

## MATA JAI KAUR PUBLIC SCHOOL Ashok Vihar, Phase-III, New Delhi – 110052

## Dear Parents

We would like to invite the students of Grades IX to XII to join the "International Award for Young People (IAYP)" formerly known as "The Duke of Edinburgh's Award".

## About IAYP

The Duke of Edinburgh's Award is the world's leading achievement award for young people. It is voluntary, noncompetitive and available to anyone aged 14-24. Young people design their own Award programme, set their own goals and record their own progress. The only person they compete against is themselves, by challenging their own beliefs about what they can achieve.

Enrollment for this programme is voluntary and is not a binding on any student. The school will guide and facilitate all students who enroll for this Award programme.

IAYP today	<b>Operational Principle</b>	3 Levels
Presence in over 130 countries	Age range: 14 -25 years	Bronze
Recognition and respective medal	Balanced Programme of 4 mandatory sections :	Silver
with a certificate.	Physical Recreation, Skills, Service and	~~~~
Certificate highly prized by	Expeditions	Gold
admission officers world over	Experiions	

The Award has four sections designed to provide a balanced programme of personal development. These sections are:

- a. Service: which aims to understand the value of giving service to others and their community.
- b. Skills: encouraging development of personal interests, creativity or practical skills.
- c. Physical recreation: encouraging participation in sport and other physical recreation for the improvement of health and fitness.
- d. Adventure Journey: encouraging a spirit of adventure and discovery whilst undertaking a journey in a group.

There is an additional requirement to complete a Residential Project to successfully complete the Gold Level. The details for the Adventure Journey and the residential project are awaited in the light of the pandemic. However, changes have been made to the programme to ensure students can work on it while they are at home.

As the Award is a programme of individual challenge, participants are encouraged to work at their own pace. However, on average, participants should be spending at least one hour per week on their chosen activity. The Award cannot be achieved in a shorter time span by working more intensely; the objective is to develop a sense of commitment to a given task over time. Participants must persist for at least these minimum periods:

LEVEL	Minimum Period of Participation by		
	Direct entrants	Award holders	
BRONZE	6 months	Not Applicable	
SILVER	12 months	6 months (if Bronze holder)	
GOLD	18 months	12 months (if Silver holder)	

To know more about the award and explore activities that can be undertaken, you can also visit the IAYP website <u>www.iayp.in</u>.

## The following are the steps to register for the programme:

- 1. Download the Parent Consent Form using the link provided https://drive.google.com/file/d/1p-jW\_Tvu5YixZU-a9NIQA5b4TuL4O\_12/view?usp=sharing
- 2. Email the parent consent form to the Award Leader at **counsellor@mjkpsdelhi.com**
- 3. Participants Registration fees is Rs. 1000/- for Bronze and Silver level of Award and Rs 1500/- for the Gold Level.
  - This can be made payable to the 'Award Programme Foundation' by either
  - **a.** Online payment by using this link for direct payments <u>https://www.eventavenue.com/bookingengine/EVT8453</u>
  - **b.** Visit the Award Programme Foundation's website www.iayp.in go to Pay Online portal.
  - **c.** Through bank transfer
    - Bank Details of the foundation are as follows
      - A/C Name: Award Programme Foundation
      - $\circ \quad \text{State Bank of India} \\$
      - o A/c No.-31087607526
      - o Branch: Asian Games Village Branch, New Delhi
      - IFSC No.-SBIN0007407
- 4. Once the payment has been made, please fill the Google form using the link provided https://docs.google.com/forms/d/12xJle\_7FONAbdiN-gHLAcVhWm-AuIZV-LkwaKWjnvGU/edit
- 5. This will be followed by registering the student online on onlinerecordbook.org, by the award leader.
- 6. You will receive an email for confirmation of the same.

In case, there are any queries regarding the award, you can connect with the School Counsellor (IAYP Coordinator) at <u>counsellor@mjkpsdelhi.com</u>.

Best Wishes

Rashmi Mehta Principal