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EK BHARAT SHRESHTHA BHARAT (EBSB) REPORT - MAY 2023 MONTH ACTIVITIES SAINIK SCHOOLS SOCIETY, MINISTRY OF DEFENCE

9	I. Name of the School	Name of the Activity Conducted	Date on which activity conducted	Small Write-up (250 words) on activity(s) conducted	Number of Students Participated
1	SS Amaravathinagal	Quiz Competition	16-Oct-23	As part of the literary festival, Sainik school amaravatinagar had conducted quiz. Competition on 16 Oct 2023. In this competition four teams participated and each team consisted four cadets from classes 10 to 12. It has eight rounds namely Art and culture, Freedom fighters, cinema and the contemporary world, science and technology and transformation of lives etc. In this competition questions were prepared in a novel method not only to encourage but also test the knowledge levels of the students on the main aspects of both the states. Finally the teams secured the first, the second and the third positions were presented certificates and medals by the Principal Sainik school amaravatinagar.	16
2	SS Ambikapur	Cultural Exchange Programe	6-Nov-23	Sainik School Ambikapur hosted its EBSB partner school - Sainik School Balachadi from 13 Oct to 17 Oct 2023. Various exchange activities like Assembly, Heritage Tours, CCA competitions, and cultural exchange programmes were conducted where the cadets of the host and the visiting schools showcased the culture, traditions, cuisines, heritage and tourist locations of their respective states. The climax of the Exchange programme was the Cultural Programme where Chhattisgarhi Artists from Ranpur village performed Pandavani, Parka, Chaitra, Suwa Karma and saila and Cadets of Sainik School Balachadi performed the Garba. A valedictory function was also organized where the participating cadets were awarded certificates of participation.	48
3	SS Amethi	Poetry recitation on the theme "Words from Nagalandâ€	26-Oct-23	To strengthen the unity and integrity in India under the EBSB, along with promoting a proper understanding of the diversity of Nagaland's culture among the cadets, SSA organized a Poetry recitation on 26 Oct 2023 in an auditorium based on the theme "Words from Nagalandâ€. All the cadets were impressed and inspired while participating in the poem recitation Programme.	18
4	SS Balachadi	Visit to Chhattisgarh, Sainik School Ambikapur and surrounding places. 10 Cadets and 2 Staff escorts visited Chhattisgarh from 13 to 17 October, 2023.EBSB Program	13 to 17 October, 2023	A cordial welcome was extended to the team by Officers, Staff and Cadets of SS Ambikapur. The Cadets presented on Culture, Tradition, Geographic features, Places of Tourist interest, cuisines and All details on both the States. A Poster Making on Paired States Tribal Heritage was also conducted. The team visited Mainpat, Seeta Kufa, Ramgat and Ambikapur. The team was shown Cultural dances and songs by a special Chhattisgarh troup of performers from Tribal area in Chhattisgarh. The interaction on various data of both states amongst the Staff and Cadets made the experience a memorable one. The exchange program was a highly successful one. Thanks to Administrat	10
5	SS Bhubaneswar	Quiz and poetry recitation and debate competition with their partners state	16-Oct-23	20 Cadets of Junior & Senior cadets were participated.	20

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6	SS Bijapur	literacy fest on partner state.	19-Oct-23	Ek Bharat Shreshtha Bharat EBSB program is an important means of imparting cultural awareness and training to the students at national level an active participation of partner schools on reciprocal basis, helps promote knowledge about each other states in a comprehensive manner.On 19th Oct 2023 under Ek Bharat Shreshtha Bharat (EBSB) program Sainik School Bijapur organised the Poem recitation on partner state Uttarakhand. The Poem Recitation Competition, held in collaboration with the picturesque state of Uttarakhand, at Sainik School Bijapur, was a lyrical journey of talent and expression. Cadets gathered to recite their verses, creating an atmosphere rich with the magic of words. Against the backdrop of Uttarakhand's natural beauty, the competition not only celebrated the art of poetry but also fostered a sense of unity among participants from different regions. It served as a reminder that poetry is a universal language that transcends boundaries, bringing people together in the most beautiful way. A total of 12 cadets took part in this activity.	12
7	SS Chhingchhip	Poerty Competition	28-Oct-23	Jharkhand Poetry Competition: A poetic rendezvous celebrating the cultural diversity and vibrant heritage of this Indian state. Express your creativity through verse, capturing the essence of Jharkhand	8
8	SS Chittorgarh	Quiz competition on Partner state, Assam	18-Oct-23	REPORT QUIZ: EBSB 2023 In the series of events organised under the aegis of EK BHARAT SHRESTHA BHARAT, a Quiz competition was organised on 18 October 2023 from 1500 h to 1600 h. Total 24 Cadets from Class IX to XI participated in the contest. Cadet Devendra Singh of IX -C secured the first position. Cadet Rohit Singha of X-B and Cadet Yogesh Kumar of XI- bagged the second position while cadet Tanuj Saini of XI-B secured the third position.	24
9	SS East Siang	Poetry Recitation Competition on Partner State, Uttar Pradesh	17-Oct-23	An Inter-house Poetry Recitation Competition was organized on 17 Oct 2023 at SS East Siang. Beauty is the realm of poetry, the Cadet's of SSES enthusiastically participated in the competition as they got an opportunity to exhibit their talent and confidence. The competition inspired the young poets to come forward and recite on stage. The Cadet's came up with different poems on the theme about Partner State, Uttar Pradesh and recited them with great fondness and zeal. They enjoyed the perfection of expression, thoughts, emotions, rhythm and music of words. The participants from all the respective four houses - Dibang, Kameng, Subansiri and Tirap left no stone unturned to win for their house. Cadets were judged on the parameters like confidence, voice modulation, memorization and overall presentation.	16
10	SS Ghorakhal	Literacy Fest on Karnataka State	05.10.2023	Inter House Quiz competition on karnataka state was conducted. 03 participants from each house participated in it. 03 participants from each house of class X to XII participated and witnessed by entire school. In this competition Shiwalik House became the winner	500
11	SS Goalpara	Hindi Poetry Recirtation Literary Fest on Partner State	3-Oct-23	35 Cadets of class VI participated in the Hindi Poem Recitation on the topic Literaccy Fest on Partner State as a part of Ek Bharat Shreshtha Bharat celebration.	35

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12	: SS Gopalganj	Poetry Recitation	26-Oct-23	In continuation to the series of activities planned in light of the flagship program 'Ek Bharat Shrestha Bharat', a literary fest was organised in the Morning Assembly of the School on 26 Oct 2023. Under this activity, a poetry recitation on the Partner State i.e Haryana, was conducted wherein a total of 10 cadets from Class VI-VIII took part in the recitation and total 480 Cadets alongwith 27 staff attended the event. The recitation covered a wide range of themes, including the rich cultural heritage of Haryana, the traditions of the partner state, and the unity in diversity that India represents. The audience was highly engaged and appreciative of the poetry recitations. The atmosphere was filled with enthusiasm and cultural pride. The recitation managed to evoke a sense of unity and love for one's culture. It is not only celebrated the rich literary traditions of Haryana and the partner state but also reinforced the idea of unity among diverse cultures within India. The event served as a wonderful platform for poets to showcase their talent and for the audience to appreciate the beauty of poetry. It was a testament to the cultural vibrancy and unity that India represents. Overall, the event was a comprehensive celebration of literature and culture. It celebrated the rich diversity that exists in India while promoting unity and cultural exchange.	10 x Cadets participated and total attendance 507 Cadet including Staff
13	SS Imphal	Literary Fest	16-Oct-23	Literacy festival, speech and quizzes on Partner state Madhya Pradesh were conducted as part of EBSB by Cadets of class VI to VIII.	150
14	SS Jhansi	EK BHARAT SHRESHTHA BHARAT	11/3/2023	Poetry recitation competition was conducted on the state of Nagaland	3
15	SS Jhunjhunu	Inter House Quiz Competition 2. Inter House Debate Competition 3. Inter House lecturette Competition	1. 19 Oct 2023 2. 30 Oct 23 3. 31 Oct 2023	Sainik School Jhunjhunu has been actively participating in the Ek Bharat Shreshtha Bharat initiative by organizing a series of educational and cultural activities. On October 19, 2023, the school conducted an Inter House Quiz competition, where students from different houses engaged in a battle of wits, testing their knowledge on various subjects. This event encouraged healthy competition and enhanced students' general awareness. Following this, on October 30, 2023, the school hosted an Inter House Debate competition, providing a platform for students to express their opinions and articulate their thoughts on topics of national importance. This event fostered critical thinking and public speaking skills, aligning with the ethos of Ek Bharat Shreshtha Bharat. On October 31, 2023, the school continued its commitment to this initiative with an Inter House Lecturette competition. Students delivered short lectures on diverse cultural and regional aspects of India, promoting a deeper understanding of the country's rich heritage among peers. These activities at Sainik School Jhunjhunu are not only competitive but also educational, promoting unity in diversity and contributing to the broader goals of Ek Bharat Shreshtha Bharat.	170

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17	SS Kalikiri	SAINIK SCHOOL KALIKIRI REPORT FOR MONTH OF OCTOBER– 2023	October 4th to October 6th, 2023	A quiz competition on the literature, facts, history, tourism, and cultural heritage of the partner state (Haryana), India, was held. India is blessed with a rich culture and heritage, and the richness and variety of its culture need to be preserved. As a part of the ongoing Ek Bharat Shreshtha Bharat program, a quiz competition was conducted for the cadets of classes 9th and 10th from October 4th to October 6th, 2023. The competition covered literature, facts, history, tourism, and cultural heritage of the partner state (Haryana). It was organized to make the cadets aware of literature, cultural heritage, history, freedom fighters, tourism, and regional values of the partner state, Haryana. All the cadets actively participated in the quiz competition. The questions covered a wide range of topics, such as literature, cultural heritage, history, freedom fighters, tourism, and regional values of the partner state, Haryana.	70
18	SS Kapurthala	Debate Competition	25-Oct-23	In line with the government of India's Ek Bharat Shreshtha Bharat initiative, Sainik School Kapurthala hosted a spirited debate competition on October 25, 2023. The event brought together 20 cadets from the school to engage in a battle of words and ideas, promoting cultural exchange and fostering national unity. The participants displayed remarkable enthusiasm and eloquence, impressing the audience with their profound understanding of the issues and their ability to articulate their thoughts. Each cadet's presentation was a testament to their dedication and hard work in preparing for the competition. This debate competition was not only an intellectual exercise but also a cultural celebration, strengthening the bonds that unite our diverse nation. It provided an excellent platform for the cadets of Sainik School Kapurthala to showcase their oratory skills and their understanding of India's unity in diversity. This debate competition will undoubtedly leave a lasting impression on the participants and further contribute to the vision of Ek Bharat Shreshtha Bharat.	20
19	SS Kazhakootam	Quiz Competition & Recitation Competition	3.11.2023	Quiz Competition on Himachal Pradesh was conducted on 3.11.2023 for students of Class VIII & IX. Recitation Competition also was conducted for students of class vi and vii . Cadets actively participated in the activities.	35 (Quiz) + 15 (Recitation)
20	SS Korukonda	Clealiness Activities and Inter House Drama Competition	20 Oct and 11 Oct 2023	Special assembly organised to pay homage to Mahatma Gandhi and Lal Bhadur Shastri. Officers, staff and all cadets attended the programme and participated in the cleanliness program. Inter House Drama competition was also organised for the cadets.	560

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21	SS Kunjpura	Quiz on exchange programme with Partner State 2. Speech based on the exchange programme.		Ten students participated in the Quiz and answered questions put up on the cultural aspects and the historical monuments of the Partner State, Bihar. 2. Eight students participated and declaimed on the experiences during the exchange programme. Four students participated in poem recitation and recited poems by poets from Bihar.	1. 10 2. 08
22	SS Mainpuri	Literacy Fest on Partner State	27th October & 3rd	Report on Ek Bharat Shreshtha Bharat Activities in October 2023 In October 2023, our school enthusiastically participated in three activities under the Ek Bharat Shreshtha Bharat initiative, fostering cultural exchange and unity. These events highlighted the rich tapestry of our nation and encouraged students to explore the diverse cultural facets of India. Debate Competition - 'Tourism in Arunachal Pradesh: Bane or Boon for its Environment and Indigenous Cultures?' (27/10/23): On October 27th, a stimulating debate competition was organized. It allowed students to express their perspectives on the impact of tourism in Arunachal Pradesh. This event served as a platform for critical thinking and robust discussions on how tourism affects both the environment and indigenous cultures. Inter-house Poetry Recitation Competition (27/10/23): Simultaneously, an inter-house poetry recitation competition took place, celebrating the linguistic richness and traditions of various Indian states. Students recited poems in various languages, showcasing their poetic talents and demonstrating their appreciation for the linguistic diversity of our nation. Inter-house Quiz Competition on the theme of Ek Bharat Shreshtha Bharat (03/11/23): On November 3rd, an inter-house quiz competition was held, testing students' knowledge about India's cultural heritage, traditions, and the principles of unity in diversity. This event aimed to educate and raise awareness about the Ek Bharat Shreshtha Bharat initiative. A significant highlight of these activities was the wholehearted participation of all cadets, reflecting their commitment to promoting cultural harmony and national integration. To motivate the participants, the winners were rewarded with exciting prizes, encouraging students to actively engage in such initiatives and celebrate India's cultural diversity. These activities exemplify our school's dedication to Ek Bharat Shreshtha Bharat, promoting unity in diversity and a deeper understanding of India's rich cultural heritage. The ini	350
23	SS Nagrota	Community Shramdhan & Poetry Recitation		To mark the birth anniversary of Mahatma Gandhi Community Shramdhan was organized on 02 Oct 23 in which over 500 members of the school community including Cadets, Staff and Officers participated. Areas around Cadets' Mess, Hostel and living areas were cleaned with enthusiasm and energy. On 03 Oct 23, a special morning assembly was held. Cadets recited poetry on great personalities of Tamil Nadu like Rani Velu Nachiyar, Subramania Bharati, Dr APJ Abdul Kalam etc.	480
24	SS Nalanda	Quiz competition on Rajasthan	21-001-23	Sainik School Nalanda organised Quiz Competition on Rajasthan, on October 21, 2023 in which two participants from each junior house gathered to showcase their knowledge in various aspects of Rajasthan's history, art and culture, topography, agriculture, cuisine, and social and political spheres. The event was conducted under the Ek Bharat Shreshtha Bharat (EBSB) initiative, which aims to promote cultural exchange and awareness among different states of India. Among the junior houses, the Ajatshatru house emerged as the winner.	08 (Witnessed by 90 Cadets)

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25	SS Purulia	Literacy Fest on Karnataka .		To CELEBRATE the Unity in Diversity of our Nation . To PROMOTE the spirit of national integration through a deep and structured engagement. To SHOWCASE the rich heritage and culture, customs and traditions of either State . To ESTABLISH long-term engagements between States and Union Territories. To CREATE an environment that fosters a tradition of learning among the states.	300 cadets
26	SS Rewa	Inter house quiz competition on partner state	03 Oct 23	Sainik School Rewa organized quiz competition on 03 Oct 23 at 1800hrs in Manekshaw auditorium. The chief guest of the event was Ms Sanskriti Jain Nagar Nigam commioner Rewa, Principal Col Avinash Rawal, Lt col APS Bhullar Adm off, Sqn Idr CH Thrilok vice principal, Senior Master Dr R S Pandey, Teacher's & Cadets were present. Inter house Quiz competition was organised for the Betwa, Chambal, Narmada, Satpura & Vindhya. Two participants were allowed to represent their houses. (both Junior & Seniors). All the cadets of the school were present for the event. The quiz master for the event was Mr Narendra Tiwari Social Science teacher. There were five rounds for the quiz. Cadets participated will full energy. At the end prize distribution was conducted & the chief guest awarded the merit certificates to the winners.	20
27	SS Rewari	English and Hindi Elocution Competition	06 Oct 2023 and 21 Oct 2023	Two events i.e. English Elocution Competition (for classes IX- XII) and Hindi Elocution Competition (for Classes VII-IX) were conducted in the month of Oct 2023 on the theme/topic "Ek Bharat Shrestha Bharatâ€. Hindi Elocution Competition was also organised on 06 Oct 2023. Cadets of classes VI-IX participated in the event. The topic of the event was "Ek Bharat Shrestha Bharat†and the culture of our partner state Andhra Pradesh. Cadets Aryan and Cadet Sahil presented their views on the cultural practices of Andhra Pradesh and also on the objectives of "Ek Bharat Shrestha Bharatâ€. In the series of Ek Bharat Shreshth Bharat, English Elocution competition was organised on 21 Oct 2023. Cadets of classes IX-XII class participated in the competition and presented their thoughts on the topic "Ek Bharat Shrestha Bharatâ€	24
28	SS Sambalpur	QUIZ COMPETITION /POETRY RECITATION/DEBATEETC ON PARTNET STATE	20-Oct-23	SAINIK SCHOOL SMBALPUR CONDUCTED A QUIZ COMPETITION /POETRY RECITATION/DEBATE AS PART OF THE EBSB PRAGRAMME IN THE MONTH OF OCT 2023	10
29	SS Satara	Quiz Competition	27-Oct-23	As a component of the Ek Bharat Shrestha Bharat initiative, an inter-class Quiz Competition was held within the classroom on 24 Oct 23. 24 enthusiastic cadets from Classes VI and VII actively participated in this quiz competition. The assigned topic revolved around Odisha, our partner state, with the aim of fostering a deeper comprehension of our nation. The competition featured four teams, each comprising six participants representing their respective classes.	24

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30	ISS Sujannur Lira	Quiz completion and Debate Competition	23-Oct-23	In pursuance of the EBSB calendar of activities, following activities were conducted in the school in the month of October 2023: A Quiz completion was conducted for the cadets of 8th class. The quiz followed by the multiple-choice questions, short answer questions on partner state Kerala. Literary Quiz Competition took place on 23rd October showcasing the literary knowledge and enthusiasm of our students. A Debate completion was also conducted for the cadets of 8th class on partner state Kerala. Debate Competition was an intellectually invigorating event that demonstrated the debating skills and literary knowledge of our students about Kerala State. It fostered a culture of critical thinking and eloquent expression.	60
31	ISS HIDIVA	Literacy Fest on Partner State - Poetry recitation	17-Oct-23	As a part of Ek Bharat Shreshta Bharat (EBSB). Poetry recitation on partner state by cadets was conducted on 17 Oct 23. Three Cadets participated in the event and Forty Cadets of Class IX comprised the audience to the same. This event helped the cadets to improve their knowledge about the Partner State (Mizoram).	3