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A popular quote states that "Education is the key to the future, for tomorrow belongs to those who prepare for it today!" It is a timeless custom to pause and reflect on the past year, celebrating both the anticipated and the unforeseen achievements, while also setting new goals to propel ourselves forward to confront the upcoming challenges with optimism. We express gratitude to the Almighty for the continual blessings we receive year after year.

Sirajul Huda English Medium School, Meppayur has been stepping from success to success all through the years since its humble beginning in 2003 and the past year has been no exception. We have done excellently in academics and non-academic areas.

# Reopening

The academic year 2023-24 commenced on June 1<sup>st</sup> Thursday, extended a warm welcome by principal, manager, and teachers to all the students to the campus. A joyous atmosphere awaited the students as a special assembly was organized for their arrival, it is completed with the distribution of greeting cards and sweets.

On June 10, a special initiation ceremony took place at the school conference hall to welcome the newly enrolled students. The founder and general manager, PM Abdurrahiman Musaliar, Perode, led the ceremony.

### Academic Excellence

Achieving Academic Excellence involves mastering the art through training and habituation. The educational approach at Sirajul Huda combines theoretical and practical experience to create a well-rounded curriculum. Beyond traditional classroom learning, competitions and academic events promote a competitive spirit and enhance students' communication skills. These activities take place at the classroom, school level and inter-house levels.

We are once again filled with pride by the outstanding CBSE class 10th result. I am honored to announce that we achieved a 100% pass rate for the academic year 2022-23. Among our students, 4 achieved distinctions, 8 achieved first-class and 1 achieved second class.

### Parents' and Teachers' Association:

A General Body Meeting of parents is held on a regular basis and new members of the PTA were nominated for the year 2023-24. Since then, PTA meetings have been arranged periodically, the PTA members of our school are closely involved in most

academic activities. We thank and congratulate them for their support and cooperation through the years.

## Training, Seminars, Orientation and Counselling:

Every year, teachers and students participate in training, seminars, and orientation programs aimed at enhancing teaching methods and advancing student learning. Our teachers have participated in various in-house orientations as well as seminars and webinars hosted by CBSE Center of Excellence. These programs aim to equip educators with innovative teaching ideas and elevate students' learning beyond their current level.

### Co-curricular and Extracurricular activities:

These are the essential part of the life of an educational institution as they strengthen the classroom learning as well as develop the personality of the child and harness the in-depth potential of students. The activities are conducted throughout the year.

### Arts Fest (Ablaze'23):

Arts fest was two days programme, conducted on October 9 and 10. It displayed a dynamic exhibition of student creativity and talent. A wide range of artistic fields, such as drawing, painting, crafts, essay and poetry writing, public speaking, storytelling, and singing, were represented. The event not only allowed students to showcase their individuality but also emphasized the importance of collaboration, discipline, and achievement. The arts festival effectively cultivated an atmosphere of respect for the arts and inspired students to delve into and cultivate their creative abilities.

### **Games and Sports Competitions:**

When students are in good physical condition, they will excel in their academic pursuits. Participating in games and sports fosters a sense of camaraderie among children and fosters their teamwork abilities. This helps children to develop both mental and physical strength. With this in mind, the school offers ample opportunities for students to engage in regular exercise, yoga, mass physical training, and to participate in various sports and games. Numerous students have taken part in a range of events such as athletics, field events, badminton, football, volleyball, cricket, chess, karate, skating, and have achieved recognition at the school and interschool level.

### Important days celebrations:

To foster national integration, international understanding, religious and cultural awareness and tolerance, various national, religious and cultural festivals and occasions were celebrated with due pomp and grandeur.

**National Festivals:** National Festivals, such as Independence Day and Republic Day, were celebrated with enthusiasm at the school. The principal hoisted the flag and

organized a variety of programs including a special message, speeches, patriotic songs, a parade, fancy dress, drawing, essay writing, and flag making. Both the staff and the students participated in these events, making them colourful and memorable.

**School Celebrations:** School Investiture Ceremony was held to honour the elected students and assign them with various responsibilities to help foster their leadership skills. The event was inaugurated by Mr. K P Rajan, the President of Meppayur Panchayath, who also provided guidance to all the elected members.

**Other Celebrations:** The school gives due recognition to significant regional, national and international events and celebrate these days. Some of these events are Environment Day, Reader's Day, International Day of Yoga, Chandrayan day, Hiroshima day, national sports day, teacher's day, international literacy day, Hindi diwas, ozone day, world postal day, students' day, Kerala piravi, Childrens day, national pollution day, Human Rights Day, national maths day, international women's day, water day etc

#### **Inter School Arts and Sports Competitions**

Selected students of school-level sports and arts events also got an opportunity to compete in the inter-school fest organized by schools under Sirajul Huda Educational Complex at Darul Huda English Medium School, Nadapuram. Our students excelled in various categories, securing first, second, and third prizes. The teachers' hard work contributed to these achievements.

As I bring this to a close, I want to ensure that despite our students' participation in a range of co-curricular and life skill activities, academic achievement remains the foremost concern. Throughout the year, remedial teaching, additional classes, revisions, unit tests, class tests, assignments, project work, and end-of-term exams have kept them occupied. I am grateful to our Management, our teaching and non-teaching staff, and my students and parents for their unwavering support and cooperation in all of our endeavours. With this, I complete the report.

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