

## Report on Cyber Security and Anti Bullying Campaign

Gyan Mandir Public School is working at its best to make its premises a bully free zone. In the same concern, we are working with Fortis Mental Health Department under the aegis of Dr. Samir Parikh and Ms Guneet Kaur, the project coordinator at GMPS. A lot of activities, workshops and competitions have been conducted to aware the students and parents about bullying and different types of bullying especially Cyber Bullying.

Cyber Bullying is one of the major concerns today. In this tech world, one must be very careful because his/ her private data is not safe anywhere. The privacy and the reputation of an individual is at stake today because of a lot of anti cyber activities going on. Our Bully to Buddy project we are working on also deals with this issue which is a major alarm today.

The students of GMPS put in another effort for this endeavor when the anti-bullying squad of GMPS, conducted a session for the parents on bullying and cyber bullying. This activity was conducted on **Saturday, 6<sup>th</sup> October 2018** during the open day of the school. Many renowned principals and teachers from various other schools of Delhi were also present for this event. The main points discussed in this session included:

- The anti-bullying squad members discussed about the ongoing project “Bully To Buddy” and how this project has helped the students understand to say “NO TO BULLY”.
- The parents were assured that in case their ward faces any problem in or out of the school premises, the management, staff and the anti-bullying squad will be there to provide all kind of support to the child.
- The students also talked about how the parents or their children are not safe online.
- They discussed various anti-social activities going in and out of the school and online which can distress their children.
- The session aimed to educate everyone present there about various anti cyber activities and what all protocols they should follow while being online.
- It was a joint venture to prevent Bullying and Cyber Bullying.
- There were a lot of enthusiastic parents who wanted to know about the Cyber World and its pros and cons and how one can be safe online.
- The students also explained to the parents the importance of having a trust on their children. It is the strong bond between the parents and the child that helps the children open with their parents and discuss any kind of issues that is troubling them.

The efforts of the students were well appreciated by one and all. There were **more than 400 parents** who cleared their queries from the students and went home with a positive thinking about the cyber world.

Ms Guneet Kaur  
Project Coordinator

Ms. Sumati Anand  
Principal