

D.A.V. PUBLIC SCHOOL, THANE
SECONDARY SECTION 2021-2022

REPORT ON CYBER JAAGROOKTA DIWAS

There is a pressing need to increase 'Cyber hygiene' for prevention of cybercrimes by inculcating habits of taking basic care of ICT devices at regular intervals. CBSE has proposed to observe a 'Cyber Jaagrookta (Awareness) Diwas' every month to create awareness among school students regarding the Cyber world.

Cyber Jaagrookta (Awareness) Diwas was observed in D.A.V Public School Thane to create awareness among students (std 6 to 10). An informative and attractive presentation was made keeping the following points in mind and how to maintain Cyber hygiene during this festive season.

- Online Shopping - Shop from reliable and secure websites, get to the website safely and use your bank details with care.
- Geo-tagging - Today's smartphones come with GPS technology. When you upload a photo to Facebook on your smartphone, it will reveal where you're posting it from via geo-tagging. If a picture is being posted from the store or from the beach, your Facebook friends -- and perhaps anyone on Facebook, depending on your settings -- will know that you're not home. This can be an open invitation for burglars to break into your home when you're not there.
- Photo Theft - Stealing online photos is something that's easy to do with a simple right-click of the computer mouse, and it can happen from any page to which you've uploaded photos. Even if you're using a site on which you can choose to disable downloads, it's still possible for a viewer to take a screen shot which is why it is advised to stamp any photo you post with a watermark in an area where it can't be easily edited out.
- A checklist was shared with the students to keep themselves safe while using internet.

Students were informed to send a writeup on the same and the best writeups will be posted on the school blog site.

