

## **MESSAGE FROM THE DIRECTOR**

Dear Readers,

I bring warm greetings from Rajeshwari Karuna School Tuli. We are very privileged to bring you the first edition of Rajeshwari Karuna School half yearly newsletter. This newsletter is to bring day to day activities and scope of RKS to all the parents, well wishers and readers. We will make sure to entertain all the readers with creative writings and expressions of various views on education and its impact in the region and around the world. This will also serve as a platform for all the subscribers to bring about and also express personal views in the newsletter. Most of the High Schools don't practice the publication of newsletter except for colleges and universities however, the RKS will bridge the gap in tapping great potential amongst the young mind and people alike to the world through this newsletter.

I request all the readers to kindly subscribe to this newsletter which will be delivered to you personally twice in a year.

Regards, Subonenba Longkumer Director, RKS Tuli



# **KEY TO SUCCESS**

Akumtola (Class: 7)

Everyone in this world have better and greater dreams for their lives. This is the main situation where people want to succeed and live a happy life. Your dream cannot be successful without your hard work and sincerity. Here are some of the best keys to succeed in our lives:

Determination: It is both a firmness of purpose and willingness to work increasingly towards that purpose in spite of any obstacles, difficulties or failures along the way.

Passion: No one not even the determined can grim and bare it for 24 hours without passion to practice something, unabated , day in and day out for the years or decades necessary to reach 24 hours is impossible unless you are passionate about the thing you are practicing.

Discipline: Even when you're passionate about what you are doing, there are still going to be times when you simply don't feel like practicing /training/writing/ playing etc. You won't always be in the mood. But you can let that stop you. This is where you need to be disciplined.

You must work hard to be great, harder probably than you ever imagined. But you must also not be so naive as to call yourself self-made. If you're lucky, be thankful. Then get to work.



# SOME OF THE ACTIVITIES OF RKS

#### **INTERNATIONAL PLASTIC DAY**

Poster making competition was held virtually to commemorate the occasion on 3rd July where students made posters on how to eliminate the use of single use plastic bags.



**TEACHERS' DAY** 

On the special occasion, the students surprised the teachers by sending e- cards, acrostic poem and self-composed poems, and thank you wishes on personal windows and social media platform.



### STUDENT TEACHER ONE DAY GET-TOGETHER

On 29th August 2020, teachers stationed at different areas had a get together with the students from the particular area and interacted with the students.



#### LITERARY DAY

Due to the ongoing pandemic Literary Day was held on 19th September 2020 where the students participated virtually. The programs witnessed an array of multiactivities such as singing, reading and composing poem, drawing, cursive writing, essay writing, story writing and story review.



#### **WORLD ENVIRONMENT DAY**

Rajeshwari Karuna School Tuli, together with the world, observed the world environment day on 5th June 2020, with the theme 'Celebrating Biodiversity'. Events such as drawing competition and essay writing competition were conducted. Students were also given an activity; to plant a sapling at home and send pictures of their activity.



#### FEEDBACK ON RK SCHOOL

Wapangnaro (Cl. 9) - RK School is not a school but more like a family. The students and the teachers have a strong bond. I thank all my teachers and Director for putting so much of effort and reopening the school with better opportunity.

Jongshinaro (Cl. 9) - RKS is a heartwarming school, which is full of wonderful facilities that children need, especially when it comes to education. 6 years experience here has taught me how to stretch my brain through co-curricular and other physical activities. This school has provided what is best for the students and teachers as well. Teachings are easily understood by the students without a single doubt. Students are equally loved and cared by the teachers. Therefore, RK School has the best form of education where children are left free to explore.

Achong (Cl. 9) - The school has lots of facilities. The students are able to share their feelings or ideas and thoughts with the teachers as the teachers are more like family yet the teachers keep the school and students in control and discipline.

#### **MY POSITIVE OUTCOME DURING LOCKDOWN**

Atula Phom (Cl. 9) - I learnt so many things about the household chores. I helped my parents in so many works which I could not help in other days.

Aomaken (Cl. 9) - Helping my parents in household chores and learning online classes, improving my handwriting and spending time with my family.

Arozen (Cl. 9) - I got more in touch with my family and God and improved my drawing skills and learnt in agricultural field.

#### **ONLINE CLASSES**

Longjenjang (Cl. 9) - Online classes are fine but taking the class physically gives out a totally different vibe. I guess I could call it satisfying. All I'm saying is that classes feel better with friends together in one room.



#### TEACHERS' POINT OF EXPRESSION

Mr. Viphrezo Lese - I have had several experiences teaching through online alone with the rest of the teachers. Despite the network and connectivity issues trying to reach out all the students is a great challenge. Keeping in mind with the fact that 'life is full of experiences', I enjoyed online teaching.

Miss Imlisangla - Any kind of changes is hard to start because it involves intellect. We need to sweat, to bleed, to fight daily and finding motivation to work on. Good intentions and a lot of faith helped me preserved and kept learning and working hard towards making it. Thank God, I couldn't be more blessed.





Mr. Moatoshi - Teaching during this pandemic for me has proven to be extremely challenging from getting adapted to technology, to the increase in working hours, but they're the enjoyable kind. I feel I have become a better teacher through doing this. This pandemic has radically changed the concept of traditional educa-



tion in the past few months and proved that virtual learning will be the new future system of education as technology was just considered as a means of entertainment.

#### PARENTS' EXPRESSION NOTE

N. Tainla Longkumer - At this hour of pandemic, I as a parent really appreciate the efforts of the school teachers, the students and not forgetting the parents for the hardship in adopting with the new way of learning in the form of online classes. I give thumbs up as I believe learning a little bit everyday is far better than learning nothing at all until we are back to normal again. God bless RKS Tuli.



#### Mr. Pangertoshi - ONLINE CLASSES

Merit for parents: Parents/Guardians as a whole have drawn to the lime light, rushing towards the holistic approach of education. Demerit for parents:

1. Unable to give time to the children while conducting online classes adequately.

2. Hard to manage more than one child at a time. 3. Complacency of parents/guardians/children due to non-physical presence of teachers.

Rev. Beau Pastor - In such a time, teachers and students are home in fear of pandemic infection. But I am so proud of RKS Tuli, Director, Principal and teachers how they have come forward to stay in the campus and rendered sacrificial service in teaching and facilitating our students through Zoom classes for the better future of our students.





"Hope Alive", a campaign to honour and pay tribute to all the frontline workers for their unprecedented and selfless sacrifices was organized by CECS in the month of April. The campaign called upon all the student communities, children and adults to draw a rainbow with a message for the Frontline Workers and click a photo holding the drawing and post it on social media. The campaign received a very enthusiastic response with drawings and messages from children and adults from all around the State and even outside. Among the multiple entries, three entries were selected for the best drawing and message, namely, The Elites of Class 10 from Mount Mary Hr. Sec. School Chumukedima, Kaurinta Namgumpi and Wameken Bakes.



#### XSEED EDUCATION :TRANSFORMING ELEMENTARY EDUCATION "THE UNAFRAID CHILD WILL COMPETE IN THE 21ST CENTURY"

Ashish Rajpal, an alumnus of the Harvard Graduate School of Education is the brain behind the XSEED Education. The XSEED System is an integrated curriculum, teacher training, and assessment program for K-8 School and out of school education. XSEED replaces a knowledge- transmission or "teaching as telling" approach with an inquiry-based, constructivist approach that use hands-on activities, followed by reflection and feedback.

A recent analysis has proved that XSEED students have stronger communication and language skills, developing original point of view, confidence and independent writing skills. The XSEED curriculum includes higher order thinking questions, independent reading time, and Open discussion in the classroom.

The XSEED School Learning Program replaces "rote" and "teacher talk" led classroom instruction with a five- step child –centered learning process. Visible benefits of the program are curiosity, confidence, the ability to reflect, and higher- order thinking skills in the children.



WORD SEARCH	DID YOU KNOW? • It can take a photon 40,000 years to travel from the core of the sun to
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