

## Report: CLASS VIII SCHOLAR BADGE CEREMONY - 2019

Delhi Public School Gurgaon, held the Scholar Badge Ceremony for students of class VIII on 9th August, 2019 to felicitate the meritorious students for their academic excellence. It was a proud moment for the students who had worked diligently and conscientiously to achieve their goals. Keeping up with the school tradition, the programme commenced with a melodious rendition of the National Song by the school choir followed by the School Anthem.

The Director Principal, Ms. Aditi Misra applauded the achievements of the young scholars. She urged them to not only pursue their goals, but also to make a difference in the lives of others, thus carrying forward the school motto of 'Service Before Self'. Ms. Misra also expressed her gratitude to the Parent Reps and parents for their unstinting support to the cause of Shiksha Kendra, an afternoon school to impart quality education to the underprivileged children of the society. A short film portraying the hardships of these children which they overcome with perseverance touched the hearts of the audience.

This was followed by a spellbinding performance by the school choir on '*Bharat Hai Jaan Hamari* – Invoking the spirit of patriotism'. Thereafter, students presented a captivating dance performance on the song '*Tum chalo toh Hindustan chale* – A clarion call'. The young achievers then received their Scholar Badges and certificates for excellence in academics and co-curricular activities from the Director Principal along with the Headmistress.

The ceremony culminated with the vote of thanks proposed by Headmistress, Middle School, Ms. Shalini Arora.

