

REPORT: Innovation and Design Thinking Workshop

Program Title:	Innovation and Design Thinking
Day/ Date:	Friday, 11 th October '19
Venue:	IILM University, Gurugram
Duration:	9:30 am- 1:00 pm
Participants:	ATL In-charges and students from various schools of Gurugram
Participant from DPS Gurgaon :	20 Students accompanied by two teachers Ms. Kavita Tewari (PGT Biology Department / ATL In charge) Ms. Sonu Khandelwal (TGT Physics Department / Atal Tinkering Lab)
Resource Person/ Mentor:	Ms. Nien Siao (HOD, Design, IILM University)

Students and teachers of DPS Gurgaon participated in a workshop on "**Innovation and Design Thinking**" organised by IILM University at IILM University, Gurugram. Resource person, Ms. Nien Siao elaborated on the importance of Design and its applications in every field.

The students were divided into groups for an activity in which they were supposed to design an event for the disabled, in the most logical and innovative manner, in the specified time, using the material provided to them. Each group was then allowed to present their design and explain the logistics and its usefulness while the other teams were allowed to interject.

The activity was enjoyed by the students thoroughly and they were motivated to develop innovative strategies based on the design principles. The students also got to know about the career opportunities in the field of design thinking. It was an enriching and informative experience wherein students interacted and shared ideas about promoting innovation.

