



RIDGE VALLEY SCHOOL

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SEWA (SOCIAL EMPOWERMENT THROUGH WORK EDUCATION AND ACTION)

Dear Parents (Grades IX and X),

Greetings!

SEWA (Social Empowerment through Work Education and Action) is a part of school curriculum. It provides students with the opportunity to impact their community/environment through service and action. It is mandatory for all students of Grades IX and X. This is an essential requirement by CBSE. Please note the following for Term I.

Topic the students have to work on:

SDG: Environment

Environmental protection is one of the basic prerequisites for the overall development of any country in the world. It is arguable that the environmental protection is worth for fight due to the several reasons.

Taking forward this SDG at school level we feel it is a good opportunity for the students to contribute their bit to the environment and spread awareness through SEWA activities.

- a) Making posters, writing poems, articles, slogans, songs and connecting and appealing the society to come together to fight against the environmental degradation.
- b) Spreading awareness through videos created by them and uploading it on social media.
- c) Putting up a musical performance, play or mono act online to spread awareness about do's and don'ts for the environment protection and show how together we can move to a better world.
- d) Nukkad Natak to create awareness among people in local community regarding environmental issues: work in collaboration with peers (Group Activity)
- e) Using online platform to give basic education to underprivileged kids and helping them understand the importance of environment protection.
- f) **Other than these suggested activities any other activity that a child feels can benefit the society by protecting the environment can be taken by him/her.**

Please note students can also take up the SEWA project in **integration of subject enrichment activity or subject project of Science, Social Science or Home Science** relating to the aspects of the Environment.

School will also be conducting community outreach programs as per the school calendar. Attendance in these sessions is mandatory and will be included under SEWA hours.

At the end of the SEWA project students are expected to submit:

- a) Their reflection in around 100 words.
- b) Report of their work in the forms uploaded on ERP as SEWA forms.
- c) **Letter of Volunteering work experience-** Issued by the organization in case they work in participation with any organisation.
- d) In case of self -designed /organized project – **Photographs, screenshots, link to the social media where the work is uploaded as proof of the activities conducted.**
- e) **Work of students is Graded on a 5 point scale and the grades will be reflected in their report card (Grade X in board exam mark sheet).**
- f) The project has to be taken over the course of two weeks (Students have to cover minimum 15 hours in this activity).

Please feel free to connect with Ms Rakhi Srivastava rakhi.s@ridgevalleyschool.org teacher in charge for any queries.

Regards
Team RVS