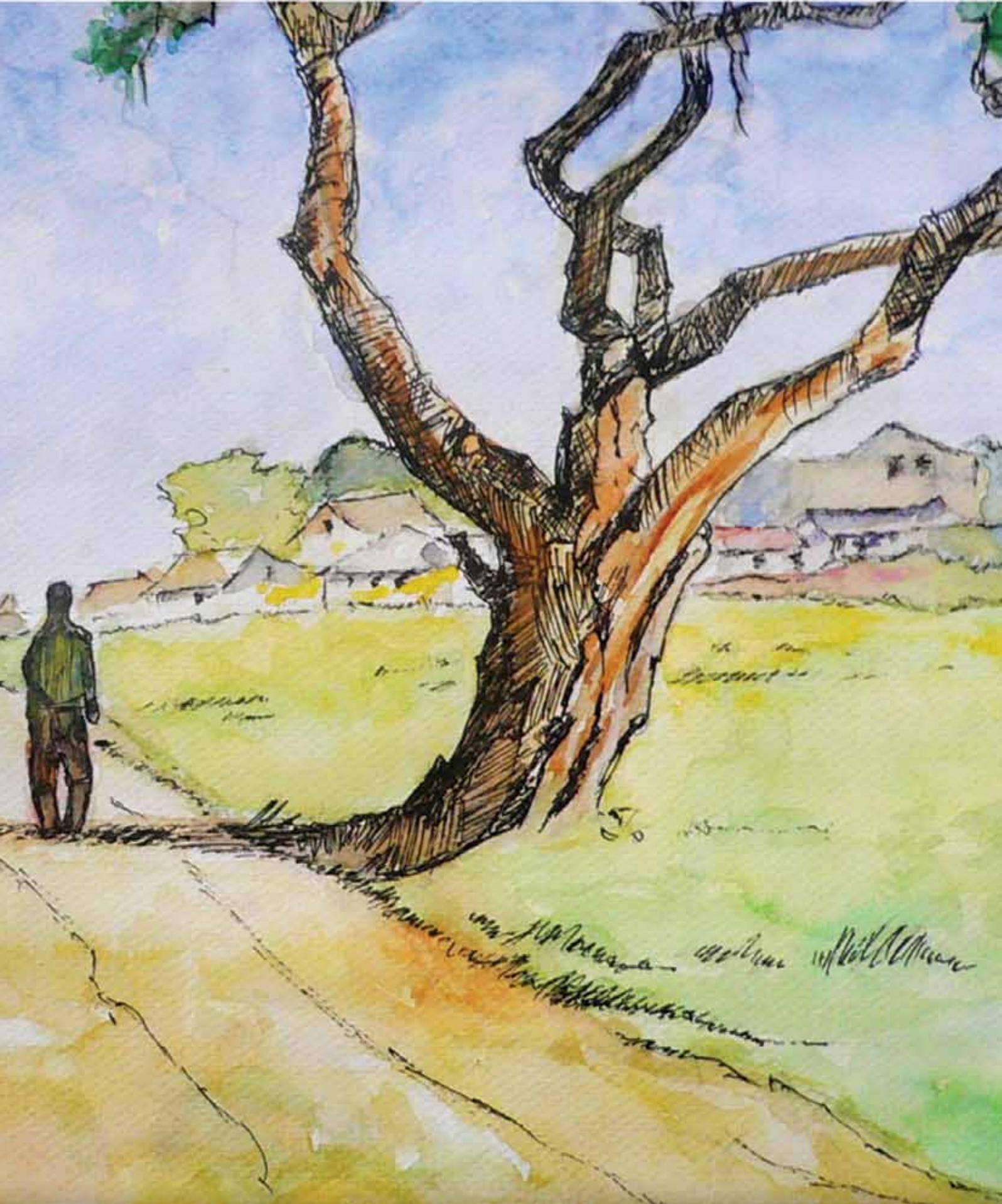


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MESSAGE



Sudhir K. Jha

From the Principal/Founder Director

I feel honored to congratulate our first batch of SLC students, who were able to bring cent-percent good results in the form of twelve distinctions and fourteen first divisions. It is also my proud privilege to welcome the new batch of students for the academic year 2012 – 2014 at in addition, I feel highly honored to announce that several of our Chelsea graduates this year have received highly competitive scholarships at prestigious Universities all across the globe.

Chelsea, as I foresee it, will be a college in a league of its own. With the vision of the board of directors, the novel approach of our faculty, and your drive and enthusiasm, I see our academy embarking on an enlightened and

progressive path of educating students for the 21st century. We at Chelsea will endeavor to inculcate modern trends in education which would be a blend of the classroom system of learning; knowledge based practical application and thought provoking interactive sessions. We will expect students to interact freely with their teachers, so that they will be able to understand the philosophy of their chosen subjects.

The Academy's greatest asset is our dedicated faculty who continuously evaluates and helps improve our students. Its goal is to develop our students into colleagues, and I am proud of its teaching abilities. Chelsea International Academy wants its graduates to be holistic and dynamic individuals; therefore, the academy will encourage widely diverse innate talents to flourish in ECA's and literary spheres. Your overall progress will be monitored in collaboration with your parents or guardians. All efforts required to improve students' performance will be seriously undertaken.

With Best Wishes.

From the Editor

When I first came into Chelsea, I was only half the person I am now. I tried new things, stumbled along the way and was always in a process of learning. All through last year, I was growing and evolving under the helpful shadows of my just slightly matured seniors. They taught me whatever they knew, and hoped I learned even more on my own. Thankfully I did learn, and I think I learned more from experience than if anyone would've tried to explain it to me in detail. Looking back, I see my process of learning in a different way. I see it as a tangible thing that I can hold in my hands; Chelsea Wavelength. It has grown and changed along with me, and every issue has a different story in itself. The changes in it are proof of how we as students are learning from our own mistakes. Realizing that we will even be as good as our seniors, we can just hope to be better. Hoping to bring even better issues to you, the editorial team hopes that you would find this edition quite enjoyable.

Revigya Joshi, A2 Level

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Walk-a-thon on World Environment Day

On World Environment Day, Chelsea International Academy co-organized "Walk-a-thon" with Presidential Business College. The aim of the event was to walk for green peace through the streets of Kathmandu, starting from Presidential Business College compound to UN park. Students prepared signboards and displayed them throughout the Journey. They also cleaned the park by picking up litters and disposing them properly. The Drama Club of Chelsea also performed a skit based on the theme "Save Mother Earth". The whole event turned out to be a great success.



Annual Drawing Competition

The annual drawing competition was held on 11th May. Saimon Adhikari of V 'E' won the first place in Category A and Tanuja Luitel from class X 'C' won the first place in Category B.



Shramadana Camp

The students of Chelsea Int'l Academy (College) participated in the "Shramdan Camp" organized by Anuvuti to contribute to the construction of Jyotidaya, a community school in Bajrabarahi, Lalitpur. Around 40 students worked in collaboration with 15 students from the University Of Wisconsin, Madison, USA. The students worked hand in hand to build a playground for the children, and plastered and painted the classrooms as well. The event lasted for two days and one night.

New Prefect Council for College

A new prefect council was formed from among the students of the college, comprising of a Head Boy, a Head Girl, four prefects from the boys section and three from the girls section. These prefects will be assisting the College Administration on various student-related events.

Handwriting Competition

Inter - House handwriting competition was held on 29th April for classes from 5 to 10 in. The competition was divided into two categories. In category A (V,VI and VII), the first place was bagged by Chris Gurung of VII 'D' from Emerald. In category B(VIII, IX and X) the first place was won by Anuee Devkota of VIII 'B' from Topaz.

Investiture Ceremony

The school conducted the investiture ceremony on 21st April in the presence of the school's Principal and the management.



Farewell To 1st SLC Batch

A felicitation program was held in the school premises for the first SLC batch 2068. Students along with their parents attended the program. Students were presented with Tokens of Love by the school Management Committee and were well wished for their bright future.

SUBJECT TOPPERS (JUNE 2012)

Psychology- Shreya Upadhaya
 General Paper –Shrisha Nepal
 Biology- Krishna Shah
 Sociology- Samata Sharma Gelal
 Mathematics- Pradip Adhikari
 Chemistry- Krishna Shah/ Samip Neupane
 Accounting- Aasma Kharel
 Business Studies- Aasma Kharel
 Economics- Aasma Kharel
 Computing- Sitamsh Rijal
 Physics- Krishna Shah
 Environmental Management – Sandesh Ghimire

SUBJECT TOPPERS (NOVEMBER 2011)

Mathematics - Pradip Adhikari
 Psychology- Shreya Upadhyaya
 Sociology- Nisha Suwal
 Accounting- Bardan Bazgain
 Economics- Aasma Kharel
 Chemistry- Samip Neupane/ Krishna Shah/ Pratik Dahal
 Computing- Sitamsh Rijal
 Physics- Samip Neupane/ Krishna Shah
 Biology- Krishna Shah

LIST OF NEPAL TOPPERS 2011

Top in Nepal

Ujjwol Paudel	Accounting (A)	M/J 2011
Utkrist Adhikari	Computing (A)	M/J 2011
Ujjwol Paudel	Mathematics (A)	M/J 2011
Krishna Shah	Biology (AS)	O/N 2011
Sitamsh Rijal	Computing (AS)	O/N 2011
Nisha Suwal	Sociology (AS)	O/N 2011
Bardan Bazgain	Accounting (AS)	O/N 2011

Toppers in other categories

Ujjwol Paudel	Best Across 3 A Levels	M/J 2011
Samip Neupane	Best Across 3 AS Levels	O/N 2011
Krishna Shah	Best Across 4 in AS Levels	O/N 2011

College Prefect List

Name	Position
Thundup Tamang	Head Boy
Sara Bellbase	Head Girl
Raghav Tulsyan	Prefect
Sabita Aryal	Prefect
Anit Gurung	Prefect
Kanchan Dulal	Prefect
Prasiddha Kandel	Prefect
Rhythm Uprety	Prefect
Sandeep Neupane	Prefect

House Captain List

Name	Class	Position	House
Utkarsha Gautam	X 'C'	House Captain	Topaz
Monika Shrestha	IX 'A'	Vice Captain	
Upama Uprety	X 'B'	House Captain	Emerald
Ujjwal Jha	IX 'A'	Vice Captain	
Suja Dhakal	X 'C'	House Captain	Sapphire
Awaran Nepal	IX 'A'	Vice Captain	
Emesh Acharya	X 'B'	House Captain	Ruby
Kushal Sharma	IX 'A'	Vice Captain	

School Prefect List

Name	Class	Position
Aishwarya Khatiwada	X B	School Captain
Sanskrit Thapa	X A	School Vice- Captain
Bipasana Uprety	X B	Prefect
Tanuja Luitel	X C	Prefect
Aakash Nath Joshi	X A	Prefect
Gaurav Pandey	X C	Prefect
Ashutosh Bhatta	IX C	Prefect
Shambavi Singh	X A	Prefect
Asif Khan	IX A	Prefect
Isha Mandal	IX C	Prefect
Kripa Thapa	X B	Prefect
Suman Aryal	X C	Prefect



Constructive Imagination

✦ **Mr. Jeetu Gurung**

Chief Academic Admin. Officer
GCE A - Levels

“You must not under any pretense allow your mind to dwell on any thought that is not positive, constructive, optimistic, kind.”

– Emmet Fox

Let us take a few moments to imagine something we really want to happen and then use our imagination to follow it through in our mind's eye. What is it we are dreaming about? Who is involved? How does it play out? Now let's think about the direction our imagination took. Did we focus on the positive aspects of our dream, or did we end up thinking about the things that could go wrong?

If we found that we had a constructive mental process, Dear students and friends, my hat goes off to you! On the other hand, if our imagination turned our dream into a disaster, let's think about why that happened. Firstly, I don't want you all to be down on yourselves. We might be surprised at how many of us are in the habit of imagining the worst as opposed to the best, unless our thoughts are directed differently.

It is said that energy flows where the attention goes, and this is the key to getting positive results in



any situation. I feel, when we can visualize exactly what it is that we want, we tend to fuel the energy of our creation automatically by seeing all the wonderful aspects of it coming into reality. We all can see ourselves experiencing our desire in detail, imagining the events, sights, smells, and feelings around it. And if a negative thought creeps in, within us, we can simply erase it, replacing it with thoughts of what we want to have happen instead.

In addition to visualizing, other things can help reinforce the positive

outcomes we desire. For example, we could keep a daily journal and write what we desire to have happen in our life. I find this to be a very good way to keep our focus. Another technique is to make a picture page with images of what we want, along with good things that are part of our dream. I think we can even cut out photos from magazines or draw pictures. When our little poster is completed, let's give us a little energy to put our page in a place where you will see it frequently. Just seeing these visual suggestions regularly will stimulate our imagination.

Dear students, by making a point to imagine on a regular basis the positive things we want to bring in our way, we will draw wonderful things into our life with surprising frequency. Not only will we experience more success in our life, but we will also feel more confident and in charge of our own destiny, and that must be our goal!

Good Luck!

Courtesy - Bethea

Live in Present

Everything present in this world has a way of life; either it is durable or non-durable. In my view, the earth and whole universe is durable. However, we humans are non-durable, and the only things that remain forever even after we pass way are our memories and moments of our life.

The first step that a person needs to take to be a part of success and find happiness and to live their life meaningfully is to live in the present. We should make it a habit to forget the past and not think about the future, we only need to make our present good by doing special work, doing unforgettable things and spending entire day in happiness. But it does not mean that we do unusual things that could be the reason of our worst future in coming days. The best way of making the day beautiful is not cheating us. If we think about these words and follow them to make our day beautiful, we can hope to that tomorrow will also be a really good day. All the good memories and prediction of future can be collected only through the moves that we make in present. So, again I want to go back to the topic, have you ever lived life in the present and done something special?

- Tejaswi Basnet, A2 level



Mother Nature

I want to be lost in the lovely nature,
Where I was born,
Where I have matured,
Where I have been nurtured.

It gives me everything before I could ask,
Shadows in the sun,
Water where it is dry
Light when there is dark.

Now I want to give it the same love,
The warmth of tenderness,
The feeling of protectiveness,
The strength of togetherness.

Aagya Hamagain, 4 'F'

Negative

Fading Dreams
Choking me
Every second
Lightning strike

Drought for years
Burning soul
Countless tears
Speaks no more

Days end in vain
Nights in pain
There are questions
Answers nope

Murdered the hope
Criminal I am
Extreme torture
Beneath my stand.

Arya Pratik Risal
A2 Level

Rio +20

Shambhavi Singh, 10 'A'

“Sustainable development” is a term which is recognized by almost every person of this era. Wise men say that it is a key word that is essential to be followed in order to acquire quality of life in the future. One of the common definitions of sustainable development states that it is a “Development activity that is carried out in the nation or the world by making proper and proportionate consumption of available natural resources duly

mind that it does not hamper the availability of natural resources or the quality life of the people in future generations’ sustainable development has not been able to reach its apex as it is widely linked with prevailing poverty, especially in developing countries like Nepal. In our country, with limited means and resources we are bound to generate high developmental activities and economy which has ultimately lead to the negations of environmental aspects.

Hence Rio+20, an educational program, made an initiative to awake the people



considering about its adverse effect on our mother earth.” Hence, sustainable development is a simple word which, in itself, is very enlightened. Ignorance and selfishness is a common human characteristic. We are born with it but sustainable development is a concept which makes us realize the importance of preservation, conservation and intelligent consumption.

The concept of sustainable development was introduced in the 1980’s. This concept encouraged people to carry out development activities and encouraged them to carry out conservation of the environment in one way or the other. Since then, it has been constantly encouraged that people carry out development activities, keeping in

from all small national issues and encouraged people to stand united to fight against the consequences of unplanned development. It organized an essay writing competition among secondary school students, who hold the responsibilities of tomorrow. Among the several international countries of the world, Nepal was one of the countries to participate. From my institution fifteen students participated. Being under the guidance of honorable teachers of my school and competing with all the lovely participants was not just a beautiful memory to remember, but a privilege and honor. I am very thankful to this institution for believing in us. Without their trust in us we would not have been able to show others our glorious flying colors.

Now, is what's important!!

✦ **Bijaya Stoffel, A2 Level**

It is quite obvious for now that many of us are struggling to find an answer to the question "What do you want to be in the future?" "What after A-levels?" Many well known people who have already reached their goals say it comes from within. But what if it does not come?

Many of us who enjoy thinking about the future a lot put ourselves into despondency thinking about this question but this is not a solution. The solution of this problem lies within. The ultimate solution of this situation is "Live in the present". Whatever the future has designed for you, it will come. The future will just happen as your life is happening now. The future will be better or worse in accordance with the effort you put in.

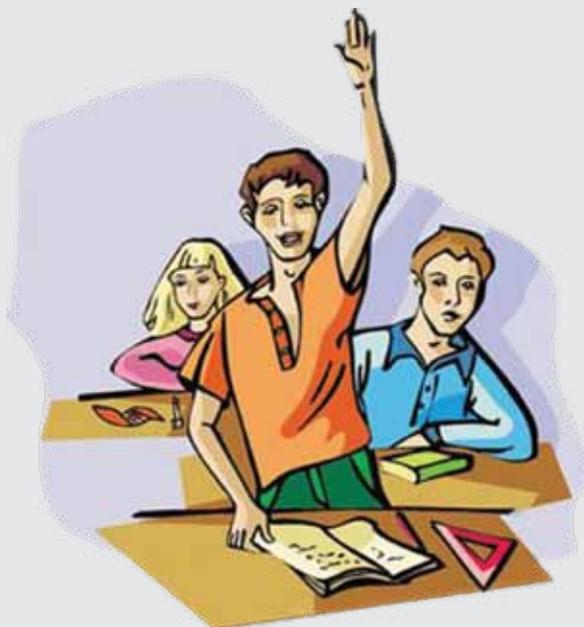
Use your knowledge to your advantage as well as to the advantage of others. You are duty-bound to lead a life full of joy and full of creative ideas. Success and failure are merely the results of your habits in the past. Discard any behavioral pattern that prevents you from being successful! Believe in yourself and mobilize everything you have within. Live in the present and make the best out of it because the most important time in our life is always the present, the most important person in our life is always the one facing us now. Be good today to be the best in the future. Focus on now and the people around you.

Today think about today for there will be time tomorrow to think about tomorrow.

I, me and myself

It is all about my feelings, my pleasures my happiness, and me. It is all about me even when things have nothing to do with me. Any decision I make in my life or anything I do shall return some kind of happiness of pleasure back to me. It is all about me- because I will not function properly any other way. I hate pain and suffering and the only time I am willing to put up with it is when I obtain something back that makes me feel good about myself. I am constantly thinking how to make myself happy. Do you recognize me now? Yes, I am the human- the most social intelligent being, a psychologically Hedonist, and I would like to prove this. I believe all humans are psychologically constructed and preprogrammed to seek (selfishly) contentment and pleasure while avoiding both pain and unpleasantness through their entire life. As humans, we are full of selfish emotions, to love and hate, to have compassion and feel both pain and pleasure. These capacities are preprogrammed within our genetic code but to some degree are also learned from experience.

Amar Ray, A2 Level



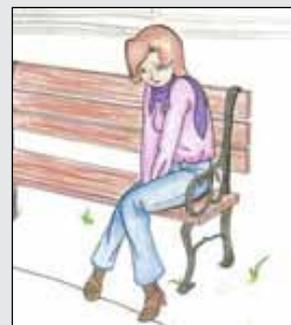
An Ideal Student

An ideal student is very hard working.
Such a student always receives high rankings!
An ideal student is obedient to seniors,
Such a student's behaviour is always linear!
An ideal student is always very curious
Such a student's position becomes prestigious!
An ideal student is punctual and regular
Such students get famous and popular!
An ideal student is generous and polite,
Such a student flourishes and gives delight!
An ideal student gives due respect to all,
Such a student never has a downfall!
An ideal student looks happy and cheerful
Such a student never becomes harmful!
An ideal student saves the life of every creature,
Such a student will comprehend the sovereignty
of nature!!

- **Bibek Parajuli, 10 'B'**

Wretched Conscience

I looked at her, she
looked back
With a shy smile,
she looked away.
I thought I loved
her, but I was
wrong
I only admired her
simple ways.



Life was unfair to
her, I realize;
I know what she
has withstood,
Yet, I only admire but can't accept
Ashamed I may be, bound by selfishness.

So I look at her, she smiles and looks away
I attempt to utter a kind word
Yet it is her who shows me sympathy
Ashamed as I can be yet bound by it.

Revigya Joshi, A2 Level

VIDEO GAMES

Where virtual world encourages the ongoing craze for football.

✦ Saujanya Kafle, A2 Level

Lurking into the gaming world, Electronic Arts has maintained prestigious position for one of the best video games. With realistic rendered graphics and similar human anatomies in digital world enhances the player's experience and submerges him into the gaming environment.

Distilling the world's most popular sport into a video game isn't an easy task. Aside from capturing the atmosphere of the game--the satisfying thump of boot on football, the on-pitch dramas created between player and referee, and the ferocious roar of the crowd as the ball sails into the back of the net--there are other considerations too. Some players want to manage their teams. Others want to live out their dreams of football stardom. Still others want to put their skills to the test against the best in the

world, all the while clamoring for as realistic an experience as possible. FIFA 12 lets you do all of these things and more. A new tactical defending system, player impact engine, and head-to-head seasons are just some of the excellent new features it offers. But it's the new EA Sports Football Club that's the real draw, bringing with it an addictive

leveling system that pits you against the world's players, keeping track of your own progress and that of your favorite team too. Not only is FIFA 12 the best game in the series, it's also one of the most exciting, accurate, and complete sports games around.

Fifa 12 is the definite football game: Challenging, addictive, and with more excellent features than ever before. Its been the king of football games for years now. Will Fifa stay in the top in the coming years? Well, if you're a longtime fifa game player, you might just get the answer in a blink.



FIFA 12



IDEA Asia Youth Forum 2012

✦ Rhythm Uprety, A2 Level

The opportunity that I got to attend the 1st IDEA Asia Youth Forum which was held in Pattaya and Bangkok in Thailand from 14th to 27th May 2012 was a lifetime experience for me. The 14 day program really provided a great chance for the Youths all over Asia like us to explore our knowledge further, share our ideas among each other and exchange cultures and customs within us which enabled effective communication between us. 15 of us from various parts of Nepal were lucky enough to represent our nation in such a grand forum. The sharing of ideas, views and knowledge on culture language leadership and social and global issues also helped to understand each other's perception upon matters.

The ice-breaking program left a pleasurable impression upon our minds as it was thriving enough to bridge up the awkwardness between all the participants. The cultural-expo night definitely enabled the participants to hub the exclusive lifestyle of each of the nations that had participated there. The talent night enabled the discovery of the aptitudes on individual basis from all over Asia. The KPDC Tournament (Karl Popper Debating Championship) provided a real opportunity to improve our debating skills and analyze about the same topic in many perspectives to reach out a better solution and conclusion



for the problem. Similarly the MTT Tournament (Mixed Team Track tournament) where we were mixed with participants from different parts of Asia taught us to work in a team even though we were from different backgrounds and communities and learnt to properly convey our ideas among each other which in turn helped us to foster an environment of understanding, mutual co-operation and religious tolerance among ourselves.

Apart from the scheduled programs, this forum also promoted

international friendship making positive impact around the world, while accommodating various interests and schedules. It definitely enhanced the visibility of youths like us to foster cross-cultural understanding globally as well as facilitate with the foundations of the academic world. Therefore these kinds of forums should be encouraged as it plays an influential role in the minds of youths like us to work not only for our own nation but also to think about the world as a whole and for the greater good.



How I lost Myself

In a corner, by the burning
light
Sits the devil his breath at a
stall
He burns the midnight fire
smiling
An evil smile with a crooked
look
He stays still as if to watch me
suffer
But still urges me to go on

Aye, it is a blade I hold that
keeps him here tonight
A blade it is over my heart
A drop of blood to sign the
letters bold
A contract, a deal, a bargain
of souls
A deal to the devil it was
For less than a morsel of gold

If I ever knew how it would've
been
My heart wouldn't ever have
been lost
My soul wouldn't suffer in an
unbreakable hold
By the great son, the devil
himself
Sinned I had, by a great whole
Yet it seemed as if it was
forgiven
Only to find my shadow of
hope murdered
As I was lead to a more
gruesome condition
More sins had I been made to
commit
By an angelic Lucifer in a
blinding light

Who would've known that
angels fall?
Far beyond the depths of the
dungeons
To the underworlds and far
beyond
I trusted my own faulty heart
Which lead me into the dark,
Where was I? Left to face my
darkest fear
A single drop to my demise
And I still remember the devil's
stare,
That simple smile which made
me stay
And a whole lot more that I
never knew was there.

Revigya Joshi, A2 Level

BOB DYLAN

✦ **Bibek Chand Thakuri, A2 Level**

Most influential figure in popular music and culture for about 5 decades, the greatest songwriter, informal chronicler and unwilling figurehead of the social unrest in the 1960s, inspiration for the music legends like The Beatles, The Rolling stones, Jimi Hendrix, Jim Morrison. There's only one name that occurs to me concerning above facts, Bob Dylan.

Robert Allen Zimmerman, widely known as Bob Dylan was born on May 24, 1941 in USA. No musician who is alive can be more influential than Dylan himself. His distinctive twangs have produced some of the memorable songs ever written. In the '60s his songs of protest and turmoil spoke to an entire generation. While his life has been the subject of endless interpretation, he himself has been largely silent. He remains today as a vital artist, and as an imposing figure. The changes he brought in all of the pop music have been the subject of countless essays, articles, books, films and documentaries, so have the changes he himself had undergone, musical or otherwise.

There literally are no major artists in popular music who have not been affected by Dylan on one level or another. He was a major catalyst in the careers of the Beatles and Rolling Stones in the '60s. His song "All Along the Watchtower" was the sole hit single by the Jimi Hendrix Experience; he was the figure to whom distinguished singer-songwriters such as Bruce Springsteen, John Prine, Loudon Wainwright III were compared upon their debuts; he was the subject of a song by David Bowie and the central inspiration of "new wave" up-and-comer Elvis Costello in the '70s; his "Mr. Tambourine Man" sparked the Byrds' success and thus spawned R.E.M. and the entire genre of folk-rock; and his many songs have been covered by hundreds of artists of nearly every musical genre.

Bob Dylan's legacy in the 1960s was seen to be bringing an intellectual ambition to popular music. Now that he has passed the age of 70, he has been noted as a figure that greatly expanded the folk culture from which he had initially emerged. Dylan has, always, both amplified and personalized musical genres. He has explored numerous distinct traditions in American song— from folk, blues and country to gospel, rock and roll, and rockabilly to English, Scottish, and Irish folk music, embracing even jazz and swing. He wrote songs that hardly ever made you stand up and shake your hips or sing along to some sentimental romantic melody; instead, these songs went straight into the very depths of your soul and spoke to you on a personal, intimate level - a thing that neither the Beatles nor the Rolling Stones, as much as I love them, never pulled off. He has had such a huge career that he's touched on far more styles than you would imagine by only listening to a couple of his best-known records. His beat poetry is of the highest order and he is indeed a great poet. So when you'll listen to Bob Dylan you'll get a lot of "Lexical chaff" but it'll be your honorable task to extract the grains out of it.



The Fantastic Final Day

The Fight of the two Manchester Clubs

✦ Aabhash Dhakal, A2 Level

"Aguero stays on his feet, Aguerooooooooooooo and past paddy Kenny, definitely the title is Manchester City's now, I swear you won't see anything like this ever again." "Football Bloody Hell"

The Sky Sports commentator screamed on top of his voice as the Etihad stadium witnessed an incredible moment as every Manchester United fan, felt numb from head to feet. As a neutral, it was a moment just magnificent to watch. There was ecstasy in the blue half of Manchester while the red half had tears, glum faces and heart breaks. One could not have written a better script even for a movie, 38 games, 9 months, and the title was decided the last day of the season, in the stoppage time, two goals in two minutes, Manchester City were level on points with their bitter rivals but ahead on goal difference which ensured that the dream of every Manchester City fan who have patiently waited for 35 years, comes to life. It undoubtedly was the most dramatic end to the season EVER!

On the other hand, some fans from the red half of Manchester would want to forget this season as quick as possible after coming agonizingly close to lifting the title. The team that has solely dominated the Premier League since it first began had now been knocked off their throne by their high spending 'noisy neighbours'. Arguably Man City had a much better budget and a better squad than Man United. City were on their prime and who eventually did deliver champion performances, United were more focused on investing into young players. But were the group of youngsters ever a match for the team of greats? As United stood their ground with their heads held high questioning the fact on how a team packed with 23 super stars were level on points with a team with youngster in their first real full season; City argued the deterioration of Sir Alex Ferguson's era with their power shift as a win goes down to their history books as a win, and a noble win! While the



blue half of Manchester cheered their highly awaited crown, the red half of Manchester with a heavy heart exclaimed the statement that they will be back for their title.

The dramatic stage was set. The score line read 2-2 as the Etihad stadium stood with anxiety and anticipation for a winning goal. Back in the Stadium of light, Manchester United held their nerves to beat Sunderland 1-0 that almost guaranteed them the title, unless, City scored a goal in the next two minutes. As Manchester United fans prayed for Queens Park Rangers to hold on their defense line for two more minutes, Manchester City fans were backing up their team to attack, attack and attack, pushing forward everybody; while the London Rangers were holding on to that very score line for their survival in the Premier League as they competed that final survival spot with Blackburn Rovers, who were also a goal away from safety. Whole of Manchester divided into two, the blue half roaring for time to slow down; the reds howling for time to turn the tide on their side sooner. But it all came down to that final moment of the season were everything came to a conclusion in a blaze.

Merely before the end of the game in the Etihad Stadium; Blackburn Rovers lost their game against Stoke City, meaning they were relegated and QPR were safe. But before the

encouraging news reached city charged on! United's boss Sir Alex gazed on his famous watch as he turned on his radio while Manchester City manager, Roberto Mancini, screamed his lungs out as City pushed for a grand finale. Mario Balotelli with the ball played onto tiring but restless Aguero, dribbling past one and then two defenders opening up the QPR defense and delivering the final dagger to end the season. As Aguero slotted the ball in the net past helpless Paddy Kenny the stadium roared the 35 years of silence out of their hearts and perhaps silenced out whole of the footballing world!

The end to the season was one no one could have dreamed of, it was simply magnificent to watch for anyone, and even non-football fans who've never touched the ball would have found the exhilarating action fascinating. The final day of the season began with a lot of hope, anxiety and prayers. There were a lot of fans praying all around the world for their teams, the games had been kicked with a lot of hope, and the rest, is history. And no matter what anyone says, Barclays Premier League has been the most successful and popular among fans for this reason and every football fan witnessed it that day, and in case you don't know what I'm going on about, sadly, you missed a great end to a fantastic season that no one will ever observe again.

GLIMPSES AT CHELSEA



SLC Batch- 2068



Students participating in Interhouse Football Tournament In Chelsea



Farewell Programme for School Teachers



Farewell for SLC appeared students



Cleanliness program aftermath of the World Environment Day



Prize distribution ceremony for the Final Term Exam 2068



An effort to clean environment - School students cleaning the street



From Reuse, Reduce and Recycle to Green Economy-Students from School Section on World Environment Day



Standing proud - The school football team



Chelsea Family participating in World Environment Day Walkathon

GLIMPSES AT CHELSEA



Students and Parents attending the farewell program of the 1st SLC batch of Chelsea



During Scout drill- Members of Chelsea Scout Troop



Chelsea students in the Inter School spelling contest 2068



Students and Volunteers preparing for the World Environment Day walkathon rally



Showcasing our Culture - Team Nepal in Country Expo in Thailand Debate Competition



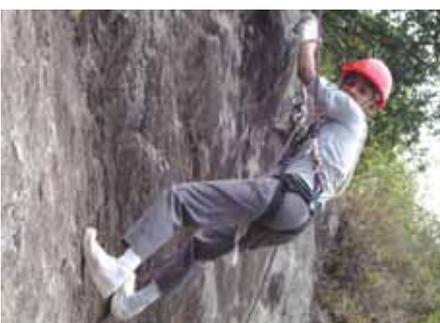
Chanting of environmental slogans during the walkathon rally



The skit team - Another effort on World Environment day



Winning Team of Interhouse Football Tournament



Mastering your fear - Rock climbing by Chelsea Scout Troop member



Chelsea Students in the International Debate Competition held in Thailand



Farewell Program To Teachers

My Skit Experience...



On June 5th, the only day when the world celebrates Environment Day to thank and repay the environment, we Chelseans along with other representatives from various institutes did a walk-a-thon event of walking from Chelsea premises to the UN Park, followed by a skit on the road and a sanitation program in the park itself. It was very tiring, yet interesting too. The most entertaining part of the program was the skit (perhaps because I was a part of it!). The short show was performed on the road, under the scorching sun that was dehydrating us the whole time. Our skit was centered on the idea to aware the people about the deforestation, pollution and many other problems related to the environment. I was given the role of an aware woman, and felt really happy to see a crowd of people surrounding us and giving our skit team a huge round of applaud at the end of our show. It showed how much they appreciated our effort. Sandeep was the script writer of our skit, and was also praised a lot by everyone. At the end of the day, we all were greatly exhausted, but we were all encouraged by the public's applause. Especially, I was too excited because it was my first performance on the road in front of the public. I can hardly forget that awesome moment. Whatever it was, the most important point for our skit team is that we were able to express our thoughts and the lesson we wanted to teach others in a form of pure art by performing it on stage.. Lastly, I can say that it was a truly successful day for all of us.

- **Kanchan Dulal**
A2 Level

Few days before the world environment day, I went to the manager of the drama team and requested him to give me a small role on the skit. He agreed and gave me the role of an idiot. Do I fit for this role? Probably not, but I had no choice. So I took the script and started memorizing all the dialogues, remembering which one to say and when. On the day of the event, I reached college early and rehearsed with others, our co-ordination was nice and everything went well. (Hey, Why to lie? It didn't!) The dialogues of an idiot were a bit difficult for a decent boy like me. I had planned to create my own words, but that did not go well either, and I mixed them up with original ones. We also did not get much time to prepare and the scorching sun was dazzling me the whole day. As the spot for our show arrived I checked the script again. Oh no! The dialogues got even more difficult. I could not remember any of them. We started off just like that. Everybody surrounded us and started staring at us. One of us started off with her act, and I was next, my part was to tease her. I was a boy and that surely was an easy thing to do for me. As I went on with my act, people burst out laughing. Their laughs and claps boosted me up. All of us performed really well and received praises from friends, teachers and audiences. It was really funny experience with all of my friends and I proved that I am not an idiot by doing the act of an idiot. Hope, from next time they'll give me some better role. But yes, I think I can act well like an idiot.

- **Ashesh Neupane**
A2 Level

DEAD FOR THE EARTH

I got taken to god's place yesterday;
Perchance he had something for me or to say.
I had no idea myself how his abode would be like,
Albeit I was quite unsure if that was going to
Be an interesting hike.

Up he took me in his transcendental flight,
So far above the sky that I was full with fright.
Then, I actually observed the supreme land
had no worries,
And was full with trees of desire and
godly glories.

Still, I tried finding if it was a dream or
a reality,
Or just an imagination out of my
insanity
But however I longed to find why I was
there,
And thought if that chance to be there
was rare.

Only after I met the almighty god
Did I find that whatever I'd guessed
was wrong.
In fact, what god told me next left me
speechless
Because whatever I heard was making
my heart race.

Then, I knew I would actually where I was,
Was where I would now have to be living
forever.
I knew I was never going to be allowed to live
,
And this was not a dream,
So, I got sick and dim after a loud scream.

After my encounter with god, the supreme,
I found I'd lost a heavy load; my property,
And my kiths and kins.
Now I know all those where I was at
After my fine breath and days at earth had come to a halt.

But I think, at present, the place where I've taken birth
Is much better than the earth
Since I feel admirable here in god's shade
Even if for the earth I m dead.

Saurav B.K., AS level

Do you know $1+1=11$???

$$-22 = -22$$

$$4 - 26 = 121 - 143$$

$$22 - 2 \times 2 \times 13/2 = 112 - 2 \times 11 \times 13/2$$

Adding $(13/2)^2$ on both sides, we get

$$22 - 2 \times 2 \times 13/2 + (13/2)^2 = 112 - 2 \times 11 \times 13/2 + (13/2)^2$$

$$(2 - 13/2)^2 = (11 - 13/2)^2$$

Putting Square root on both sides, we get

$$2 - 13/2 = 11 - 13/2$$

Removing $-13/2$ from both sides, we get

$$2 = 11$$

$$\text{Hence, } 1 + 1 = 11$$

Ashesh Neupane, A2 Level

Lost Souls

Sometimes we get so close to them,
To the darkest shadows of despair;
A heavy burden upon our hearts they
lay...
Then is really there the will or
strength?
To wait for yet another day.
W always close our eyes to troubles,
Forget the price we have to pay
For all the things that once went wrong
You keep saying that the road ahead
is long
But are you sure?
It may as well just end today;
And what comes next?
Pray and hope the lord will let you
know
The wisest of this world do say,
"Fools worry much, so come what
may"
There are lost souls trying to find their
way.
I cannot help but wonder if the sun
has risen here to stay,
To light our thoughts
Or to fill our eyes with hope, false
hope
And then to simply fade away.....

- **Angela Sharma**, AS Level

Smile

"Smile!", a small word to get through
the ear
But can be the biggest solution of
every problem we hear
It lifts your lips making you glow
Tears sweeps by as our fears just blow

We deal with our confidence and pass
through others ego
"Smile", its something which leads
confidence and melts ego

The hours of sorrows and sack of
regrets
Someone's little smile, makes us forget
everything.

Even tears clad in the curtains of smile
As it hides our pain and let us go
through miles.
Smile with sorrow, smile with pain
It can be your excellence and the way
to gain

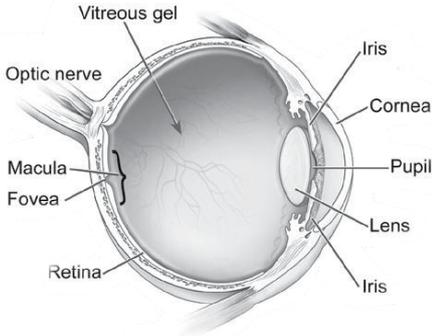
Smile sings the music of love
While it spreads divine happiness
So, never hurt anyone to be the cause
of tears
Spread the unseen smile to erase all
loneliness

- **Prekshya Subba**, AS Level



How do we see?

We see with the help of eyes. When light enters the eye it passes through the cornea, iris and lens before reaching the retina. In the retina, millions of light sensitive cells called rods and cones



react to the light. This results in the optic nerve, which sends them to the brain. The brain interprets these signals as an image.

How do we move our eyes?

We move our eyes with the help of six muscles. The medial rectus muscle moves the eyes towards the nose. The lateral rectus muscle moves the eyes away from the nose. The superior and inferior rectus muscles are responsible for upward and downward motion of the eyes. The superior and inferior oblique muscles help us to rotate the eyes.

Collected by:

- **Richa Panta**, AS level

चाकडीको चल्दैछ चक्कर

मन्त्री किन्न भारतको छ समर्थन
जनतालाई भड्काउन जातको नाममा राष्ट्र बाँड्ने
भारतको चाकडी गर्न हिमाली, पहाडी र मधेसी
भनी हामीलाई भाँड्ने
भारतको नाममा डमरु बजाउने दलाल चाहिँदैन
राष्ट्रको राष्ट्रियताको विरुद्ध लामन पाइँदैन
साथ मात्र माग आमा
रगतका खोला बगाउन तयार छौं आज
नेता हाम्रा मेरा गोरुको बाह्रै टक्का हरदम
यस्तै हो भने बन्दैन है संविधान अझ कैयौं साल
बन्छ त केवल नेताहरूको सन्ततिको लागि टूल्दूला
दरबार
आफू गोरु हुनुपर्छ अरुलाई कालो भन्नु
राष्ट्रियताको भाव हुनुपर्छ राष्ट्र निर्माण गर्न
सञ्जय अधिकारी, ए.टु लेभल

Opportunity never stops knocking

Most of the people feel that once an opportunity has been overlooked or wasted, there is no second chance. But I feel opportunity never stops knocking and is always close to us. Only those who want to give up feel that they



have no second chance to win and to conquer. If we have strong determination and willpower to accomplish a work, it certainly can be accomplished.

My motto in life is "In the journey of life focus on the goal, look at the doughnut not upon the hole." There are also people who simply turn off the light to see how dark it is and say that the first letter of Opportunity itself is zero. But instead of complaining about bad luck, we should be doing something about it. It often surprises me at how lucky we get working hard towards what we wish to attain or accomplish. The reality is that all the talent or skill in the world won't help us go and collect opportunity.

"LET US BELIEVE IN IT."

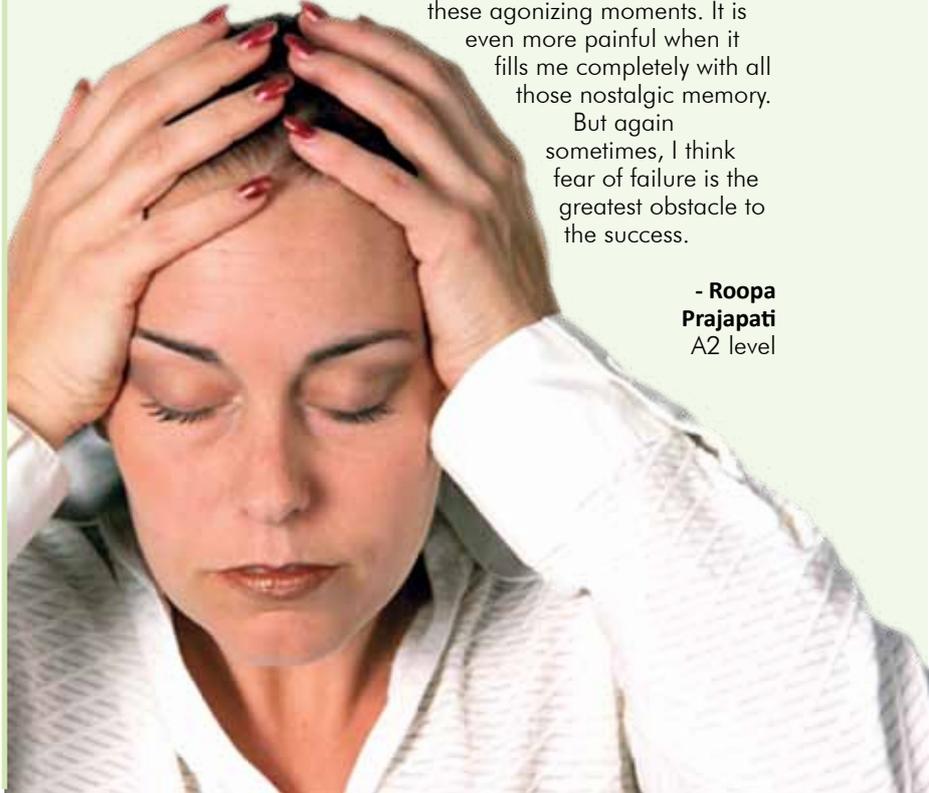
- **Dipika Gauchan Pun**
AS Level

The Weakest Me...

It pierces my heart and drops me towards the doldrums as I go through those achievement claps for other. Tempestuous sea of jealousy arises within me, and kills me erasing my confidence. Success is not a tea party, I console myself; it's a war where the victory is of one only; where one's hard work dedication and of course, luck plays a vital role. My failure barricades all those ways of success, and everyone says failure is the ladder of success. My heart

suddenly brims with sadness when I feel these agonizing moments. It is even more painful when it fills me completely with all those nostalgic memory. But again sometimes, I think fear of failure is the greatest obstacle to the success.

- **Roopa Prajapati**
A2 level



How education system has transformed itself..

✦ Prabez Thapa, A2 level

There used to be the time when senators, whom today we call the base of the existing society, lived in the cave, hunting wild animals for their survival, but were confused about their customs. Finally, such people were able to introduce fire by rubbing two stones, without having conscience of friction. The innovation of fire made the life easier and systematic. They, later on, succeeded to transform themselves in the form of sophisticated creature, who arrogantly tell them superior 'social animal'. The drastic change in the lifestyle of the people is possible due to hit-and-trial invention and transformation of education.

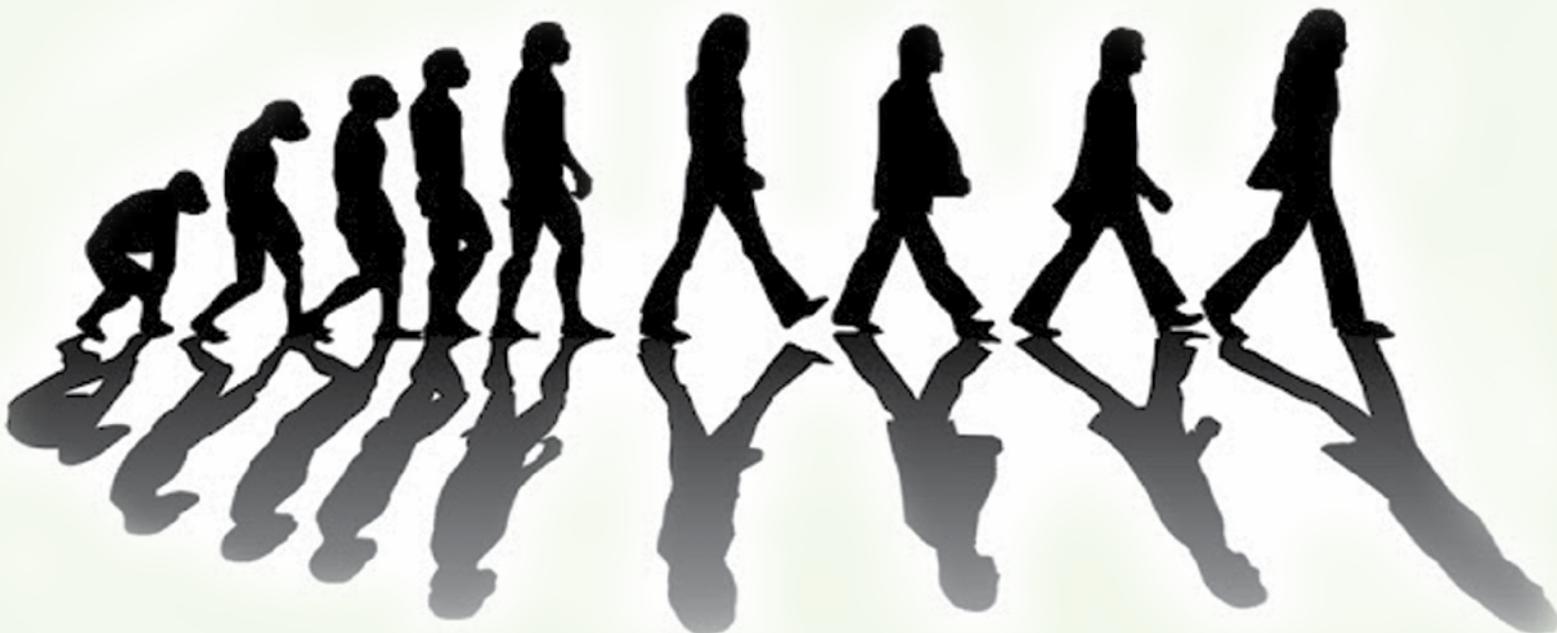
The people who used to enjoy jungle-life have never thought of today's advanced people; as their coming generation. This is what we call the innovative education that has been updated since last few eras. The chronological growth of education has, in fact, transformed

itself due to survival of human beings and their way of coping with alga in different periods. The important thing, if we happen to point out about the people, is the adaptation with their surroundings and acceptance of evolution and the changes, as Darwin has already stated about in the past century. The people, who used to scare from fire at the inception, now keep passive-fire in the pocket to light their cigarettes.

As the people were able to set up in the environment, they started to find easier way of living which has, indeed given them the ideology for their quality food, home, and customs. This is what we say a complete learning process, a civilization. Had people neither invented strand, nor they would have worn college uniform. The people would have been hitting the big drum with bonfire if there were no mobiles, no internets. Now, people can have minimum error in their every measurement because of the

sophisticated instrument that has been available for the people; otherwise people would have been following the trend of 'mana-pathi' to serve, or their 'hand-foot' way of measuring the land, or their own techniques.

Today's people can speak to their nearest in the nick of time, they can go to their home in any minute and visit the world in any hour due to the progressing science and technology. Life is really reliable in this virtual world, as one is lazy to even cook his food. When people are addicted to drugs, we have rehabilitate centre to improve his/her situation, but when people are addicted to such gadgets we still don't have answer how to revive them. Isn't it the addiction, when people have their mobile in the repairing centre, they miss something and feel like their fingers are dead? Let's hope the day will never come when people feel hard to brush their own teeth.



Experience @ Chelsea...

✦ Sandesh Ghimire, Chelsea alumni

When I first entered the gate of Chelsea, I was wondering whether I would survive this place for the next two years of my life. At the beginning, the every day of checking in the gates and the coordinators standing in a monstrous pose to nag you about your hair style and dressing sense seemed like a nightmare for students. Those initial nightmares soon became one of the most cherished memories for me. I quickly made friends and before I realized I was quite active in the extra curricular activities of the college. This article is about my experience as an A level student of Chelsea International Academy.

To be very frank, initially I thought that my decision to pursue A levels in Chelsea was the greatest mistake of my life. Two years down the line and I realized that it is probably the best thing that has ever happened to me. Without knowing I got acquainted with some of the best minds of the nation. I had the opportunity to study with some of the most talented people out here. Even at a young age, my friend could rap like Eminem. Another fellow was a young entrepreneur whose website fetched him the money to pursue his studies and make a living by sitting in front of a computer. Some had great minds, their brain worked like a calculator and some of them even shake their body like a snake in the dance floor. These are just some examples. Every one is a genius of its own kind. Every person I met during my Chelsea days had something to teach me, directly or indirectly. My seniors taught me to become an activist and fight against social unjust. Smita Ma'am, my GP teacher helped me find my knack for writing. My involvement in extra curricular helped me mature as a person. All those praise and criticism by my peers and teachers was all worth the shot.

It is said that a person always remembers the first, the best and the last impressions. My first impressions on Chelsea were not so good but the best impressions will always be cherished and shall always be close to my heart. I will always remember the time, when we were preparing for

a theatre act to be performed in the prestigious "Aarohan Gurukul" theatre. I was the production manager for the team. I was assigned to design the costumes and the set. During the preparations Sudhir sir- our respected principal referred to me by the name of "Sandesh Shakespeare". Those two simple words worked as a catalyst for me to write plays. Though I had never written a play before, those inspiring words helped me explore a different aspect of myself. Following, the success of the show we did another charity show of the drama. The proceedings were used to buy books which would later be donated to a community library in a rural village of Parsa district. Three of us I, Rajesh sir and Subrot had personally gone to the village to deliver the books to the library. During the trip I not only got the opportunity to see the real picture of rural Nepal but also I become well aware about other endeavors of our Rajesh sir. Before the trip, I only respected him as a teacher but now I respect him even more as a young entrepreneur who has achieved so much in a very little span of time.

I also had my share of fun during my stay at Chelsea. The occasional singing and "antakcheri" in Business class, the endless arguments in the GP class, the good Fridays in lalit sir class. All of these small events will dearly be missed. Witty logic of Akash sir always made me smile, due to this very reason he was always surrounded by flocks of students all the time. Similarly, the cold days of the winter where everyone would be seated in the basketball court basking in the sun and the sudden appearance of Jeet Sir forced everyone to run for their classes. All this small details of my college life can never be forgotten.

In Chelsea, I learned to be a leader and have the courage to follow passion despite of several hindrances. A student who gives adequate attention in the morning assembly will realize that Jeet sir often speaks about following your passion. He doesn't speak out of the blue but he tells

us because he follows his passion. Though he is our coordinator at Chelsea he has successfully followed his passion for filmmaking and has made award winning documentaries. The best thing Chelsea can offer a student is that even everyone from the dai's and didi's to the managing director, anyone can become your inspiration for success.

"If opportunity does not knock your door, build the door." This is the golden rule that one has to follow during their stay in Chelsea. A suggestion for the fresh batch, Please do not expect that opportunities will be bestowed upon you but rather you would have to take the initiative to make something happen. No educational institution will provide you 100% satisfaction. There will always be one thing or the other to criticize about your institution. Stop criticizing and start enjoying because this is the golden period of your life. Your acts now will determine your future. As Jeet sir says "E Stands for Effort, not for Excuses."

For me, my two years at Chelsea was a fun filled joyous ride but it was always not glittery. There were harsh moments too. Being the college head Boy I experienced both joyous moments and serious criticism. Frequently, my abilities as a head boy were questioned but I eventually learned to take criticism not as setbacks but as a new lesson.

The roller coaster ride has finally come to an end. In the last days at Chelsea, I didn't know whether I wanted to cry or smile. Cry because all the things will be gone or to smile because it happened. In reality, nothing has changed. Friends have not gone away and your teachers have not stopped supporting. But the realization of the fact that the tedious boring days in the classroom, the frequent jokes, the moment of pride after being titled as the "Head Boy" will never come back and this feeling makes me feel nostalgic. Months have passed since I graduated from Chelsea but I still live in the time wrap with the memories of the last two years.

The lost ring

One day a man went home to his wife and said, "I have bought something" and the wife replied "Oh thank you! What have you bought?" The man says "I have bought a gold ring. Here it is!" He held out for his wife to see, and then he dropped it. "Oh dear" he said "I have dropped it". He began to look for it on the floor but it was dark inside the house and he could not see anything. He went outside the house and began to look for the ring in the street. Just then a friend came along. "What's the matter?" he asked. "I have lost a ring" said the man. "Where did you lose it?" asked the friend and he replied "I lost it inside my house." His friend said "you lost the ring inside your house but you are looking for it outside in the street! That seems very foolish!"

"Ah", said the man "but it is dark inside the house I shall never find it there. But here in the street there is more light and I can see more clearly"

- Kabyanti Shrestha, 2 'D'



The Clever Farmer

Once upon a time there was a farmer. He had a big field of wheat. One year there was a scarcity of water as it did not rain. One day a gang of dacoits went in his house to rob him. He had a big box where he kept all his precious things like gold, diamonds and much more. So, as the farmer knew the dacoits were going to rob him, he spoke in a loud voice and said "I'm growing older day by day. I don't have any children so now I'll throw all my properties." By saying so he threw a box filled with stones in a well next to his field. The dacoits heard of this and during the night they started removing water from the well. They spread many buckets of water in the field but they could not get the box so feeling disappointed they went away and the farmer made a nice profit.

- Apekshya Khanal, 5 'D'

Girls Situation

Almost in all the countries topic of "Girls" has been on the top of many summits for many decades but it has ended with the sad result of unchange.

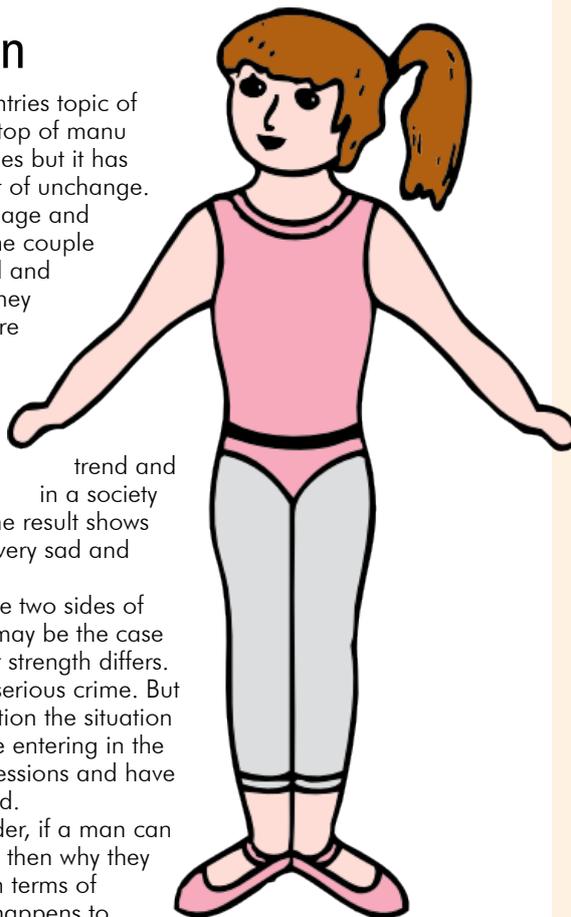
Still in most of the village and uncivilized areas when the couple gets ready for ultrasound and finds out that it is a girl they kill her immediately before her birth. But the fact is that they are scared of death of the dowry system. This killing process has been a trend and has been deeply rooted in a society or a nation. Ultimately the result shows that the girls situation is very sad and deplorable.

Girls and boys are the two sides of a same coin. Whatever may be the case they are equal, just their strength differs. So female foeticide is a serious crime. But luckily due to modernization the situation is getting better. Girls are entering in the fields of all kinds of professions and have even excelled in their field.

Sometimes I do wonder, if a man can make wife, girlfriend, etc then why they hesitate when it comes in terms of their birth? Why does it happens to only girls, why not boys? This question remains in my mind when I hear the news of girls exploitation everyday.

So with a hope that this situation will rather change, I would like to aware all the people that " Never discriminate between girls and boys because God has made them equal."

- Kinzu Doma Sherpa, AS Level



Where do you work??

Three men were in the hospital's waiting room. When the nurse rushed in and said to the first man, "Sir, you are the father of twins!" "Hey! Isn't that a coincidence?" He replied. "I'm a member of the Minnesota Twins baseball team".

Later, the nurse came in and said to the second man, "Sir, you are the father of triplets". "Gee!" the man said. "What a coincidence! I'm with the 3M Company!" Then, the third man jumped to his feet, grabbed his hat and said, "I'm getting out of here. I work for 7-Up! "

Engineers

There are three engineers in a car, an electrical engineer, a chemical engineer and a Microsoft engineer. Suddenly the car stops by the side of the road, and the three engineer look at each other wondering what could be wrong.

The electrical engineer suggests "I think we should trace where the fault is and what is its Watt!" Then, the chemical engineer, not knowing much about cars, suggests, "I think the fuel of the car is getting the chemical change, try to make the fuel neutral!" at last the Microsoft engineer says " No, why don't we close all the windows, get out, get back in, open the windows again, and maybe it will work?"

- Jiya Khanal, 9 'A'



आमा

जसले जन्मायो, जसले हुर्कायो
त्यही नै हो जन्म दिने आमा ।
जसले काखमा राखी ठूलो बनायो
त्यही हो जन्म दिने आमा ।
जसले माया, ममता दिएर ज्ञानी बनायो
त्यही हो असल आमा ।
तर जसले दिनरात मेरो लागि काम गरिन्
तिनै हुन् मेरी आमा ।

- आस्था पाण्डे, ७ 'ग'

असह्य जनता

कामभन्दा कुरा धेरै जाँगर भन्दा फुर्ती,
अस्पतालभन्दा भट्टी धेरै औषधिभन्दा मूर्ति,
घरभन्दा मन्दिर धेरै मान्छेभन्दा मूर्ति
मन्दिर मन्दिरको देश हाम्रो
जहाँ मूर्तिहरु मन्दिरमा बस्छन्,
मानिस चाहिँ बाटोमा सुन्छन्

यहाँ महँगी छ धेरै आमदानी चाहिँ शून्य
यहाँ गाडी छन् धेरै बाटो पनि शून्य,
नदी नै नदी भएको देश हाम्रो
जहाँ पाइँदैन धारामा पानी राम्रो ।

जनता ती कहिले हॉस्ने नेता तिमी हॉस्नौ अति
आफू धेरै माथि पुग्यौ, देश पनि तान माथि
भोका नाङ्गा जनता हामीलाई हेर
नत्र तिम्रो हॉसो जाला है खेर ।

- वरुण पाण्डे, १० 'ग'

खुकुरी

हरेक नेपालीको हातमा हुन्छ खुकुरी
उज्ज्वल पारेको छ जसले हाम्रो पाखुरी
राष्ट्रिय हतियार हो यो हाम्रो खुकुरी
शत्रुहरुको शत्रु हो यै खुकुरी ।

शत्रुको रगत चुन्छ यै खुकुरीले
जसको शिर ताक्छ यै पाखुरीले
हेर्दा सानो हुन्छ हाम्रो खुकुरी
तर रहन्छ बहुते खबरदार यो खुकुरी ।

खुकुरीले बोल्दछ नेपालको कहानी
रगतले भिज्नेछ शत्रुको सिरानी
पार्नेछ खुकुरीले देशलाई नामी
डरले सुरु हुनेछ शत्रुको बिहानी
डरले सुरु हुनेछ शत्रुको बिहानी

- शिल्पी भन्ना, ८ 'क'

गल्ती गरौं

रुपेश पौडेल, ए.यस. लेभल

भावीले छैठीमा के पो लेखेर गएछ कुनि,
मलाई चक्रव्युहको किल्लामा यस्तो नराम्ररी
फसायो, चिन्ताको दलदलमा सोच्यै नसोचीकन
पसायो । भाग्यले मसँग जुवा खेल्यो । यस्तो
खालको जुवा खेल्यो कि जुवा जितै तर पैसा
हारौं । अब दुनियाले मलाई जुवा जितिसु भनेर
सोध्यो भने के जवाफ दिऊँ ? मलाई थाहा छैन
मेरो यो अपत्यारिलो हारको जिम्मेदार को छ ।
मै हुन सक्छु, अरुले जुवा जित्ला भनेर अर्काको
पोल्टोमा पैसा थमाइदिउँ । आफूले पनि त्यो दाउ
खेलेकै हो, खुरुक बेलैमा दिमाग चलेको भए
सायद यो जितको हार बेहोर्न नपर्ने थियो होला,
जुवा जितेको खुसी मनाउँ कि पैसा हारेको
दुःख पोख्नु, आखिर साउनी धनी हुने हो
क्यारे । जितेको खुसीमा खाए खाए वियर,
रम वा भोड्का जान्छ, हारेको
दुःखमा खाए लोकल
रक्सी जान्छ । म गरिब
बाबुको धनी सन्तान
पो हुँ त, जुवाले
मलाई बर्बाद
पार्‍यो । सम्हालिन
अति गाह्रो छ ।
अब पश्चातापको
ज्वालामा
सेकिनु भन्दा
अर्को उपाय
मसँग छैन । यो

त मेरो कर्मको फल हो । कटु छ तर सत्य हो ।
तर मैले यो हारलाई एउटा पाठको रूपमा लिन
सक्नुपर्छ । यो हारमा त मैले केही न केही सत्यता
खोज्नपर्छ। संसारमा आइपर्ने विषम परिस्थितिको
अन्दाजा लगाउन सिकनुपर्छ, सुखमा नमात्तिने र
दुःखमा नआत्तिने अटोट लिन सक्नुपर्छ, सत्यमा
सहमत हुन सिकनुपर्छ । फलामा हिँड्दा च्वास्स
पोलेर के भयो त, बरु मैले तातो सुन र चाँदीको
सामना गर्न जुटनुपर्छ । कोइलामा हिँड्नु,
बहादुरी त हो, तर मुखता हो, त्यसैले म त्यसो
हुन नदिन आफूलाई सम्हाल्न सिक्नेछु, काबु गर्न
खोज्नेछु । म सही बाटो रोच्ने जमर्को गर्दछु ।
मलाई एउटा साथी र एउटा संगीको जरूरत छ ।

मलाई एउटा पशुप्रदर्शकको खाँचो छ, यस्तो
पशुप्रदर्शक जसले मलाई सही मार्गनिर्देशन
गरोस् । मलाई यो हारको बदला लिनु छ,
जुवाको बाजी पल्टाउनु छ, बाँकी रहेको
घरको आर्थिक समस्या पनि सल्टाउनु
छ । त्यसैले म तयार छु, आफ्नो
भविष्य चुन्न र कसम खान्छु
हारको बदला सकिएपछि जुवा
नै हुन । तर
मात्र एउटा
गल्ती गर्छु है!!

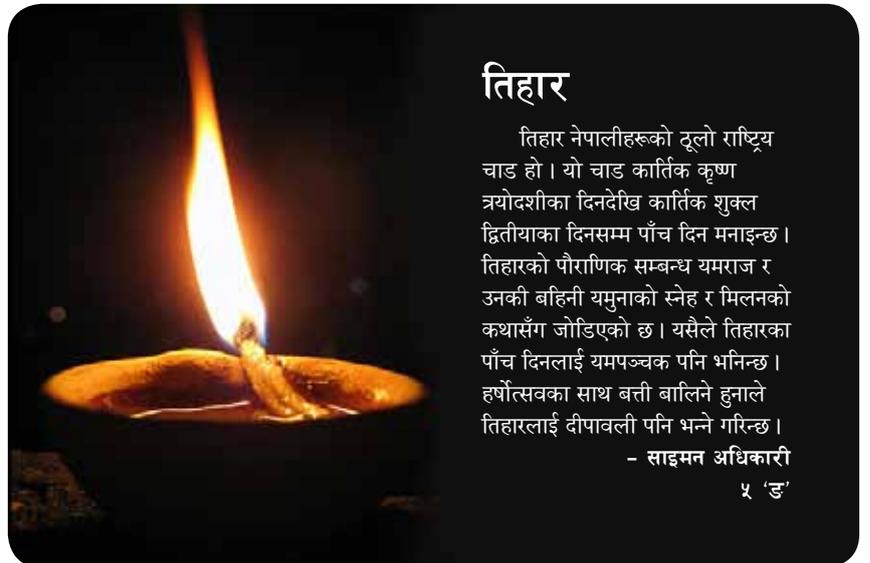


तिहार

तिहार नेपालीहरूको ठूलो राष्ट्रिय
चाड हो । यो चाड कार्तिक कृष्ण
त्रयोदशीका दिनदेखि कार्तिक शुक्ल
द्वितीयाका दिनसम्म पाँच दिन मनाइन्छ ।
तिहारको पौराणिक सम्बन्ध यमराज र
उनकी बहिनी यमुनाको स्नेह र मिलनको
कथासँग जोडिएको छ । यसैले तिहारका
पाँच दिनलाई यमपञ्चक पनि भनिन्छ ।
हर्षोत्सवका साथ बत्ती बालिने हुनाले
तिहारलाई दीपावली पनि भन्ने गरिन्छ ।

- साइमन अधिकारी

५ 'ड'



एक दिन फुल्ने फूल

आयुषा मिश्र, ५ 'ड'

यसपटकको नयाँ वर्ष ०६९ वैशाख १ गतेको दिन म सिरहा जिल्लामा प्रत्येक वर्ष लामे फूलबारी मेला हेर्न गएकी थिएँ । त्यस दिन नेपालका राष्ट्रपति डा. रामवरण यादवले फूलबारी मेलाको उद्घाटन गर्नुभएको थियो । तर त्यहाँ मलाई त एकादिन मात्र फुल्ने फूलको बारेमा अचम्म लाग्यो । त्यहाँ त वैशाख १ गतेमात्र माला आकारको सेतो फूल फुल्ने रहेछ । एक गतेभन्दा अघिल्लो दिन त्यस फूलको कोपिला देखिने र भोलिपल्ट ओइलाएको देखिने रहेछ ।

सिरहा जिल्ला सगरमाथा अञ्चलमा पर्दछ । यस जिल्लाको सदरमुकाम सिरहा नै हो । यस जिल्ला अर्न्तगत पर्ने लाहान नगर पालिका देखि करिब तीन कि.मी पश्चिममा सलहेस वन रहेको छ । उक्त वनमा वर्षमा एकपटक ठूलो मेला लाग्दो रहेछ । यो मेला लाम थालेको धेरै वर्ष भइसकेको रहेछ ।

स्थानीय मान्छेहरूको भनाइ अनुसार यस वनमा सलहेस राजाले फूल टिप्दा रहेछन् । यसै कारण त्यस मेलालाई फूलबारी मेला भनिएको रहेछ ।

वैशाख १ गतेकै दिन लहान नगर पालिकाबाट उत्तरतर्फ मानिक दह भन्ने ठाउँमा पनि मेला लाग्दो रहेछ । सलहेस राजाले यस दहमा नुहाएर फूलबारीमा गई फूल टिप्ने गर्दथे । बूढापाकाको भनाइ अनुसार सलहेस र जालाई भेट्न उनकी प्रेमिका फूलबारीमा उक्त फूलको रूपमा प्रकट हुने गर्थिन् रे ।

म पनि सोही दिन बिहानै मानिक दह मेलामा गएँ र दिउँसो फूलबारी मेलामा फुल्ने उक्त माला जस्तो फूल हेर्ने मौका पाएँ । सुन्दा अपत्यारिलो र अचम्म लामे मालाको दर्शन गर्न नेपाल तथा भारतबाट समेत हजारौँ मानिसको भीड लाग्ने रहेछ । अन्त्यमा, एकदिन मात्र फुल्ने यो फूलको बारे अनुसन्धान गर्न आवश्यक देखिन्छ ।



मेरो देश

सोच्यो सगरमाथाको शिरभैँ उच्च छ मेरो देश खेतमा भुलेको धानभैँ लहलहाउँदो छ मेरो देश सोच्यो अबोध बालक जस्तै छ मेरो देश सोच्यो अमृत जस्तै अमूल्य छ मेरो देश

फुटेको शिशा जस्तै भएर फुट्न गयो मेरो देश जातजाति र विभिन्न धर्मको अलग भेष यो शहर लिम्बूको त यो राज्य नेवा सुनिन थाल्यो अनेक नारा भोकमरीको बेला

पृथ्वीनारायण शाहले गरेको एकीकरण पनि व्यर्थ गयो लाग्छ बन्द र हडताल त यो देशको रीत नै भयो रहेन मान चार जात छतीस वर्ण र एक मालीको छिया छिया भयो हालत नेपाल नामक सुन्दर फूलबारीको

लाग्छ अब शान्ति भन्ने कुनै शब्दकोशको शब्द भयो न त कानुन छ, न रहेको कानुनको नै पालना भयो संविधानको आश भनेको मरुभूमिमा पानीको आश भयो सुन्दर,शान्त र विशाल मेरो देश अशान्ति र अन्यायको खाडलमा गयो अशान्ति र अन्यायको खाडलमा गयो ॥

- सृजना सुवेदी, ए '२' लेभल

नारी

मृगभैँ सुन्दर नयन छ हाम्रो, चाल राजहंसको हात हाम्रा कर्मशील र सहयोगी, जात उच्चवंशको सिँगारौँ हामी यस विश्वलाई, प्रेम र सद्भावना ल्याई नारी हौँ हामी संसार घुम्छौँ, शान्तिको गीत गाई

लक्ष्मी हौँ हामी सम्पत्ति समृद्धि घरमा भित्र्याउने काली हौँ हामी डराइ धम्काइ, सब नाश गराउने सरस्वती हौँ हामी अज्ञान हटाइ विद्या सबलाई दिलाउने ब्रम्हायणी हौँ हामी दुष्ट मारी, विश्वको रक्षा गराउने

रिसाएमा हामी आँधी भई, धर्ती पनि कम्पाउँछौ एक इशाराले भुकम्प ल्याई, सब नाश गराउँछौ गर्जिन्छौ अनि मेघभैँ, संसारमा प्रलय ल्याउन तर पछि पर्दैनौँ शान्तिको गीत, सबलाई सुनाउन

लिन्छौ अनेक रूप हामी, विश्वमा सौन्दर्य छर्न तर अन्याय भएमा पछि पर्दैनौँ, कालीको रूप धर्न समयमा सती सावित्री बन्छौँ, अधर्मको खम्बा ढाल्न संसारको ज्योति नारी हौँ हामी, आउँछौ खुसी उमार्न

- मोनिता श्रेष्ठ, ९ 'क'

चटुकिला

गणित शिक्षकले विद्यार्थीहरूलाई सोध्नुभयो:

शिक्षक : ल भन त रेखा र बिन्दुमा के फरक छ ?

विद्यार्थी : सर, रेखा मुख्य हिरोइन हो बिन्दु साइड हिरोइन मात्र..

संकलक : एशिया कार्की

गाउँखाने कथा

कालो जङ्गलमा रातो सारी, के हो ?
बाहिर छाला, भित्र बोसो, बोसोभित्र काठको ठोसो, के हो ?
एउटा खुट्टा सयौँ हात, सबै हातमा हजारौँ पात, के हो ?
लामो लहराको मीठो फल, के हो ?
रुप चिल्लो, फल मीठो, के हो ?
साना बच्चाको पेट भरी पैसा, के हो ?
काली बूढी चाउरी परी, के हो ?
आफैँ काट्ने, आफैँ रुने, के हो ?
खटखट खटमाउ, तीन मुख दस पाउ, के हो ?
उत्तरहरू: सिन्दुर लगाएको, लप्सी, रुख, माछा, केरा, खुर्सानी, मरिच, प्याज काटेको, गोरु जोतेको ।

संकलक : प्रियस लोहनी

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(१) रातो ग'दी हरीयो छाला गर्मीमा खाँदा सित्तल होला के हो ?
(२) कसौँडी पाक्यो भात काँचे ?
(३) बाहिर सोला भित्र गोला खान पाए कस्तो होला के हो ?
(४) किन्नेले पाउँदैन, पाउनेले किन्दैन के हो ?
(५) चार अक्षर भएको जील्ला मेरो नाम विचको दुईवटा अक्षर भिक्कीदीदा बन्दछ देशको नाम के हो ?
उत्तर: १) खरबुजा, २) अम्बा, ३) रुख कटहर, ४) उपहार, ५) घिन

अभिनव पोखरेल, ४ 'क'

पोखरा

नेपालको सुन्दर ठाउँ पोखरा हो नाम ।

आऊ साथी घुम्न जाउँ रमाइलो ठाउँ ।

नदी रैछ, सफा रैछ

रैछ साथी हिमाल

नेपालकै ठूलो रैछ

हाम्रो फेवाताल

डुङ्गा चढी जानु पर्ने

तल बाराही रैछ,

मछापुच्छे फेवा तालमै

पौडी खेल्दो रैछ ।

मोहितराज पाण्डे,

४ 'च'

बालिका

हामी साना बालिका

खेल्छौँ, खान्छौँ, पढ्छौँ

मिलेर खान्छौँ

मिलेर खेल्छौँ

सबैकुरा गर्छौँ ।

सानासाना बालिका

लड्न पनि सक्छन् ।

उनीहरूलाई हामी

बचाउन सक्छौँ ।

- अदिति भण्डारी, ३

शिक्षा नीतिका विद्यमान चुनौतीहरू

श्रीराम प्रसाद लामिछाने

अघिल्लो अंकबाट क्रमशः...

लम्बीय ढाँचामा पत्राचार वा व्याख्यानको माध्यमद्वारा संप्रेषित नीति कार्यान्वयन व्यवस्थाको प्रत्येक तहले कसरी बुझ्नेको छ सो सम्बन्धमा लेखाजोखा गर्नुपर्ने आवश्यकता प्रति सगजता देखाएको पाइँदैन। तसर्थ कार्यान्वयन व्यवस्था भित्रका प्रत्येक संरचनागत तहले आ-आफ्ना हिसावले जुन बुझाइ राख्दछन् सोहीअनुसार नै नीतिको कार्यान्वयन हुने गरेको पाइन्छ। यस परिप्रेक्ष्यमा लम्बीय प्रक्रियाद्वारा गरिने सञ्चार व्यवस्थाको प्रभावकारिता सुनिश्चित गर्न कार्यान्वयन व्यवस्थाका प्रत्येक तहले नीतिबारे के कसरी बुझ्नेका छन् सोको पृष्ठपोषण लिनै परिपाटी संस्थागत हुन सकेको छैन। साथै कार्यान्वयन तहका सरोकारवालाहरू बीच नीतिका सम्बन्धमा ठीक रूपमा स्पष्ट हुन समतलीय सञ्चार व्यवस्थाको महत्वप्रति चासो राखेको पाइँदैन।

नीति-निर्माण र कार्यान्वयन पक्षसँग सम्बद्ध माथि उल्लेख गरिएको यथार्थकै पृष्ठभूमिमा देशका समग्र पक्षका नीतिहरू निर्माण गरिने र कार्यान्वयन गरिने परिपाटी निरन्तर रूपमा रहँदै आएको छ। यस परिपाटीबाट उत्पन्न विसङ्गति र वेमेलका कारण विकास-उपलब्धि उत्साहजनक नभएको यथार्थ पनि टड्कारै छ। यस स्थितिले राज्यका नीतिहरू माथि सहम्र चुनौतीहरू खडा गरेको छ। यस परिप्रेक्ष्यमा शिक्षाका नीतिहरू अपवाद छैनन्। शिक्षा क्षेत्रले सामना गर्नु परेका चुनौतीका केही उदाहरणहरू निम्नअनुसार छन् -

शिक्षा-नीतिमा गाँसिएका चुनौतीहरू

उदाहरण १ : अनौपचारिक शिक्षासँग सम्बद्ध साक्षरता कार्यक्रमलाई विस्तारित गर्दै महिला, दलित र विपन्न वर्गको साक्षरता दरमा अभिवृद्धि गर्ने।

यस नीतिको कार्यान्वयनबाट सन् २०१५ सम्ममा ७० प्रतिशत साक्षरता पुऱ्याउने लक्ष्य रहेको छ। तर यो लक्ष्य प्राप्त हुन सक्ने सम्भावना कमै छ। किनभने अनौपचारिक शिक्षालाई औपचारिक शिक्षाको एउटा सक्षम विकल्पको रूपमा नहेरी दोम्नो दर्जाको हिसावले हेरिने परम्परा अडिग रहेको छ। अनौपचारिक शिक्षाका निमित्त छुट्ट्याइने न्यून बजेट यसको टड्कारो सूचक हो। यसबाट उल्लिखित नीति सार्थक रूपमा अवतरण हुन सक्ने सम्भावना क्षीण देखिन्छ। अनौपचारिक शिक्षाको निमित्त यो एक प्रवल चुनौती हो।

उदाहरण २ : विद्यालय व्यवस्थापनको अभिभारा समुदायलाई हस्तान्तरण गर्ने।

सार्वजनिक विद्यालयहरूको व्यवस्थापनको अभिभारा समुदायलाई हस्तान्तरण गर्ने नीतिले पनि उत्साहजनक गति लिन सकेको छैन। खासरूपमा भन्नुपर्दा बृहत् अन्तरसम्वाद र अन्तर्क्रियाबाट यो नीतिको तर्जुमा भएको होइन। त्यसैले यसलाई सहजरूपमा खास सरोकारवालाहरूले आत्मसात गरेका छैनन्। विरोध र कलहको चपेटामा परी यो नीति



प्रताडित भएको छ। यो अर्को बलियो चुनौती हो।

उदाहरण ३ : सबै समुदायिक विद्यालयहरूमा एक वर्षे पूर्व प्राथमिक शिक्षा प्रदान गर्ने।

पूर्व प्राथमिक शिक्षाको धारणात्मक स्पष्टताको अभाव र यसबाट उत्पन्न कार्यान्वयन पक्षमा पर्न गएको भ्रमले यो नीति ग्रसित छ।

उदाहरण ४ : सबैका निमित्त शिक्षा को लक्ष्य प्राप्तिका निमित्त प्राथमिक शिक्षालाई अनिवार्य गर्ने।

अनिवार्य प्राथमिक शिक्षा जस्तो गहन नीतिलाई कार्यान्वयन गर्न आवश्यक पर्ने अनेकानेक पूर्वाधार र आवश्यकताहरूको पहिचान र निरूपण विना लेखिएको यो नीति स्वयंमै अपूर्ण छ। त्यसैले सबैको निमित्त शिक्षा कार्ययोजनामा सर्वजनिक प्राथमिक शिक्षामा जोड दिइएको छ अनिवार्य प्राथमिक शिक्षा र सर्वजनीन प्राथमिक शिक्षा दुई अलग अवधारणाहरू हुन्। सर्वजनिक प्राथमिक शिक्षाले प्राथमिक शिक्षा सबैको हकै हो भन्ने पक्षमा माग राख्दछ। जर्वाकि अनिवार्य प्राथमिक शिक्षामा कुनै यस्ता मागहरू हुँदैनन् एउटै माग हुन्छ 'अनिवार्य'। नीतिगत कुरा लेखनमा रहेको यो अनमेल पक्षले नै चुनौती सृजना गरेका छन्।

उदाहरण ५ : प्राविधिक र व्यावसायिक शिक्षामा पहुँच अभिवृद्धि गर्नका निमित्त एनेक्स (Annex) कार्यक्रमलाई ७५ जिल्लामा विस्तार गर्ने।

यो नीतिलाई कार्यान्वयनमा उतार्न आवश्यक पर्ने ऐन र नियमबारे स्पष्ट गरिएको छैन। यसको अलावा ७५ जिल्लामा एनेक्स कार्यक्रम सञ्चालन गर्न चाहिने आवश्यक बजेटको व्यवस्था यकिन गरिएको छैन। एकातिर महत्वाकांक्षी नीति अवलम्बन गर्ने तर अर्कोतिर नीति कार्यान्वयन गर्न चाहिने खास आवश्यकताहरू पूर्ति गर्न नसक्ने जस्ता विरोधाभासहरू नै यस नीतिका मजबुत चुनौतीहरू हुन्।

उदाहरण ६ : उच्च माध्यमिक शिक्षाको कक्षा

११ को परीक्षा उच्च माध्यमिक विद्यालय तहमा गर्ने तथा प्रत्येक निर्वाचन क्षेत्रमा एक उच्च माध्यमिक विद्यालय स्थापना गर्ने।

हालसम्म कक्षा ११ को परीक्षा उच्च माध्यमिक विद्यालय तहमा सञ्चालन गर्न कुनै पहल गरिएको छैन। राष्ट्रिय स्तरमा नै कक्षा ११ को परीक्षा सञ्चालन हुँदै आएको छ। विद्यालय स्तरमा वा राष्ट्रिय स्तरमा कक्षा ११ को परीक्षा सञ्चालन गर्ने विषयमा विवाद रहिरहेकै अवस्था छ। यसले गर्दा कक्षा ११ को परीक्षा विद्यालय स्तरमा गर्ने नीति नै सट्टमा परेको छ। विवाद नसुल्भिएको अवस्थामा नीति तय हुँदा नीति माथि स्वतः चुनौती खडा भएको छ।

यसैगरी प्रत्येक निर्वाचन क्षेत्रमा एक उच्च माध्यमिक विद्यालय स्थापनाको नीति पनि आवश्यक पूर्व आवश्यकता र तयारीको अभावले गर्दा गति लिन सकेको छैन। तसर्थ यो नीतिले स्वभावतः चुनौतीको सामना गर्नु परेको छ।

उदाहरण ७ : प्रवीणता प्रमाणपत्र तहलाई विस्थापन गर्ने।

कक्षा ११ र १२ को उच्च माध्यमिक शिक्षाको व्यवस्था पश्चात् प्रवीणता प्रमाणपत्र स्तरको कुनै औचित्य नहुने सन्दर्भलाई आधाररामानी प्रवीणता प्रमाणपत्र स्तर विस्थापन गर्ने समझदारी सम्बन्धित निकायहरू बीच भएको हो। तर ती निकायहरू बीच नै मतभेद उत्पन्न भएको र उच्च माध्यमिक शिक्षाका निमित्त सरकारी लगानीको स्पष्ट नीति छैन। उच्च माध्यमिक शिक्षा खर्चिलो हुनुका साथै यसमा निजी क्षेत्रको लगानी बाहुल्य रहेकोकोले प्रवीणता प्रमाणपत्रको विस्थापन सट्टमा परेको छ। नीति अवलम्बन र नीति कार्यान्वयन बीच रहेका यस्ता भँडुखालाहरूबाट चुनौती उद्भव भएका छन्।

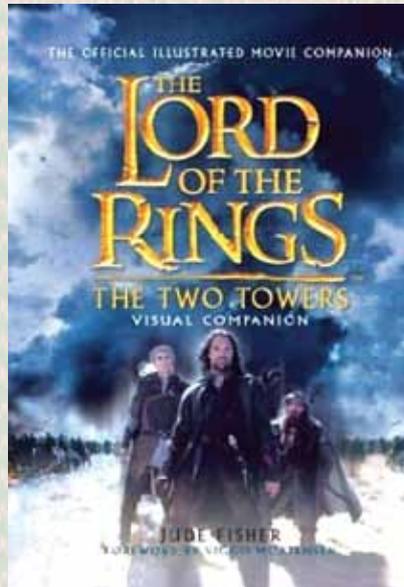
बाँकी अर्को अंकमा.....



The Road to Mordor

An adventure, a voyage for peace in the leaps of war, a journey for happiness in a battle of tragedies and a struggling romance between a mortal and an immortal, is what "Lord of The Rings" is all about. This is a story of an evil Ring craving for its dark master and how the entire race in Middle Earth is afflicted by its unveiling. The book was originally written by a British professor of Oxford, J.R.R. Tolkien during World War II. The trilogy movie "The Lord of the Rings" is entirely based upon Tolkien's books published in three volumes. They are claimed as The Movies of The Decade by many critics. Peter Jackson, co-producer and director of the movies, is preparing to release the prequel "The Hobbit" also based on Tolkien's former work for children, to which most of the crazy LOTR fans, including myself, are highly anticipating.

Our story begins with a surprise party by Bilbo Baggins, a hobbit, who is about to turn one hundred and eleven years old. Frodo, Bilbo's younger cousin shares the same birth date according to the book, and is officially becoming an adult. At the party, as planned beforehand Bilbo suddenly disappears into thin air in the middle of his speech. Taking advice of Gandalf The Grey, a Wizard, he leaves everything he owns to Frodo, but hesitates to part with the magical ring that he found in a cave many years back. After a big discussion with Gandalf, Bilbo finally leaves the ring behind. Gandalf also leaves to find out more about this strange ring and discovers that the ring belongs to the dark Lord Sauron who is about to revive from a long sleep and is searching for the ring everywhere. To get rid of this ring that eventually turns the ring-holder evil, Frodo starts off on a journey with his gardener Sam and his friends Merry and Pippin. These four hobbits fight off Nazguls, the ring wraiths, with the help of Aragorn, who escorts them to Rivendell, house of



Elf-master. A meeting is held to decide the fate of the ring. Elrond appoints the fellowship of the Ring of nine, whose mission is to walk into Mordor and throw the ring in Mount Doom to destroy it.

Each member represents their respective race, the four Hobbits, Gimli from Dwarves race, Legolas representing the Elves, Gandalf The Grey, Aragorn (the last heir to the ruler



of Men) and Boromir representing the Men Of South. Their path is hindered time and again by Saruman, a once wise wizard but now chose to be on the evil side. The Fellowship travels through the extreme deep caves of Moria, where they are attacked by Orcs

and Gandalf sacrifices himself in an attempt to save others. Others manage to escape the cave and approach magical elves of the Luthlorien woodland. They continue their journey through the waters of the Great River Anduin. As they come nearer to the lands of men, Frodo has to make a decision of whether to continue towards Mordor or travel to Gondor and ask help of Men there. At this point, the Orcs under the commands of Saruman make a surprise attack. Boromir fights bravely but fails to survive. Merry and Pippin are tied up and taken hostage by the Orcs, and Frodo and Sam secretly escape away from the scene, to complete the duty assigned to them. Aragorn, Legolas and Gimli pursue the Orcs unsuccessfully, and thus the fellowship falls apart.

This unexpected twist is what brings a greater taste in the rest of the story. The two distinct journeys, each one equally important as the other, begin together. On one side, we find Frodo and Sam trying desperately to fight off hunger and weakness, as the ring grows stronger with every new step towards Mount Doom. On the other side, a last defense against the powers of Sauron and Saruman is being prepared while Aragorn, Gimli and Legolas find themselves trapped in the verge of a great war. More characters arrive into the scene, such as the bold King Théoden, his lovely niece Eowyn and nephew Eomund, the self-centered Lord Denethor, his loyal son Faramir, wise Ent Treebeard, and of course, everyone's favourite, Gollum. The book has a great ending, and the viewers are bound to stay dazzled throughout the whole movies. The movies have great visual effects prior to the time of their productions.. For someone wanting to know the history of The Ring and post war- stages, I recommend reading the book before watching the movie. Nevertheless, Lord of The Ring is one-of-a-kind movie that should not be missed by anyone fond of fantasies and fictions.

