

# St. Cecilia's Public School Special Assembly



Special Assembly was held on 27<sup>th</sup> November 2019 for the celebration of the Constitution Day. The Constitution was passed by the Assembly on November 26, 1949, and came into effect on January 26, 1950.

The Constituent Assembly declares its firm and solemn resolve to proclaim India as an Independent, sovereign, Republic and to draw up for her future governance a Constitution.

Some of the key features of the constitution are Federalism, that is, both the state Government and union Government have their powers defined by the Government. Another important feature of the constitution is secularism, which involves freedom to follow, preach or practice any religion. The constitution has guaranteed Fundamental Rights to its citizens.

The Philosophy of the constitution of India is embedded in the Preamble. A Preamble is like an introduction in which the basic aims and objectives of the constitution are mentioned.

## THE PREAMBLE

We, the people of India, having solemnly resolved to constitute India into a Sovereign, Socialist, Secular, Democratic Republic and to secure to all its citizens :

Justice, social, economic and political

Liberty, of thought, expression, belief, faith and worship Equality of status and of opportunity, and to promote among them all.

Fraternity, assuming the dignity of the individual and the unity and integrity of the Nation.

In our Constitution Assembly, this twenty sixth day of November, 1949, do hereby adopt, enact and give to ourselves this constitution.

The students of class VIII used placards to depict the key features of the constitution, and also explained them in the Assembly.

The Preamble pledge was also taken by the students. A student of class VIII took the pledge on the stage and all the students repeated after her.