## PEEKING INTO THE WORLD OF BOOKS AND LITERATURE

"The habit of reading is the only enjoyment in which there is no alloy; it lasts when all other pleasures fade."

Under the mentorship of the Chairperson, Dr. (Mrs.)Amita Chauhan ,Amity International School, Sec 46 Gurgaon organized a Reading Mahotsava week, who firmly believes in the thought that "Not all readers are leaders, but all leaders are readers". To inculcate reading habits among the students. several competitions and activities were organized which included making comic strips, an Inter-house literary quiz, Role Play, Badge Making, a book jacket making activity, crossword puzzle competition, collage making, Designing of Book Covers, etc. To engage the children with the latest publications, a Book Fair was also organized in the school.

The school organized a felicitation ceremony to award the winners of the competitions. The chief guest Ms. Rupa Gupta, a very well known author was invited to present the students with the prizes. The event started with the auspicious and traditional lighting of the lamp followed by showcasing the journey of books that is development from the reed papyrus to the current e-books. The children also got a chance to be a part of various reading sessions with the renowned authors like Dr. Ved Prakash Pandey, Sh. Vivek Kundu, Mrs. Rupa Gupta, Sh. K.K. Verma during the mahotsava week. The enthusiastic Principal, Ms. Arti Chopra enlightened the gathering with her stirring words which was followed by a folk dance of Rajasthan-Kalbalia and Bharatnatyam dance. The event concluded with the school song followed by the national anthem.



