

Interschool Biotechnology Meet 2024

Sadhu Vaswani International School for Girls hosted its eighteenth successful Inter-school Biotechnology Meet on 8th October 2024, bringing together schools from across Delhi NCR. The event began with a warm welcome extended to the judges, guests and participating schools. The distinguished judges for the meet were Prof. Sanjay Kapoor, Head of the Department of Plant Molecular Biology at the University of Delhi, and Prof. Saurabh Raghuvanshi, a renowned molecular biologist in the same department.

The event commenced with the traditional lighting of the lamp, followed by a motivating speech by the School Principal, Dr. Santosh Vyas. She emphasized that any day spent in learning is an auspicious day and highlighted the significance of using science, particularly biotechnology, for the benefit of mankind.

The presentations covered a range of topics, including Isolation of Genomic DNA, Effectiveness of Antiseptics and Soaps on Household Bacteria, Culturing of GRAS microbes and Separation of Metabolites through Chromatography.

The results were announced, with SVISG securing the 1st position, Uttam School for Girls winning the 2nd position and Cambridge School, Srinivaspuri taking the 3rd position. The awardees were presented with certificates and book coupons in recognition of their achievements.

The judges, Prof. Sanjay Kapoor and Prof. Saurabh Raghuvanshi inspired the young minds with their thought-provoking words, encouraging them to think 20 years ahead, innovate, value the importance of mathematics and data and always think outside the box. They also emphasized how humanity has wisely harnessed the good side of technology. Both judges patiently answered the questions posed by the inquisitive students.

The event concluded with a focus on finding viable solutions for a healthier future for all.



