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## CHRONICLES OF NPSI, CHENNAI

Dear Parents,

Greetings!

This has been an unusual beginning to this academic year. Nevertheless, we, at NPSIC have risen up to the challenges.

Our teachers had their training in different online platforms and became adept with the usage of various tools / techniques / platforms. They worked tirelessly with no rest or breathers. Their passion and single-minded focus on student learning drove them to allow their personal lives merge with their professional lives.

Our students have been marvellous. They have adopted to the new norm with no complaints. With enthusiasm and vigour, they log in for their classes. With their cheery disposition, they are coping stoically to the changes.

In a phased manner, we have begun distant learning connect for all classes, navigating forward gently, keeping in mind that we need to sustain the interest of the children.

We had our first review, for grade 4 to 12. These served as a reflection of the learning taken place over the last few weeks. Teachers and students can now move forward with a deeper sense of understanding.

Co-curricular activities are as important as scholastic sessions at NPSIC. A wide range of co-scholastic sessions are being offered by the school, either as live sessions or pre-recorded videos. Do enthuse our children to make the best use of them.

A unique break out session was offered for our students as they could chat with their last year's class teachers, allowing this distant connect to be more human, live and real. We had children sharing anecdotes, experiences, art creations with their teachers.

We celebrated Founder's Day with a video that shared our collective memories over the last 6 years. International Yoga Day witnessed a week-long celebration which had hundreds of students practising complex yogasanas which were shared through a gallery at our digital magazine www.npsicmagazine.in. For World Music Day, our teachers collaborated to create a music video and shared a message of peace and tolerance. Our grade 9 Assembly is to be soon recorded and uploaded. We will share the date and timing soon. Do view, enjoy and respond as this will give our children immense encouragement and the boost to keep their spirits up in these times.

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Competitions for the month of June include Indian Classical Music, Western Music, Poetry Writing (English, Hindi, Tamil, French). We have more competitions slated for July, details of which will be shared in flyers in the Events teams soon. These are opportunities for students to explore and develop their personalities and talents.

A host of events have been planned for July. Do encourage your wards to take part.

We would like to leave you with a quote that resonates with the current times.

"On the other side of a storm is the strength that comes from having navigated through it. Raise your sail and begin."

— Gregory S. Williams

We look forward to tide these unique times with our students with hope, resilience and fortitude.

Warm Regards

Ms Sudha Balan

Principal, NPSIC



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