



*Educating persons for and with others*



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It is said that opportunity knocks at the door only once, let me tell you that if it does not knock at your door then build one first. VOX is attempting to build doors for all who wish to welcome opportunities and respond with the best of their abilities. Would it not be insane if we do the same thing and in the same way but expect different results? The changing times has made new demands on the teaching learning process.

When the wind of change blows, some people build walls and others build windmills. In responding to the new demands, what takes the centre stage is the future of our students without compromising on the values of life that we hold dear. Education can't be limited to sharing of information alone which is plenty in the digital platforms readily available at the finger tips.

Expressing oneself in the form of writing, poem, photography and other forms takes

education a step forward. Let us not be afraid of moving ahead slowly, but beware of standing still. My best wishes to VOX that encourages the staff and the students to become part of this process of building of a door for opportunity to knock and building windmills as the wind of change blows. May God bless us all!



**Fr. Arul Rayan SJ**  
Principal

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**TEACHERS**



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## Inspiration of the Teacher on Teacher's Day



A special day which belongs to a teacher celebrated to honor and acknowledges the great work accomplished by teacher in the life of a student. A day to recollect the contributions of a teacher in the society. But I wonder who a teacher is? The one who is trained and having a degree to be associated with an institution! The one who is in the profession of 'Teaching'! No, I believe that each and every person reading this article is a teacher. In fact a teacher himself or herself is a learner. Since we all are teaching and learning from each other I wish 'A very Happy Teachers Day to all of us.'

A young kid learns the first word 'ma' 'pa' from his parents. How to walk, cycle, and hold a slate pencil everything is introduced rather taught by the parents. They are the first teachers in a kid's life, who show the correct path to a child by scolding, explaining, loving and encouraging manners. But with the passage of time the parents have become only 'the parents' and have forgotten the role of a teacher. Let us remind ourselves that our duty is not just to give the most comfortable lives to our kids but we need to act like a lighthouse that

the most wandered person can also trust and find the correct way.

We teachers are the most blessed people who are entrusted with the greatest responsibility of moulding a child's future, which ultimately shapes the society and the country as a whole. The parents who otherwise are so protective towards their kids, leaves their part of heart, in our safe hands with the firm faith that through the formal education which we teachers impart will brighten their future. Let us ask ourselves, Are we able to accomplish our responsibilities well? Are we able to impart the moral values along with the reasoning and analysing skills?

evils prevailing around us. If 'No' let us evaluate and bring the change in ourselves in order to change the society.

My dear kids, I think you are the best teachers of all of us. Recently when we had to change our teaching mode from class room to computers, most of you became our mentors. Your innocent questions & behaviour inspires us to evaluate ourselves. Thanks a ton for that.

My only message is always do well and choose what is right. Choose the virtues over all the worldly pleasure and attractions and ultimately you will receive everything. We as parents and teachers are willing to guide you but are you ready to walk on the path of truth and honesty?

Ms. Licy Joy  
Primary Teacher



## Per Aspera ad Astra



Myself Sharon Xavier, an alumna of St. Xavier's High School Gandhinagar (Batch 2014), would like to talk about my passion for space science, developments in Indian space industry and summarise how students could pursue this field. I am currently writing my Master's thesis at Fraunhofer Research Institute as part of my post graduation program in Space Engineering in Germany.

The title of the article means "Through hardships to the stars" and this summarizes the field of space science and engineering. It took more than thirty years to launch the first satellite into space after it was first described in science fictions and today, nearly fifty years after humans first set foot on the moon, we are ready to make the giant leap.

As the next men and the first woman prepare to go to the moon again and eventually to Mars by 2030, the field of space science and engineering has never been more fascinating. There is no end to one's imagination and the experiments that could be carried out in space.

Thousands of functional satellites around the Earth provide us with GPS and weather monitoring systems, make detailed observations of the Earth to detect changes in sea level, polar icecaps, ground water, forest distributions and in near future satellites will provide us with cost-effective internet.

Many of these satellites help us fight the greatest challenges of our lifetime while also helping us with everyday services that we often don't realise. Since the year 2000, there has been a constant presence of at least one human in space, in the International Space Station (ISS).

ISS is the largest space lab ever built, which orbits the Earth every ninety minutes and could be spotted from the Earth with bare eyes. One of the fascinating experiments on ISS is growing vegetables, which would be a great resource during inter-planetary space travel and for human settlement on Moon and Mars.

There are many more exciting missions to other planets and beyond our solar system, that bring valuable insights about our universe and about ourselves. There are many ways to study to become a space or an aerospace engineer.

The straight forward way is to take up aerospace engineering as an undergraduate degree and then specialize in a space engineering degree during post graduation. But there are many uncommon paths to becoming a space engineer. For example, some one from electrical or mechanical engineering background could also take up space engineering.

## Don't Give up



Space science is a vast field and has a lot of requirement from many different areas of engineering, medicine, human psychology, law, data science, business and management, sustainability and so on. Every one studying space science does not necessarily has to become an astronaut, as there are a lot of areas beyond that which require research and development. There are so many start-ups in India as well, that focus on making rockets, satellites and other parts, which would surely create a huge opportunity to put your talents into good use. So, if the field of space science excites you, focus on making your basic concepts in math and physics clear during your school years, ignite your imagination and try to keep up-to-date with the news on space, both in India and internationally. Never forget that everything is possible !

**Sharon Xavier**  
**Space Engineering (Msc.)**  
**University of Bremen,**  
**Germany**



I attended St. Xavier's school from 1984-1996. Currently, I am practicing physician and administrator in California. I finished my MBBS from BJ medical College, postgraduate training at Wayne state University, Michigan and MBA at UCLA, California. Saint Xavier's has played a major role in my educational achievements and I shall remain eternally grateful to the teachers, principals and staff at this prestigious institution.

At Xavier's we had extremely conducive environment for educational excellence. The teachers and administrators carefully nurtured a tradition of success through hard work and discipline. The cohort was also excellent with brilliant students, committed parents and ideal ecosystem for achieving the highest educational goals.

We looked up to our seniors who had achieved outstanding results in their careers. We may have left Xavier's but Xavier's has not left us. I will always remain proud to have received education at this amazing institution. My two cents on career choices: Whatever you do, do it well. There is no substitute to hard work. Always dream big. Be ready to face failures with humility since success does not teach you anything, only failures do. No matter how hard the road is, never give up. And finally in words of Wayne Gretzky: You miss 100% of the shots (chances) you don't take.

Thank you.

**Dr. Dhagash Joshi**





## ગુરુ ગોવિંદ દોનો ખડે, કા કે લાગુ પાય, બલીહારી ગુરુ આપ કી ગોવિંદ દીયો બતાય

આપણા ભારતદેશના ભૂતપૂર્વ રાષ્ટ્રપતિ શ્રી ડો સર્વપલ્લી રાધાકૃષ્ણ ના જન્મદિવસ 5 મી સપ્ટેમ્બર ને આપણે શિક્ષક દિન તરીકે ઉજવીએ છીએ. શિક્ષક નું સ્થાન તો આપણા જીવનનું સૌથી ઉચું અને પવિત્ર સ્થાન છે. સર્વપલ્લી રાધાકૃષ્ણ આવા જ એક મહાન શિક્ષક હતા તેઓને પોતાના શિક્ષક હોવાનો એટલો તે ગર્વ હતો કે રાષ્ટ્રપતિ બન્યા છતાં પણ તેઓ એમ કહેતા હતા કે હું પહેલા એક શિક્ષક છું અને પછી જ રાષ્ટ્રપતિ..

તત્વજ્ઞાન ના નિષ્ણાત ડો સર્વપલ્લી રાધાકૃષ્ણએ ફિલોસોફી ના અધ્યાપક તરીકે પોતાની કારકીર્દીની શરૂઆત કરી હતી. તેઓ એક ઉત્તમ લેખક પણ હતા. તેમના વિદ્યાર્થીઓ તેમના હાથ નીચે તૈયાર થઇ અને ખૂબ આગળ વધ્યા હતા. વિદ્યાર્થી ઓ નો આદર્શ હતા ડો સર્વપલ્લી રાધાકૃષ્ણ... આથી જ્યારે તેઓ ભારતના રાષ્ટ્રપતિ બન્યા ત્યારે તેમના વિદ્યાર્થીઓ દ્વારા તેમના જન્મદિવસની ઉજવણી કરવા તેમના જન્મદિવસને શિક્ષકદિન તરીકે ઉજવવાનું સૂચન કરાયું હતું. ડો. રાધાકૃષ્ણને તેમના સેવાકાર્ય માટે કેટલાક બ્રિટિશ અને ભારતીય ઈલકાબોથી સન્માનિત કરવામાં આવ્યા હતા.

1954 મા તેમની ભારત રત્ન થી પણ સન્માનિત કરવામાં આવ્યા. તેમની કારકીર્દી મા તેમને મળેલ ઇનામ ની રકમ પણ તેમણે શિક્ષણ માટે સહાયમા આપી દીધી. આમ તેમની મહાનતા તો શબ્દો મા વ્યક્ત કરી શકાય એમ નથી. તેમણે સમાજ મા શિક્ષક નુ મહત્વ ખૂબ વધાર્યું છે. "નમોઽસ્તુ ગુરવે તસ્મૈ ઇષ્ટદેવ સ્વરૂપિણે।યસ્ય વાગમૃતં હન્તિ વિષં સંસાર સંજ્ઞકમ્।" એટલે વાણીરુપી અમૃત થી સંસારના બધા જ ઝેર નો નાશ થાય છે એવા ગુરુ ને નમસ્કાર છે અને એવા ગુરુ ઇષ્ટ દેવ નુ સ્વરૂપ મનાય છે. શાષ્ટ્રો માં પણ કહ્યું છે કે જે ગુરુ ની કૃપા હોય તો યોગીજનો ને પણ દુર્લભ વૈકુંઠની પ્રાપ્તિ થાય છે.

એક શિક્ષક મા જ એ તાકાત છે કે જે પોતાના વિદ્યાર્થી ને સમૃદ્ધિના શિખરે પહોંચાડી શકે છે અને ઇતિહાસ માં એવા અનેક દાખલા પણ છે. અત્યાર નો સમય ઓન લાઇન શિક્ષણ નો સમય કહેવાય છે. ઇન્ટરનેટ પર જોઇતી

માહિતી ક્ષણ વાર મા આપણ ને મળી જાય છે.. પરંતુ શું ઓનલાઇન શિક્ષણ નો આ વ્યાપ એ ગુરુ ના મહત્વ ને થોડું પણ ઓછું કરી શકશે...ના...બીલકુલ નહી...ઇન્ટરનેટ તમને માહિતી આપશે.

પરંતુ એક વિદ્યાર્થી ને જ્ઞાન સાથે કેળવણી પણ આપવાની છે, તેમના માં ચારિત્ર્ય નુ ઘડતર પણ કરવાનું છે અને ત્યારે ગુરુ સિવાય બીજો કોઇ જ વિકલ્પ નથી.

અત્યારે કોરોના ના સમય મા જ્યારે ઓન લાઇન શિક્ષણ હવે ફરજિયાત થઇ ગયું છે ત્યા શિક્ષકો પણ જુદી જુદી ઓનલાઇન એપ્લિકેશન ધ્વારા વિદ્યાર્થી ઓ સાથે સંપર્ક મા રહી અને શિક્ષણ આપી રહ્યા છે. શિક્ષકો અમારા માટે જે મહેનત અને અમને જ્ઞાન આપી રહ્યા છે એનું તો કોઇ મોલ થાય એમ નથી. કોરોના ની કપરી પરિસ્થિતિ મા પણ અમારા શિક્ષકો ની આ અથાગ મહેનતે અમને વિદ્યા રુપી અમૃત માંથી વંચિત નથી રાખ્યા. તેઓ નુ નિયમિત રૂપે મળતુ માર્ગદર્શન અને હકારાત્મક ભાવ અમને હંમેશા બળ પુરુ પાડી રહ્યા છે.

સમય સાથે ભલે ગમે એવો બદલાવ સ્વીકાર્ય હોય તો પણ ગુરુ શિષ્ય ની પ્રણાલી માં ક્યારેય બદલાવ ના હોવો જોઇએ. ઓન લાઇન શિક્ષણ સ્વીકારવાનો વાંધો જ નથી પણ, ગુરુ હંમેશા સમાજ માં માન ની નજર થી જ જોવાય એ પ્રથા હજુ જીવંત રાખવી છે. આજે દરેક વિદ્યાર્થી ની એ ફરજ છે કે પોતાના ગુરુ ની આમન્યા જાળવે. તેમના ધ્વારા મળી રહેલ અમૂલ્ય વિદ્યા નુ મૂલ્ય ચૂકવવુ તો અશક્યજ છે પણ આપણે એવા ઉત્તમ અને સફળ વિદ્યાર્થી બની ને બતાવવુ છે કે આપણા શિક્ષકોને ગર્વ ની અનુભૂતિ થાય..અંત મા ગુરુ શ્રી યાણક્ય નુ એક વિધાન યાદ આવે છે...શિક્ષક કભી સાધારણ નહીં હોતા, પ્રલય ઔર નિર્માણ ઉસ કી ગોદ મે ખેલતે હૈ. આજે મારા દરેક ગુરુ ને મારા શત શત વંદન છે...અસ્તુ..

By : Tirth Bhatt 8-C



गुरु वही जो जिना सीखा दे  
आपकी आपसे पहचान करा दे  
तराश दे हीरे की तरह तुमको  
दुनिया के रास्तो पे चलना सीखा दे  
कर दे कायाकल्प तुम्हारा  
सच और झूठ से साकार करा दे  
हमेशा दिखाए वो सच्चा मार्ग तुम्हे  
तुम्हे एक अच्छा इंसान बना दे  
मुश्किलों से लड़कर आगे बढ़ जाओ तुम  
तुम्हे वो इतना समझदार बना दे  
बता दे वो तुम्हे जीत जाना ही सब कुछ नहीं  
हैट कर जीत जाने का हुन्नर सीखा दे  
गुरु वही जो जिना सीखा दे  
आपकी आपसे पहचान करा दे

हिना पुरलीया  
कक्षा: १२ - बी

## Be Like You

From the tips of my fingers,  
To the middle of my heart,  
I wanted to thank you.  
From my kindergarten start,  
To learn and play you taught to add and multiply,  
No matter the years that soon shall pass,  
I will never forget our time in class  
I came into your class to learn and to grow  
But has touched me the most  
Is the love you have shown?  
I send you on to read some more,  
There's more to read it's true  
You'll always be a part of me  
I be a part of you  
Thank you for being my life's role model  
There are seed that you planted  
Years ago, that is now coming into  
Bloom I'd reveal to you the young  
Mind that expanded under your care  
The hearts that are serving others  
Because they had you as their role model  
I want to be like u  
Well-informed and easy to understand  
Thinking with your heart as well as your head  
Gently nudging us to do our best  
With sensitivity and insight----  
I want to be like you  
Giving your time, energy and talent  
To ensure the brightest future possible  
for each of us  
For giving us a goal to shoot for ----  
I want to be like you  
I send you on to read some more,  
There's more to read its true,  
You'll always be a part of me  
I'll be a part of you  
Thank you and Happy Teacher's day

By: Viha Mihir Bhatt



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1. Dev Parmar - 9 A
2. Mourya - 11 A
3. Prem Sagar Reddy - 9 A
4. Smit Sonar - 9 C



## Plastic FreeZone & Swachchhata Abhiyan Competition

### ❖ Chart

Name	Std	Div
1. Aangi M Shah	10	B
2. Khushi Rathod	12	B
3. Tarula Ruth	12	A

### ❖ Drawing

Name	Std	Div
1. Krisha Payghode	11	D
2. Vidhan Joshi	10	C
3. Manal R Desai	9	C

### ❖ Poem

Name	Std	Div
1. Krisha Payghode	11	D
2. Krish Kapadia	9	B
3. Manal R Desai	9	C

### ❖ Slogan

Name	Std	Div
1. Mahi A Patel	9	C
2. Krisha Payghode	11	D
3. Het A Mehta	9	A

### ❖ Essay

Name	Std	Div
1. Anchal Thakor	11	B
2. Mehnaz Modan	12	D
3. Meera Sachchade	11	B

## Hindi Divas competition

### ❖ Slogan competition

Name	Std	Div
1) Smahi Narendra	3	A
2) Banasree Uchat	3	C
3) Krisha Patel.	3	B
4) Durva Dave.	4	A
5) Isaac Christian.	4	A
6) Jaitra Dholakia.	4	B

### ❖ Poem recitation

Name	Std	Div
1) Yagni Dhuva.	5	B
2) Devanshi Rana.	5	A
3) Jinal Varia.	5	C
4) Vaidehi Patel.	6	A
5) Sonia Patel	6	B
6) Yesha Soni.	6	C

### ❖ Hindi Elocution

Name	Std	Div
1) Anshika Bhatt.	7	A
2) Alina Padhiar.	7	B
3) Yashvi Trivedi.	7	A
4) Tirth Bhatt.	8	C
5) Dhyan Patel.	8	C
6) Rushika Nair.	8	A



## Pri-Primary Section

### 15<sup>th</sup> Aug 2021 Winners of the Patriotic Song Competition

Class	Name of the Student
L.K.G.-A	1 <sup>st</sup> Patel Hiyan B.
L.K.G.-A	2 <sup>nd</sup> Damor Janvi K.
L.K.G.-A	3 <sup>rd</sup> Modi ved M.
L.K.G.-B	1 <sup>st</sup> Parmar Shivansh A.
L.K.G.-B	2 <sup>nd</sup> Patel jayneel S.
L.K.G.-B	2 <sup>nd</sup> Patel Jiyansh J.
L.K.G.-B	3 <sup>rd</sup> Vaghasia Hels A.
U.K.G.-A	1 <sup>st</sup> Bhatt Manushi A.
U.K.G.-A	2 <sup>nd</sup> Rathod Shaurya R.
U.K.G.-A	2 <sup>nd</sup> Irene Antony K.R
U.K.G.-A	3 <sup>rd</sup> Patel vihaan H.
U.K.G.-A	3 <sup>rd</sup> Daftari Tashvi C.
U.K.G.-B	1 <sup>st</sup> Chavda Rahini R.
U.K.G.-B	2 <sup>nd</sup> Gajjar Manshree N.
U.K.G.-B	3 <sup>rd</sup> Shah Ariha A.
U.K.G.-B	3 <sup>rd</sup> Khem Krishna D.
U.K.G.-C	1 <sup>st</sup> Gamit Azel M.
U.K.G.-C	2 <sup>nd</sup> Dave Pranshu U.
U.K.G.-C	3 <sup>rd</sup> Malek Aaysha T.



**Charmi Chauhan**  
11-B  
Won Gold medal in skating at National Level



5th September is the day we honour our teachers in India for their significant work. We celebrate teacher's day in memory of Dr. Sarvapalli Radhakrishana.

Teacher's Day was celebrated on 4th Sept 2021 in St.Xavier's School, Gandhinagar to honour all our beloved teachers. We had Fr.Yowan and Br.Viju as our guests. Teacher's Day celebration was also conducted online for our dear students using Zoom platform so that they too can be a part of the celebration in this pandemic period.

Maanya Patel and Sadiya Shiakh students of higher secondary section had anchored the program. Our program began with a prayer dance performed by our high school students. There after Jane tr had delivered a beautiful speech on Teacher's day. Primary and high school students showed their love and respect for their teachers in various forms like videos, songs, dance, poem recitation etc. Trisha soni of Std 4th B Performed an amazing dance on Guru Brahma Guru Vishnu Trisha and

Tirth felicitated Fr.Arul, Fr.Yowan, Br.Viju, Sr.Avelin, Sr.Deepika and Marshal Mam with greeting cards(Handmade).

Tirth Bhatt of std 8th C delivered on astounding speech on teacher's day and it was breathtaking. All our Pri-Primary, Primary and high school teacher's were honoured and felicitated by a beautiful card and a red rose. Hard work of our cultural committee for preparing the cards. Also, our primary teacher Miss Licy Joy touched our hearts by her speech on Teacher's Day.

We all were so much inspired when we heard awakening speech by our principal, Rev.Fr.Arul and explained the importance of striving hard to achieve something in life by an example of Crow and Eagle. The program ended with a vote of thanks by our high school teacher Mrs.Leena Micheal. Thereafter, staff photos were taken near Xavier's Plaza.



Ms. Sajani Johnson  
Primary Teacher

દર વર્ષની જેમ આ વર્ષે પણ ગાંધીનગરની પ્રતિષ્ઠિત શાળા સેંટ જેવિયર્સમાં શિક્ષકદિનની ઉજવણી ધામધૂમથી કરવામાં આવી હતી. વર્તમાન પરિસ્થિતિને ધ્યાનમાં રાખીને ઓફલાઇનની સાથે સાથે ઓનલાઇન આ પર્વની ઉજવણી કરવામાં આવી હતી. જેમાં શાળાના આચાર્યશ્રી ફાધર અરુલ એસ.જે, સીસ્ટર એવલિન, સીસ્ટર દિપિકા, સુપરવાઇઝર માર્શલ મેડમ, સર્વ શિક્ષકમિત્રો તથા શાળા પરિવારના તમામ સભ્યો ઉપસ્થિત રહ્યા હતા. સમગ્ર કાર્યક્રમનું સુકાન ઉચ્ચતર માધ્યમિક વિભાગની વિદ્યાર્થીનીઓએ સંભાળેલ હતું. કાર્યક્રમની શરૂઆત સુંદર પ્રાર્થનાનૃત્ય દ્વારા કરવામાં આવી હતી. આ પર્વ પર વિદ્યાર્થીઓએ ઓનલાઇન તથા ઓફલાઇન શાળાના શિક્ષકો માટે વિવિધ નૃત્યો, ગીતો, શુભેચ્છા આપતા વક્તવ્યો તથા સંદેશ રજૂ કર્યો હતા.

જેમાં પ્રિ.પ્રાયમરી થી લઈને ઉચ્ચતર માધ્યમિક વિભાગના વિદ્યાર્થીઓ જોડાયા હતા. વિદ્યાર્થીઓ દ્વારા બનાવેલ સુંદર કાર્ડસ તથા પુષ્પો આપીને સર્વ શિક્ષકોનું સન્માન કરવામાં આવ્યું હતું.

શાળાના આચાર્યશ્રી ફાધર અરુલે વિદ્યાર્થીજીવનમાં લક્ષ્ય તથા મૂલ્યોનું મહત્વ સમજાવતો અસરકારક સંદેશ આપી સર્વ શિક્ષકશ્રીઓ તથા વિદ્યાર્થીઓને પર્વ નિમિત્તે શુભેચ્છા પાઠવી હતી. ખુબ જ ટૂંક સમયમાં વર્તમાન પરિસ્થિતિમાં ડિજિટલ માધ્યમ દ્વારા સમગ્ર કાર્યક્રમને શાળાના વિદ્યાર્થીઓ, સુપરવાઇઝર માર્શલ મેડમ, કલ્ચરલ કમિટિના સભ્યો, કમ્પ્યુટર ટીચર્સ તથા સમગ્ર શિક્ષકમિત્રોએ સફળ બનાવ્યો હતો. જેમાં મોટી સંખ્યામાં વિદ્યાર્થીઓ તથા વાલીગણો જોડાઇને આ પર્વને સુંદર રીતે ઉજવ્યો હતો. અસ્તુ.

Ms. Leena Mehta  
High School Teacher





## JEA and JEAG secretaries visit

We had a special guest in our St. Xavier's Campus on 7th September and it was indeed a joy to welcome Rev. Father John Ravi S.J, Secretary Jesuit Educational Association in South Asia. It was our privilege to listen to him. He was accompanied by Fr Francis Macwan S.J (JEAG) A Special meeting was organized at the quadrangle to interact with the staff of our school, and it was indeed a productive interaction as Rev. Fr John Ravi spoke about the realities of life during the pandemic and the role of a teacher during these times. He mentioned that the extended pandemic and school closures have changed the role of teachers. Virtually every home has become a classroom and pedagogical adaptations have proven to be pivotal as the traditional lecturing in person does not translate to a remote learning environment. He dialogued with the staff with thought provoking questions such as, what are the lessons that the pandemic has taught us? What is truly important in our lives? How should we value and cherish one another? What is the importance of faith in God in our lives? He emphasized on the need for interdependence and cooperation of each other to move on during these difficult times. He also inaugurated the DIGITAL WING of our school. It is a platform to promote technology in education. It will also identify digital talents among the students and encourage them to grow and bear fruit. This Platform was conceived and developed by our principal Fr. Arul Rayan S.J. Fr Francis Macwan S.J. released a monthly newsletter of the school "Voice of Xavier's" (VOX)

Ms. Leena Michal  
High School Teacher



## A Xavierite Is a Person For Others

"Lives of great men all remind us  
We can make our lives sublime"

How apt indeed, to recall this verse as we dedicate this 'Vox'(The Voice of Xavier's) to the stalwarts of the Jesuit Community- St Francis Xavier and St Ignatius of Loyola whose 500 years of conversion of heart, we are celebrating this year. This Vox is a reflection of the vision, goals and sentiments of our school, which is a much – lauded Jesuit institution of education.

But vision without action is like a castle in the air, while vision with action leads to change. Our school trains its students for a globalized society, in no way jeopardize the good of others. The goal is not only to reach academic excellence but to cater to the all-round development that is excellence in sports, co-curricular activities, good behaviour and social concern. In fact, it encourages the students to go out towards the less privileged. In short it aims to make our students, 'Person for others'.

The Jesuit education system is one such arena where a student gets the opportunity to develop not only as a student but also grow as a human being and a successful career person. The aim of this institution is to make a student, a person on a mission with vision and to in still the motto, 'A Xavierite is a person for others.

Ms. Rita Minj  
High School Teacher



# Teachers

can change lives with just the  
right mix of chalk and  
challenges.

-Joyce Meyer



## Digital Wing Committee



Fr. Arul Rayan SJ



Ms. Marshal Xavier



Sr. Deepika Pachalkar CCV



Ms. Disha Sharma



Ms. Shaila Joshi



Ms. Sudita Dabhi



Ms. Khushbu Darji



Ms. Beena Desai