

Springdales School was established in 2013 and is currently regarded as one of the premier schools of Jammu. The school is affiliated to Central Board of School Education, New Delhi (CBSE) and is governed under the aegis of Springdales Educational Society.

The school imparts quality education conversant with the changing needs of a globalized world. Instilling in its students the qualities of intellect, creativity, and social understanding, the school aims to nurture future leaders who will face worldly challenges wisely.

The school provides the best resources for education be it in academic or co-curricular areas. We maintain a high Teacher to Student ratio so that our large team of skilled and experienced staff can motivate and mentor each student personally.

Our Best Always in everything we do, whether it's for me or for you. Our Best Always when we leap in the dark. Our Best Always when we are up for a new start

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# Chairman's Message

"We cannot always build the future for our youth, but we can build youth for the future". Franklin D. Roosevelt

The seed of an idea sown in 2013, has taken firm root and the school is growing into a strong sapling. We at Springdales, are all set to impart an education which ensures that the school integrates at all levels by collaborating with the teachers, students and parents. We are in pursuit of common goals to seek more holistic, coherent and effective strategies to meet our vision.

I extend my warm wishes to the Director, Principal, Vice-Principal, Teachers and Students of Springdales School to continue this journey to the road of excellence. May the sapling grow into a sturdy tree and spread its branches.

Mr. V K Malhotra (Chairman)



# Vice-Chairperson's Message

Learning never exhausts the mind."

Leonardo Da Vinci

As an educator I had an earnest desire to build up an institution where an education blended in all colours of human values could be given and today, I feel proud to say that my lofty dream of a quality institution is taking through it.

Everyday when I walk into the school, I feel a sense of honor, delight and a sacred development. The children we serve are in the most formative period of growth and development in their lives! To be able to touch their development at such a fundamental level is something we take very seriously- in a fun and enticing way!

At the end, I would pen down by saying that we are thoroughly committed to serve the nation's youth by providing them high quality education, so that they can contribute towards a humane, just and pluralistic society with better innovative ideas.

Ms. Rashmi Malhotra (Vice-Chairperson)



# Director's Message

I am delighted that we are starting the school magazine.

The school magazine will be the collective expression of the school and I hope that it engages students, teachers and parents alike to foster a feeling of commune.

By being the head, heart and soul of the school, the school magazine, will undoubtedly go a long way in creating a rich cultural tradition at Springdales. The school believes in the power of free expression, literacy and original thought and a medium such as this has an infinite potential to promote the same.

I congratulate the staff members and the students behind this initiative. I look forward to be carried away by the nuances of the written word.

Mr. Gaurav Malhotra (Director)



# From the Desk of Principal

We at Springdales are trying to transform our young ones with multiple initiatives, founded on life skill driven approach, focusing directly on learning outcomes to help our children grow sound socially, emotionally, mentally and spiritually and be crusaders leading to much required change in Indian living conditions and standards.

This first volume of Newsletter will give you an insight into the activities already being performed in the school.

I am sure, following the new methodologies, Springdales will become the leading educational institution of the area.

Hope you enjoy going through this issue of Newsletter.

Ms. Shashi Kiran Bedi (Principal)



# From the Desk of Vice-Principal

#### Dear Readers,

It gives me immense pleasure to present to you the very first edition of our magazine which has been brought to life by joint efforts of both our students and teachers. This provides the management with a platform to reach out to each and every member associated with our organization whose integral part is you. The experience of being a parent is truly rewarding and fulfilling. As the saying goes, with great power comes great responsibility. The responsibility in our case being, raising the next leading generation. We are entrusted with the task of enabling them to make informed decisions, giving them the courage to make their choice and capable enough to meet head-on the expectations and challenges set before them by the 21<sup>st</sup> century.

We at Springdales are here to aid you at each step of this journey of nurturing their future. Instead of setting the standards for the students I believe the organization has set for itself high standards to garner the unique nature of every student here. The staff with their experience is well equipped to kindle the talent that resides in each child making them more aware and confident.

The world is no longer restoring to limiting the scope and avenues of children. In line with this task of creating global citizens is CBSE's introduction of new curriculum incorporating subjects such as AI add others as well.

With all these dimensions in place, I am confident to hold true to my moto: "Evolving a human, dynamic, confident and self reliant global citizen out of a child".

Looking forward to share this incredible journey with you.

Ms. Niti Dhami (Vice-Principal)



## From the Desk of Editor

#### Editorial Team-from Left to right Deepanti Sharma-TGT Computer, Niti Dhami-Vice Princial Roopali Rajput-TGT English

Just as a rainbow is an embodiment of hopes, pleasure and aspirations represented as VIBGYOR across the horizon in a manner soothing to eyes and mind, our magazine too intends to capture and represent diverse facets of Springdales School Jammu. Striking facet of the magazine is its reflection and showcasing the diversity of minds, thoughts, creativity, art, skills etc. of the young souls of the school.

This platform gives me the opportunity to express my profound gratitude to our principal and vice principal mam, who had always been a guiding light and a source of inspiration and encouragement. I heartily wish to also thank Deepanti Sharma (Computer Instructor), teachers and students for the unalloyed hardwork and unstinting support towards the publication of the first magazine. I am hopeful that this magazine will be enjoyed by all.

Ms. Roopali Rajput

### Olympiad

To provide an exposure and to enhance mental ability skills of our learners various Olympiads were conducted to promote Science, Mathematics, General Knowledge, Introductory Computer Education and English language skills. Several students had participated and won accolades for the school. Under IMO, Madhvan Sharma, Rupal Singh, Rashi Sharma won gold medal, Udhay Pratap Singh won silver and Srijit Singh won bronze medal. Under NCO Ayush Basotra and Srijit Singh won medal of distinction, certificates of Zonal excellence and Distinction.



### Sports

#### Our Young, Strong, Energetic School Sport Team

"What can be learned on the ground cannot be learned in the classroom"

At springdales, we lay a strong emphasis on sports and physical development. Our sports curriculum is planned and designed for students to develop and enhance skills like strength, speed, endurance, flexibility, control, balance etc. sports today has also evolved as a form of entertainment and also offer promising careers. We offer Kabaddi, Kho-Kho, Cricket, Handball, Boxing, Badminton, Basketball and Gymnastics etc. To generate camaraderie among students Inter- Class and Inter-School competitions were organised on regular basis to inculcate healthy competitive spirit.

Elated students of Springdales brought accolades for their school by winning Gold, Silver and Bronze medal in Tanisha-Do- Martial Art Championship.



### Help Age India



"A kind gesture can reach a wound that only compassion can heal"

Help Age India is working for the cause and care of under privileged old persons. To sensitize students about this issue of ageing and aged, Springdale ans along with their teachers mobilised their resources and collected a fund of Rs.45000 to help the needy. The highest amount was collected by Hriday Sharma (Class 1) Ananya (Class 6), Radhika (Class 7). These students were awarded with trophies and certificates. All the other participants were given Helpage India prizes like cap, badges, autographs of renowned cricketers etc. Getting involved with such organisation

#### \_xaminations

Examinations are the most dreadful activity in the life of a student.

When others are burning the mid night oil, I always chill out at an ice-cream parlour. I don't believe in last minute cramming, for it makes me forget all that I have managed to learn with great difficulty. So, I always chalk out stress buster programs for the day. This ensures that I have a clear mind on the day of the exam. I also manage to get a good night's sleep the night before exam.

Class – 4 Name- Radhika

#### Laugh and to Live

I would be true, for
Those who trust me
I would be pure for there
are those who are;
I would be strong, for
there
Is much to suffer;
I would be brave; for
there is much to dare
Then I would look upand
Laugh and live
And love

Class-5 Name- Amanat

#### Soldier

If I die in a war zone.

Box me up and send me home
Put my gun on my chest,
And tell my mom I did my
best,
And tell my dad now to boo,
From me now.
Tell my brother study
perfectly
Key of bike is his permanently
Tell my family not to cry
Because I am a soldier born to
die.

Class-5 Name - Aarit

#### Oh Examination

'0h' Mr. Examination! I have made no preparation I have to work for the nation, So I want emancipation. I am very much afraid of you Kindly tell me what to do And the way of getting through? You are very early, I am late I am daily losing my weight Go, go and you must go Let me learn my lesson first You are unwelcome quest Go to the office and leave my room Otherwise I will use my broom I am fully tired of you And wish to treated on paths so new Keep all these things in view Please change your direction Says Riya to 'Oh' Mr. Examination

Riya Class- III

#### मेरी माँ

सबसे प्यारी मेरी माँ।
सबसे न्यारी मेरी माँ।
लोरी गाती मेरी माँ।
मुझे सुलाती मेरी माँ।
काम घर का सारा करती,
स्कूल समय पर मुझे भेजती।
मुझे पढ़ाती मेरी माँ,
सिखाती अच्छी बातें मेरी माँ,
सबसे सुंदर मेरी माँ।

रूपल सिंह जसरोटिया कक्षा – दूसरी ए

#### पैदल चलो स्वस्थ रहो

आज कल के विदयुत उपकरणों से भरी जीवन शैली में बच्चे बाहर घमने, खेलने दौडने से ज्यादा घर में रहना पसंद करते है क्योंकि घर में मन बहलाने के लिए टी.वी. वीडियो गेम, कंम्पयटर आदि अनेक साधन उपलब्ध हैं। शरीरिक व्यायाम के अभाव में वे स्वयं को बीमारियों की तरफ ले जा रहा हैं। चलने फिरने से शरीर में स्फूर्ति तथा रोग प्रतिरोधक क्षमता बनी रहती हैं। चलना-फिरना हमारे शरीर के लिए उतना ही जरूरी है जितना पढ़ना और लिखना। स्बह जल्दी उठकर सैर करने जाना, सबसे अच्छा होता है। पैदल चलने के बहत फायदे होते है शरीर में स्फूर्ति आती है तथा कई बीमारियों से बचाव भी होता है। चलने से हमारे शरीर को तनाव से मुक्ति मिलती है और नींद भी अच्छी आती है।

> नाम – सुमृति कक्षा – सातर्वी

#### मेरा विद्यालय

मेरे विद्यालय का नाम स्प्रिंगडेल्ज है। मेरे विदयालय का भवन नव-निर्मित है। हमारे विद्यालय में सारी सुख-सुविधाएँ हैं। इसके सामने एक आगे बगीचा है। जिसकी देखभाल हम सभी करते हैं। मेरे विदयालय में दो विशाल कक्ष हैं। एक विशाल कक्ष में प्रार्थना–सभा होती है और दूसरे में अन्य सभाएँ एवं अन्य कार्यक्रम होते हैं। पानी की भी उचित व्यवस्था है। विद्यालय के पीछे एक बड़ा खेल का मैदान है जहाँ पर हम खेलते हैं और व्यायाम भी करते हैं। मेरे विद्यालय में एक पुस्तकालय भी है। पुस्तकालय से बच्चे अपनी रुचि और जरूरत के अनुसार पुस्तकें पढ़ने के लिए लेते हैं। मेरे विद्यालय की प्रधानाचार्य, उप प्रधानाचार्या और शिक्षकगण बहुत अच्छे हैं जो हमें अच्छी - अच्छी बातें सीखाते हैं और आगे बढ़ने के लिए प्रेरित करते हैं। मेरे विद्यालय में खेल से संबंधित कार्यक्रम और साहित्यक प्रीतियोगिताएँ भी होती हैं। हमें विद्यालय में पढ़ाई और खेलकूद के अलावा सांस्कृतिक कार्यक्रमों में भाग लेने के अवसर भी प्राप्त होते हैं।

> नाम – मनु कक्षा – सातवीं

#### शिक्षा का महत्व

बेहतर शिक्षा सभी के लिए जीवन में आगे बढ़ने और सफलता प्राप्त करने के लिए बहुत आवश्यक हैं। यह आत्मविश्वास को विकसित करती है और एक व्यक्ति के व्यक्तित्व के निर्माण में सहायक होती हैं। स्कूली शिक्षा सभी के जीवन में महान भूमिका निभाती हैं। पूरे शिक्षा तंत्र को तीन भागों में बांटा गया है जैसे-प्राथमिक शिक्षा, माध्यमिक शिक्षा, और उच्च माध्यमिक शिक्षा। सभी शिक्षा के भाग अपना एक विशेष महत्व रखते हैं। प्राथमिक शिक्षा बच्चों को आधार प्रदान करती हैं, जो जीवन सहायक होती है, माध्यमिक शिक्षा आगे की पढ़ाई का रास्ता है और उच्च माध्यमिक शिक्षा पूरे जीवन में, भविष्य में आगे बढ़ने का रास्ता हैं। हमारी अच्छी और बुरी शिक्षा यह निर्धारित करती है कि हम भविष्य में कैसे व्यक्ति बनेंगें।

आरित टिककू कक्षा – पाँ<u>चवी</u>

#### Value-Based Assemblies

School assembly clarifies school activities and lays out program focusing on the co-curricular activities. Springdales school has inculcated value based assemblies like patience, cooperation, value of friendship, appreciation, empathy etc to create a positive, reflective ethos and value based education among the students. It has also proved extremely valuable in the children being able to talk about what values mean at home as well as school and bring in their own opinion, thoughts and reflections to share with others.

Laxmi Chib PRT

#### Co-Curricular Activities

"An ounce of practice is worth more than tons of preaching"

#### ----- Mahatma Gandhi

Co-curricular activities facilitate in the development of various domains of mind and personality such as intellectual development, emotional development, social development, moral development and aesthetic development. Springdales school offers a wide range of Co-curricular activities such as Extempore, Calligraphy, Poem Recitation, Quiz Competition, Spell-a-thon, Dramatics, Celebration of Festivals, Fancy Dress, Flower show etc which provide an opportunity galore for students for self-expression and creativity fulfillment.



### Children's day



A joyous milieu was palpable on the children's day celebration in the spring dales school. The day, planned by the teachers in fond memory of

reserved leader Pt. Jawaharlal Nehru, unfolded a series of fun activities lined up to entertain and edify the students. The jubilant faces and exuberant spirits of the teachers electrified the atmosphere and brought bountiful of joy and mirth to everyone.

-Pranav Arora (Class 7)

#### Teacher's day Celebration

Teacher's play a major role in making their students responsible citizen of tomorrow and good human beings. Teacher's day was celebrated on 5th September in the school with much gusto and exhilaration. Some special performances by the students not only enchanted the entire teaching staff with their spell binding performances but also sent them into pearls of laughter. Drenched in revelry, the teacher's felt elevated.

### Annual Day

Springdales School celebrated its 35th Annual Day based on the theme "Metamorphosis"-The Human story at General Zorawar Singh Auditorium amidst great zest, vibrancy and elation.

The acts were in accordance to the history of man and his evolutionary development till now. The acts were as follows — The Beginning, Journey towards civilization, Ethnarchs of the ancient world, Man: Measure of all things, Era of revolutions, War to end all wars and Technology: the new master & servant. The entire auditorium reverberated with the energy and superb theatrics of the actors through an array of dances viz. Nigerian, Ball dance, Vandematram, Classical, Dogri, Bhangra and Alien Dance.

The apex part of the programme was the screening of a video film made by the students on the burning issue of garbage and waste. The film's title was "Talking Trash - Threat to future" and was intended to make children aware of the issue. Later in the prize distribution ceremony, the budding stars was adorned with awards for excellence in academics, sports, art etc by the chief guest.

#### A Visit to Tawi Park

The most awaited day of the year was the school picnic to Tawi park. It was one of the intrinsic ways of enhancing learning. On reaching the park, the children enthusiastically explored the alluring beauty and bounties of nature. The students thoroughly enjoyed themselves along with their teachers and danced on the peppy tunes. It was a wonderful opportunity for all the children to strengthen their bonds and everyone came back to the school rejuvenated.

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Field trips are important because it gives hands on experience to the students. Springdales School always believes that learning should not be restricted within the four walls of a school. Students of class 6-10 had an opportunity to visit a farmhouse at Barnai.

Observing different vegetables growing at the farmhouse was a wonderful experience for the students.

After this visit students planted the saplings of cabbage and spinach in the kitchen garden. This visit helped them to understand and explore small tactics of farm while dealing with fresh vegetables and the rich soil.

-Danish Kumar (Class 10)



#### गिरजाघर में शैक्षिक यात्रा

में एक दिन स्कूल के साथ शैक्षिक यात्रा के लिए गिरजाघर में गया था। मैंने वहाँ ईसाई धर्म के बारे में बहुत सीखा। मैंने यह जाना कि ईसाई लोग ईसाहमसी को भगवान के रूप में पूजते हैं। वहाँ जाकर मैंने उनके जीवन के पहलु के चित्र को जाना और उनके उपदेशों को पढ़ा और सुना। मुझे वहाँ यह सीख मिली कि हमें जात-पात और धर्म के भेद-भाव से खुद को और दूसरों को बाहर निकालने का प्रयास करना चाहिए। हम सब एक समान हैं तो फिर यह भेद-भाव कैसे। मैं चाहुँगा कि मैं फिर जरूर इस गिरजाघर में जाऊँ।



अनमोल यादव कक्षा–चौथी

#### A Visit to Manda Zoo (Kindergarten)

A visit to the Manda Zoo was organised for the little toddlers just to acquaint them with flora and fauna. They closely witnessed various animals in their enclosures and learnt about their behaviour and maintenance of their conservation. The aim of the trip was to generate the love for animals, to inculcate the values of saving the Environment and empower them to take steps to save life.



#### Science Exhibition

With the sole purpose of fostering scientific curiosity and creativity among students and teachers to provide a platform to exhibit and share their knowledge and passion for science "Nanhe Vaigyanik" an Inter School Science Model making competition was organised in the school premises in which several students of CBSE schools had participated so as to nurture their inquisitive minds and unleashes creativity. Many models captivated the onlookers and the judge's attention like rainwater harvesting, Air cooler, light fidelity, vacuum cleaner etc. Winners were applauded and rewarded with trophies by the eminent judges.



### Inter - School Show and Tell Competition

Tell me and I forget, teach me and I may remember, involve me and I learn.

To foster public speaking and social skills in our little leaders of tomorrow and to comprehend a child's imagination and spontaneous ability to translate their thoughts and ideas into words Springdales School organized an "Inter- School Show and Tell Competition" for the students of class U.K.G to 2nd who delineated themselves by communicating their feelings, thoughts and emotions very well. The competition was judged by Sprawling



Buds Co-ordinator Ms. Ishbiliya and Nirmala Vikram who assessed the students on the parameters of Pronunciation, Confidence, Actions and Props used by them. The enthusiastic participation of every student filled the new day of learning with joy.

#### Tree Talk

Man has, had and will continue to have a major association with Trees and Forest ecosystems. Known or unknown, each tree is like each human - unique and beautiful in its own way. In order to make the students well-acquainted with the medicinal plants and other environmental factors a TREE TALK was organized in the school campus in which Dr. O.P. Sharma Additional PCCF enlightened our students about the role of trees in our life.



-Bunty Kumar TGT Science

# British Council - International School Award

The Toon World

This activity aims at exploring the cartoon world of different countries and the languages they are made in. The students of class 2 witnessed a colourful bonanza of activities like movie screening, Draw n colour competition, Role play, Assembly presentation etc. The whole activity retained the interest of students as it covered different subjects such as English, Maths, Fine arts and



ICT. Movies of different cartoons like Spongebob-The Squarepants (USA), Doraemon (JAPAN), Chotta Bheem (INDIA) and Bob the builder (UK) were shown to students of Class-II. Through Movie Screening students were able to recognize different shapes, forms and qualities of cartoon characters. Students also showcased their drawing skills in Draw n Colour Competition. They delineated their favourite cartoon characters along with flags of respective countries. It developed a sense of appreciating art, understand its style and uniqueness. In order to enhance and sharpen the creative skills of children Roleplay was conducted. Students brilliantly enacted the role of their favourite cartoon characters. Along with being a fun activity, it allowed tiny tots to get into character and act out real life roles. Also, Students gathered the information about the cartoon characters and beautifully shared their views during Assembly Presentation.

- Kanika Gupta (PRT)

#### Waste in Haste

Under British Council ISA activity waste in haste, Springdales had conducted a visit to landfill for class 6- 10 at Kalagaun, Bhalwal Jammu. The purpose of this activity was to change the attitude of the students towards environment and advocate partnership between each human being and society and to built collaborative attitude towards our partner countries Afghanistan and Turkey. Students also learnt about waste and its types and how this waste gets segregated and managed. Students took some initiatives to minimize waste by using old plastic bottles and used them to form a vertical garden in the school premises. Springdales also conducted a visit to farmland Barnai, Jammu, to let the students experience a real working farm, reconnect them with where food comes from. Our young explorers tried their hands on vermicomposting and set up their own kitchen garden in school. They learnt different strategies of farming and gained knowledge for food origin and nutrition. These activities also helped students to know more about their environment.

- Sheveta Sharma

TGT Science



#### National Symbols (Pride and Prestige)

Under British Council ISA Activity National symbols-Our pride and prestige.

Springdales had conducted sorting activity for kindergarten students. The purpose of this activity was to know about the national symbols of Brazil, Japan and India.

A workshop was also conducted for the students where they learnt the names of National symbols of different countries.

Through worksheet, students learnt and recognized the symbols of Japan, Brazil, and India.

Springdales had also conducted an exhibition and show –n- tell competition.

The purpose of this activity was to know about the national symbols of other countries and advocate partnership between each human being and society and to built collaborative attitude towards our partner countries i.e Brazil and Japan.

Neerja Koul (Kindergarten Coordinator)



#### Dance Unites All

Learning new things will not only expand one's knowledge but also upgrade critical thinking skills. For this, we conducted the ISA activity 'DANCE UNITES ALL' for our students with the aim to build collaborative attitude, inculcate internationalism & nurturing global citizenship among them. Our prospective international partners for this activity were NIGERIA and NEPAL. The ultimate goal of this activity was to ignite the passion for dance in their hearts and make them understand as well as comprehend the Efik dance and Kaura dance performed in Nigeria and Nepal respectively. To make this cultural exchange informative as well as intriguing, several activities were included in this such as an interactive workshop, worksheets and many more. Students performed this dance during school annual function and thoroughly enjoyed wearing the unique costumes and accessories. They were given a platform to connect with our partners via Skype session and to get involved in this exchange program by making miniatures of the costumes of both countries. These were then exhibited during final PTM at the school premises.

Activities like this provide a varied exposure to the students and make them build a competitive attitude in life, also involving enrichment in their cognitive skills. The dedication of our teachers, the robustness of our students and the encouragement and active participation of the parents made our endeavors a huge success.

Shaveta Arora PRT



#### Workshops

Teaching and learning now-a-days go side by side and when it comes to mentoring the students of 21st century, it becomes vital to groom a teacher to teach as per the needs of the day. Keeping this in mind Springdales School, organised various workshops like Child Psychology and Teacher of 21st century, Spoken English and Communication skills, Creative teaching and learning strategies, NIIT etc so as to open the world of possibilities and help them to refine their pedagogy. It also aims at providing a platform to teachers to maximize their performance and update their skills.



#### Earth Hour

"Mother Earth is the culmination of multiple and diverse energies which is brought together to create a rich aesthetic experience with a message of harmony and Coexistence".

A one-day workshop was organised by Ms. Shashi Kiran Bedi (Principal) to promote awareness of the issues around climate change and habitat loss.



### Kinder Garten

"Childhood is like the sun which appears at dawn or a flower just beginning to bloom".

Kindergarten is the doorstep to a child's formal education and hence children were given ample time and space for adjustment. During the session 2018-19, there were plethora of activities and celebrations organized by our school in Kindergarten section like Sand pit activity, hopping activity, Kite making activity, yoga, Seed mosaic, yellow day, green day, Mother's Day celebration, birthday celebrations etc. These activities were introduced for the holistic, social and emotional development of the children. School had conducted many Intra and Inter school competitions like Hindi poem recitation, Clay modelling, English poem recitation, Show and tell competition etc. To develop caring, sharing and social skills picnic and educational tour were also organized for our toddlers. The purpose was not only to blend learning with fun but also to develop confidence in the students by giving them an ample opportunity to come out of their comfort zone.



### Capacity Building

"Your Attitude, Not Your Aptitude Will Determine Your Altitude".

Recognizing the pivotal role of teachers in ensuring Child-centred learning and holistic child development a one-day workshop was organised on Capacity Building Programme at Country Inn Resort so as to keep the teachers abreast with the latest strategies to manage the classroom environment effectively.

The session was commenced by the Vice Principal Ms. Niti Dhami with an interesting ice breaker followed by an introduction on team building, communication and critical thinking. Principal Ms. Shashi Kiran Bedi also focused on how these skills need to be practiced & imbibed.

Session was full of hands on activities for teachers to indulge and learn from.



### What Teachers Have to Say.....

"The Expression of gratitude is a kind of strategy for achieving happiness"

I have joined Springdales school as a Maths teacher in 2016. It was a great learning experience for me and widened my horizon as a lesson of teamwork, dedication and punctuality. Now I feel more confident, courageous to do the most uphill tasks. I am thankful to the management and staff members for their co-operation, support and guidance. My best wishes to Springdales family and may it continue to grow more and more.

Meenakshi Sethi Soni TGT Mathematics

#### ''शिक्षा वह नींव है जिस पर हम अपने भविष्य का निर्माण करते हैं।''

I joined Springdales School as Hindi teacher in 2015. Till date my experience is extremely good. In this School, each and every child is keenly observed which helps in actual growth and development of the child. This School aims at making their students prominent in all fields and helps them to be filled with positive attitude.

The opportunities that I have got here made me self-confident and more responsible person. I am grateful to the management and my team-mates for their co-operation and support in every aspect possible. I wish Springdales to achieve great heights in future.

Sushma Devi TGT Hindi

#### What Parents Have to Say.....

Springdales School has a well- developed infrastructure. It has highly-qualified, Experienced and supportive staff. It also involves our wards in different activities. This school is one of the best schools in Jammu.

Mr. Rakesh Sambyal (Lecturer) F/O Gayatri Sambyal (Class 8th)

It gives me immense pleasure in sharing experience with Springdales School. My daughter Ashmeeta Raina got admitted in previous session. Her class teachers took so much care of my child and helped her to cope up with her missed duties. My daughter didn't feel as if she is new to school. Thanks for the love and care shown by all the teachers. I am happy with my decision to choose Spring dales School as the first School for my daughter.

Er. Ashutosh Raina (Asst. Prof.) MIET Jammu F/O Ashmeeta Raina (Class- Nursery) Springdales School plays an important role in my child's overall growth. Teachers in the school positively interact with her and also encourage her to interact with others. She also learnt to share various things with others. Teachers have encouraged her to participate in co-curricular activities which bring a lot of improvement in her. Many many thanks to them.

Mr. Rajan Mahajan Bank Manager (SBI) F/O Aashvi Mahajan (Class- LKG)

What a great day it has been when we sent our little doll to Springdales for studies.

We have been watching her growing so well in studies and having excellent grades. We find her over the time so careful and even caring and also respectful. She participated in debate and won first prize, be it speaking "my country" and displaying "milkman". It is also so nice to find her busy with doing home work and taking time off for "dance" she is so passionate for. She has been showing great amount of discipline in all other activities as well. These achievements are the result of the schooling at Springdales School.

ANIL AMBARDAR Govt. Employee F/O Sukriti Ambardar (Class- UKG)

My daughter loves to come to Springdales school because of enthusiastic staff who were always busy in indulging students in different activities so as to enhance their learning. My child has become more confident and independent. Her speaking skills have enhanced. Thanks to the teachers for a great support.

Mrs. Anju Bhau (Housewife) M/O Kamadhya Class- II B

We are very much happy and satisfied with the school and its teachers. Our kids have learnt a lot from the school. The staff is very dedicated. Not only in academics, our kids have also learnt so much from activities which were conducted in the school. This is only because of hardworking teachers.

Mr. Vikas Mahajan (Businessman) F/O Aarav Mahajan Class VI Harshit Mahajan Class III

We sincerely thank and acknowledge the staff members with a deep sense of appreciation for their concern and dedication in providing a quality education and atmosphere for everybody in Springdales School. It was a challenging task for my son as he was shifted from state board to CBSE but with support of the teachers he had shown a tremendous result.

Vikas Gupta (Factory In-charge, UAE) F/O Kannav Gupta Class VII

### Farewell of Class X



"Goodbyes are not forever, Goodbyes are not the end. They simply mean we miss you, until we meet again!!"

Springdales school accorded a fond farewell to class X of batch 2018-2019 on 25th February 2019. The students of class 8th and 9th put forth a mix of scintillating dance performance, melodious songs, and pulsating music that rocked the venue. As the students are on the threshold of discovering a new world, they were reminded of the strong value system that they were imbued with, that shall always be their guiding star. The talents of outstanding students were highlighted through the Titles.

Anupriya – "Ms. INTELLECTUAL"
Chetan Khajuria – "Mr. ALLROUNDER"
Danish Kumar – "GADGET GURU"

All the students shared their experiences.

Anupriya — "I'm very lucky that I came to this school and I really enjoyed being here. Springdales School is our best always."

Chetan Khajuria — "I thank Springdales School for showing the difference between the easy and right path and appreciating me for Who I am. It has also taught me values to rejoice and great triumph with zest and zeal, teaching us how to lead and be led".

Danish Kumar – This is my second home!! Everybody is talented; it's only needed to be found. I have achieved what I dreamt and my message for students is "Never ever let anyone stop you from achieving your dream".

Ms. Shashi Kiran Bedi (Principal), Ms. Niti Dhami (Vice Principal) and Ms. Neerja Kaul (Coordinator) in their address exhorted the students to uphold the values that the school had empowered them with and to be harbingers of change wherever they are.

### Teaching Staff



Sitting: Ms. Niti Dhami (Vice-Principal), Ms. Shashi Kiran Bedi (Principal), Ms. Neerja Koul (Kindergarten Co-ordinator).

Standing I Row: Mr. Bunty Shan, Ms. Sunandani Chib, Ms. Geetanjali Handoo, Ms. Roopali Rajput, Ms. Meenakshi Sethi Soni, Ms. Sheveta Sharma, Ms. Shifali Jamwal, Ms. Sujata Bhat, Mr. Keshav Mehra, Ms. Neha Jamwal.

Standing II Row: Ms. Shaveta Arora, Ms. Shruti Gupta, Ms. Sushma Magotra, Ms. Kanika Gupta, Ms. Khushboo Sondhi, Ms. Deepika Langeh, Ms. Diksha Sumbria, Mr. Nihal Lalotra.

Standing III Row: Mr. Sanjay Kotwal, Ms. Sapna Sharma, Ms Bandana Khajuria, Ms. Laxmi Chib, Ms. Vertika Sharma, Ms. Preeti Verma, Ms. Divya Manhas, Ms. Deepanti Sharma.

### Administrative Staff



Sitting: Mr. Avinash Pandita (Office Manager), Ms. Niti Dhami (Vice-Principal), Ms. Shashi Kiran Bedi (Principal), Ms. Upasana Sharma (Office Administrator).

# Art Center



# Annual Day Celebration

