DDMS (AMS) P.OBUL REDDY PUBLIC SCHOOL

Cleanliness Drive for Swachch Bharat – Swachhata Pakhwada

Recognizing the role of schools in spreading awareness about cleanliness, sanitation and hygiene across the country, the government has introduced Swachhta Pakhwada, a cleanliness drive for students.



As per the initiative taken by the CBSE, the whole

school unitedly participated in this drive which was a fortnight awareness program.



The Students and Staff of DDMS P. Obul Reddy Public School, Jubilee Hills, administered the Swachhata Pledge in the school premises. An oath was taken to maintain cleanliness all around and to achieve the objective of attaining

clean surroundings, a clean country and

a clean world. The initiative was undertaken in order to encourage the students develop a sense of responsibility in cleaning and protecting the environment for the betterment of the society. In the current times of global pandemic, it was





ensured that the pledge was made available to the students attending classes physically and online mode. This innovative intervention has enabled the students to take the Swachhata Pledge while observing COVID-19 protocols. A PPT was shown to children on Swachh Bharat Mission and the activities taken up by school to promote the cleanliness drive.



Hand Wash Day was celebrated on 8th September 2021 under **Swachhta Pakhwada** to create awareness on the need for proper hand wash in daily life. Children were taught the importance of Hand wash.



Rhymes, stories, and a small skit on hand wash were shared. Children had hands on experience through an activity on hand wash. Children enjoyed doing the experiment, listening to the story; reciting rhymes, participated enthusiastically in the skit and took the pledge.







PPT's were presented on Hand-Wash Day and some of the students spoke about the importance of cleanliness A special assembly was also conducted on 8th September on Hand Wash Day.

This unprecedented time provides a unique impetus to institutionalize hand hygiene as a fundamental component of health and safety.







