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“The purpose, the aim and drive of K. D. Ambani Vidyamandir, is to equip the child with the excellent technological proficiency so that the student may function with clarity and efficiency in the modern world. A far more important purpose than this is to create the right climate and environment so that the child may develop himself as a complete human being. This means giving the child the opportunity to flower in goodness so that he or she is rightly related to people, things and ideas, to the whole of life.”

Today KDAV is a confluence of 3577 students and 240 staff members and the number continues to increase. From the pre-primary to senior secondary, we have a total number of 133 sections.

At K. D. Ambani Vidyamandir, our mission is to identify the inborn potential of all the students and empower them accordingly. To accomplish this, we provide a conducive environment to our students to learn and excel in their respective skills.

Continuing with the tradition, this year too, the school has once again proved its credentials and has posted its best ever performance in all the activities in 2018-19.

- **One more feather was added to our cap when Harsh Deshpande made it to the prestigious IIT Guwahati this year.**
- **Miss Avani Patel, of grade 12, has been selected for the Kishore Vagyanik Protsahan Yojna [KVPY] interview.**

NATIONAL SCIENCE OLYMPIAD 2018-19

- Harsh Bhavesh Shah, Abhinav Ashok Dukale, Hiya Viral Shah, Vidhey Biren Dave, Yash Vitthal Rathod, Abhishek Abhimanyu Singh, Megh Paresh bhai Chapadia, Rishi Bhaskar received school gold medals.
- Angel Amit Kumar Patel, Renaira Arora, Vihan Sandip Dhamecha, Niyati Prashant Dave, Shivansh Agrawal, Anubhab Gangopadhyay , Pahal Paresh Shah, Het V Panccchotiya, Deep Kumar secured school silver medals .
- Swara Savajibhai Navadiya, Aadi Chaturvedi, Arkodyuti Maiti, Toshit Jain, Harsh H Tripathi won school bronze medals.
- Arush Pavan Sharma, Ehaan Yashin Ali received Medals of Distinction.

INTERNATIONAL MATHEMATICS OLYMPIAD

- Angel Amit Kumar Patel, Harsh Bhavesh Shah, Atishay Jain, Saket N Bhat, Shrey H Parmar, Yatri Jignesh Sutaria, Parth Ajit Kansagra , Srijita Ghorai received school gold medals.

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- Pragn Tiwari, Arush Pawan Sharma, Krishna Harish Batra, Monami Khan, Abhishek Abhimanyu Singh, Het Panchotiya and Amlan Mohanta won school silver medals.
- Viraj Vijendra Ambatkar, Nimavat Srushti Pankaj Kumar, Aryaa Padhi, Savan Alpesh Kalaria, Arkodyuti Maiti, Karishma Kishore, SA Rajkumar, Rishi Bhaskar received school bronze medals.
- Kriday Paresh Shah, Ehaan Yashin Ali were awarded Medals of Distinction.

Sports Achievements

- KDAV secured overall third position in Khel Mahakhumbh 2018 and was awarded Rs.75000/- as prize money from the State Government of Gujarat.
- K.D. Ambani Vidyamandir hosted the prestigious CBSE Saurashtra Swimming Championship. The Regional Championship saw the participation of around 175 swimmers from 7 schools in various swimming events like freestyle, breast stroke, back stroke, medley 50meters, relay etc. in all age group categories.

Overall Trophy-

WINNER-(BOYS) -- KD AMBANI VIDYA MANDIR

WINNER-(GIRLS) – KD AMBANI VIDYA MANDIR

Category wise best swimmers are mentioned below:-

Under 11 Girls – Miss Siya Vekariya

Under 14 Boys – Master Kaushal Gahlawat

Under 19 Boys – Master Shrijee Patel and Master Khusagra Verma

Under 19 Girls – Miss Vansika Gokhale

- Master Ved Patel was selected for Jamnagar district team followed by Under 14 Gujarat State Cricket Team member 2018-19.
- Yash Donga of class 12 and Raghav Mehta of Class 11 are the proud paddlers who have been selected for State level Table Tennis Competition.
- Football and Badminton and Basketball teams of the school have also been selected to participate in the State level play offs.
- Master Dhyey Patel Participated in under 17 CBSE National Athletics Championship 2018-19 held at Karnataka.

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- School under 17 boys Basket Ball Team secured runner's up position in CBSE Cluster Championship 2018-19 held at Baroda.
- Master Shreeji Patel, Atul Banyal, Swayam Dheer, Akshay kumar participated in Under 19 State Swimming Championship and won Silver medal in 4 x100 m free style relay and Bronze medals in 4x100 m medley relay held at Ahmedabad.
- Shreeji Patel bagged Silver medal in 200 m butterfly and Bronze medals in 100 m butter fly in State Swimming Championship 2018-19 held at Ahmedabad.
- Ravil Patel bagged Bronze medal in CBSE west zone Taekwondo Championship 2018 held at Bhopal.
- In District Level Badminton Under-19 Boys Championship 2018 ,Anuj Bhatt received the first prize, Kirpalsinh Prankada received second prize and Raj Rathod received third prize respectively.
- Divya S Iyer received silver medal in Discus throw and bronze medal in Shotput In District Athletics Under -19 Girls Championship.
- In District level Table Tennis Under- 14 & 17 Boys/Girls Championship, Samriddhi Jain was selected for the State level Competition.
- Aadarsh Patel bagged Bronze Medal in Javelin throw and Dheyey Patel bagged silver medal in long jump in CBSE Cluster XII & XIII Athletics Meet 2018.
- Kushagra Verma was selected to participate in Pre National Basketball coaching Camp.

Achievements of KDAV in Academic and Extra-Curricular Activities

- In CBSE regional level Science Exhibition, One of our models - Fuel Efficient Engine got selected for National Level under the sub theme Transport and Communication.
- Arghya Kamal Mukherjee of 8 F, Shivani Singh of 9 B, Anurag Roy of 8A and Ananya Arunava Maiti of 8C received Certificates of Zonal Excellence in International English Olympiad.
- Arkodyuti Maiti of 6 A and Pallav Goyal of 8B were awarded Zonal Silver Medal and Certificate of Zonal Excellence in National Science Olympiad.

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- Arkodyuti Maiti of 6 A attained Rank 1 in class-6 across Gujarat in NSTSE-2018 and Krunal Rajesh Bhai Rank of 12 F attained rank 48 in the top 100 National Achievers of class 12-PCM in NSTSE-2018.
- Pallav Goyal of 8 B received Certificate of Zonal Excellence in International Math Olympiad.
- Abhishek Abhimanyu Singh of 7 F was awarded a Certificate of Zonal Excellence in the National Cyber Olympiad.
- Ayushi Shah (XB) secured 1st position in National Science Seminar and represented Jamnagar district at State Level in Ahmedabad. She was felicitated with a trophy and a certificate.
- Drashti M Gohil, Siddarth Choudhary, Pavitra Mohanaranjan, Abhishek N Baraiya, Khushi R Patel, S. Yashuvanthra Dhevi, Prit C Suvagiya and Pratham Oza received the Bronze level Award for the 1st level of the International Award for Young People (IAYP). They participated in 4 categories-Skills, Service, Physical Recreation and Adventurous Journey. These students will now represent the school in the next level.
- Collaborating with the cleanliness initiative of the Government of India, the school observed Swachhta Pakhwada. Aayush Bhovanbhai Gondaliya, Tvisha R Shah, Shrushti Shailesh Vadaria, Vishakha Shah and Namrata Nath won the Swachh Bharat Essay Competition Award.
- 2 students from classes 10 & 11 participated in Math & Science Quiz. Nikunj Dimri of class 10 and Malay Baldha of class 11 won the 2nd position in the Cognivision Inter School Competition at NVN School, Jamnagar.
- Anubhab Gangopadhyay from Class 7 H got selected for the National level in the Drawing Competition conducted by Petroleum Conservation Research Association (PCRA).
- Kartikeye Shrivastava and Malay Nileshbhai Baldha of grade 11 were declared Second Runner-up in INS Valsura Quiz Competition held at Dhanwantri Auditorium, Jamnagar.
- In English Feista organized by Delhi Public School, Rajkot, our students outshined all the schools of Saurashtra region. Trisha Biswas of class 11 was awarded the first prize in debate while Swayam Raval received the third prize.

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In the speech competition Kavya Savani from class 8 was honoured with the first prize while Harshita Ghosh from class 8 received the second prize.

It is notable to mention that 12 schools from the region had participated in the competition.

- RFSAC Art and Craft competition for classes 6 to 8 was held in IPCL Gujarati Medium School, Vadodara. Taanya Doshi of 6E won 1st position in class 6 category, Kaavya Patel of 7A won 1st position in class 7 category and Anubhab Gangopadhyay of 7 H won 1st position in Art competition for class 7 students.
- Nikunj Dimri of class 10 and Malay Baldha of class 11 won the 2nd position in the COGNIVISION Inter School Competition at NVN School, Jamnagar.
- Drashti M Gohil, Siddarth Choudhary, Pavitra Mohanaranjan, Abhishek N Baraiya, Khushi R Patel, S. Yashuvanthra Dhevi, Prit C Suvagiya and Pratham Oza received the Bronze level Award for the 1st level of the International Award for Young People (IAYP).

IIMUN, Jamnagar Chapter 2018

K D Ambani Vidyamandir, in collaboration with the International Movement to Unite Nations (IIMUN) hosted the IIMUN, Jamnagar Chapter. The conference saw the participation of four other reputed schools of Jamnagar namely St. Xavier's, St. Francis, Sri Satya Sai and Haria College.

Over the course of the weekend, the students engaged in debate and discussion over global and national issues in as delegates of select committees; namely, the United Nations Security Council, United Nations Women, the Lok Sabha and the Gujarat Assembly. Besides, a group of students representing the International Press covered all these proceedings diligently.

The untiring efforts of the students and the apt guidance of the teachers paved the way for KDAV bagging the prestigious 'Best Delegation Award'. The school made its presence felt in every committee by bagging most of the awards.

List of Awardees from KDAV-

Best Delegates

UNSC

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- 1) Khushi Upadhyaya & Danish Ismail (Class 10)
- 2) Gaurang Singh & Keshav Hooda (Class 10)
- 3) Analava Maiti & Khushi Piprava(Class 10)

Lok Sabha

- 1) Priyanshi Dave (Class 9)
- 2) Rishi Bhaskar (Class 10)

Gujarat Legislative Assembly

- 1) Swayam Raval (Class 11)
- 2) Shruti Bhatt (Class 11)

UN Women

- 1) Kashish Chaubey (Class 9)
- 2) Jhanvi Verma (Class 10)
- 3) Zeel Bhaagat (Class 10)

International Press

Arunima Barik (Class 11)

Verbal Reccomendations

- 1) Sreedhar Patil (Class 10)
- 2) Suraj S. (Class 11)

Reliance Foundation Drishti Art & Essay Writing Competitions-2018

All the students of KDAV participated in the Reliance Foundation Drishti Art & Essay Writing Competitions-2018.

Reliance Foundation Drishti Art Competition:

| Name of Student | Class & Section |
|-------------------------|-----------------|
| Nysha Nirjyasha Sahu | 1E |
| Vansh Hitesh Patel | 2A |
| Raahi Sachin Vakhariya | 2G |
| Shah Hetsfri Vimalkumar | 5C |

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| Name of Student | Class & Section |
|----------------------------|-----------------|
| Soham Kedar Mulay | 5E |
| Swattik Pradhan | 6E |
| Kaksha Subhashbhai Makvana | 7H |
| Anubhab Gangapadhyay | 7H |
| Oishee Biswajit Shown | 8A |
| Maanya Chander Dadlani | 8F |

Reliance Foundation Drishti Essay Competition:

| Name of Student | Class & Section |
|-----------------------------|-----------------|
| Sayee H Bhakhare | 7F |
| Nandit L Kalariya | 8C |
| Nihari Sanjay Pandya | 8C |
| A. V. S. N. Sriya | 9A |
| Kushan Shashikant Thakker | 10C |
| Harseerat Kaur | 11B |
| Shruti Chimankumar Paghadal | 11G |

Inter-House Competitions are organized on a regular basis to inculcate among the pupils a sense of collective responsibility and solidarity, a sense of team spirit and to encourage healthy competition. All the houses and participants passionately participated in the inter-house activities. I H Volley ball, I H Handball, Heritage Quiz and Mathematics Quiz are some important examples.

Celebrations of different festivals and days are an integral part of KDAV. English Week, plantation drive, Van Mahotsav, Annual Exhibition were appreciated by the entire school and parent community.

Pre Primary

A world-class building has been constructed for the pre-primary. Many play materials have also been added during this academic year. We, at Pre-primary strive to make learning interesting by using the play-way method of teaching-learning.

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Community Outreach Programme-

To show our concern and commitment to the people who are under privileged, the school has tried to reach out to them and touch their lives in a positive way. Our children visited the old age homes, orphanages and blind schools to empathise and form a bond with them. We have tried to contribute financially also.

Workshops

We at KDAV strive hard for the continuous growth of the teachers also. Keeping this in mind many external workshops and enriching sessions were conducted and distinguished guest speakers and visiting faculty members were invited to enlighten both staff and students.

The function of education is to teach one to think intensively and to think critically. Intelligence plus character - that is the goal of true education in KDAV.

“The highest education is that which does not merely give us information but makes our life in harmony with all existence and makes a man self-reliant and self-less.” -Rabindra Nath Tagore