

# ANNUAL REPORT 2020-21

*Every day is a new life and only you can choose how to live it.*

From the beginning of this academic year 2020-21 our hearts have filled with aspirations and good spirits to march forward till excellence is achieved in all our endeavours, in spite of this virtual learning. In the journey of school towards the discovery of upgrading we are constantly marking achievements with the dynamic nature of our school, our commitment and our relentless pursuit of achieving always Our Best. Particularly this year had been a very eventful one for us by the quality of commitment of our staff and the consistent support of our parents. To ensure the students to develop their overall skills, our school has accordingly taken different initiatives throughout the year. This report is the synopsis of the happenings and memories that we created in this year.

Morning assemblies in our school are so refreshing as well as thoughtful. As this is also a virtual one, always it was very pleasant one to watch the kids presenting speech, thought for the day, current affairs, skit, dance, vocals that related to a particular theme. San Academy has designed the morning assemblies with the motive to enlighten the young minds to channelize their thoughts and expressions into an ideal direction. We emphasize 100% participation by giving an opportunity to each and every child to showcase and to nurture their talent and skills. Our teachers constantly encourage and practise the students to perform to the best out of their abilities. Our assemblies are theme oriented to imbibe new learning with values to our students. Overall these thematic assemblies help to build self-confidence, self-esteem, and teamwork among the students.

## ASSEMBLY



## Co - Curricular Activities



We are sharing offline and online video links for students to continue physical exercises along with numerous co-curricular activities like Karate, Aerobics, Silambam, Chess, Western dance, Classical dance, Ballet dance, Vocal songs and Yoga in the weekly and monthly frequency to practice twice a week. Our students had thoroughly enjoyed the virtual co-curricular activities as it is not a time bound one and these videos intrigued them to practice more at their leisure times.

The Chennai City CBSE Schools District conducted Tiritiya Sopan 2020 test camp virtually this year, 2 scouts and 5 Guides students participated and passed out the examination.

Heerak Pankh and Golden Arrow 2020 selection were also been done through online. Our 19 cubs and 17 bulbuls applied and got selected for Heerak Pankh Award and 14 cubs and 13 bulbuls have applied for Golden Arrow.

Madhav A L from Class IV secured first place in State Level Children's Day Action Song Competition conducted by The Bharat Scouts and Guides, Wenlock Park.

Even in pandemic situation, classes were conducted virtually every month.

On January 26th San Valiant - Leaders Troop Parade adorned the school campus during the Republic Day Celebration.

## Scouts and Guides



# On Going Activities



## No to Plastic

Student Activities



The massive initiative for this Academic year is **No to Plastic Mission** by school has taken many attempts to achieve this mission by including various activities in almost all working days. Every day teachers presented about the hazards and pros to go with a plastic free life right from KG to higher secondary students along with the audio of plastic free anthem. Students had taken Oath saying no to plastic. Awareness posters have been created, and have conducted various competitions related to No to Plastic. Students had actively participated in various competitions and the overall plastic usage has been drastically reduced with this initiative.



## English Everywhere



English is an important language for communicating globally and locally. To lay strong foundation in English language San Academy has followed innovative practices. Month on month reading and writing enhancing sessions, sharing guideline pamphlets to improve the linguistic skill. The same vibe is spread too support staff by **interactive sessions**.

San Academy students participated in various workshops to improve their skills on learning, communicating, listening level. Students tend to develop sharing and bonding through the activities conducted in the workshops. On the basis of the student's individual interest, knowledge can be gained in different areas through our workshops that will eventually add immense value for students for their future. Regular Yoga workshops will be conducted to the students across all grades. San Academy guides and motivates students to participate in various external workshops to expertise students into their field of interest. Full-fledged robotic workshop had been conducted for senior secondary students. Apart from preparing the children to qualify for purely academic demands, special efforts are being made continuously to enable them to face the challenges of the competitive world.

## Workshops for Students



## Workshops for Teachers



San Academy believes that workshop is a platform to upgrade the skill set of each staff. As learning is a never ending process we organize many inhouse and out sourced workshops on a regular basis. This will ease our staff to adapt to technological changes and innovations more readily. Workshops of San Academy often take place in groups where the participants are encouraged to interact with each other. This helps to create team spirit among the San staff. As per CBSE norms all the teaching staff undergo all the stem training on each academic year to keep updated. Furthermore these workshops enable the staff to learn additional skills and develop capabilities, thus enhancing their versatility for advancement. At San, we provide opportunity for staff to present to their topic of interest for learning and sharing among their peers. . San Academy workshop aims to incorporate, improve the attitudes, skills and abilities amongst staff of all levels to perform their specific jobs. Professional and Personal Development extremely empower not only to the individual, but also it impacts to the students and the society.

## San Fest

San Fest, an Inter school competition though this year it was held online, it didn't lessen the creation of magical vibes. The students of other schools presented their talent immaculately and effortlessly which made us awestruck. Winners were awarded with e-certificates. We have witnessed the myriads of activities that was conducted across students of all grades. Various Inter-House Competitions were held to mark the occasion with the fusion of talent, imagination, creativity and so on.



## National Festivals

At San every year we reaffirm our loyalty to our nation, and dedicate ourselves to building a stronger and better India which is built on the sweat, toil and aspirations of our freedom fighters. The significance of Independence Day, Republic Day were celebrated in all its solemnity and grandeur in spite of virtual celebration. We take it as a great privilege to honour our unsung heroes who unconditionally sacrificed their livelihoods for the welfare of our nation. Our virtual celebrations received a welcoming response from our students, parents and grandparents. This year National festivals were celebrated in all its solemnity and grandeur in spite of virtual celebration. We have organized cultural events like dance, patriotic songs and speeches about great leaders to reminiscing on the special days.



The festival vibe is a happy factor for all of us, it wholly enlighten the spirits and transform the moods towards the celebration. At San we won't miss any celebration as it creates an important opportunity for children to know more about our regional culture and its significance. Be the celebration is on grand scale or a simpler one our students and staff put out fullest efforts to make it a mesmerizing one. Few celebrations of 2020-21 are Diwali, Christmas, Easter, Ramzan, Pongal were the big hit among the students and parents.

## Regional Festivals



## Live Meet for Knowledge sharing



This pandemic has given us numerous opportunities to try out, one such is the launch of Live Meet via You tube which is an unique programme that provides platform for students to interact with eminent personalities from various fields such as sports personality, educationalist, cine celebrities, industrialist etc., The prime motive of the Live meet is to inspire students with the success stories and the need of dedication and perseverance in achieving one's goals.



## Project Day

Student Activities



Project day in San Academy is an important annual event that no pandemic could stop the innovation and creativity of our students towards science projects. Science projects give students an opportunity to explore science by making observations and experimental predictions. Our students across all grades were very curious in experimenting projects which furthermore leads to several brainstorm ideas. We encourage student to applying their natural inquisitiveness to a science project which yield great results to make models or perform demonstrations that illustrate scientific concepts.



## Awards



Every year we are leaping a step ahead towards our common motive of reaching the stars. Awards and accolades motivate us to run beyond our previous accomplishment. Three years in a row we have sealed our place - San Academy Pallikaranai as the TOP SCHOOL National in overall category of south zone. San Academy Group of schools is recognized as the model school for our No to Plastic initiative. Our constant pillars of support are our dearest parents were the remarkable reason behind the awards and accolades and school growth.



## Awareness Programmes

San Academy actively launches awareness programmes to promote safety to the society. We insist students to spread social awareness about important concepts that is elementary for setting a stage for every person to live a peaceful life. Few of the current initiatives are Corona awareness programme, Swatch Bharat, No to plastic, Traffic rules, Waste management, Go green and so on. Poster making, slogan writing, social media campaigns, presentations, sessions and in any other possible ways to spread the awareness.



## Staff Service Award Ceremony



San Academy Pallikaranai hosted the Staff Service Ceremony for honouring the staff who had completed 5 years of service. San reiterates that all the staff including support staff been recognized for their hard work they do for day in and day out. Simple pat on the backoften inspired to work harder this kind of ceremony often elevate staff's inspiration to meet and exceed individual and collective goals while maintaining the whole campus bottom line stronger.

