## O.P. JINDAL SCHOOL, ANGUL

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## 2021-22:

- ❖ In the session Master Debadutta Tripathy, Class-X bagged 1<sup>st</sup> position in the State Level Odia Poem Recitation Competition on 20.07.2021 organised by Odia Sahitya Academy.
- ❖ Ms Sai Sambhavi Tripathy, Class-IV secured 2<sup>nd</sup> position in International Online Dance Competition held on 19.04.2021 organised by Sparsh Foundation Singrauli.

## Key Activities & Achievements of the session 2020-21

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- ❖ Braving all ferocities of the Covid-19 pandemic, OPJS teaching fraternity with all sincerity, alacrity and commitment carried out a host of observations of significant days like Green Day, Founder's Day, Utkal Divas & many more days of national & international significance.
- To start with, the academic session 2020-21 including pre-primary to elementary and secondary to higher secondary commenced on digital platform all at tandem with lots of experiments and innovations since April 2020 to March 2021.
- ❖ As per CCA records, 85% students associated with as many as 45 categories of co-scholastic competitions are virtually going to be felicitated with 130 prizes and certificates of excellence to their merit.
- To quote, among the gems of OPJS are Poorva Kumari (X-A) with 'Singer of the Year-2020' & SMC Chairman's Running Sheild and Sambhavi Sen, (VI-B) with

- 'Dancer of the Year-2020' & SWC Chairman's Running Shield to their glory in intra-school competitions.
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- Gracefully and creditably Sai Sambhavi Tripathy (III-A) bagged the 1<sup>st</sup> position in Indian Classical Dance conducted by Sparsh Foundation online whereas Sai Rakshita Swain (IX-A) snatched the covetous National Award in Bapu Art Contest and Battle of Brush Contest sponsored by Kalakriti School of Arts as All India Painting competition Ajanta Art Contest conducted by Bharat Art Gallery.
- Sai Sambhavi Tripathy (III-A) won the enviable '**Talent Hunt'** award in Dance securing 1<sup>st</sup> position at National Level online.
- ❖ Proud scholar of the institution Gargi Mohanty (IX-B) won the State Level 1<sup>st</sup> position in Drawing Competition organised by Utkal Kala Sanskruti Pratisthan whereas Sai Rakshita Swain (IX-A) ranked topper in the Zonal level Dance Competition organised by Kala Utsab under Govt. of Odisha.
- A team of our students including Pratikshya Priyadarshini (IX-B), Ramakant Pandey (XII-Sci.), Poorva Kumari (X-A), Tanushree (X-C) and Anisha Sahoo (VIII-B) qualified the district level competition in Patriotic song organised by Gyan Prakash, Deogarh whereas both Ananya Anwesha Dehury (VIII-B) and Gargi Mohanty (IX-B) were crowned with 2<sup>nd</sup> position respectively at district level competition of Art & Painting organised by N.K. Choudhary Smruti Committee, Angul.
- As of Sports, in the month of October 2020, OPJS Kids from Std-VI Std-XII actively participated in FIT India & Khelo India online.
- A couple of students also ambitiously took part in National Level Essay Painting and Quiz under the title 'Saksham National Competition-2021' organised by Ministry of Petroleum, New Delhi.
- ❖ In the wake of Financial Literacy Week-2021, observed by NCFE from 8<sup>th</sup> − 12<sup>th</sup> February most of our students appeared in the national level online quiz.

- ❖ Our teaching fraternity along with the delegates from the country & abroad attended Webinars conducted by Dr. Sanjeev P. Sahani, Principal Director, Jindal Institute of Behavioural Science and on the topic 'Teaching Online: Supporting & Mentoring Teachers' presented by Dr. G. Thangadurai, Director, Presidency Group of Schools, Bangalore and Tata Class Edge on 22<sup>nd</sup> September 2020.
- ❖ With the whole session continuing in virtual mode, esteemed Manager Mr. Ravi Shankar, EVP-HR & ES, JSPL, soon after assuming office had a virtual welcome address to the teachers on 26<sup>th</sup> August 2020 and further an interactive session with staff on 7<sup>th</sup> November 2020, putting on their respective academic ideologies.
- ❖ Mr. R.K. Trivedi, Dean, O.P. Jindal Group of Schools, Raigarh had a virtual counselling session with OPJS Staff on 16<sup>th</sup> September and with students of Std: X, XI & XII on 18<sup>th</sup> September to reassess the role and responsibilities of both teachers and learners.
- ❖ During the current academic session, in order to strengthen the cord of teachers, learners and parents **three virtual PTI's** first of its kind were organised in all earnest with PPT presentations by the respective departments followed by feedback and outcomes of the PTI's held.
- ❖ Our teachers were also motivated to organise a departmental Virtual presentations at the end of the day in the month of December 2020 to make the academic session more meaningful, vigorous and enlightening.
- ❖ OPJS organised a Virtual Book Fair from 20<sup>th</sup> 23<sup>rd</sup> November including online ordering of books.
- ❖ O.P. Jindal school organised 'Artist's Arena', a Class-wise Annual literary presentation online in English, Hindi and Odia series from the 1<sup>st</sup> week of January to the 2<sup>nd</sup> week of March with all success and admiration from students and parents.
- The school have introduced regular Avocation classes like Art, Music, Dance and various life skills including Clay Modelling, Personality Development, Vedic Maths, Instrumental practice, JRC, Current affair and Practice for Taekwondo, Boxing, Sqay-Martial Art and Yoga with physical education within and beyond the school hour.

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- ❖ The online inspection of classes and interaction by the Principal throughout the session, the online teaching across the classes so effective and successful too.

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