

D. A.V PUBLIC SCHOOL, THANE
ALMA MATER CONNECT AND READERS' AWARD

D.A.V. Public School, Thane is committed towards strengthening the bond between students and alumni. In this regard, the institute desired to recognize the Alumni who have distinguished themselves in their professional as well as academic field and made their alma mater proud. The main intention of the ceremony on 7 th March 2021 was to make a connection towards the institute with an intention of inspiring the students community.

The event of the day started with lamp lighting, recital of Gayatri Mantra and inaugural address by Principal of the institute Mrs. Simmi Juneja. The event was graced by Mr. Goswami, of Indian Oil corporation, Corporator Sherbahadur Singh, Mr. Parikshit, Intellectual Head of BJP from Thane district and PTI members. The participating alumni were from the field of medicine, commerce, business studies, IT, engineering and political field too. In their brief address punctuated with a flood of anecdotes and fond memories, their emotional connect and bonding with the institute could be felt. Throughout the year, for a better connect with the alumni and students, this institute posted you tube videos of young achievers and shared the link with students, so that the students of this institute feel proud. The award included a certificate containing a citation, a shield, letter of gratitude for their philanthropic contribution, DAV United magazines and a medallion.

The institute also combined the day with the "Readers' Award" ceremony to encourage students to read more. Ever since the circular was given, stating award to those who read as many books as they can, the enthusiasm and enquiry of the children, a worth witnessing event. The students were shortlisted on the basis of different genres of books read and a brief PPT presentation followed by questionnaire. Among the participating students , one could witness critical thinking and enquiry approach towards reading . Their profound knowledge and understanding could be felt in their analyzes of books. The winners of this award were given gifts, a medallion, books , library membership, a trophy and a certificate containing a citation. The principal of the institute, Mrs. Simmi Juneja called for an open minded approach and seek knowledge from various sources. She also stressed, the alumni should remain connected with the roots and reach great heights in their respective fields. The highlight of the day was a spectacular medley by an alumnus and the award ceremony ended with fond memories.





