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**INDEPENDENCE DAY (SECONDARY)
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INDEPENDENCE DAY



"Freedom has its life in the hearts the actions, the spirit of men and so it must be daily earned and refreshed else like a flower cut from its life-giving roots it will either and die"

The word "Independence Day" gives us light about patriotism. It was a red letter day in the history of India when the country got its freedom on 15th August 1947. It took hundred years for us to break shackles of slavery. People of the country celebrate this festival every year with great pomp and show. The main programme is at the Red Fort in New Delhi. Besides, this festival is celebrated in every city and town in schools, colleges and in universities. Our Bilal School also celebrates this national festival every year. So it is not only a day just on 15th August. Because the preparation of this auspicious day is done with great enthusiasm including all staff and students to bring the outcome of perfect practice. Everyone has been involved for the preparation. Especially students who are putting their great efforts by practicing mass drill and some of them are enhancing their speeches so they can deliver it with great patriotism. Teachers randomly taking charge to excel students for their mass drill.

Students and teachers have great rapport in between them to represent their program in front of our honourable chief guest Mr. Kalim Siddiqui and also to erupt their patriotism.

After their great practice and continuous mocking of the program, Our Principal sir finalised it and also tried to mould it in the proper path. So the team work goes better and also the program may flourish conspicuously. Well great people have advised.

"True Independence and freedom. Can only exist in doing what's right"

Yes the day has arrived after attempting hard work of the team work. Its time to show our grip and suppleness of our preparation from our school.

Our school had been decorated into tricolour concept. Everywhere the charts were displayed which consist of patriotic thoughts and the work of great fighters. Our school ground was filled with students, teachers and office staff who were dealing with flag hoisting decoration. They also displayed the banner of our school. Our Principal sir and Chairman were busy dealing with the activities and about to welcome the chief guest. Some teachers were assigned the duties to look after the refreshments. Our talented students presented handmade greetings cards and tri colour flags, badges to the senior management function areas of the school.

"Freedom in the mind, faith in the words, pride in our soul. Let's salute the nation."

All our students and teachers and non-teaching staff acknowledging this national festival to cultivate a sense of belongingness and attachments with our mother country. They are witnessing to appreciate the sacrifices of our ancestors. The colourful program started with an opening, to welcome our honourable chief guest along with the students performing March pass to welcome them with bouquet of flowers as a great token of love and honour. Then starting the program with the blend of religious feeling a student recited surah along with the Naat. Later the students of different class marched passed according to the rolling of the drum which was enough to give goose bumps. The campus was filled by the aura of the patriotism all around as the patriotic songs were played in the background by the students.

Then our honourable chief guest Principal sir and Chairman sir accompanied together and hoisted the flag sharp at 8:30am along with national anthem and every one saluting the National flag creating a different ambience in the premises.

After having such an authentic flag hoisting, students were enthusiastic to spur their speech. Students for higher secondary gave speech on the Independence day by reminding us our history of independent India. The students had delivered such a conspicuous speech.

Then to elaborate the program with more patriotic environment one of the maulana had given religious speech by inculcating the importance of freedom and how to respect the word freedom, independence and sacrifices of freedom fighters. Through religious purpose how can we serve genuinely to our country? By engrossing our ethics and mannerism. Not only the students but also the teachers and the non-teaching staff showed

their good behaviour and mannerism. So we can pass the proper trend to the next generation.

Later our secondary students had presented the group play on freedom which included how the youth of India should focus on and take pledge on certain points to create awareness among the youth about the importance of freedom. The points are as follows:

- 1) Let us together pledge towards a clean India.
- 2) Let us together pledge towards a poverty free India by educating the children.
- 3) Pledge for the corruption free India.
- 4) Pledge for a terrorism free India
- 5) Pledge towards a communalism free India
- 6) Pledge towards a Casteism free India

After such a wonderful play which enroll us towards the awareness for "Youth of India" then our primary section students recited naat, patriotic poems.

At the end the Principal sir requested the chief guest to come on the stage and commence few words. The chief guest gave an elegant speech by encouraging our students to present such an authentic and innumerable program which created s patriotic environment along with the awareness of our duties. The chief guest was impressed with the act performed by secondary students "Youth of India"

He requested that he would like to invite our students in one of his charitable function to perform.

Next our honourable Principal sir delivered the short speech. He inspired us about the supreme sacrifice of the great martyrs who gave their lives for the sake of freedom. He also introduced in his speech the importance of freedom which is very precious and it is necessary to preserve it. The Independence Day has a great importance in every citizen's life. This day tells us that freedom is very essential. Citizens must do everything to ensure that it shall not be endangered. Many more people came and spoke about the significance of this historic day. They advised the students to become ideal citizens of the country.

The program ends by a march pass where the Chief guest, Principal sir and the Chairman dispersed. Later all the teachers and students also dispersed.

The program of Independence Day has not yet over. Our honourable

chairman have organised various refreshments which had been distributed in proper manner and ethics following the pattern of Sunnah of eating. Students played a vital role in serving the refreshment to our chief guest, chairman and our principal along with the guidance of teachers. Then both teaching and non-teaching staff as well as students had the refreshments. And that was the end of our program. But it overall reflected the unity in diversity, patriotism and humanity among Bilal School members.

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