

GD Goenka students felicitated

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Thirty-six school students were conferred the first Tiranga Badge Awards at a ceremony at Bal Bhawan, New Delhi, for social service. Instituted by the Flag Foundation of India, they were given to students in the age group of 12-20 who have contributed to the welfare of schools, colleges, society, city or the country. The award ceremony started with an introduction by Shalu Jindal, the chairperson of National Bal Bhawan, followed by the distribution of awards and concluded with a vote of thanks by Malvika Halwasia, convenor of the Tiranga Badge Awards. Among the awardees were students from Delhi NCR. Two of the Goenka IAYP groups, Earth Tomorrow (Surya Pahal, Srivatsan Ramesh, Sakshi Bhargawa, Ananya Vidyarthi and Nirvaan Garg) and Spread Colours (Harveer Juncja, Annant, Sncha, Ranjit, Arjun, Akash, Aishvarya, Hitakshi, Jayraj and Atul), were awarded the prestigious Tiranga Award. Fifteen MSP students along with the school IAYP coordinator, Vijayashree Pahal and the school bronze level award leader, Jinas Panicker, interacted with Shalu Jindal. She was impressed by the community service projects undertaken by the Goenka IAYP participants. The principal, Dr Neeta Bali encouraged the students.