

**FROM THE CHAIRMAN'S DESK**  
**NATIONAL ACADEMY FOR LEARNING, NORTH BENGALURU**  
**AN OVERVIEW OF THE ACADEMIC YEAR 2021-2022**

Dear Parents,

Greetings of the season!

We are at the conclusion of yet another academic year at NAFL North. Despite the continued challenge of the Online mode of education interspersed with occasional Offline classes, exams and practicals (for senior students), we are proud to say that our students rose to the occasion once again, and outshone themselves in both, scholastic and co scholastic fields. We are pleased to update you on some important events and achievements of the academic year 2021-22. And together let us hope, with renewed positivity, for a regular, better and productive year 2022-23.

I would, once again, like to thank you for your constant support for the school. During the challenging two years gone by, your regular and valued feedback was instrumental in the smooth flow of academic and co-scholastic events of the school. Perhaps, this turbulent time, ridden with multiple uncertainties, has made your partnership and bond with us even stronger. You have encouraged us to put in our sustained and best efforts to ensure that your ward strives to 'Reach Out, Reach High, Reach Beyond.'

As a result of the pandemic Covid-19, education has undergone a paradigm shift, with the teaching-learning process being on digital platforms or in a hybrid format, to ensure the safety of all our students and staff. Despite the newness and uniqueness of the arrangement, all our students of Grades 10 and 12 of the batch of 2020-21, attained 100% results, as computed by CBSE.

We are proud to announce that we were the center for the National Achievement Survey (NAS) 2021-22 as a pilot run undertaken by the Ministry of Education, Government of India. National Achievement Survey (NAS) is a large-scale survey of students' learning. NAS gives a system level reflection on effectiveness of school education.

**Batch of 2020-21: Placements in Prestigious Universities in India and Abroad**

As always, all our students have accomplished many accolades on the national and international platform and have taken admission in prominent Colleges and Universities like Manipal Institute of Technology, Jain University, M S Ramaiah University etc.

**Award Winners in Various Contests and Events 2021-22**

- **Avitri V (Grade 2A)** won the 1st prize in singing and **Krishi N (Grade 3A)** won the 3rd prize in dance in All India Interschool Competition organised by DPS Rudrapur - Panchtatva (Cultural Festival)
- **Gia Mahesh (Grade 10A), Tanvi Mainkar (Grade 10A) and Tanishaa Menon (Grade 11A)** came in 3rd in IRIS organised by NPS KRM.
- **Ananya Patil Rao (Grade 12A)** won second place in Cybernautica of NPS HSR.
- Our students of grades 6-8, participated in the Math Fest- Inspire organized by NPS HSR. The Math Premier League won second place, Quizdom and Dance Business Literature won third place.
- The Olympiad Gold medalists in IGKO are **Yashmith M (Grade 1A), Siddarth K S (Grade 2A), Ganavi R (Grade 3A), Mehul Rajesh Krishna (Grade 4A)**. Medal of Distinction was awarded to **Aadya Kaushik (Grade 3A)**. The Zonal Gold Medal with a gift voucher of Rs.1000 was awarded to **Atharv Priye (Grade 4A)**. In IEO, **Laksh Kumar (Grade 4A)** received the International Gold Medal and the certificate of outstanding performance, **Mehul Rajesh Krishna (Grade 4A)** won the Zonal Gold Medal and certificate of Zonal Excellence.

## School Events 2021-22

NAFL North feels proud to state that during the year 2021-22, we extended the new normal of Online education to our co-curricular segment as well, in order to achieve a wholesome teaching-learning experience. Numerous activities and events were organized and held successfully on the Online platform, throughout this academic year, for all classes from Kindergarten and Montessori, right up to the senior-most students of the school!

The Montessori and Kindergarten students enjoyed being a part of the virtual Annual event- Junior Malhaar, EVS theme culmination, in house events like Show and Tell, Storytelling, Best out of waste, Dance-A-Thon and Career day. They also celebrated all the festivals through the year with great enthusiasm, inculcating glorious culture and values. The students from the Primary years, brought out their talents in a variety of ways through events like NAFLites Got Talent (Grade 1 to 4), AKAM – Azaadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav on the theme of patriotism (Grade 1 to 4), Meet and Greet sessions with the parents for pastoral connect and to bridge the learning gaps (Grade 1 to 4). The Middle school students hosted Quizzicals: Interschool Quiz competition and they also conducted their maiden inter-school Junior MUN (Grade 5 to 8) in collaboration with MUNNERS of Grade 9. The Middle Years club organised the YEP: Young Entrepreneurship Programme (Grade 5 to 8).

In a first inter-disciplinary event, the Senior students of secondary and senior secondary classes released an App aptly named Covigyaaan – Educating to break the chain and launched the website during our Science fest - Aavishkar, to spread COVID awareness.

Besides these, World Environment Day, International Yoga Day, Investiture Ceremony, a special celebration of the 75th Independence Day, Karnataka Rajyotsava Day, Children's Day, Christmas, CBSE 100 Days Reading Programme, Republic Day and Valediction Day were celebrated like every year! So, NAFL North ensured that it was a year filled with activities for the students across all the grades!!

## Summer Vacations and Dates of Re-opening

The school will remain closed from 1st April 2022 for the summer vacations. The detailed schedule of the re-opening of the school is as follows:

<b>Class</b>	<b>Date</b>
Class 1 to 8	Wednesday, 01 June 2022
Class 9 to 12	Monday, 23 May 2022
KG 1	Friday, 03 June 2022
KG 2	Thursday, 9 June 2022
Montessori (Freshers)	Friday, 03 June 2022
Montessori (Juniors & Seniors)	Thursday, 9 June 2022

**These dates are subject to change based on the Government notification at that time.**

## Textbooks and Notebooks

A large number of parents have expressed their concern and predicaments in organizing textbooks and other materials well in time. We have made arrangements for books and materials from different agencies and will distribute them to the students in order to avoid any academic hitch when the school re-opens. The prescribed cost and schedule of issue of books will be notified to the students separately.

## Application for Transfer Certificate

We have tremendous pressure from parents seeking admission to NAFL North, both from India and abroad. In this context, it would be appreciated if parents who are planning to withdraw their wards from the school for the next academic year could inform us of the same, latest by **Wednesday, 16 March 2022**. Kindly submit the hard copy of the TC request duly signed by both parents to the school office.

Online fee payment for the academic year 2022-23 will be on your Acadamis portal from 21<sup>st</sup> March 2022.

We have successfully come to the end of an academic year that has without doubt, proved to us how much we can achieve as parents, students and educators. It has definitely been an indicator of the strength that is intrinsic to us. I would like to convey my very best to you for the summer vacation. Do stay safe and I wish you all good health. I look forward to welcoming each one of you, refreshed, for what will be another exciting and productive new academic year.

Warm regards

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