

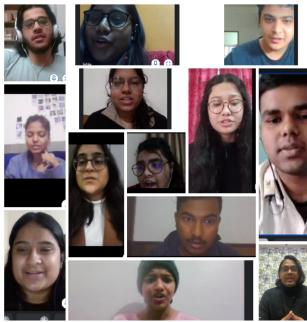
## ABHIVYAKTI: THE ENGLISH CREATIVE WRITING SOCIETY Report 2021-22

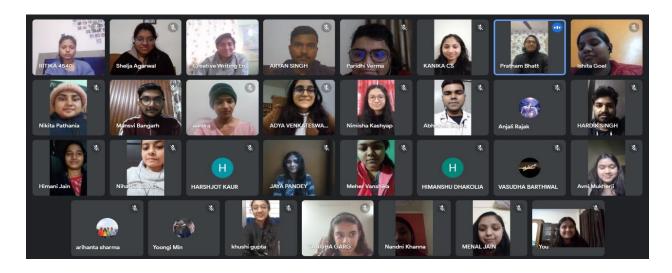
Words are windows to the soul. With this spirit & motto, the soulful beginning of the new session of **Abhivyakti**: **The English Creative Writing Society** happened with appointment of the new soul, the torch bearers of the society for the session 2021-22. Under the able guidance of Dr. Prerna Malhotra the convenor of the society, Abhivyakti English excelled in the 1st year of its making. Pratham Bhatt was appointed President, Aardra Surendran Vice President, Vasudha Barthwal Secretary, Shreya Nayak Social Media Head, Menal Jain Content Head & Khushi Gupta the Editor of the society. Even though the session went partially online the society managed to fulfill its true purpose. The members selected got ample opportunities to learn as well as showcase their talent. The society also organized various competitions throughout the year not only for the society members but also on Inter College level.

The 1st ever event conducted by society on Sunday 9th January 2022, was the first edition of **'ESPRIMAS'**, an open-mic event that was conducted virtually. A total of 40 participants became a part of the soulful event.

Shreya Nayak gave the event an enthusiastic start by addressing the participants & tied up the event with great zeal. Vasudha Barthwal presented and recited her piece to give the event a good head start and motivate the participants. This was followed by the participants presenting their beautiful pieces. Pratham Bhatt also narrated his piece. Each and every performer articulated their writings in such a way that it kept the audience enraptured and spellbound. All the budding writers were lauded by the audience in the comments section. The event broke off on a positive note with a vote of thanks.



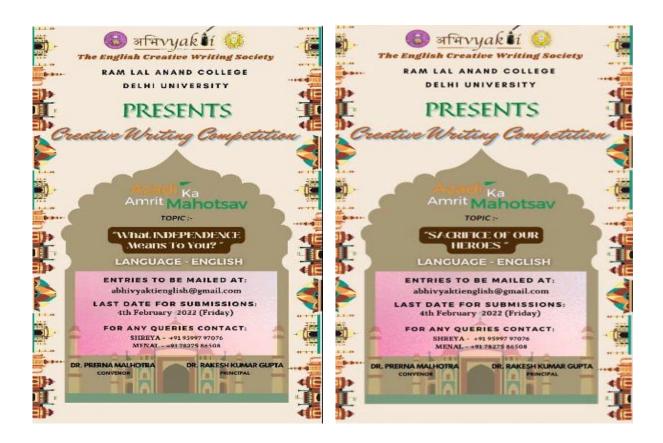




In the month of February the society conducted two events simultaneously. Both of which were organized as part of 'Azadi Ka Amrut Mahotsav'. The first event conducted was an Intra-College event under the theme 'What Independence Means To You'. The aim of the event was to invoke patriotism and the mind to question if Independence only meant what we've been studying about in our history books. Submissions were taken via mail and each of the 70 entries was an honor to read. Ayush was awarded the 1st position for his beautiful piece, Sohagini Roy bagged the 2nd position & Sanjana the 3rd position. The winners were awarded certificates of excellence for their inspiring work.

The second event was an Intra-Society Event. The theme for this event was 'Sacrifice of our Heroes'. This event was an attempt to keep the new society members engaged during the tiresome online mode of learning alongside testing their ability to articulate thoughts into a beautiful yet soulful spiral of words. All the entries were worth the read.

All the society members except for the council participated in the event and Jaya Pandey, Anaaya & Shelja were awarded the 1st, 2nd & 3rd positions respectively.



In the month of April the society conducted a two day Inter-University Competition **'ENCIENDELO'** on 9th & 10th April. It was a fan fiction writing competition but with a twist. It was conducted in 2 rounds. **Round 1, Historia** wherein each participant had to build up a story by using characters from different universes & genres belonging to different movies, stories or books. Out of 80 entries, only 10 entries proceeded to **Round 2, Revelio** which was the actual store of surprise. Here the participants' pieces were exchanged and they had to continue the other person's story with the theme they were given in Round 1. Out of the top 10, Anvesha from Keshav Mahaviyalaya bagged the 1st position, Rishita from Sri Venkateshwara College 2nd & Roshani from Swami Shraddhanand College 3rd.





The last event for the session was a **Slum Event** conducted on 16th April. In this event the society members and volunteers from college went to the slum and conducted a Drawing Competition for the children of the slum. More than 150 children participated in this. Beautiful art works were presented by young talents and for that they were given exciting prizes & refreshments.











