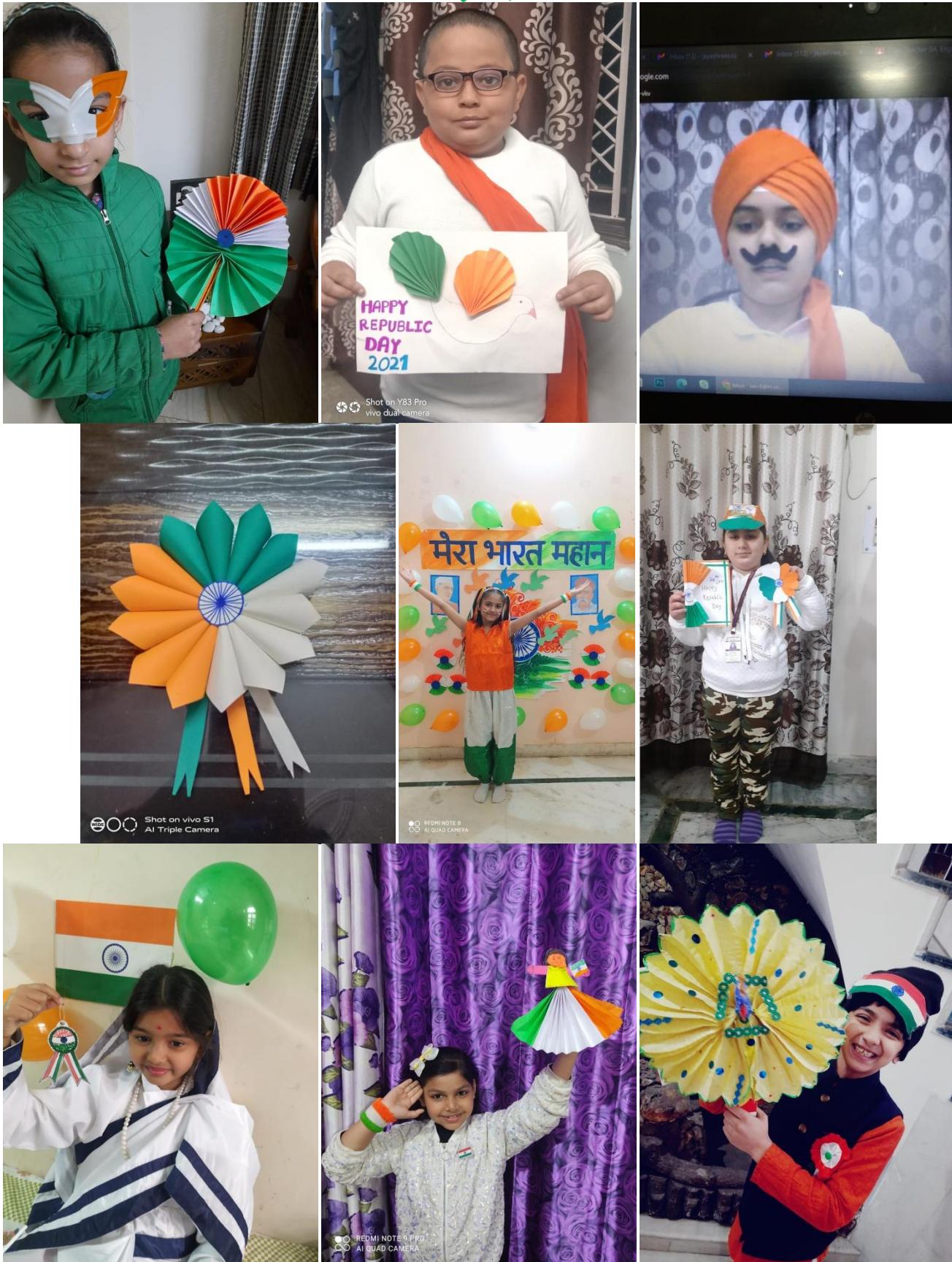
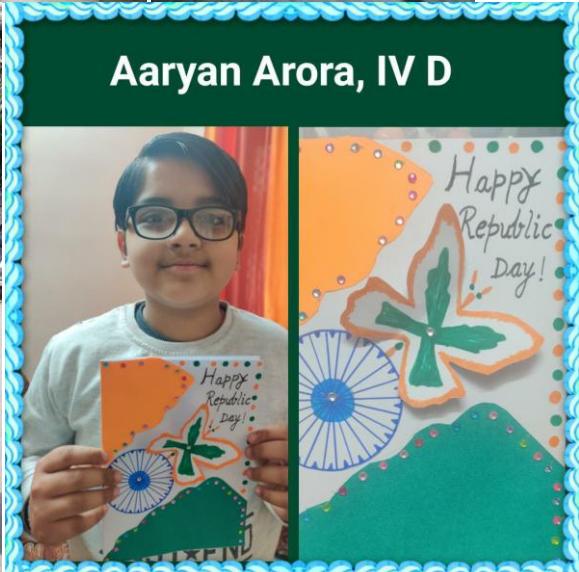


St. Cecilia's Public Schoool
Republic Day
Primary Wing
January 25, 2021









India, the largest democracy of the world, got independence on 15th August 1947. That's why on 15th of August every year, we celebrate our Independence Day. However, India became a Republic on 26th of January 1950 and we call this day a Republic Day. Republic means "a state where people enjoy supreme power, freedom and choose their own representatives." It was on this day that the Constitution of India came into force. On the same date i.e. on 26th Jan 1950, Dr Rajendra Prasad became First President of Republic India. On every 26th January, people from across the country celebrate Republic Day with great enthusiasm. Republic Day is celebrated in every village, town, city and capital of each state as well as in Delhi. In Delhi, the Celebration takes place at India Gate. But this year it is not the same due to COVID-19.

Our school also celebrated this day online. The function began with prayers by our melodious music teachers. Then Madam Principal addressed the students and teachers with her insightful and inspiring speech.

The students exhibited their talent. The event comprised of many things ranging from express yourself, patriotic songs, dances and poems, power point presentations, art activities like making of tricolour badge, bird, national flag, national symbols or any other decorative item etc. Some of them were dressed up as freedom fighters and spoke about them. Some sang patriotic songs, while some played on instruments like keyboard, harmonium etc. A quiz on India was conducted in the class and the students responded enthusiastically.

It was really marvellous to see children dressed in tricolour or any one of them. It seems each of them was infused with the feeling of patriotism. The teachers also briefed up about why we are not celebrating Republic Day as we usually do at the national level and urged the students to watch the Republic Day parade tomorrow on television. Teachers also shared the link where the Prime Minister Sh. Narendra Modi would be interacting with the children who won bravery awards.

The students participated with zeal and enthusiasm which was really heart-warming. They promised to watch the parade tomorrow. It was lovely to see them proud of India and to be an Indian. A learning lovely experience for all.

Jai Hind!!!