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Dear Parents and Students,

We are elated to inform you that the Bal Bharati Public School, IMT Manesar is conducting a **Public Speaking & Model United Nations (MUN) Training Programme** in association with The DAIS – an organization based in Delhi with a vision to empower people towards a better life. The workshops will be conducted for classes 9<sup>th</sup> & 11<sup>th</sup> from 17<sup>th</sup> – 19<sup>th</sup> August 2023 followed by an Intra MUN on 21<sup>st</sup> August 2023. Prior to this, a virtual orientation session is scheduled on 22<sup>nd</sup> July 2023.

### **Description of the MUN Activities:**

Model United Nations (MUN) is an academic simulation of the United Nations where students play the role of delegates from different countries. MUN aims to bring out the best of real-life skills in the participants such as diplomacy, effective communication, negotiation, oratory skills etc. by finding an optimal solution to the many multifaceted problems that affect humanity. With each participant representing a country, we discuss the real-world issues that humanity now faces; and attempt to solve them with policies and perspectives of their assigned nation.

### **Topics Discussed during the workshop:**

1. Introduction to the United Nations & Sustainable Development Goals
2. Introduction to Model UN
3. Debate in the Model UN - Moderated & Unmoderated Caucus
4. Rules of Procedure in Model UN
5. Research and Preparation Methods
6. Understanding Foreign Policy
7. Drafting Solutions: Working Paper, Resolution Process
8. Mock Session of Model UN

### **Activities on the final day:**

Topic: Promoting Gender Equality at all levels of Governance

1. General Speakers' List
2. Moderated Caucus
3. Unmoderated Caucus
4. Working Paper Writing

**Online Session:**

The online session will take place on zoom for 2 hours with the key objective of helping students understand the purpose, benefits of Model UN, the flow of the session and ways in which they can prepare prior to the sessions for effective participation. All the queries of the students will also be taken up during the session.

**Offline Session:**

The workshops will focus on building an understanding of Model UN with a vision of building leadership, collaboration, critical thinking, public speaking, research skills in students as well the knowledge about United Nations and its functioning. The workshops will see interactive discussions on several themes related to global and local challenges related to development, peace, equality and various roles of country representatives will be allotted to students to research about those issues in their allotted country. The students will be presenting their findings as well as proposing solutions to the problems.

Regards

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