## Delhi Public School, Gurugram, organises investiture ceremony

Delhi Public School, (DPS) Sector 45, Gurugram, organised its investiture ceremony for the current cademic session wherein the students of Grade 12 were appointed office-bearers and were entrusted with the duties and responsibilities during the function.

The ceremony was conducted on a virtual platform and its video was released on You Tube.

The ceremony started with the rendition of the national song and the school anthem, followed by the welcome of the chief guest for the event. Manju Balasubramayam, principal, Delhi Public School, Bangalore North, and the guests of honour, alumni Pragya Mathur and Pranav Agarwal, and the parent fraternity.

School director-principal Aditi Misra in her address emphasised that the good leaders lead by example and inspire others to do the same.

Motivating the students, she told them not to let a post define them rather they should define the post and make it significant. She encouraged the office-bearers to perform above and beyond the call of duty, rise with others, help others and live by the motto of 'service before self'.

The school choir performed a wonderful composition "Sach Ek Khoj – I Am a Believer", a song about staying true to oneself.

The oath-taking ceremony started with investing the presidents of the 17 clubs. Dean of students' welfare



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Sapna Dhawan and senior school headmistress Arpna Gupta introduced the club appointees. Pranav Agarwal administered the oath of office for the same and addressed the gathering.

The house appointees were invested by Pragya Mathur, who also administered the oath of office and addressed the gathering. A milieu of classical and contemporary dances by the students showcased the

importance of never giving up and keep striving to achieve one's dream. School vice principal Santyna Tha-

dani introduced the cultural appointees and the principal introduced the head council and the student council. The chief guest administered the oath of office to the appointees and addressed the gathering.

Balasubramanyam in her address, narrated a beautiful heart-touching real episode that happened two years ago in her school during the council elections. Through the narration, she conveyed to all the invested young leaders that the most important quaitity in a leader is to be empathetic. Empathy helps a leader create bonds, gives insight into people's mind, heart and life.

The ceremony concluded with the vote of thanks proposed by head council members Paarth Arya and Tanyi Nagar. Th (SI (Cl an en) for

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