

# Christopher Day School Malancha , Kharagpur

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### Principal's message

Dear Students, Parents, and Staff,

I am delighted to present to you the latest edition of Zvezda, our school newsletter. This special issue is dedicated to highlight the achievements and milestones of the past academic year, as outlined in our Annual Report.

As you flip through the pages, you will get a glimpse of the numerous accomplishments, events, and activities that have made our school year so memorable. From academic excellence to extracurricular achievements, our students have truly shone bright.

I would like to take this opportunity to express my gratitude to our students, parents, and staffs for their tireless efforts and dedication to our school community.

I hope you enjoy reading this edition of Zvezda. Your feedback and suggestions are always welcome.

Thank you.

Sr. Marisha

Principal, Christopher Day School



### Teachers' Orientation

The new academic Session 2024-25 commenced with a faculty orientation programme organised by the management of Christopher Day School on 3.04.24 (for pre-primary and primary teachers orientation programme and 4.4.24 for high school) from 9a.m. to 4 p.m. The respected Principal Sr. Marisha addressed important academic aspects and suggested the members of the faculty to implement the same. Mr. Sidhart Deb is an extra ordinary personality. It was beautifully organised by the specialised practical techniques and methods to improve the teaching skills. All were flabbergasted by refined skills presented by the respected resource person Mr. Sidhart Deb.



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# Celebrations



## Investiture Ceremony

"If your actions inspire others to dream more, learn more, do more and become more, you are a leader."

An investiture ceremony is a formal event where someone is given an official rank, power or authority. School captains and vice captains were chosen on 15.05.24. It was an auspicious day as Sister Marisha handed over the flags and badges to the respective leaders. The parliament members took the oath along with the house members.



## Rabindranath Jayanti

08.05.24 'Faith is the bird that feels the light when you are in dark'.

Rabindra Jayanti celebration explored the charismatic charm of the talents of C.D.S The unbearable heat could not stop the enlightened mind to go beyond and shine brighter. 'Bose house' was the in charge of the entire function.

Venue- School auditorium

Indeed, it was beautifully arranged for the grand success of the event.



## Saint Christopher Feast



Feast day is a day of union, and joy. Learning is an experience to go beyond confinement where the students of Christopher Day School, live, laugh and love as they believe small cheer and great welcome makes a merry feast. Children demonstrated the values and morals of St. Christopher through drama and dance, radiating his notion of gratitude and grace. The event was well attended by students and teachers, served as a wonderful opportunity for our community to come together and honor the patron saint of travelers.

## Independence Day

"Freedom is not just about independence; it is about self-discovery and self-realisation"  
– Dr. A.P.J Abdul Kalam.

'Unity in diversity' may India's enigma radiates the mirth and joy of strength, togetherness and love. May the laughter of every Indian echoes the freedom of the nation with security. Freedom is the right to choose one's beliefs, one's way of life, one's destiny. The C.D.S champs are indeed free to dream, free to achieve: 'United in Liberty, Proud in freedom'.





# Teachers' Day



**"To the Teachers who commands respect"**

**"A teacher affects eternity, they can never tell where their influence stops."**

They are the bows from which their children as living arrows are sent forth. C.D.S celebrated Teachers' Day with great enthusiasm and gratitude. The students welcomed the teachers' with the blooming plants reflecting love and honor. The event featured with cultural programs. The teachers' were honored for their hardwork and commitment to excellence.



## Christmas Fete



Christmas is the season of joy and the festive season is here! Joy to the world indeed. Ho! Ho! Ho! Christmas waves a magic wand over this world and behold, everything is softer and more beautiful. At Christmas all roads lead home. "Good food leads to good mood" the stalls of C.D.S added more glory to the celebration. The tempting, savory and scrumptious meals seemed to be full of delightful experience of C.D.S fete.



## Graduation Day

The future belongs to those who believe in the beauty of their dreams. Graduating is the art of reviving the new essence and embracing the new journey of life. The toddlers of C.D.S toddle towards the path of hope and wisdom with brave hearts and glittering eyes.



## Farewell



Every farewell is a sunset that always awaits the sunrise. The beautiful end marks a new beginning . One chapter ends, another begins. Remember the company won't be same without you. But then again life would unite us in some other way keeping the memories saved in our hearts for the rest of the lives. The candle proves to be the guiding light for the students of C.D.S to keep it ignited for the rest of their journey embarking hope and illumination within themselves forever and beyond. Father Gregory, Principal of Sacred Heart school witnessed this glorious moment.







# Academics



## Session begins

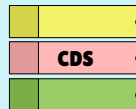
“Session begins”: Every moment is a fresh beginning’--T.S.Eliot

05.04.24: marked the refreshing commencement of the classes from KG1 to X & XII.

08.04.24: Enchanted the little tots with their school bags and began a new chapter for the class nursery.



## Online classes



‘Beat the heat.’ As per the guidelines given by the government, the school management had taken the responsibility of shifting the offline classes to the online mode. The health of the students and staffs were given prior importance of the utmost concern.

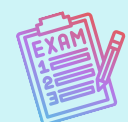
Hence, 24.04.24 initiated the online classes with zeal and high spirit.



## Result Declaration



6.5.24: ICSE & ISC glittered the success of hard work and patience with the results declaration, pioneering the esteem of C.D.S to the greatest heights of success.



# Creative Writing

'As the art of writing is the bewitching art of perfection.'

Among the reputed school like Sacred Heart High School, St. Josephs school , St Pauls School, Mary Immaculate; Christopher Day School kept on following the path of success being the leading school of the concerned events as it follows the idea of " Soar higher, shine Brighter."

Judges:

Anuradha Das - English teacher, St Agness School.

Mohua Mitra Mukherjee - English teacher ,Royal Academy School.



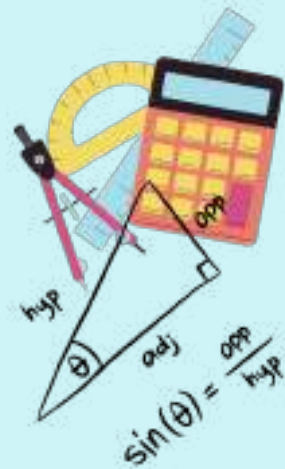
# Math Magic Workshop

"Pure mathematics is in its way, the poetry of logical ideas."

16.05.24 was an eventful day to solve the mathematical calculation just like revolving the magic wand.

Hocus Focus ! And the maths solution problems disappear.

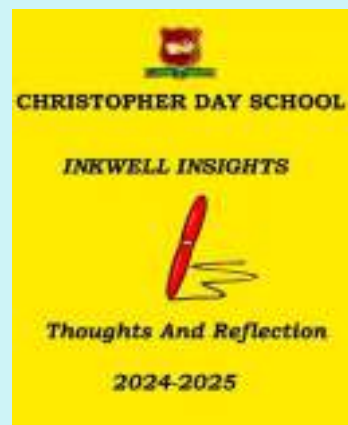
Resource person: Devesh kumar discussed the secret ways to play with numbers.



# Our World,Our Words



Writing is the condensed form of an author's emotion. It breaks the silence with the power of words. To understand it deeply, an essay book was launched by the initiative of our respected Principal to give wings to fly and reach rainbow beyond their expectation. The collection of the essay not only helped the students to look deep within themselves but also allowed them to understand art deeply and profoundly.



# Parents Teachers Meeting

Together may we give our children the root to grow and the wings to fly" Yes, it was Parents teachers meeting!

Teachers, parents and other educators are the integral parts of the learning journey. They have the ability to light fires, help children to succeed, and to even change the world. Education is life itself. The interaction between teachers and parents act as a spark that ignite the spirit of a child for the greater good. It is essential for the cognitive development of a child. Hence, a little progress each day adds up to big result.





# Co curricular Activities

## International Yoga Day

‘A fit body is a fit mind’

International Yoga day was observed by the teachers and students from classes III to XII.

Yoga Asanas were performed by Mr. Chandan Santra and other students.



## Activity Day ,Bookless Day

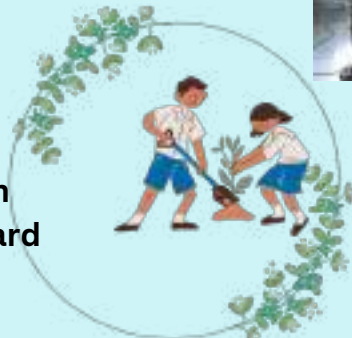
Theme Patriotism

Dance is like dreaming with your feet and music is like the tool to express life. So, the students of C.D.S were busy in tapping their shoes and toning their voice and refining their magic skills.



## Plantation Campaign

Sister Marisha initiated a plantation campaign in the presence of the Ward Councillor MR. Harish Kumar along with C.D.S staff and students.





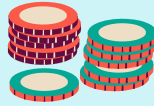


# Sports



## Carom

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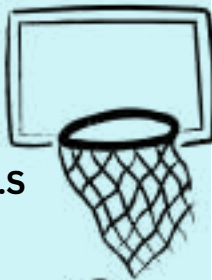


Life is a carom game. Sometimes you hit the target and sometimes you don't but the journey is never over. It marks the victory of C.D.S champions to prosper with confidence and power



## Basketball Team

Sportsmanship builds character, a strong personality and will power to command and carry on the virtues and values with respect and honor. The C.D.S soldiers vivaciously nail every game they play.



## Kho Kho Team



"Sports is not less than any sadhna, sacrifice and hardwork are its victory path, it depends how you are a seeker?" But our girls are rebellious. It was a win to witness glee and sparkle of glory in their eyes.



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# Cricket Team



The cricket fever is on! Can't wait! Because again it is a victory to praise! East or West....yes C.D.S is the best. This game taught them to fight,how to fall,how to dust themselves off to get up again and move forward.Self belief and hard work will always earn you success.



# Throw Ball

Among all the schools of Archdiocesan C.D.S liberated with the mirth of pride and victory. It was a moment to witness the result of their continuous hardwork and dedication.

# Chess



“Move in silence only speak when it is time to say checkmate”. Chess is not about always winning but it is learning, evolving and growing the skills.23rd of November marked this special day where the students of Christopher Day School participated in the chess tournament, at Sacred Heart High School, Kharagpur.It was witnessed with motivation and sharp intellectual capability. Success blesses those who never fears. “Life is like chess—sometimes, the most powerful move is not in taking, but in waiting.”



# Athletics



“Do not be afraid of failure. This is the way to succeed”It doesn't matter if you fall short;it is never a failure to go after your goals with everything you've got. Christopherians marked the Archdiocesan Athletic Meet to commence a new journey of triumphant success,on 28th January,2025 in the city of Joy ,Kolkata at Sailen Manna Stadium.







# Milestones of the Year



## Short Film



Magic is frozen forever in the world of films. It inspires, motivates, gives you the reel feel but with a real touch. Hence, C.D.S filmstars took the initiative to paint their emotions with the colours of vibrant filming. It was titled as Udan (the flight) which captured the wavering fleeting hopes of a child and gave a defined perfection to it embraced with love, care and above all trust.



## School Magazine



The year 2024 brought honor, success, and glory to the abode of C.D.S. We are pleased to present our school's magazine Lumière with pride and esteem. The combined efforts of teachers and students are indeed eulogized. Our respected Sister Marisha made this possible with her ability to transform everything in to true perfection and guided us towards the boulevard of excellence.



## Benchmarks of the Year



"I can, I will, I do."

2024 reflected the melodious rhythm of triumph with mirth and laughter of victorious reign. Christopher Day School successfully waved their flag wherever they stepped.

C.D.S soared higher against the renowned schools in the field of Quiz, Debate, Model making at Vidyasagar Shishu Niketan, golden jubilee award function.

Among all the Archdiocesan School, C.D.S walked in with the euphoric exultant win.

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HEROES  
WEAR  
CAPES



# Sunshine Safari

## Pre Primary

Fresh air, fine food and a friendly company is all you need to start your day. The adorable hearts of the pre primary section had their exciting picnic within the school premises.



# PICNIC



## Primary

The teachers and the students share a beautiful bond together when it comes to picnic it beautifies the relationship between the two in a better and happier way. The primary picnic was settled at B.N.R garden, Kharagpur amidst the tranquility of nature which recorded the innocent bliss of every student.



## High School

The high school picnic started with excitement and touch of adventurous spark. The members of Pratyusha Park were generous enough to cooperate with the students and the teachers. The day went well, the students danced, rejoiced and had scrumptious meals fulfilling their appetite.



## Teachers

"Bishnupur is a cradle of heritage"; the land of temple town in the Bankura district of West Bengal that welcomes you with its lavish heritage, proud culture, brilliant architecture and tales of terracotta.

The C.D.S family enjoyed the aesthetic beauty of the place along with their respected Principal Sr. Marisha at Banalata Resort, Bishnupur. It was a break from daily monotonous schedule and a flicker of jubilant spark being cherished and revived forever and beyond.

