



FELICITATION CEREMONY 2019-2020

St. Xavier's Felicitation for Exemplary School Toppers

St. Xavier's School Bathinda, celebrated its Annual Felicitation Ceremony on 25th of January 2021 to recognise the hard-work and commitment of the students. Advocate **Lakhinder Deep Singh Baika**, an **alumnus** of the institution and presently the youngest President of Bar Association of Punjab and Haryana, consented to be the **Chief Guest** for the ceremony.

The occasion was graced by the Manager St. Xavier's Bathinda Rev. Fr. Christopher Michael, the Principal Rev. Fr. Cidloy Furtado, Parish Priest Rev. Fr. Vinod Baa and Assistant Parish Priest Rev. Fr. Joesph D'Souza.

The program commenced by seeking the Almighty's blessing with a special prayer thanking God for this auspicious day and it was followed by a welcome speech by the Head Girl.

The gathering witnessed a beautiful welcome dance and a group song by the school choir on the theme 'Hard work and success.'

The Principal addressed the gathering and motivated the students with his strong words, **“Life has taught you all its first lesson that hard-work truly pays in the long run and one should always positively contribute to the society and the country.”** He congratulated the students, the coordinator , teachers and all the staff members for their commendable work to bring this fruitful result. He also extended his thanks to Rev. Fr Christopher Michael for his regular guidance and mentoring.

The district topper for class **10th Armanveer Kaur**, who scored 98.4% and the school topper for class **12th, Sonakshi Singla** who bagged 97.8% were lauded for their excellent performance in the board exam which was followed by felicitating all the stream and subject toppers in class 10th and 12th respectively.

The chief guest fondly reminisced his school days and encouraged the students to dream, to believe in oneself and to be focused towards their goal which ultimately leads to excellence. He further guided the students to pursue their hobbies passionately which is helpful in alleviating the stress level.

The school toppers, addressed the gathering by thanking and expressing their gratitude towards their Principal and mentors whose collective efforts have made this day possible.

The Prime Minister of the school extended a vote of thanks to all gathered which was followed by the **National Anthem** and a photography session with the toppers.

EVENT HIGHLIGHTS

