SRM International School aims to be the Center of Excellence in Education using the state-of-the-art technology, where the seeds of the all-round development of the children are sown at an early age. I, Preeti Saroha, Principal of the school take immense pleasure and pride to present to you a report of our activities and achievements for the pastone year 2021-22.

### Vision and Mission:

Our Managing director, Mr Himmat Singh Jhala had the desire to create a dynamic environment to bring out the best of every student in a holistic manner. His mission is to achieve the holistic development of students through an excellent academic and physical environment that is conducive to learning, developing creativity, and exploration. To create healthy, strong, disciplined, bold, and competent citizens who will work for the betterment of the Nation.

### Philosophy:

We have significant accomplishments in A.Y 2021-22 under the dynamic, motivating and proactive leadership our dear teachers.

The school focuses not only on advanced academics but also on extra-curricular and co-curricular activities. Students are trained at a very young age towards incorporating a sense of responsibility, loyalty, team spirit, and healthy competition to become graceful and dignified personalities. This academic year began with a prayer and all new joinees were welcomed to our school family.

Success is the sweet result of hard work combined with the desire to excel and unfailing dedication.

#### <u>Staff :</u>

#### The most valuable resource that any school can have is its staff.

The school collectively has an enthusiastic and dedicated team of 22 Teachers in the Senior Secondary, Secondary, the Primary and the Pre-Primary sections. In addition, we have Non-Teaching and Support staff. Their coordination with each other is what enables the school to function smoothly and grow with new perspectives.

# Innovation is the change that unlocks new value that leads to betterment and success.

The School continues to strive towards Innovation and the latest practices in the field of Pedagogy are being continuously incorporated.

To provide additional teaching, we have

#### **Environment Education**

It is a part of the day to day lessons being taught and the aspect is stressed at regular intervals in the Assemblies.

The School has a provision of Rain water harvesting as well as other facilities as enumerated below towards its concern for environmental protection:

- (a) Segregation of Water at source and recycling and proper discharge of Waste.
- (b) The School is using energy saving Electrical equipment's.
- (c) The school has a green look with a lot of plantation all around.

#### Parents' and Teachers' Association:

A General Body Meeting of parents is held on a regular basis and new members of the PTA were nominated for the year 2021-22.

Since then PTA meetings have been arranged periodically, the PTA members of our school are closely involved in most academic activities. We thank and congratulate them for their support and co-operation through the years.

# If you develop a passion for learning you will never cease to grow. <u>Academic Activities:</u>

Competitions and academic activities that go beyond the text books and the classrooms encourage and foster a healthy and competitive spirit and effective communication skills in the students. The activities are conducted at classroom level and school level . Some of these events are handwriting, essay, speech and slogan writing competitions. Competitions are also held for Poetry recitation, story writing and narration, debate, English and Hindi elocution, GK. Prizes are awarded during school assembly.

Reading Day was made memorable by a book exhibition in the school library. In each class students brought their own books or were given books or magazines to read with the aim to encourage and inculcate the habit of reading.

The school subscribes to various educational and entertainment magazines and periodicals which are available for the students to borrow and read.

# -Aristotle rightly said that educating the mind without educating the heart is no education at all.

Value based education is given for self development and personality development. This is done with the aim to inculcate in students values like honesty, gratitude, forgiveness, kindness etc. In addition, throughout the school year, on every working day, assemblies are conducted on a wide variety of value based themes and topics.

## Training, Seminars, Orientation and Counseling:

Each academic year, trainings, seminars and orientation programes are conducted for teachers and students with a dual focus to improve and effectively implement innovative ideas in teaching-learning practices as well as to take the students beyond their current level of learning.

#### A real teacher is one who realizes that he/she must always be a learner.

In an effort to better them, a considerable number of our teachers have acquired degrees in B.Ed, M.Ed as well as other professional degrees in their pursuit of knowledge.

#### Co-curricular and Extracurricular activities:

These are an essential part of the life of an educational institution as they strengthen the classroom learning as well as develop the personality of the child and harness the in-depth potential of students. The activities are conducted throughout the year.

Some of these events are Fancy Dress Competition, Flower arrangement, card making, Best out of waste, poster making, chart making as well as dance competitions. Participation by the students and teachers in these events was very commendable.

# It is said that you must practice like you never won and perform like you have never lost.

## Games and Sports Competitions:

When students are physically fit, they will achieve more academically. Games and sports develop a sense of friendliness among the children and also build their team spirit. It helps children to develop mental and physical toughness. Bearing this in mind, the school provides ample opportunities for students to perform regular exercises and yoga, and to play and prove their mettle in various sports and games. Students participated in various events like: Volleyball & Tennis Volleyball and have won laurels for the school at state level.

### **Celebrations:**

### Life is a celebration. We just need persons to celebrate it.

To foster national integration, international understanding, religious and cultural awareness and tolerance, various national, religious and cultural festivals and occasions were celebrated with due pomp and grandeur.

- **National Festivals:** Independence Day, Republic Day, and Kargil Vijay Divas were celebrated with due reverence for our motherland with patriotic songs and dances.
- School Celebrations : Investiture Ceremony was celebrated in a befitting manner and responsibilities were given to tall the elected students to develop the sense of Leadership
- **Religious Festivals:** All religious festivals like Diwali, Ganeshotsav, Buddha Purnima, Easter, Guru Nanak Jayanti etc are celebrated throughout the year with due respect to the religious sentiments of our students.
- Other Celebrations: The school gives due recognition to significant global events and celebrate these days. Some of these events are International Women's day, International Workers Day, Hindi Divas, Yoga Day, Onam, World Peace Day, World Road Safety Day, Save our Planet Day, Girl Child Day, Science Exhibition etc.

## Educational Tours and Field Trips:

#### Learning by doing is the best way of learning

Field trips area part and parcel of imparting practical lessons in SRM. We conduct various Field Trips to Garden , Malls, Factories etc to give students the exposure to learn from the first hand experience.

#### Online Study during Covid 19 :

The nationwide lockdown following the COVID-19 pandemic has led to a burst of activity with online education. The COVID-19 has resulted in schools shut all across the world. Globally, over 1.2 billion children are out of the classroom. As a result, education has changed dramatically, with the distinctive rise of e-learning, whereby teaching is undertaken remotely and on digital platforms.

At SRM teachers and coordinators were regularly in contact with the students and parents and taking the online classes regularly. Apart from this, students are given various other extracurricular activities such as drawing, cooking, singing, dance etc. on day to day basis which they can carry out at their home and to encourage them we put their videos on social media and websites.

#### **Conclusion:**

We believe that every year brings changes with God's protection. As we are passing through an unprecedented crisis situation in the year 2020 we are confident that we will overcome all the odds by our strong will and ethics and pave the way for the betterment of the education fraternity and the society in general. Towards this, we have started our online lectures from the 01 Apr 2020 using various Innovative tools to facilitate learning by the students.

Before I conclude, let me assure that even though our students engaged themselves in various co-curricular and life skill activities, top priority is given to academic performance. Remedial teaching, extra classes, revisions, unit tests, class tests, assignments, project work, end of term exams have kept them busy throughout the year. I render thanks to our, our Management, our teaching and non teaching staff and my students and parents who have been with us in all our activities with maximum support and co-operation. With this I conclude the report.

Thank You.