our shared moments of success and adversity.

As I turn the page to the next chapter, I carry with me not just the lessons learned but the bonds formed and the memories made. Vantage Hall will always hold a special place in my heart, and I will forever be grateful for the time spent here. To all of you—thank you for being part of this incredible journey. Here's to the next adventure, with all the strength, compassion, and memories we've shared.



Shreya Singh

Vice House Captain-Thunderbird

....AS IN
CO-CURRICULAR
(WHERE FALCONS SOARED)



END OF TERM

This term, Vantage Hall's drama department delivered a spectacular and heartfelt production of Mulan, bringing to life the legendary story of a courageous young woman who defies societal expectations to protect her family and fight for her country. This ambitious musical was a testament to the hard work, creativity, and passion of our entire school community. Our lead, playing Mulan, gave a compelling performance full of strength and vulnerability, perfectly capturing the character's journey from self-doubt to heroic confidence. Supporting cast members added humor, warmth, and depth, creating a vibrant ensemble that truly brought the story to life. The camaraderie and chemistry on stage were evident, especially in the lively training camp scenes and the tense moments on the battlefield. The musical score was a highlight of the production, featuring a dynamic mix of powerful solos and uplifting group numbers that kept the audience engaged throughout. The choreography was precise and energetic, with well-coordinated battle scenes and dance sequences that showcased the cast's dedication and skill. Behind the curtain, the technical crew created stunning sets and authentic costumes that transported the audience straight to ancient China. Their attention to detail and tireless efforts were crucial in bringing the world of Mulan to vivid life. The performances received enthusiastic applause and glowing feedback from students, teachers, and families, marking the musical as one of the year's most memorable events. Mulan not only entertained but also inspired audiences with its themes of bravery, honor, identity, and the importance of staying true to oneself.





ECO-BRIQ

Eco-Briq is a trailblazing, all-girls initiative that is shaping a greener tomorrow with its innovative approach to sustainable energy solutions. Eco-Briq stands for creating an alternative of coal with the help of vegetable waste, agriculture waste, pine needles and newspapers. Under the guidance of Ms. Meenu Batra, this initiative taken by our girls helps in building a sustainable future. By aligning with nine of the United Nations' Sustainable Development Goals, Eco-Briq is committed to making a tangible difference in our world. The girls educated the helping staff about the alternative and even went to their village to distribute the briquettes. The project's impact has been felt far and wide, showcased at the prestigious Go Green Harela exhibition where ministers and key figures took notice of its potential. From there, it soared to success at UPES, winning 1st place in two categories and securing cash prizes in recognition of its groundbreaking work; we also represented it in MU20 summit Indore.

The journey continued with even greater triumph as Eco-Briq captured the spotlight at MiMS, clinching yet another first-place victory and catching the attention of an angel investor eager to support its growth. These milestones have not only affirmed the team's hard work and innovation but also provided invaluable insights into the power of sustainable solutions. Throughout this process, the Eco-Briq team has gained deep knowledge about the importance of sustainability and the impact of their contributions. With each victory and new partnership, they are more determined than ever to fuel the drive toward a more sustainable future, showing the world that innovation, teamwork, and passion can create real change.



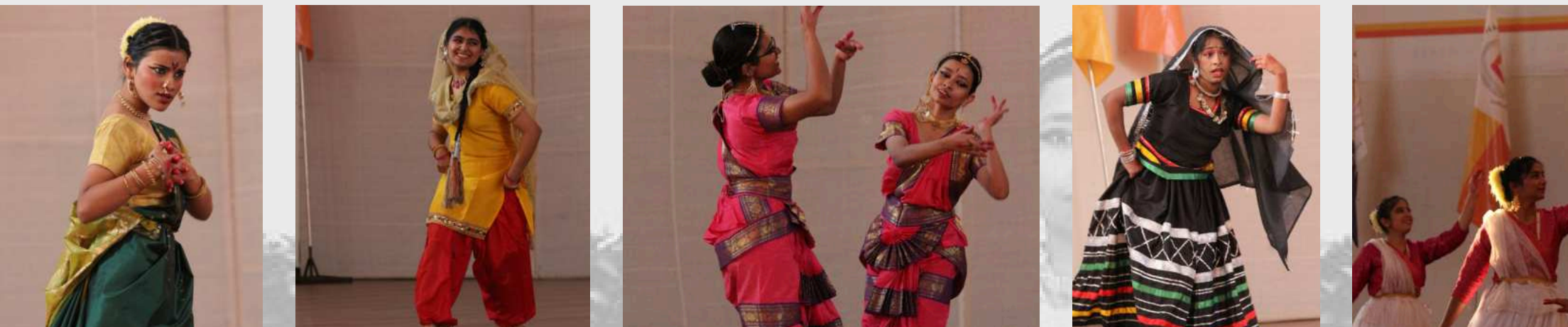


WESTERN DANCE

This year, our school brought the moves and the groove to the dance floor, showcasing incredible energy and passion at the inter-house level. The competition was fierce, with the judges finding it tough to make a call, as each house poured their heart and soul into their performance. Be it Griffin House with their incredible thought provoking solo performance or Thunderbird House with their Hip Hop group dance, the show went on with loud cheers, only stopping when the next team was called on the stage. Late-night practices, endless rehearsals, and the dedication to bring the entire group together made it clear that our dancers were unstoppable. Their commitment was evident as they never once slowed down, always on their feet and unwilling to take a break, pushing through with unmatched enthusiasm. In the end, Phoenix house emerged as the winner in all the categories, breaking the Thunderbird's streak of winning in western dance.

The dance team's hard work paid off when they secured 1st runner-up in Spectrum, a testament to their relentless spirit and unity. It's not just about dancing for them – it's about pushing limits and keeping the energy alive, no matter how tough the challenge. These dancers continue to inspire with their determination and their ability to keep going, giving everything they have, every single time.





CLASSICAL DANCE

This year, the Falcons truly put out their best work, focusing on every detail – from perfecting graceful body posture to ensuring the right expressions. They made sure their ghungroos were tight and their makeup bold, bringing a strong, confident presence to every performance. Their dedication shone through in both inter-house and inter-school competitions, where they showcased a stunning variety of dance forms, including Bharatanatyam, Kathak, Lavni, and more. For inter house, the theme for solo dances was folk dance where Griffin house performer Kunishka Satija showcased Gidda, from Phoenix House, Divyanshi Jakhwal performed Lavni and from Thunderbird House, Aradhya Gupta showcased Kalbailiya. The group performances consisted of pure classical kathak dance. The classical dance inter house was a cut throat competition, making it extremely difficult for the judges to decide a winner. In the end, Phoenix house both the categories.

The efforts of our school dance team were rewarded when they secured 1st runner-up at Spectrum, a proud moment for the school. The Falcons' commitment went beyond regular practice hours, as they gave their all to every rehearsal, demonstrating full dedication. With boundless enthusiasm, they left everything on the dance floor, giving their best performance every single time. Their hard work, passion, and unity made them a force to be reckoned with, and they truly showcased the spirit of perseverance and excellence.





INTER HOUSE DRAMA

This year's Inter House drama competition was nothing short of unforgettable, a dazzling spectacle that had everyone talking long after the final show was over. With only a few points separating each house, the competition was fierce, but it was the creativity, humor, and sheer energy of the performances that truly stood out. Every house brought their A-game, crafting props and sets so vivid and imaginative that it was as though we were stepping right into the pages of the books themselves. From the magical world of Charlie and the Chocolate Factory shown by the Thunderbird house to the enchanted paths of The Wizard of Oz by Griffin house and the whimsical wonderland of Alice in Wonderland showcased by the phoenix house, each house took a beloved story and made it their own. The Falcons, in particular, had us on the edge of our seats with their witty dialogues, dramatic body language and bold voices. They brought Roald Dahl's mischievous children to life, whisked away by the ever-watchful Oompa Loompas, before guiding us to the yellow brick road where Dorothy, in her ruby slippers, embarked on her journey home. And who could forget the dreamlike beauty of Alice, drifting through a fantastical world where logic had no place? The vivid portrayal of these classic tales left the judges, teachers, and audience in pure awe. The students learned the art of drama and teamwork each giving out a beautiful show. This inter house was bagged by Thunderbird House, who stood out especially for their miniature and vibrant props for Charlie and The Chocolate Factory but it was the Oompas-Loompas who stole the show!





INTER HOUSE CLASSICAL HINDI VOCAL

On the 7th of December, the school auditorium came alive with the rich, soulful sounds of classical music. The Interhouse Classical Music Competition was more than just a contest—it was a celebration of tradition, talent, and the deep connection students share with music.

Each house brought something special to the stage. Whether it was a powerful vocal performance or a graceful instrumental piece, every note was filled with emotion and hard work. From the delicate strings of the sitar to the steady rhythm of the tabla, the performances reminded us why classical music continues to inspire generation after generation.

The atmosphere was electric, yet respectful—filled with quiet admiration, encouraging applause, and a shared sense of pride. It was clear that every participant had put in hours of practice and poured their heart into their art.

Judged by a panel of knowledgeable and encouraging music enthusiasts, the event showcased not only individual talent but also the strength of teamwork and house spirit. While one house may have taken home the trophy, the real win was the joy of performing, the lessons learned, and the memories made.

The Interhouse Classical Music Competition left us all with full hearts and ringing ears—and a renewed appreciation for the beauty of classical music.

INTER HOUSE GK QUIZ

Few things spark excitement like a fast-paced quiz, and the Interhouse General Knowledge Quiz did just that. With students from all houses gathered, the atmosphere was charged with energy, anticipation, and a healthy dose of competitive spirit.

The quiz took participants on a whirlwind journey through topics like current affairs, science, history, sports, and even some brain-teasing trivia. Teams buzzed in with lightning speed, showing not only their grasp of facts but also quick thinking and seamless teamwork.

Each round brought fresh surprises—some questions made everyone think, others had the audience whispering guesses among themselves. The quizmasters kept the pace engaging, making sure there was never a dull moment.

While only one house could claim the top spot, every team gave it their all, and the enthusiasm from the audience added to the lively atmosphere. More than a contest of knowledge, the quiz was a celebration of curiosity, collaboration, and the joy of learning something new.

The Interhouse GK Quiz left everyone a little wiser and a lot more inspired, proving once again that knowledge truly is power.



MERAKI'24

Our Falcons participated in four exciting events at Meraki, a designing competition held at The Doon School, where they brought their creativity and teamwork to the forefront, winning 1st place in two categories. The competition spanned two days, providing the team with ample time to refine their work and give their best effort. Armed with cardboard, recycled materials, hot glue, and vibrant paint, the Falcons turned these simple items into incredible designs, practically turning their clothes into canvases! Every girl worked with dedication, bringing their ideas to life under the guidance of Ms. Meenu Baatra. Each team was given a situation to design products and objects for, within the two days. The girls showcased their critical thinking skills and put their designing skills to use.

Meraki wasn't just about competition; it was an amazing learning experience. The Falcons had the chance to explore new technologies, architecture, interior design, and 3D making, gaining insights into these fields while showcasing their talents. It was an inspiring opportunity that allowed them to blend creativity with practical skills, leaving with not only awards but also valuable knowledge to carry forward.

MU20 INDORE

In October 2024, Indore became the epicenter of youth leadership as the MU20 Opportunity Summit unfolded at Emerald Heights International School and NMIMS Indore. Organized by the MU20 School of Opportunity in collaboration with AFS India, this three-day event brought together over 3,000 participants from more than 150 schools across India and seven countries, including Singapore, the UAE, Japan, Thailand, the USA, and Germany.

Falcons participated actively in the summit and won numerous awards, demonstrating outstanding talent, teamwork, and leadership. The students' achievements reflected the school's focus on innovation, collaboration, and holistic development. The MU20 Summit provided a valuable platform for young minds to engage, learn, and lead, highlighting the potential of youth to shape the future.





VHMUN





The second edition of **Vantage Hall Model United Nations (VHMUN)** which was held on the **20th and 21st September** was a remarkable success! This year's event featured five engaging committees, including two Indian committees—**Lok Sabha** and **AIPPM**—along with **UNHRC**, **UNSC**, and **IPC**. The conference was held intraschool, offering students a chance to gain hands-on experience and expand their diplomatic understanding of global issues. We were fortunate to have mentors, including our talented alumni **Ayapiri Debarma**, who provided valuable guidance to the presidents and students. Their support helped ensure that the event ran smoothly and participants were able to navigate the challenges of their respective committees with confidence.

Each committee faced two major crises, with some occurring late into the night, testing the delegates' ability to adapt and think quickly. As the world's current issues were constantly brought to the forefront, participants gained valuable insight into the urgency of global decision-making and problem-solving. **VHMUN** not only provided a platform for knowledge and experience but also created an atmosphere of collaboration and critical thinking.

The students' dedication and enthusiasm truly made the event special, and it was inspiring to witness them engage with the world's most pressing issues in such a meaningful way. As we reflect on this incredible experience, we can't help but be excited for next year. We can't wait to welcome even more passionate delegates and create new opportunities for diplomatic learning. Until then, the **VHMUN** spirit lives on!



UDAAN

Grow, Soar, Thrive

Heart aching good byes and
ever lasting memories....





BEYOND THE SCOREBOARD

Sports We Excelled in this year.....





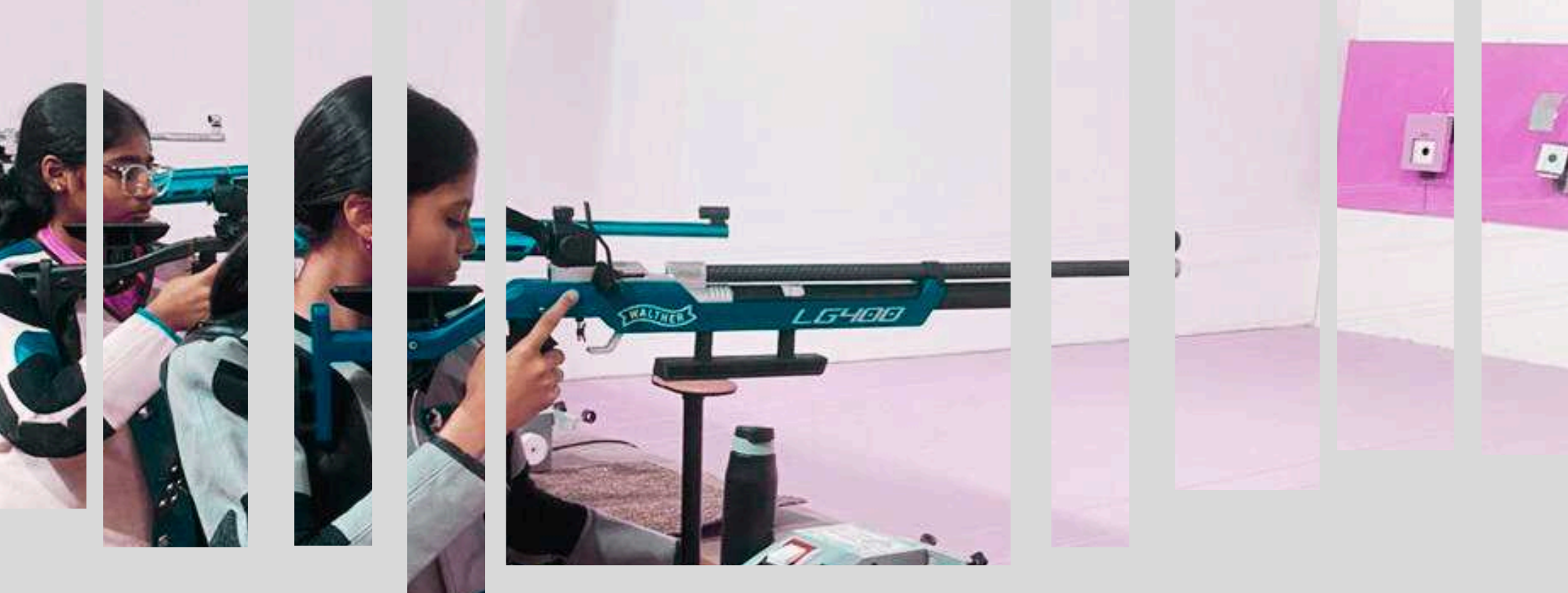
SQUASH

The year 2024, has been an extraordinary one for the Falcon Squash team, with our athletes achieving not just in the school, but for the school and as well as the state. Our school proudly hosts the Dehradun district and Uttarakhand State squash Championships where schools like The Doon School, Unison World School, Welham Boys, RIMC and St. Georges Mussoorie participated. Through the mornings and evenings, our falcons have made their mark on the court and will hopefully continue to do exceptional. Beyond hosting, our students excelled in both team and individual events. Our squash team clinched multiple victories, with athletes rising to the occasion and bringing home several team trophies. From nail-biting finishes to dominant performances, the team showcased resilience, skill, and teamwork, making our school proud. Altogether making this an even tougher competition on the Inter house level, with each competing to keep their name on the Squash ladder. Besides competing in Inter house squash, our team also went for the 5th State Games Uttarakhand hosted by IIT Roorkee, where Zeenat Sultana, Sanchi Singhal and Partigya Sharma each secured bronze medal.



clockwise : Interhouse Squash between Thunderbird and Phoenix; Squash Team at the IIT Roorkee; Sanchi Singhal, Partigya Sharma and Zeenat Sultana being facilitated with bronze medals; Uttarakhand State Squash Championship; Khushi Gupta representing our team.





SHOOTING

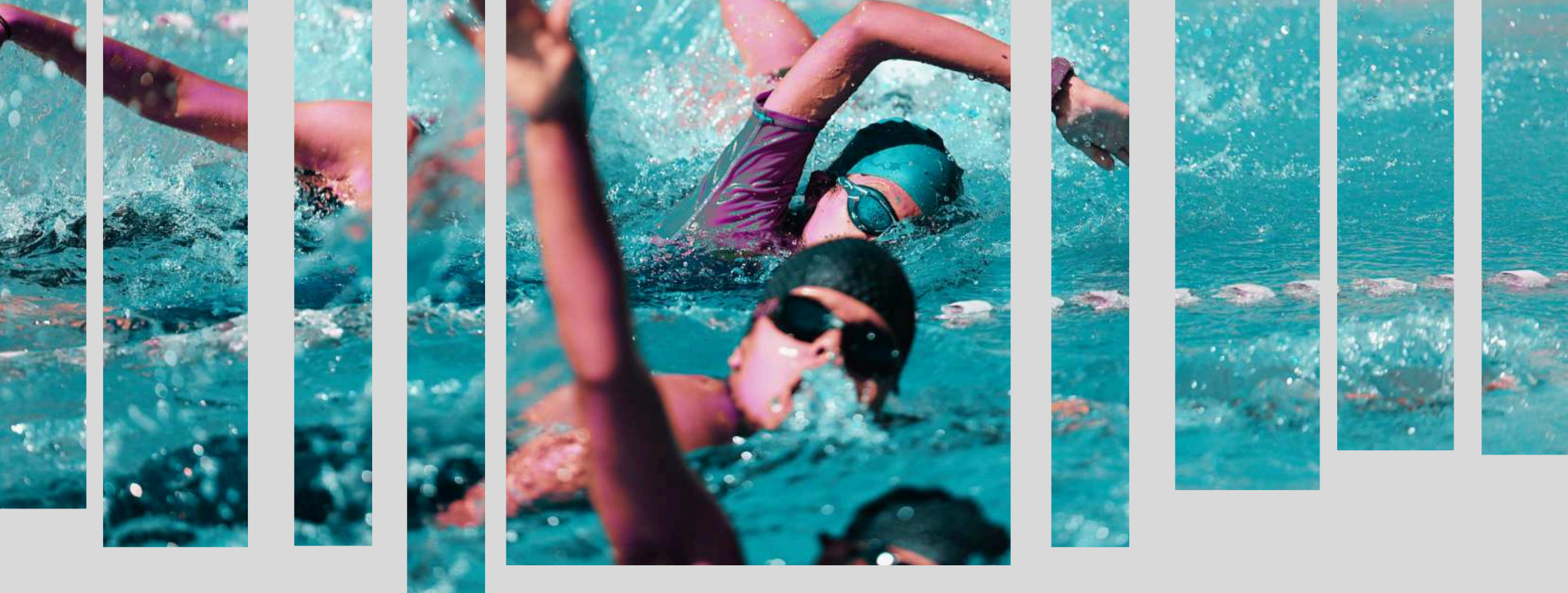
This year, our school's shooting team, the Falcons, soared to new heights, achieving remarkable success across several prestigious competitions. Their hard work, dedication, and tireless effort led them to participate in the North Zone Shooting Tournament in Bhopal, the North Zone Shooting Championship, the CBSE North Zone Shooting Competition, and the Bullseye Shooting Championship – where they triumphed once again.

Our students showcased exceptional skills, bringing home numerous awards, including gold and silver medals, as well as the coveted Bullseye Trophy. The Falcons' achievements on the range were not only a testament to their individual talents but also to the strength of their collective spirit.

Among the many highlights of the season, we are especially proud to announce that three of our Falcons qualified for the pre-nationals. Archisha Dutta, who competed in the rifle event, Ipsa Rungta in the pistol event (both from Grade X), and Khushi Jain from Grade IX demonstrated remarkable skill, dedication, and focus to secure their spots, marking a monumental achievement for our school. As we look ahead, we remain committed to further excellence in shooting, confident that the Falcons will continue to make us proud with their achievements.

Right to left : Shooting team at the CBSE North Zone Competition held in Noida; Ipsa Rungta at the 43rd North Zone Shooting Championship; Falcons receiving the winning trophy at Bullseye Competition; Alice Elangbam aiming at the North Zone Shooting held in Bhopal





SWIMMING

As you dive beneath the surface, the world above slips away, leaving only the heartbeat of the current, the rush of your breath, and the steady rhythm of your strokes. Securing the maximum number of points in Inter House Sports is the Inter house Swimming competition. This year the inter house kept the students on the edges and cheerleaders on their toes. With 50m,100m, backstroke, freestyle, butterfly and medleys each one a battle of endurance. The senior race was led by Avni Dev Pharasi, our school swimming captain along with receiving numerous medals throughout the year. The Inter-House Swimming competition proved to be a challenging and thrilling event, with close races that kept everyone on edge. Swimmers battled fiercely, with some tying and others pushing themselves to complete the final lengths.

Training for Inter School events was rigorous, with early morning and late evening sessions that required unwavering dedication. The Falcons' perseverance paid off, as they consistently pushed their limits throughout the competition. Our falcons participated in the Aqua Meet held at Unison World School and Ecole Globale Inter School Swimming Competition. With each race, each challenge faced, our swimmers proved that true excellence is not just about talent, but about relentless effort and the courage to push beyond the impossible. The water may have been their battleground, but it was their determination that made them champions.

Right to left : Griffin cheerleaders hyping up the participants; Swimming team at the Ecole Globale Competition.





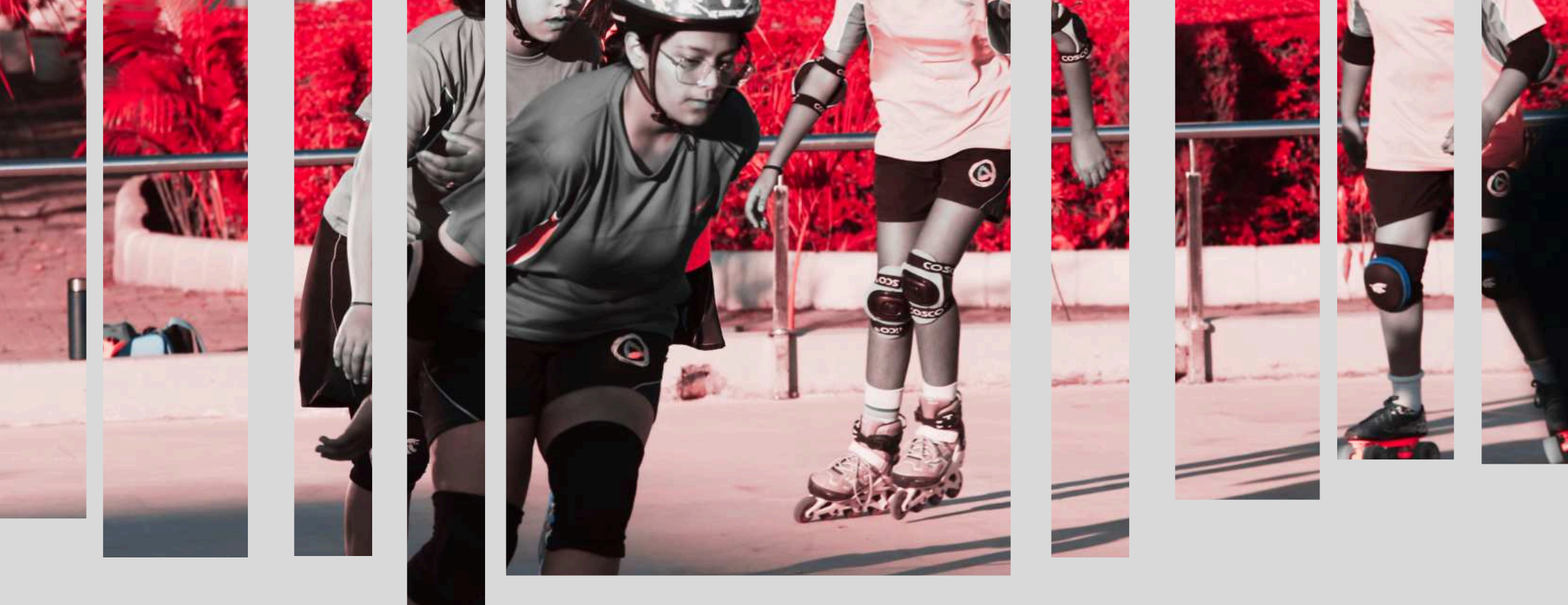
CRICKET

This year, three houses gathered to demonstrate their abilities and sportsmanship on the Vantage Hall cricket pitch, creating some memorable moments of fervor, commitment, and fierce competition. Each house displayed incredible teamwork and determination. The players' commitment to training and their perseverance on the field were evident in every game. The coach for Griffin cricket team was Rishi sir, guiding the team through each move. Whether it was a nail-biting chase, a stunning bowling spell, or a brilliant piece of fielding, the matches kept everyone on the edge of their seats. The points accumulated throughout the tournament were so close that every run, every wicket, and every boundary played a pivotal role in determining the outcome. While one house emerged as the victor, the very limited difference in points proves that every team gave their all, leaving us all with a sense of pride in the collective effort put forth by each house.

One of the highlights of the year was the fun and friendly match between the Tons Bridge staff and Vantage Hall. This light-hearted yet competitive game gave everyone a chance to relax and enjoy the sport in a different way, offering plenty of laughs and memorable moments. The excitement of this season will remain with us as we eagerly await the next opportunity to take the field.

Right to left : thunderbird cheering on for their cricket team; Captains of cricket house teams from both Griffin and Thunderbird wait eagerly for the toss result; Our coaches sharing a moment on the field; the match between Tons bridge and Vantage Hall staff.





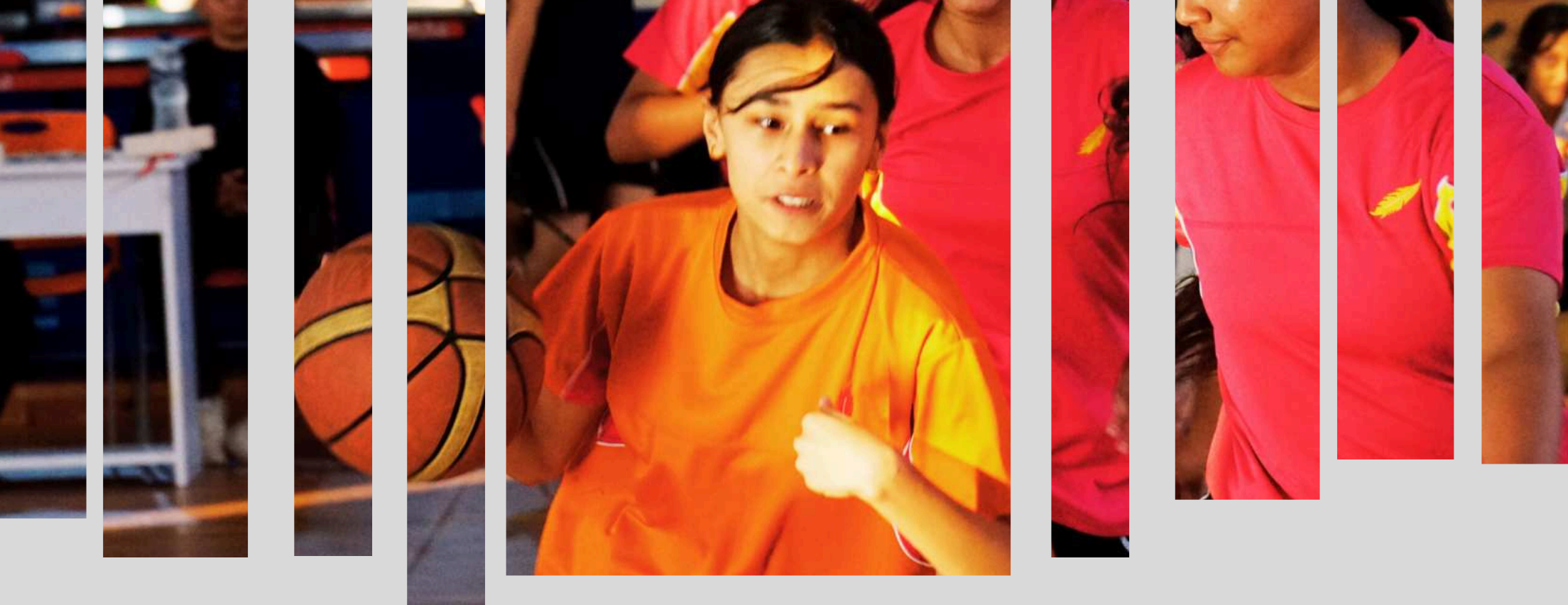
SKATING

Skating is a sport that requires both strategy and stamina. On a limited rink, athletes must position themselves accurately to navigate through obstacles and finish the course. Each movement must be calculated carefully, as the small space leaves little room for error. Skaters need to maintain speed while conserving energy, balancing their physical endurance with the precision needed to complete each challenge successfully. This combination of skill and careful planning is essential to excelling in the sport.

This year, Thunderbird House performed exceptionally well in the inter-house skating competition. The skating captain and Thunderbird House captain Wanee Taneja demonstrated strong leadership, guiding their team with dedication and focus. Their efforts helped lead Thunderbird House to a great performance. Additionally, our school participated in the 40th Skating competition and Mount Litera, where the senior skating team earned team awards and medals. Our falcons also represented the school admirably, competing with determination and showing excellent sportsmanship.

Right to left : Skaters getting ready for their inter house race; Skating team receiving the award at Mount Litera School; Agrima Tolani's winning pose made the Griffin supporters tensed at the back; Minal Arora securing 2nd position along with Surbhi Bahri securing 3rd at Mount Litera





BASKETBALL

This year's basketball rivalry between Thunderbird and Phoenix aiming for the 1st position was a delight to watch, leaving behind Griffin in the third position. Basketball is a game filled with excitement, energy, and tension, and it's evident every time the players hit the court. This year, the Phoenix team saw Rishi sir as the coach for the tournament. Thunderbird, known for their strong basketball team, stood on the edge with each basket scored. The girls ran tirelessly from one side to the other, dribbling the ball with precision and purpose. The action was fast-paced, and every second counted as they blocked the nets, trying to prevent their opponents from scoring while also positioning themselves for a chance at a basket. The intensity rose as they acted quickly, each move designed to outmaneuver the other team. We saw intense interactions between the two teams but the heat was cooled off the court. Every player used strategy, skill and agility to stay one step ahead. The matches always become even more intense when there was a tie-breaker, especially when penalties were introduced to decide the winner. The atmosphere in the court was electric as each shot taken in the penalty round holds the weight of the game. Every player was focused, their hearts racing as they aimed for the basket under pressure. In the end, Phoenix house emerged as the champions in the much-anticipated inter-house basketball tournament. Their victory is a testament to the hard work and dedication of each player. But the success doesn't end there. The school's basketball team has consistently represented us in various competitions, showcasing their talent and resilience bringing several awards.

Right to left : an intense moment between Phoenix and Thunderbird during the inter house; glimpses of the match; Rishi Sir coaching the Phoenix team





FOOTBALL

Football is a game that requires every team member to work together, moving the ball into their opponent’s court while the goalkeeper stays alert to defend against every penalty kick. This year, there was intense competition between all houses, with each player giving their best performance. The passion and skill displayed by every participant made the matches thrilling for everyone involved. Occasionally, we also have practice games with Ecole Globale, where we hone our skills and prepare for more challenging competitions. In this year’s competition, the house winners were decided by penalty kicks after each house played so well that tie-breakers were needed. The penalty kicks had every house holding their breath and waiting eagerly for the final victory. The matches were full of excitement, with players delivering powerful head kicks and goalkeepers making dramatic flying saves. Every moment was filled with tension, keeping the supporters on the edge of their seats as they eagerly awaited the final result. Rishi sir coached Thunderbird house for this inter house in which they emerged victorious. The close competition and high level of play made this year’s football event truly memorable.

Righ to left : Avni Dev Pharasi attempting a goal; The Griffin and Phoenix Football team; The junior teams of Thunderbird and Griffin; Phoenix house after winning the penalty celebrating with fellow teammates





ANNUAL SPORTS DAY

Sports Day at our school is always a highly anticipated event, filled with intense competition and electrifying house spirit. The day began with the school's Head Girl leading the procession, followed by the student council, the pre-national qualifiers, and the three houses marching in unison. Each house saluted the chief guest, setting the tone for the day's excitement and pride.

The opening was followed by the Inter house Mass PT, where students participated in a synchronized display of strength and coordination, executing a series of drills and exercises. The display was a perfect testament to the discipline and unity that defines our school community.

The track and field events were the heart of the day, with races such as the 50m, 100m, 400m, and 800m alongside field events like javelin, shot put, and long and short jumps. Each race was a fierce contest, with athletes pushing themselves to the limit in the scorching heat. The competition was incredibly close, with mere seconds separating the winners from the runners-up, highlighting the determination and tenacity of all participants. Mascots added a fun and lively element, cheering on the competitors and creating a joyful atmosphere throughout the day. Until then, we eagerly await the next chapter in this unforgettable tradition. Participants from each category showcased their full potential, giving way to the best athletes from every category. Sub - junior best athlete bagged by Nattakan Thongsubkul, junior category best athlete was bagged by Zeenat Sultana and senior category best athlete was bagged by Partigya Sharma.

Right to left : Zeenat Sultana receiving the award best athlete Junior category; A mascot from Griffin house; Falcons starting off their race; Head girl, Stuti Kumari addressing the gathering



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HOLI
CELEBRATION

TEACHER'S DAY

GURUNAK JAYANTI

CHILDREN'S DAY

LOHRI

CHRISTMAS DAY

DUSSHERA

JANMASHTAHMI

CELEBRATION



In the end, celebrating festivals at Vantage isn't just about sticking to traditions; it's about creating a lively, close-knit community where joy, learning, and connection are at the heart of everything we do. Whether we're splashing colors during Holi, sharing a laugh on Teacher's Day, or digging into sweet treats during Christmas, these celebrations help us grow in ways no textbook ever could. They bring us together, spark creativity, and remind us to appreciate life's little joys, like a shared joke, a fun dance move, or the feeling of teamwork. Whether it's the food, the music, or the silly games, we've got the perfect blend of everything that makes festivals feel like family. It's not just about following rituals—it's about making memories with the people who turn every moment into something unforgettable. So, if you ever find yourself at Vantage during a festival, be ready for lots of laughs, dancing, and maybe a little mess, because at Vantage, every celebration is an adventure, and you'll definitely want to be a part of it!





Dussehra celebration by Thunderbird House



Dussehra



Christmas celebration



Janmashtami celebration by Griffin House



Guru Nanak Jayanti celebration by Phoenix house



Children's Day



Teacher's Day



Children's Day





Outings and *Trips*



Bhadraj Trek

The Grade 11 students recently embarked on an exciting trek from our school campus to the daring mountains of Bhadraj Temple. As they climbed the steep, rugged path, they helped and encouraged each other, pushing through the challenge together. Along the way, they were treated to stunning scenic views and took moments to engage in birdwatching, appreciating the peaceful surroundings. The thrill of getting lost in the vast mountains, coupled with the chilly air as they climbed higher, added an adventurous spirit to the journey. Despite the difficulty of the climb, the students found joy in the shared experience with friends, their laughter echoing through the mountains. Upon reaching the temple, they offered their prayers and took in the peaceful view around them—a perfect reward for their efforts.



The Silent Bakery by the Deaf

The Junior Falcons recently visited the Bajaj Institute for the Learning of Deaf Children, an NGO dedicated to fostering inclusivity. During the visit, the students interacted with the children, gaining an understanding of the challenges they face and the innovative ways they overcome them to create a more engaging environment. One notable initiative of the institute is the Silent Bakery, where all products are made by deaf individuals. The Falcons had the opportunity to order a variety of savoury and sweet treats from the bakery, enjoying a delightful snack while supporting this meaningful venture. The visit provided valuable insights into inclusivity and the importance of creating supportive communities.





Indian Military Academy

The Grade 7 and Grade 11 students recently visited the Indian Military Academy (IMA) to witness the prestigious Passing Out Parade. The Falcons started their day early, eager to secure front-row seats and enjoy an excellent view of the event. As the parade began, they were captivated by the synchronized marching and the precise commands given by the officers, which displayed a remarkable level of discipline and coordination. The students were particularly fascinated by the sight of the officers, dressed in immaculate uniforms, with their rifles and swords reflecting the sunlight as they proudly marched forward. The moment of receiving medals and uniforms was a highlight, symbolizing the dedication and hard work the officers had put into their training. The experience left a lasting impression on the students, inspiring them with the values of discipline, dedication, and service to the nation.



A Trip to Mussoorie

The Grade 12 students recently enjoyed a memorable day trip to Mussoorie, one of the most beautiful hill stations in India. The day was filled with laughter, good food, and breathtaking scenery, as they explored the picturesque surroundings with their friends. Roaming along Mall Road, they soaked in the charming atmosphere of the hill station, with its vibrant shops and scenic views. The trip provided them with the perfect opportunity to relax and create unforgettable memories, making the most of their time together before they embark on their next journey. The beauty of Mussoorie, combined with the joy of being surrounded by friends, made this day a truly special experience for all.





National Games

The Falcons had the incredible opportunity to experience the thrill and excitement of the National Games, where they witnessed the competitive spirit of athletes from across the country. From hearing about renowned players to finally watching them compete in real life, the experience was unforgettable. The event featured a variety of sports, including shooting, wrestling, weightlifting, badminton, squash, and more. The Falcons observed athletes waiting anxiously for their turn, with parents silently praying for their success. The dedication and focus of the players were truly inspiring — each one knew exactly why they were there and what they hoped to achieve. Our Falcons were also seen on the big screen, enthusiastically cheering for their state, further fueling the energy of the games. It was a day filled with inspiration, passion, and the true essence of sportsmanship.



Monastery Visit

The Grade 11 students recently had the opportunity to visit a Buddhist temple, where they learned about the culture and teachings of Buddhism. During the visit, they interacted with the children from the school, gaining insights into their daily lives, and participated in a prayer session, showing sincere interest and respect. The temple, surrounded by lush greenery, provided a peaceful and calming atmosphere, with the beautifully designed exterior and intricate details inside leaving a lasting impression on everyone. It was an enriching experience, and the students were grateful for the chance to deepen their understanding of Buddhism and reflect in such a calm environment.



ANNUAL TRIPS



COORG

GRADE 11

Our school trip to Coorg was such a vibe. The place is straight-up gorgeous—green hills, coffee everywhere, and cool weather that made us forget we were in South India. Abbey Falls was insane (in the best way), and Dubare Elephant Camp was a core memory, watching them bathe was surreal.

The evenings were the best part!! Everyone in one place, playing games, sharing snacks, staying up way too late, and laughing over the silliest stuff. It felt like we all got closer, even with people we didn't usually hang out with at school. And of course, the teachers tried to make us sleep early, but that didn't happen.

Coorg wasn't just pretty landscapes. It gave us time to breathe, to slow down, and just enjoy being with our friends without all the pressure. We made memories we're still talking about and probably will for a long time.





MUMBAI

GRADE- 10

Right after boards, a few of us, went on a school trip to Mumbai, and honestly, it was the perfect way to unwind. The small group made it feel more like a fun friend getaway than a school trip. We explored places like Marine Drive, Gateway of India, and chilled at Juhu Beach with street food and sunset vibes.

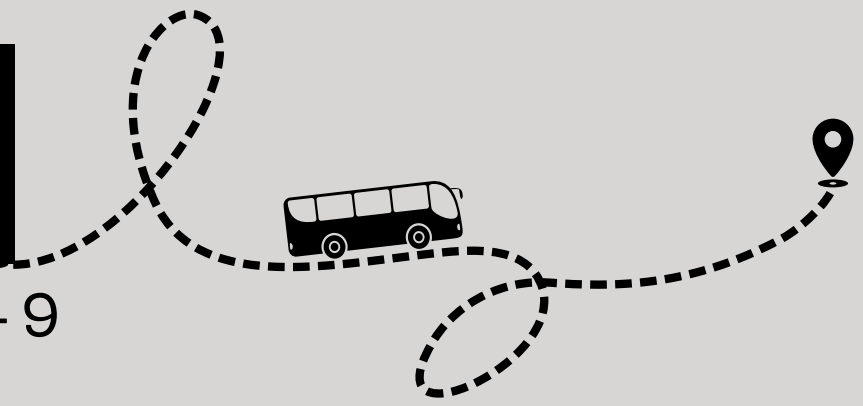
We also visited some cool cafes, did a bit of shopping, and even squeezed in a quick trip to Film City. The energy of Mumbai was unreal—fast, chaotic, but exciting. With fewer people, everything felt more personal, and we made some amazing memories.

Best post-board stress buster ever!!!!.



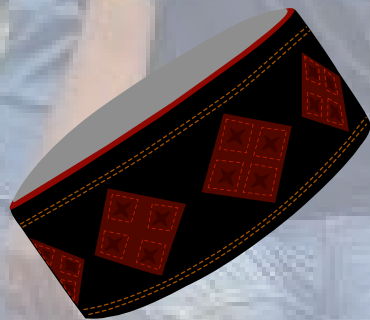
MANALI

GRADE- 9



Our school trip to Manali during the light summer was one of the most relaxing and refreshing experiences. Even without snow, the place was beautiful—green hills, cool breezes, and clear skies everywhere. We visited Solang Valley, Hidimba Temple, and did some fun adventure activities like ziplining and river crossing.

We definitely created some of the core memories along this trip and countless inside jokes. This is the trip i'm sure everyone from our grade will always cherish and remember.





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HOUSE OF THE YEAR



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SPORTS TROPHY OF THE YEAR GRIFFIN HOUSE



ARTS/ PERFORMING ARTS TROPHY OF THE YEAR PHOENIX HOUSE



KHUSHI GUPTA

SCHOOL SPORTS CAPTAIN
NATIONAL-LEVEL SQUASH PLAYER

A dedicated athlete and inspiring leader, Khushi has shown across every field she stepped on. Her hard work, sportsmanship, and all-round excellence earned her the Sportsperson of the Year title. She leaves behind a legacy of passion, perseverance, and pride.



SPORTSPERSON OF THE YEAR

VANI BISHT

ALL ROUNDER –
EXTRA CURRICULARS

A dedicated performer, She has dazzled in every inter-house and inter-school event. Be it dance, drama, or music – Vani does it all with flair. A true representative of creative spirit, she has rightfully earned the title of Artist of the Year.



ARTIST OF THE YEAR



Class Of 2025

superlatives





Ananya Garg

Most likely to have a monologue for every situation



Muskan Kumari

Most likely to break the laws of physics during a leap



Kanak Gelani

Most likely to be found in a blanket fort at 3am



Naisha Kumar

Most likely to sprint for 90 minutes and still not get tired



Shreya Yadav

Most likely to be found sleeping in the closet



Anushka Chouhan

Most likely to "console" you when sad



Shreya Sikdar

Most likely to do a Disney voiceover



Navya Chugh

Most likely to be your partner in crime while being strict



Saanvi Narayan

Most likely to get busted singing in the bathroom



Aarya Rao

Most likely to high five a stranger's dog



Wanee Taneja

Most likely to get the Wonka golden ticket



Aarna Rathore

Most likely to get famous via reels



Sakshi Singh

Most likely to turn a pair of chopsticks into drumstick



Aanandi Khurana

Most likely to start a war over the last cookie



Rinzey Lhamu

Most likely to sleep through an earthquake



Khushi Gupta

Most likely to get kicked out of a store for laughing too loud



Dhyana Joshi

Most likely to become a politician



Manya Bhatiya

Most likely to forget they have a test but still get the highest score



Aananya Bansal

Most likely to own the maximum number of sportscars



Rishika Singh

Most likely to become a lowkey rapper



Likha Reemum

Most likely to die first in a zombie apocalypse



Martha Zothansangi

Most likely to walk into a room and forget why they went in



Agrima Tolani

Most likely to teach a dog how to break dance



Harman Batra

Most likely to win Golden Globes, Oscar and Emmy in one year



Sameeksha Negi

Most likely to think they've gotten superpowers after a cup of coffee



Kunishka Satija

Most likely to do something silly and pretend it was on purpose



Sanchi Singhal

Most likely to have more storage dedicated to photos than actual apps



Shaily Bhauka

Most likely to perfect every step (and every detail)



Aniya Kedia

Most likely to accidentally start a person's character development arc



Nitya Wadhwa

Most likely to trip over nothing and apologize to it



Anusha Sharma

Most likely to hit a high note but jump at a small noise



Urvi Tomar

Most likely to get lost in a straight line



Shreya Singh

Most likely to have an existential crises over a fictional character



Hiral Jasuja

Most likely to smell like a dream but forget to eat dinner



Avni Dev Pharasi

Most likely to end up in a reality show



Stuti Kumari

Most likely to give you a side-eye over her book and then a brilliant comeback



Trisha Mallick

Most likely to start a conspiracy theory



Aratrika Ghosh

Most likely to analyze the emotional journey of their phone charging cable





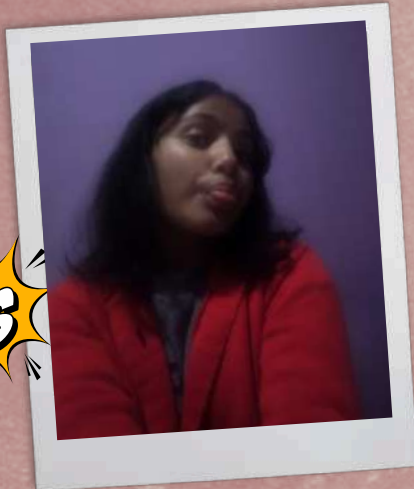
Messages from *Loved Ones*

Messages From the Loved Ones

Aratrika!

As you are going to complete your school days, our hearts swell with pride and joy! The little girl who once toddled holding our hands, has become a confident young woman ready to conquer the world. Tears fill our eyes as we remember every step of your journey, beginning with writing A-B-C, sitting on our laps. You've made us so proud, not just today, but every day. Keep shining, Dear. The world is yours, and we'll always be here, cheering you on.

- Mr. Achinto Gosh



Dear **Sanvi**,

Wherever life's path may lead you, I pray you'll always stay safe. Don't let the challenges in life stop you from moving forward. Don't let your fears hold you back from dreaming. No matter what, don't give up. Believe in yourself. You are stronger than you realize.

Love mom

- **Preety Gupta**



Dear **Sanchi**,

Congratulations Darling for your outstanding performance in school, my lovely daughter, your dedication and hard work have truly paid off. I am so proud of your achievements in school.

Keep reaching for the stars, fulfill your dreams my loving daughter my Dhadkan.

Love mom

- **Bhavna singhal**



Urvi,

believe in yourself, don't stress, just do your best, remember every exam is just a step towards your bright future, stay calm and do your best.

Good luck.

- **Mrs. Sumitra Tomar**



Dearest Chiku (**Reemum**)

As you complete this important chapter of your life, we are feeling proud of the wonderful person you've become. Your hard work, kindness, and determination have always inspired us, and we know you are destined to achieve great things. May this yearbook be a reminder of all the beautiful memories, friendships, and lessons you've gathered along the way from your prestigious school and learned from teachers. Remember, this is just the beginning — the world is waiting for you, and we know you'll shine wherever you go. Stay true to yourself, keep dreaming big, and never stop believing in your potential.

With endless love and pride,

Mummy & Papa



Dear **Aarna**,

Watching you grow into a confident, accomplished woman has been a privilege. Your clear vision, ambition, and determination make you truly exceptional. You possess a rare blend of talent and charisma that sets you apart. It's inspiring to see you pursue your goals with such passion and dedication. We have no doubt that you will achieve great things and leave a lasting impact. Keep believing in yourself, and never stop striving for excellence.



My Dear **Naisha**,

As we reflect on this past 17 plus years, our heart is full of pride for everything you've accomplished. You've grown so much, not just in achievements but in wisdom and strength. We remember how you handled all the challenges and silently battles and fought with them, and it fills us with admiration. Keep carrying that determination and kindness with you. No matter where life leads you, know that we believe in you and will always be here cheering you on. You are truly amazing and so sweet. We are proud of you Naisha Betaaaaaa....

With all our love.

Manish & Sunita



My message to my sweet daughter is that the hard work you have done in the last 2-3 years is incomparable. You have made us feel proud. You are a blessing, a miracle and a gift beyond words. I am honoured to be your mother.

Sameeksha, you are a determined girl. You have achieved a lot in these 2-3 years.

I want to thank all those teachers who taught my daughter to work hard. **Sameeksha**, keep moving ahead with the same dedication, you will definitely achieve your goals. I love you always and forever.

Love **Mom**.



To My Beautiful Daughter **Agrima** ❤️

You are the Best Gift I have ever received. You make me Proud in so many ways. You are Braver than you believe, Stronger than you seem, Smarter than you think, and Loved more than you Know. I Believe in your Strength, your Courage, your Ability to Rise. I want you to believe deep in your Heart that You are capable of Achieving anything you put your mind to. Just go forth and aim for Skies.

Love you Forever
Dad



Dear **Stuti**,

Watching you grow over the past six years has been a journey filled with pride and joy. From a young girl stepping into boarding school to a confident leader as School Captain, you have shown strength, dedication, and kindness at every step. This is just the beginning of your bright future—carry forward the values, friendships, and lessons you've gained. Believe in yourself, chase your dreams, and know that we are always cheering for you!

With love and pride,
Mumma & Papa



Manya

"Hey sweetie, mera mithu I just wanted to take a moment to tell you how proud I am of the incredible person you're growing up to be! Your kindness, empathy, and determination inspire me every day. It is my heartfelt gratitude to all the teachers of Vantage Hall for inspiring and educating her. (A special thanks to Parmar Ma'am). Keep shining your light and chasing your dreams - I'll be here cheering you on every step of the way!"



My Dearest **Rinzey**,

As you stand at the threshold of a new chapter in your life, I want to take a moment to tell you how incredibly proud I am of you. Your journey has been nothing short of inspiring. From the tender age of three, you have shown immense strength, resilience, and determination, studying away from home and adapting to every challenge life has presented. Every time we dropped you off at school, it was never easy for us, and parting with you always left us emotional. Even at Vantage, we eagerly waited for your Sunday calls, cherishing every word and holding onto those precious moments. Now, as you prepare to step out of your school life and into a different world, know that this is just the beginning of an even greater journey. Carry with you the values, discipline, and wisdom you have gained over the years. Face every challenge with confidence, embrace new opportunities with an open heart, and never forget that no matter where life takes you, home will always be here, and we will always be by your side.

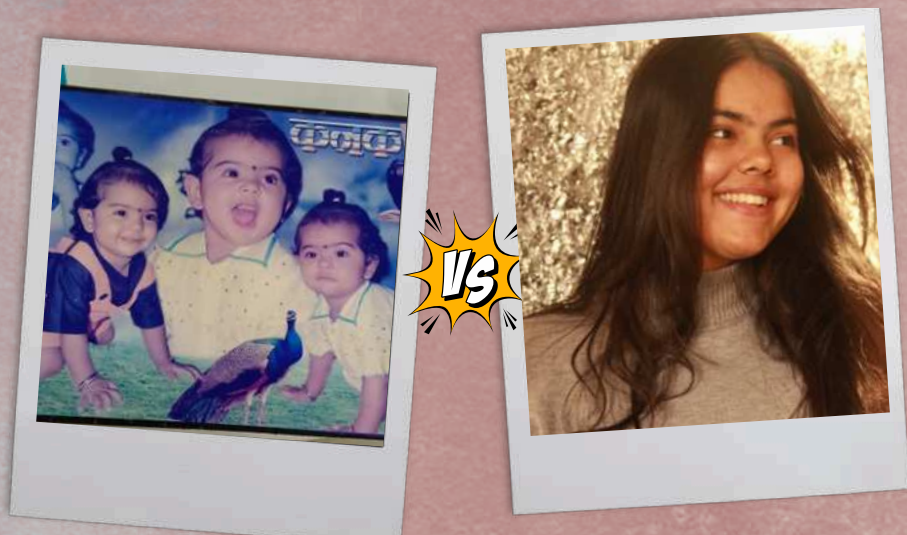
With immense love, pride, and blessings,
Papa, mummy, Popo & Momo



Kanak

My dear daughter, I am so proud of the incredible person you've become. Your kindness and love shine in everything you do, and your dedication in sports shows the strength of your character. You inspire those around you with your passion and hard work. As you move forward in your career, I wish you nothing but success and happiness. Always remember to follow your heart, trust in yourself, and know that I will always be here cheering you on. I love you!

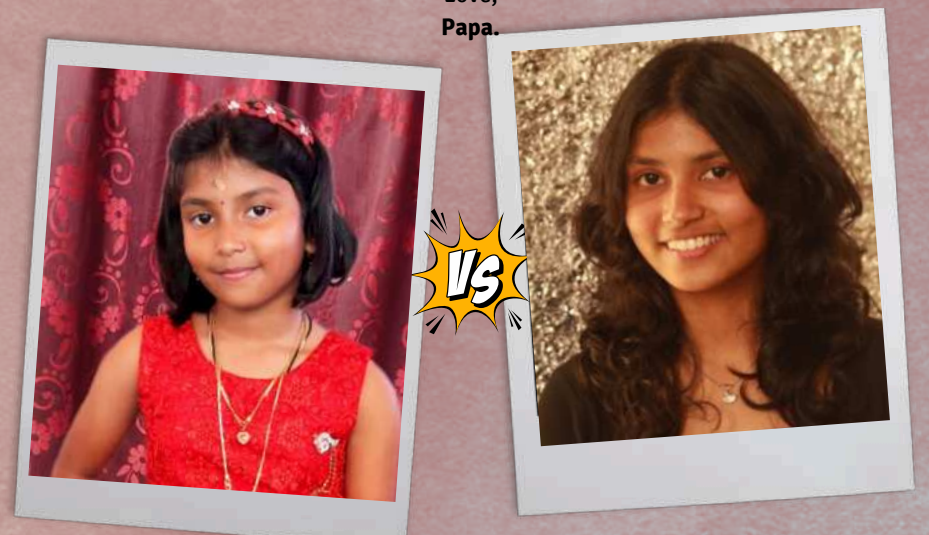
Love **mom**



Shreya Sikdar

Hi Babu, I am beyond happy and incredibly proud of you as you reach this significant milestone in your life. Your hard work, dedication, and resilience have truly paid off, bringing you to this moment of triumph. Watching you grow and blossom into such a remarkable, compassionate, and intelligent young woman has been an absolute joy and privilege. As you step into new beginnings, always trust in yourself and pursue your dreams with unwavering determination. Our family deeply misses your presence during every occasion, festival, and family gathering. Do you remember the day I dropped you back at the hostel after the pandemic lockdowns? As a father, I could see how hard you struggled to hold back your tears so that Papa could stay strong. Words aren't enough to express the grief and pain Papa suffered that day, but with heavy hearts, we understand that this journey is for the betterment of your future. Keep shining, beta.

Love,
Papa.



My dear **Nitya**,

You are special to us, We will always be there for you no matter what happens, We believe in you and we love you so much.

Love,
Mom and Dad.



Shaily

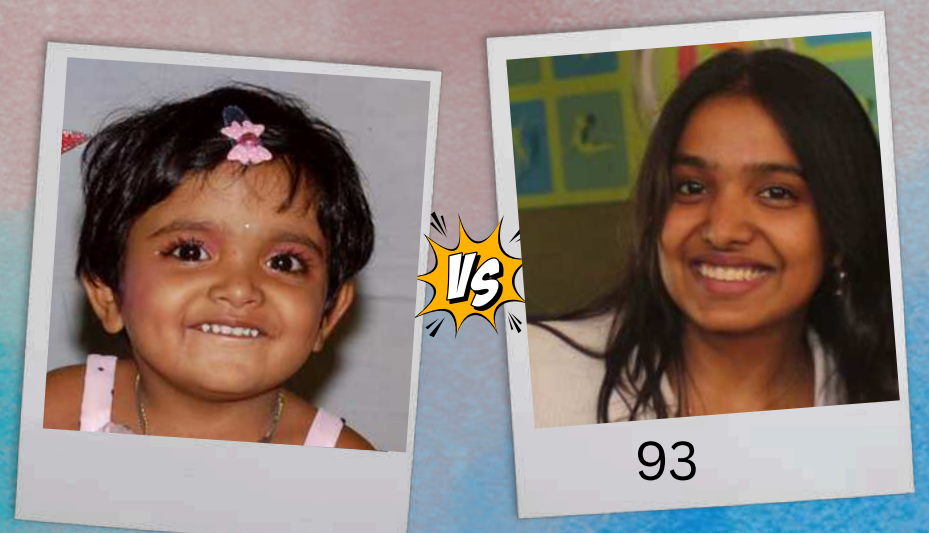
Hello To Our Beautiful Angel

We know this time is very stressful for you but don't fear my dear always face the situation with positive thoughts with you. You are a very beautiful girl with a kind heart. Believe in your hard work and God, for you will achieve all that you deserve. Mumma & Papa will always be there with you in every steps of your life. So keep doing hard work. Our blessings are always with you. Definitely one day you will make your parents proud and fly high.

Always shine like a rising star.

Lots of love, mera bacha.

Mumma & Papa



Wanee

As you step out of the school gate for the last time, know that this journey has shaped the incredible person you are today. We remember how 6th standard Wanee was all excited to start her journey at Vantage and now look you're all grown up choosing which college is best for you. Since the day you have stepped in Vantage you have always made us proud whether in your studies or sports. We're so proud of you Wanee, keep making your name shine everywhere you go . Embrace the future with confidence, chase your dreams fearlessly, and never stop learning.

We love you beta.

-Your proud Taneja Family



Dear Daughter Trisha,

Watching you blossom in school with such dedication and accomplishment fills our hearts with immense pride. You're not just achieving great grades but also growing into an incredible young woman with a bright mind and kind heart. You have faced every challenge with grace and determination. Future holds endless possibilities for you, and I know you'll achieve more than you imagined. Proud to honor your achievements today, and we wish you all the luck for **your high school** graduation and college life!

Keep shining and always remember that you can achieve anything you set your mind to!

Love you always."

Mama and Papa



Martha

It's hard to believe how fast time has flown by! We vividly remember the day you first joined Vantage Hall, walking alongside Mrs. Parmar towards the hostel, taking your first brave steps into independence. Though the separation was tough for both you and us, we're incredibly proud of the strong, courageous, and determined person you've become - embodying all the qualities we hoped our daughter would possess.

Thank you, Vantage Hall, for nurturing our child into an exceptional person

To our beloved daughter, thank you for making our dreams a reality. May you continue to be blessed with all the good things in life. Remember, when challenges arise: hard work triumphs, dedication beats luck, and perseverance prevails. Never forget your Creator and the values we've instilled in you.

We love you so much



Dear Ananya Garg,

Oye meri pyaari, full-on drama queen aur Vantage ki bindass senior!

Lagta hai kal hi ki baat hai jab tu chhoti si bag pack karke hostel gayi thi, aur aaj dekh—Grade XII ki boss lady ban gayi! Teri "5 min aur sone do" wali aadat, doston ke saath midnight gossip, aur exam ke din panic mode—sab ek dum blockbuster yaadein hain jo hamesha yaad aayengi!

Bas ek baat yaad rakh—Apni mastiwali Ananya kabhi mat badalna! Teri hasi, tera swag, aur tera "Papa, mujhe ye chahiye" wala attitude—sab kuch priceless hai! Life ek rollercoaster hai, kabhi up kabhi down, bas tu hamesha apne full swag ke saath enjoy karti rehna!

Ab Ayaan ka bhi message le le—

"Didi, jaldi ghar aa, par mera remote mat cheenna! Aur haan, tere bina masti aadhi ho gayi hai... but yeh baat kisi ko mat batana!"

Aur haan, ghar ka fridge, Maa ka multi-cuisine khaana 🍕, aur hamari last-night thriller series sessions—sab tere bina adhoore hain! Jo bhi tera favorite dish ho, woh banake rakhne ka maza tabhi hai jab tu dining table pe apne "Maa, ek aur serve kar do" wale nakhre dikhaye! Aur Maa ka gyaan toh tu jaanti hi hai—kabhi life ke shortcuts ke bare mein, kabhi duniya ki reality check, aur kabhi bas isliye kyunki Maa ka kehna hai! Lekin sach kahun, ye gyaan wale sessions bhi tere bina adhoore lagte hain. Jaldi aa, warna Maa tere bina mujhe hi lecture dene lagengi!

Miss you, love you, and super proud of you!

Maa, Papa & Ayaan



My Dear **Anusha**,
Even though you are growing up, you'll always be
my little girl now your dreams are within reach;
never stop believing in yourself.

Love Papa



My Dear **Arya**,
We've watched you growing up, but you'll always
be our little girl. Even though now your dreams are
within reach; never stop believing in yourself.

Yiu've always been our strongest child.

Love Mom & Dad



Dear **Hiral**,
Watching you grow into the wonderful person you are today has
been our GB greatest joy. Your dedication, kindness, and strength
inspire us every day. As you embark on new adventures, remember
that you are capable of achieving anything you set your heart on.

Keep shining!

With love,
Mom & Dad



Hi **Harman** ,
Writing something for the yearbook took us to memories. Right from
the day you were born till date we found you to be an exception. This
may also be because every parent probably thinks the same about
their children. But we have said this because we have seen you
making your own decisions since you were young and want this to
continue but with a positive mind set. We will continue to support
and guide you in all your good works. Therefore, keep doing good to
prove that you are on earth with some purpose.

All the Best.
Meenu Hardesh



Avni my Jaan, you have grown to be an incredible young woman!
Your caring heart, leadership spirit, and sharp mind inspire & surprise me every day. You excel in sports, have a keen eye for beauty in everything you do, and stand strong for what you believe in is right. Your empathy and kindness towards others are qualities that will take you far. Remember, you're capable of achieving anything you set your mind to. Keep shining your light and never lose faith in yourself.
I love you beyond words and am soooo proud to be your Mother!



Aanandi

I can't believe my lil one has grown up and turned into a beautiful woman in and out. I am so proud of you for overcoming all the challenges and succeeding in them in the most astonishing way. Now that you are bidding for a final goodbye to your school make sure you thank it enough for bringing the best version of yours and changing you into a better person. Vantage hall you clearly made my daughter utilise her whole potential to the best use.

I love you,
Mom



Dear **Aananya**,
As you turn the pages of this yearbook in the years to come, may it bring back fond memories of laughter, friendship, and growth. Each challenge you've faced has made you stronger, and each moment you've shared has shaped who you are today. Continue to chase your dreams with passion and confidence. The future is bright, and I have no doubt that you will achieve great things.
Wishing you success and happiness always!
Ankur Bansal



Dear **Dhyana**,

As you turn the page to a new chapter in life, we couldn't be prouder of the incredible young woman you've become. Your hard work, kindness, and determination have shaped a path of success, and we know this is just the beginning of your journey. Always believe in yourself, embrace challenges, and chase your dreams fearlessly. No matter where life takes you, remember—you are deeply loved and endlessly supported.

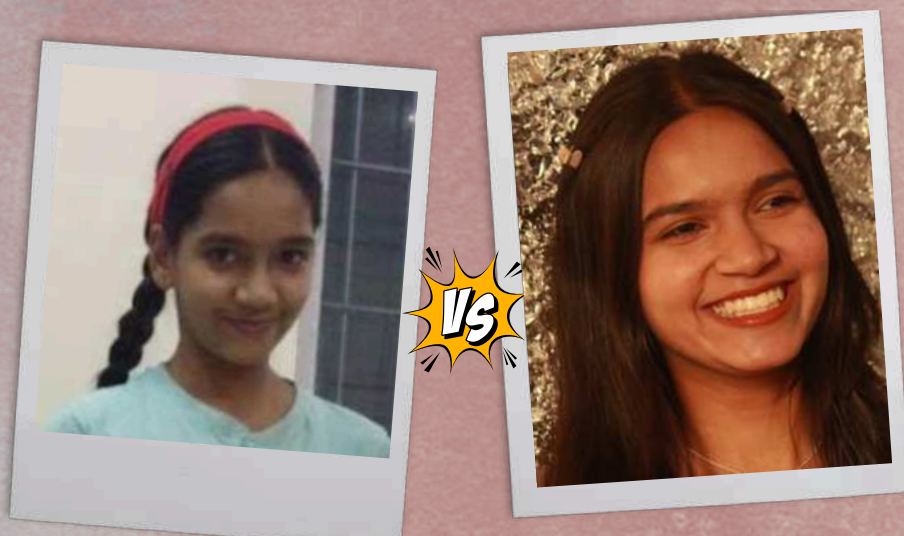
With all our love,
DHARMENDRA & JOSHI FAMILY



Dear **Muskan**

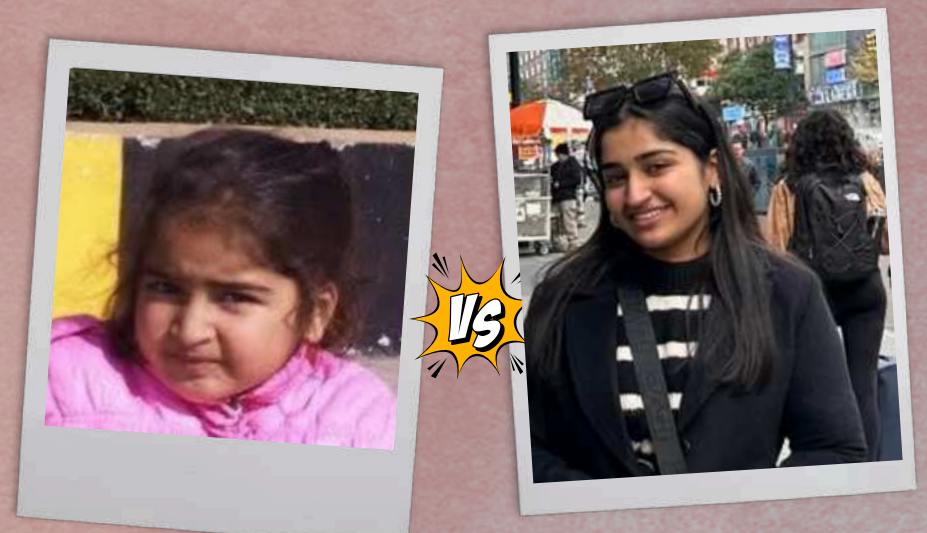
We are so proud of your dedication and hard work, "You've grown into such a bright and responsible young person, You have a wonderful ability to connect with others and bring people together. "We're so happy to have been a part of your journey, and know you'll excel.

"Keep chasing your dreams, you have the potential to do great things."



Dear **Navya**,

Watching you grow into the incredible person you are today has been my greatest joy. Your hard work, kindness, and strength inspire me every day. As you step into this new chapter, never stop believing in yourself and chasing your dreams. No matter where life takes you, know that I will always be here, cheering you on with love and pride. The world is lucky to have you—go shine!



Shreya Singh

You Illuminated our home and our lives as Diya (The Lamp). As Shreya you have completed your secondary education with Vantage Hall in subjects of your choice.

Farewell is just an occasion to say goodbye to the present stage and step ahead in the next stage of life. On this occasion,

We pray for Wisdom, Health, Happiness and SUCCESS in fields of preference at all stages of life to you and all your colleagues.

We also wish for Vantage Hall to grow as a PREMIERE INSTITUTION of education for girls around the world.

Love Mom



Kunishka,

First of all We would say to our daughter that Thank you for being the beautiful daughter that you are. We wish we could find the perfect words to tell you how proud we are of all you have done and everything you have become. Every time we see you we know that we are looking at as beautiful a gift we as anyone has ever been given and we know that we couldn't have been blessed with anyone more wonderful than the daughter that you are. We all love you the way you are. Every parent thinks that our child should be like this or that. But we can proudly say you are in the best way already. You stay miles apart from us but you are always close to our heart. Living far away you have achieved lots of achievement of your life like .You become a house captain in which you learn how to work with a team and experience the meaning of unity which is the best experience of life. You took part in many other activities like dance competition, debate competition, nukkad natak in which you performed amazingly. You also won medals in gaming championships and lastly we say that you always do and give your best towards studies. In simple words we can say you are all rounder .

You make us so proud. Lastly, we would say Proud of you for staying committed to your dreams even when things got tough.

We All Love you so much.



Dear Khushi,

I am so incredibly proud of everything you've achieved all these years, especially in sports. Your dedication, hard work, and passion have truly shone. Watching you grow into the person you are today fills me with immense joy. A big thanks to Vantage Hall School for providing you with the opportunities to blossom. Here's to even greater success in the future!

*कौन कहता है कि रोशनी चिरागों से ही होती है, बेटियाँ भी घरों में उजाले किया करती हैं ।

With all my love,
Yatin (Father)



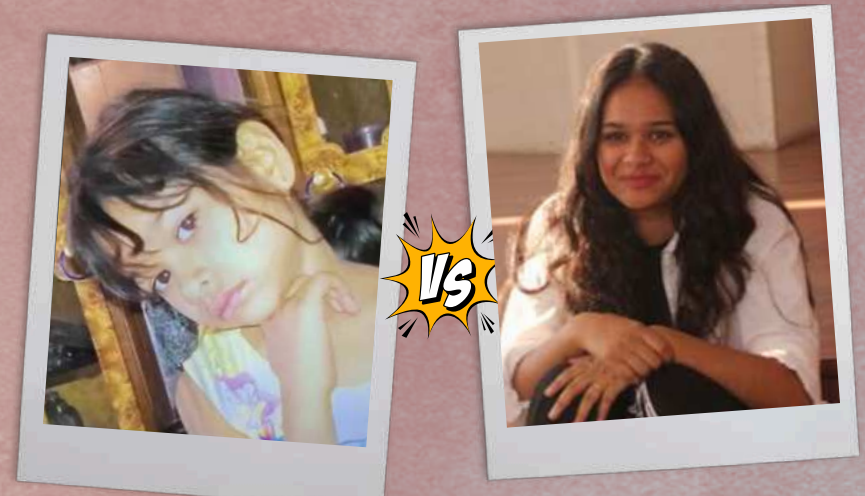
Anushka Chouhan

The speech only you deserve

"The bestest gift is to have a sister and the greatest gift is to have a big sister like you see. I know that it's only me who knows your innerent but, telling you it's only you who knows my heart, my heart bearings and its meanings. Telling you which I think I never told so it goes like "To the world you are! a sister but to me you are the world" That motherly vibe from you fills not only my eyes but my heart with tears That sudden approach of yours makes me feel like success is coming to me That two hour's talk with you in campus makes me feel that lam on the top of the world An eye-contact with you makes me get butterflies because I see you as Bella Hadid, Kylie Jenner so of Course you have to be the prettiest of all time. A hug from you makes my heart gossip with your's about all the nonsense stuff. The proudest moment has to be me telling my friends that, you know what? My sister is the basketball captain!!" So yeah, of course I wanted to write a book on you but I can't.

Telling you I'll die, crying on your farewell and please I need those surprise outings. Telling you again "The distance and the time between us can never change my mind just know that I would die for you."

I'LL MISS YOU A LOT DIDA



Aniya बेटा हर मां-बाप का सपना होता है कि उनके बच्चे बहुत अच्छा करें जिंदगी में आगे बढ़े, पढ़- लिख कर खूब नाम कमाए खासकर बेटियां जिसको आत्मनिर्भर बनाने के लिए हर मां-बाप अपनी जान से भी ज्यादा कोशिश करते हैं अपने कलेजे के टुकड़े को अलग रखकर दूर रहकर उसके उज्ज्वल भविष्य की कामना करते हैं तुम्हारे नहीं रहने से घर पूरा सुना रहता है बेटा तुम बहुत उन्नति करो और आगे बढ़ो यही तुम्हारे पेरेंट्स और भाई की इच्छा है तुम्हारे हर सोच में तुम्हारा पूरा परिवार तुम्हारे साथ खड़ा है

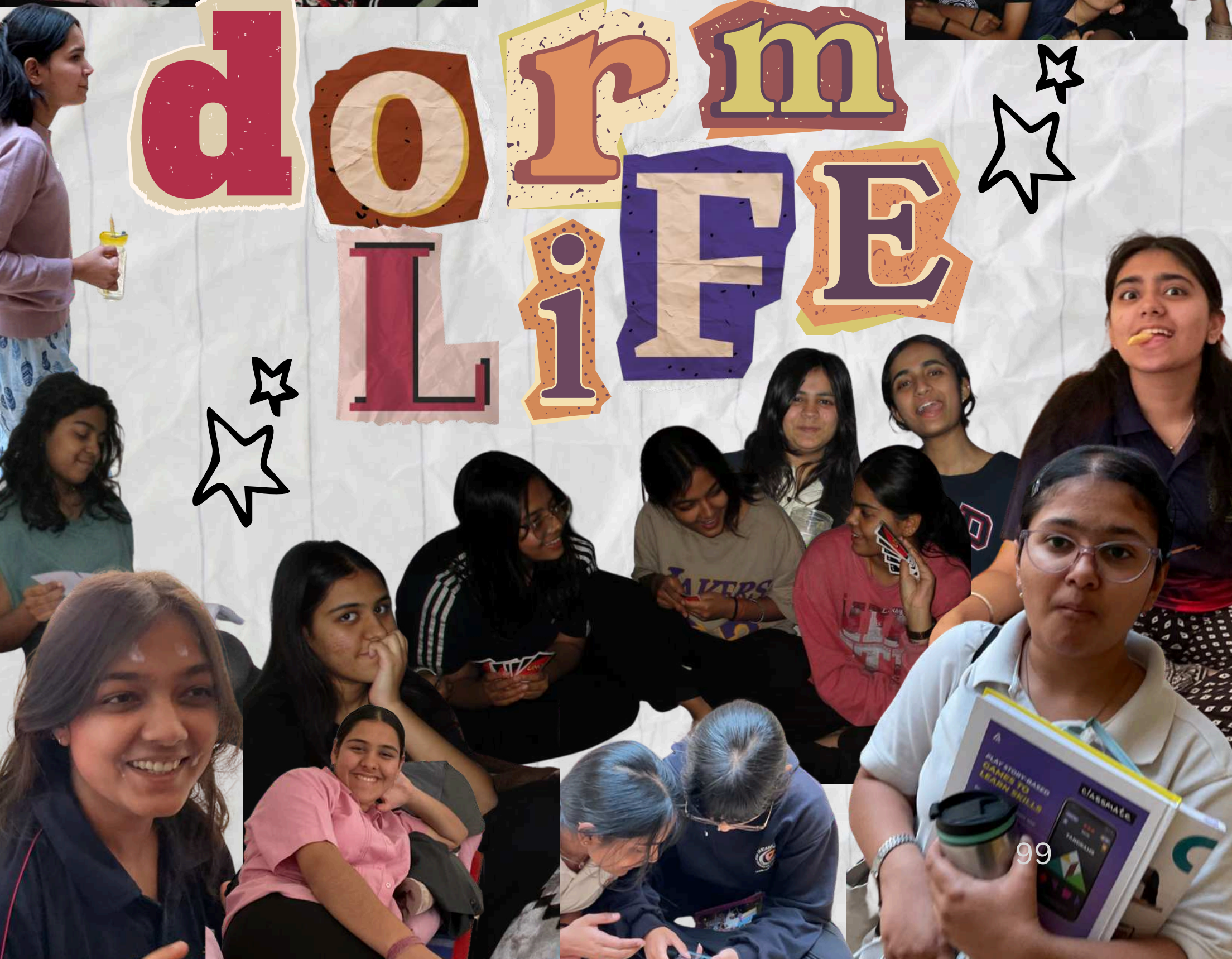
Mummy & Papu



2025



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Exams are like horror movies—except you're the main character and the villain is the syllabus

Lights out?
Yeah, never obeyed,
Morning alarms?
Always delayed.
From last-minute crams to pranks at dawn,
Can't believe we're moving on.



XOXO



REFLECTIONS...





**AVNI DEV
PHARASI**
PH/298

It's hard to begin when you know that every day in this school is one step closer to the end of an era. I still remember the first day I walked into Vantage in 2016 as a fourth grader. My first thought was, "I might get lost here!" Ironically, I didn't even know it was a boarding school—I thought I was going on a camping trip! Sounds funny now, but that was the start of my journey here.

Leaving this place will be hard, knowing I won't walk these halls as a student again. But what I will always carry with me are the lessons and experiences that shaped me. Vantage has taught me that beauty comes in many forms—whether in people, places, actions, or even the smallest gestures. This school has quite literally raised me, moulding me into someone my younger self would look up to.

Vantage opened doors for me, helping me discover my talents in sports and extracurricular activities. If it weren't for this school, I wouldn't have overcome my fear of the stage. I am forever grateful for all the opportunities I was given, and I'm thankful to have given back in my own way through sports and activities. To everyone who had to deal with my attitude—thank you for your patience, and I apologize for any trouble I caused along the way!

As old memories resurface, I remember my fifth-grade self wishing to be a senior. Now that I am one, I wish I could go back in time and relive it all—maybe do it even better.

Vantage will always be a part of me. No matter where life takes me, this place will remain my foundation, my home.



**SANVI
NARAYAN**
PH/453

When I first walked through the gates of this school, I had no idea how much it would come to mean to me. I was just a nervous student trying to find my place, unaware that the walls around me would one day feel like home. Over the years, this place has become more than just a school — it's become a part of me.

From the early morning assemblies to the hurried tiffin breaks, from nervous exam days to carefree laughter echoing in the corridors, every moment has left its mark. The classrooms that once felt intimidating are now filled with memories I'll hold close forever. The teachers who once seemed strict are now mentors I'll always look up to. The friends I made here — they're more than just classmates; they're family.

Now that it's time to say goodbye, my heart feels heavier than I ever expected. I thought I'd be excited to move on, to step into the next chapter of life. But instead, my eyes well up every time I think about leaving. How do you walk away from a place that shaped who you are?

This school has given me more than just an education — it's given me moments I'll never forget, lessons I'll carry for life, and bonds I'll always cherish. As I step out into the world, I do so with gratitude, pride, and an ache in my heart. Thank you for everything — I'll miss this place more than words can say.



**ANANYA
BANSAL**
TH/473

They say “You Only Live Once,” and I guess I took that a little too seriously. From the moment I stepped into this school, I promised myself one thing — I wasn’t going to just survive these years... I was going to live them. Loudly, fully, and unapologetically.

And wow, what a ride it’s been.

From sneaking in a little late and acting like I wasn’t breathless, to last-minute studying before exams, to dancing in the corridors like no one was watching — every moment was a story, every day was an adventure. I may not have followed every rule, but I sure made every second count.

I laughed till my stomach hurt, made friendships that feel like family, and collected memories that I’ll carry long after I walk out of these gates. Yes, there were ups and downs, scoldings and surprise tests, but even those became part of the chaos I secretly loved.

Now, as I’m writing this, the reality is sinking in — it’s really time to go. And for someone who always lived in the moment, it’s strange to look back. This school wasn’t just where I studied; it was where I lived. Where I grew, failed, tried again, and found people who accepted me for the loud, messy, happy chaos I am.

Leaving this place feels like ending a chapter I never wanted to finish. But if there’s one thing I’ve learned, it’s that memories made with your whole heart never really leave you.

So, here’s to the bunked classes, the impromptu photoshoots, the uncontrollable laughter during serious lectures, the friendships that saved me, and the school



**SAKSHI
SINGH**
PH/451

It all felt like a dream—like one of those bedtime stories you never expect to come true. But it did.

Stepping into this place, I had no idea how much it would shape me. I learned what real friendship looks like—the kind that lifts you up when you’re down and celebrates your smallest wins like they’re the biggest. I figured out what commitment means, how leadership isn’t just about being in charge but about standing by your team, and how much teachers actually impact our lives.

Honestly, I never thought I’d say this, but my teachers weren’t just teachers. They were my biggest cheerleaders, mentors, and sometimes even therapists. They believed in me when I doubted myself and pushed me in ways that made me grow.

And then there’s something I’ll never forget—7 Strings. I’d never been in a band before, and I never planned to. But somehow, I ended up starting one. That band was one of the best parts of my time here. It wasn’t just about the music—it was about finally doing something I never thought of, and loving every second of it.

Now that it’s all over, I can’t help but smile (and maybe tear up a little). These years gave me more than I ever imagined—memories, lessons, friendships, and a version of myself I’m proud of. I may have passed out, but this chapter will always stay close to my heart.



**DHYANA
JOSHI**
TH/327

Three years of crying, laughing, sobbing, studying, and making memories I'll never forget. It's crazy how fast time flew, yet how deeply every moment left its mark.

I came in full of energy, ready to take on the world, and those three years turned out to be exactly that—a wild, beautiful ride. I was always the one buzzing with ideas, the one trying to bring people together, and maybe sometimes the one who made things a little louder and brighter.

There were days when I laughed so hard I couldn't breathe, and days when I cried so much I thought I'd never stop. But every single moment—good or bad—taught me something about myself and the people around me.

I learned that it's okay to be vulnerable, that real strength sometimes means letting others see you fall. I saw the power of friendship in the late-night talks and the early morning study sessions. I discovered that leadership isn't just about being in front—it's about lifting others up even when you're struggling too.

And through it all, I found my place—a place where I could be loud, be messy, be me. This journey wasn't perfect, but it was mine. It was filled with challenges that pushed me, successes that humbled me, and friendships that shaped me.

Looking back, I'm grateful for every tear, every laugh, every sob, and every lesson. Because all of it made these three years unforgettable—and made me who I am today.



**AGRIMA
TOLANI**
TH/253

I wish I could pack all these memories into a suitcase and carry them with me forever. Now that it's all over and I'm sitting back and thinking about everything, I realize—it wasn't bad at all.

I'm really going to miss 24-25, the moments that made these years so special. It's wild to think about how seven years felt like seven months, and then suddenly just a week. How did it fly by so fast?

I can't believe this chapter is closing. It feels like yesterday I was just starting out, full of dreams and energy, and now here I am—looking back with a smile and a little bit of disbelief.

These memories, the friendships, the laughter, the struggles—they're all part of me now. And even though it's over, I know these moments will keep playing in my heart like a favorite song I'll never forget.

I've grown in ways I never expected—more confident, more resilient, and more ready to take on whatever comes next. I'm thankful for every person who was part of this journey, even the ones who challenged me, because they helped me become who I am today.

So here's to endings that feel like beginnings, to memories that never fade, and to a future full of new dreams waiting to be chased.



**RISHIKA
SINGH**
TH/454

It's like a home I never had — a place that gave me warmth without walls, and memories without conditions. A place I never wanted to leave, and a chapter I wish I could reread a thousand times over. It wasn't just a school. It was laughter echoing through hallways, shared glances during exams, hurried goodbyes at the end of the day that always turned into long conversations at the gate. It was the chaos, the calm, the friendships that felt like family, and teachers who became guiding lights.

This place became more than comfort — it became my identity. It held space for my fears, my firsts, my failures, and my little victories. And in those shared benches and scribbled notebooks, I found a version of myself I'll carry forever.

Leaving feels like closing the door to a dream, but I leave with a heart full of gratitude. For the people, the lessons, and the feeling of belonging — thank you. You were my home when I didn't know I needed one.



**ANIYA
KEDIA**
GR/452

Every day felt like a quiet conversation with nature — the trees whispering secrets, the skies painting moods I couldn't put into words. And somehow, the campus made that connection even stronger. It wasn't just a place of learning, it was a sanctuary — where the wind carried laughter, and the sun gently watched us grow.

I fell in love with the way the leaves danced when we walked by, how the flowers bloomed like our dreams, slowly but surely. Even the quiet corners had their own stories to tell — of friendship, reflection, and moments of stillness in the rush of life.

This campus gave my love for nature a canvas. And in its peaceful chaos, I found a rhythm — one that made even the hardest days feel softer. It wasn't just the view, it was the feeling — that here, I belonged.

Years will pass, and the paths will change. But the bond I've built with this place, with its skies and trees and open arms — that will stay rooted in me, always.



**KANAK
GELANI**
GR/361

I had so many brilliant experiences to share, but the one that stands out the most is this—when you're about to leave, that's exactly when you learn how to stay.

It's funny how, only at the end, you realize how much you've come to belong somewhere. How every laugh, every tear, every late-night talk wasn't just passing time—it was building a place in your heart.

Leaving feels like a goodbye, but it's also a reminder that some parts of this journey will never really leave you. They stay—quietly, deeply—long after the last day has passed.

So maybe the best lesson I've learned is that sometimes, to truly grow, you have to hold on tight... even as you let go.



**ARATRIKA
GHOSH**
GR/143

My stay at Vantage Hall was longer than the Yellow Brick Road—full of twists, turns, surprises, and moments that felt like magic.

Just like Dorothy's journey, mine wasn't always easy. There were challenges that tested me, moments when I wasn't sure which way to go, and times when I had to find courage I didn't know I had.

But along the way, I found friends who became my true companions, teachers who were my guiding stars, and memories that felt like little pieces of home.

Looking back, this journey was more than just school—it was an adventure that shaped who I am. And though it's time to move on, I'll carry the lessons, the laughter, and the magic with me, no matter where I go next.

Because sometimes, the longest roads lead to the most unforgettable destinations.



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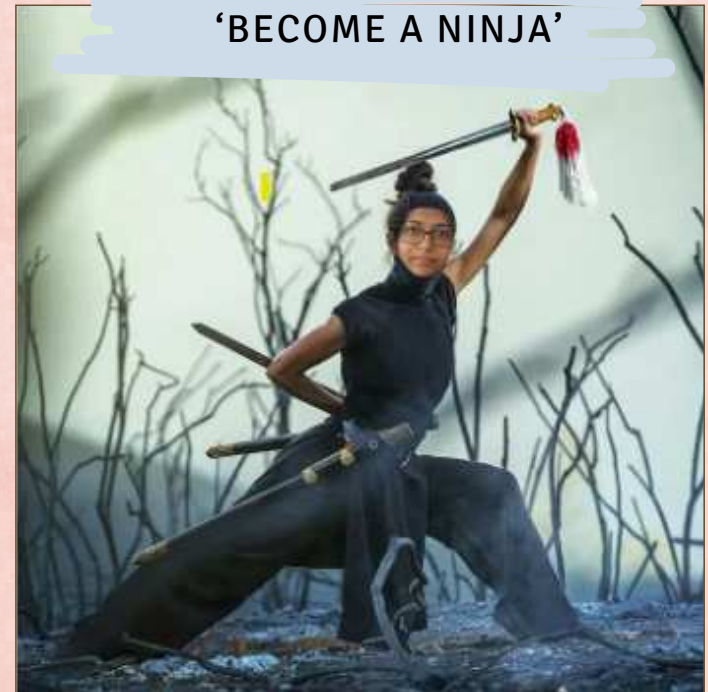
AGRIMA TOLANI
'JOIN A DANCE CREW'



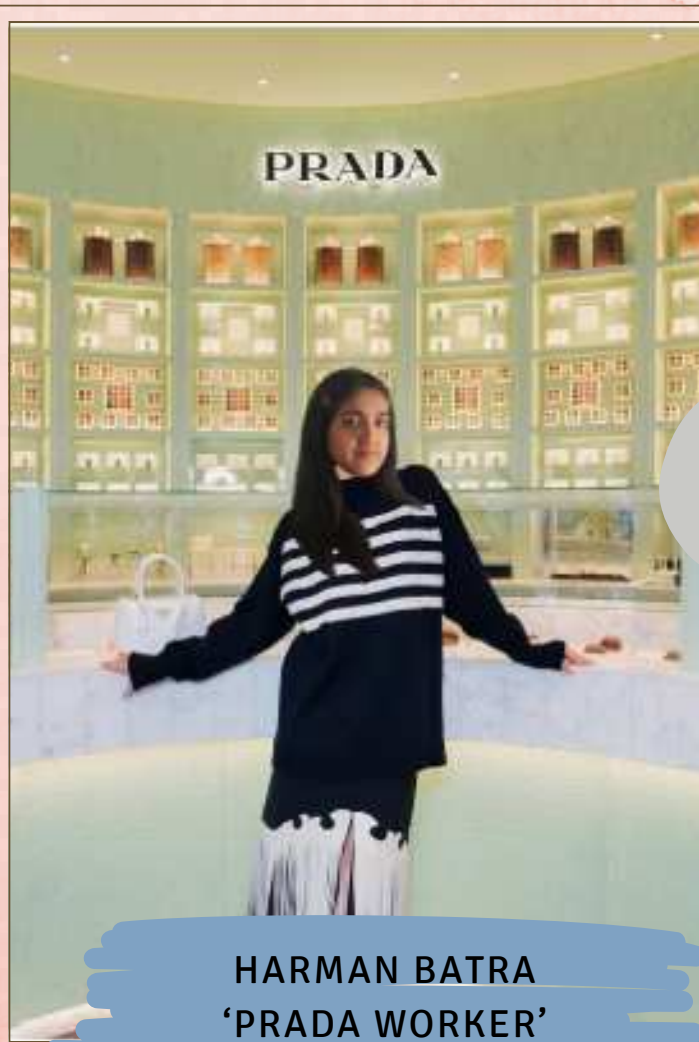
ANANYA BANSAL
"BECOME CATWOMAN!"



ARATRIKA GHOSH
'DONALD TRUMP'S DAUGHTER'



URVI TOMAR
'BECOME A NINJA'

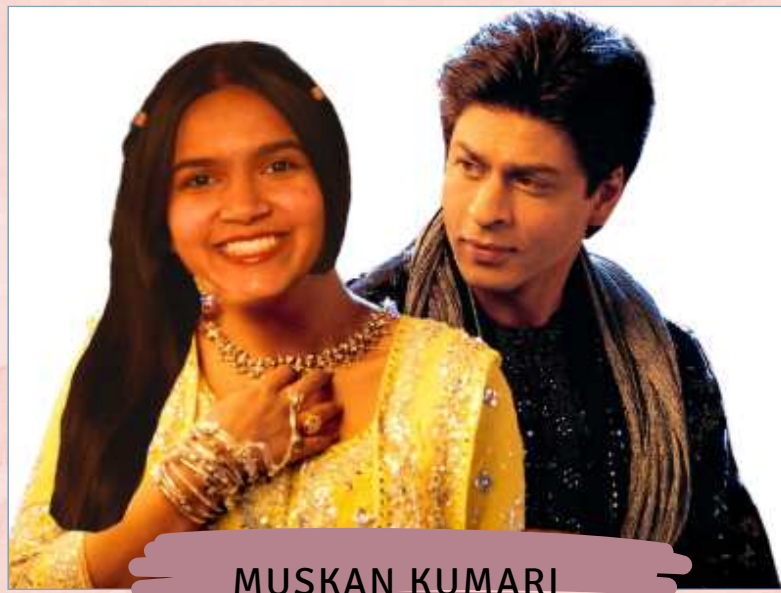


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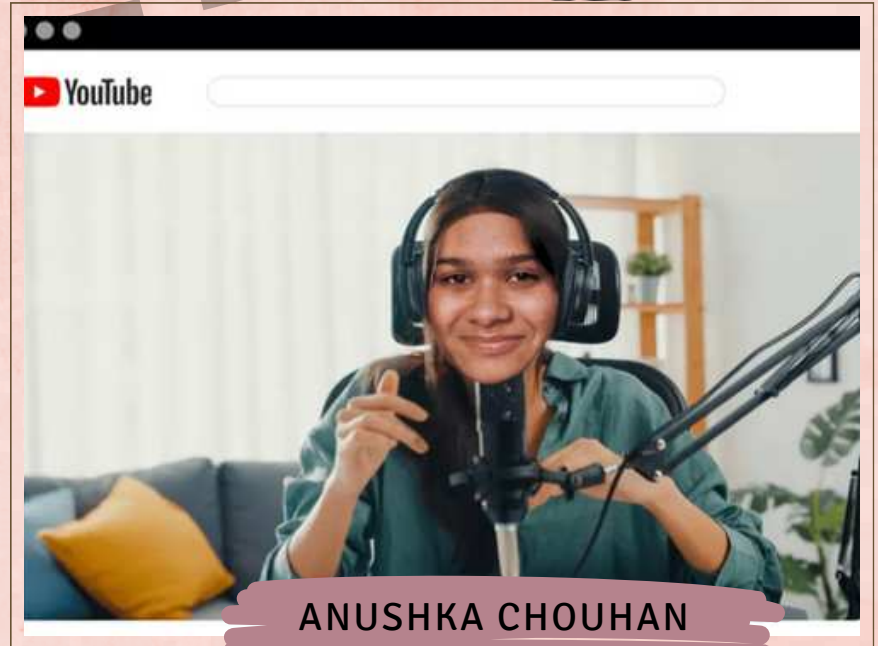


SAMEEKSHA NEGI
'ALAN WALKER'S ASSISTANT'

SANVI NARAYANA
'BE LIKE RATAN TATA'



MUSKAN KUMARI
'ACTRESS'



ANUSHKA CHOUHAN
'YOUTUBE VLOGGER'



KUNISHKA SATIJA
'TRAVEL BLOGGER'



SHREYA SINGH
'TAYLOR SWIFT'S MIC'

NITYA WADHWA
'INFLUENCER/FASHION
STYLIST'



AARNA RATHOR
'MODEL'



SANCHI SINGHAL
'PHOTOGRAPHER'



AANANDI KHURANA
'STAND-UP COMEDIAN'



SHREYA SIKDAR
'SOMEONE'S PAINTING'

Dear Diary

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MOLLEJA



DHYANA JOSHI
'HARVEY SPECTER'S WOMAN
VERSION'



SHREYA YADAV
'PANDA CARETAKER'



KHUSHI GUPTA
'DJ KIKI'



ANUSHA SHARMA
'SINGER'



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it happen

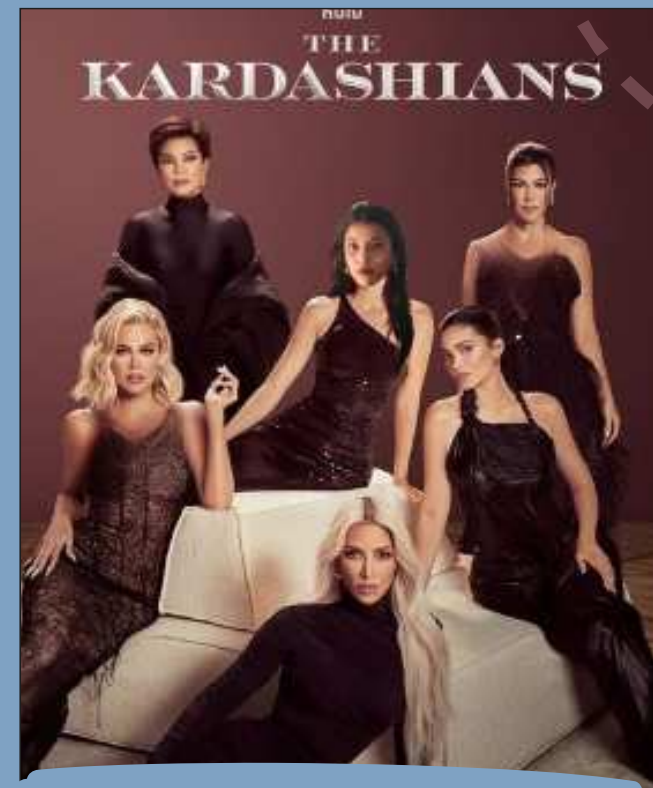


NAISHA KUMAR
'BECOMING BEAR GRYLLS 2.0'

SLAY



AARYA RAO
'PILOT'



AVNI DEV PHARASI
'ONE OF THE KARDASHIANS'



WANEE TANEJA
'FILM DIRECTOR'



SHAILY BHAUKA
'F1 RACER'

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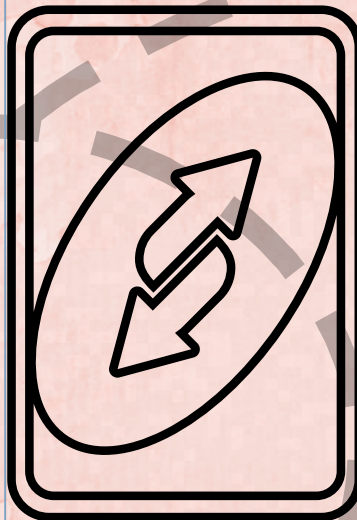
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'PRESIDENT OF INDIA WITH A
HINDI ACCENT'



HIRAL JASUJA
'EK VILLIAN'



RISHIKA SINGH
'GAMER'



REEMUM LIKHA
'DOG WALKER'



KANAK GELANI
'TO BECOME THE DIRECTOR
OF VANTAGE HALL'



xoxo



SAKSHI SINGH
'MEMBER OF CID'



NAVYA CHUGH
'HACKER'



ANANYA GARG
'TO BE JUNG KOOK'S BOTTLE'



ANIYA KEDIA
'STREET DANCER'



Paws & claws



ADDAH

I still remember it was 16th August 2024 when my sister randomly sent me a video of a little dog getting groomed. After begging my parents for 2 years I finally saw a white soft toy running in my house. I couldn't believe my eyes that adaah was now a part of my family and life. Despite spending very less time together, she is my favourite member of my family. When days are a little gloomy she is my reason to smile. She loves to leave her bed and sleep on mine, scratching on the door of my room to let her in. She is the best listener and my sleep partner. She makes me complete because happiness is a wet nose and a wiggling tail.



OSCAR

I love you the most when you sleep beside me, and I get to hug you. I miss you so much, and I love you with all my heart. You truly have my whole heart, my furry friend!



DODO

is not just a dog, he's a joyful bundle of love. His wagging tail and playful spirit fill my days with laughter and warmth. Whether we're at the park or cuddled on the couch, every moment with him is special.



MAX

is more than a pet, he's my best friend, brother, and entire world. I'll never forget the joy of holding him as a little girl. He brings me comfort, laughter, and sometimes frustration when I chase him to see what he's chewing. No matter what, he'll always be my favorite.



WHISKY

Whenever Whisky was around, he wrapped our family in a cozy blanket of safety and love. His sweet presence made everything feel right in the world. I miss him so much, Whisky! You're not just my pet; you're my heart, and I love you more than words can say!

TYSON

you are a little bundle of love, filling my days with warmth and happiness. Your cuddles, your playful energy, and your loving eyes mean the world to me. I cherish every moment with you, and my heart is full because of you. You're my family, my happiness, my forever friend. Love you to the moon and back.



BUCKLE UP TO LIVE LIKE A LEGEND LIST

To live in a frozen castle.

-Manya

To check if there is fall damage
in real life and respawn in
hospital again.

To summon a buzzard and
take over the world.

-Sameeksha

A bank account
that regenerates
like game money.

To sneak out from
school just to eat
momos.

-Reemum

Live like a legend.

-Kanak

**TO BE A PART OF
JUMANJI.**

-NAISHA

**To buy all the limited
editions of L.V.**

-Navya

To be the next extreme
political ideologist leader (I'm
short too)

-Trisha

**TO HAVE SUSHI FOR
THE REST OF MY LIFE.**

-ANANYA GARG

To finally not
check the price tag.

- Rinzey

**TO FLY ON A
CHOCOLATE BAR AND
MEET FAIRY DEVILS.**

-SAKSHI

Have 10 kids.

-Martha

To have my own
library

-Stuti

**TO MAKE
ONIONS
CRY.**

-SIRATRIKA

To open
**Vantage Hall
Boys'
Residential
School.**

-Rishika

**Be the OG they
try to dupe.**

-Agrima

CLIFF JUMPING
WITHOUT WATER
-AVNI PHARASI

Visit la Tomatina Festival in
Spain.
-Ananya Bansal

Get nobita's bread and travel in a
time machine.
-Aniya

Spend a day
with diljit
dosanjh.
-Sanvi

Be a part of the Met gala.
-Shaily

BURY JEALOUS PEOPLE WITH
my SMILE.
-DHYANA

Travel
the whole
world.
-Hiral

BE HAPPILY RICH.
-URVI

TO MAKE A BUCKET LIST
OF THINGS I WANNA
DO BEFORE I DIE AND
THEN ACTUALLY DO IT.
TO STOP
OVERTHINKING ABOUT
CAPTIONS AND JUST
WRITE WHATEVER
COMES TO MIND.
-WANEE

HAVE ICE CREAM DAILY.
-SANCHI

to drive every single car.
-Shreya Yadav

To cancel board exams.
-Anusha

To travel the whole world.
-Nitya

Go to space and eat
macarons.
-Shreya Singh

To drive my own G
Wagon.
-Khushi

TO DO EVERYTHING I'VE
STOPPED MYSELF FROM
DOING.
-ANANDI

Get an oscar then
make it look easy.
-Harman

TO BUY AN
ISLAND.
-MUSKAN

To visit each and every
country with my family.
-Anushka

Meet Adriana
lima.
-Arna

To watch the world bloom
-Arya

VISIT THE PARANORMAL MUSEUM OF
VATICAN CITY.
-KUNISHKA

Dubai's Kunafa chocolate



A delicious fusion of rich milk chocolate, crispy kunafa pastry, and creamy pistachio filling, this treat took the world by storm! Straight out of Dubai, it went mega-viral on TikTok, with influencers raving about its perfect crunch and melt-in-your-mouth goodness.

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Rich, velvety . This chocolate takes indulgence to a whole new level. One bite, and you'll forget all about your plans for the day (or week). 10/10, would eat again, immediately.

-Kamakshi Singh

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Adidas SAMBAS

If you're all about minimalist design with top-tier materials, Sambas might just hit the mark for you. They have that iconic look, with a low-stacked, simple silhouette that pairs well with nearly anything. Lightweight and pliable, they're easy on the feet for everyday wear,

totally

Here's your daily dose of internet trends of the year.

TRENDING

In 2024, social media trends on Instagram and TikTok took over, from viral challenges to must-try filters. Whether it was mastering the latest dance or sharing everyday moments, these platforms kept us connected and entertained. Here's a look at the trends that had everyone talking and clicking "share"!

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Stanley CUP

Everyone had a giant emotional support water bottle, and if it wasn't a Stanley, did it even count? The Stanley Cup bottle is part of a popular trend that plays off the famous Stanley brand of insulated drinkware. Known for their durability and ability to keep drinks hot or cold for long periods, Stanley bottles have become a social media sensation, especially among sports fans and outdoor enthusiasts.

"Absolutely love my Stanley Cup! It's the perfect combination of style and functionality. The design is sleek and sturdy, and it keeps my drinks cold for hours—perfect for long days at work or outdoor adventures.

-Aayat Kaiser Kawosa



GO'S beauty



Love Hyphen's products especially the **lip products** 10/10 recommend

-leesha goel



LANIEIGE is my go-to lip balm. it gives you an **instant lip glow** Definitely a must try. - Anya Sehgal



Aqualogica has taken me by surprise !. it's got **spf to protect your lips from sun damage**. An absolute must for summers - Ridhimma .

4 THE FEUD OF THE GREATESTS



The rift between Kendrick Lamar and Drake started as a friendly collaboration in the early 2010s but turned into a rivalry by 2013, sparked by Kendrick’s competitive verse on “Control.” Subtle disses continued over the years, fueled by their contrasting styles and fan debates. The feud reignited in 2023 when Kendrick rejected being part of a “big three” with Drake and J. Cole on “Like That,” leading to an exchange of direct diss tracks in 2024, including Drake’s “Push Ups” and Kendrick’s “Euphoria,” escalating their once-cordial relationship into a major hip-hop conflict.

Sigma BOY



In internet slang, "sigma" refers to a person, often a man, who is seen as a successful, independent, and self-reliant individual, often described as a "lone wolf" who operates outside traditional social hierarchies.

9 TIE -JEANS/JORTS

Tie-belt jeans have emerged as a standout trend in fashion, offering a perfect blend of comfort and style. These jeans feature a detachable or integrated belt, usually made of fabric or denim, that ties around the waist, allowing for an adjustable fit. This added detail not only enhances the silhouette but also provides a more customized and relaxed feel compared to traditional jeans.



5 ESPRESSO SABRINA CARPENTER



"Espresso" is a song by American singer Sabrina Carpenter from her sixth studio album, Short n' Sweet (2024). Island Records released it on April 11, 2024, as the album's lead single. It was written by Carpenter herself along with Amy Allen, Steph Jones, and its producer Julian Bunetta. A combination of pop, funk, dance, and other subgenres, the song contains lyrics about self-confidence.

6 Italian Charm Bracelets



Italian charm bracelets have evolved beyond just a fashion statement; they represent personal stories and milestones. They have become a scrapbook for your wrist. Each charm can signify a cherished memory, a loved one, or a significant event.

8 ChatGPT



Ghibli art

Open Instagram or X, and you will come across countless AI-generated images in the Ghibli art style. The internet is flooded with dreamy, watercolour-like landscapes and hand-drawn character portraits with expressive eyes, as users transform popular memes, iconic Bollywood movie scenes, and even everyday objects.

10 Digi-cams

Digital compact cameras — the kind that were widely used 15 to 20 years ago — are showing up on the holiday wish lists of teens and Gen Zers. Just like miniskirts and low rise jeans — the digital camera is a trend that has circled back around.



To Our Dear Seniors,

As you close this chapter and step into the next, we just want to say thank you—for the laughter, the guidance, the memories, and the example you've set.

You've left behind more than just empty seats—you've left a legacy, and a lot of hearts that will miss you deeply. The school won't be the same without your presence, but we know the world is gaining something incredible.

Wishing you success, happiness, and endless adventures ahead. You'll always be remembered.

With love and respect,

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