

The Power of Words: The Grade V Inter-house Debate Competition

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S.B. Patil Public School successfully organised the Inter-House Debate Competition for the students of Grade V, providing young learners with an enriching platform to develop their communication, critical thinking, and public speaking skills. The competition aimed to nurture confident speakers while encouraging students to express their ideas with clarity, logic, and respect for differing opinions.

As part of the preparation, the English Department introduced students to the fundamentals of debating through an educational video shown during English periods. A preliminary screening round was subsequently conducted by the class teachers, with participants competing house-wise to identify the most promising speakers. The selected students then underwent a focused training session conducted by Ms. Swaleha Mujawar, who guided them in building persuasive arguments, improving their stage presence, and presenting their viewpoints with confidence and conviction.



The grand finale witnessed an engaging contest between Green House and Yellow House, with both teams displaying remarkable confidence, teamwork, and well-structured arguments. The participants impressed the audience and judges alike with their eloquence, critical thinking, and ability to present and defend their perspectives while listening respectfully to opposing viewpoints.

After a closely contested finale, Green House emerged as the Winners, while Yellow House secured the position of Runners-up. The winning team comprised Mahi Patil, Swara Pawar, Renuka Chaudhari, Siya Vikas Mahajan, Swara Dhoot, Manadha Choudhari, and Aaryan Chanchal Dhande. Representing the Runners-up team, Yellow House included Aadhira Mashale, Anvi Shelke, Priyanshi Pal, Swaroop Sandeep Patel, Raghav Patil, Advita Wani, and Archit Milind Bhosale.



The Inter-House Debate Competition proved to be an inspiring learning experience, encouraging students to think critically, communicate effectively, collaborate with their peers, and appreciate diverse perspectives. S.B. Patil Public School congratulates all the participants, the winning and runner-up teams, and extends its appreciation to the teachers and mentors whose guidance made the event a resounding success.