

## **AWIM – Regional & National Olympics**

The students of Delhi Public School, DLF CITY, brought laurels to the school by bagging prestigious category awards in the AWIM Regional Olympics held in the month of November, 2017. The event was organized by SAE INDIA Foundation. Approximately 15 schools from NCR region participated in the AWIM *Jet-toy* and *Skimmer* challenge. The Jet-Toys and Skimmers were tested on the basis of their speed, distance, accuracy, weight carrying capacity and presentations. The team of 4 students from Class V: Namita Bisht, Khanak Jain, Anusha Mishra and Saachi Rangeen emerged as the Regional winners in the Skimmer category thereby qualifying for the Nationals. The winning team bagged two category prizes ; Maximum Speed\_and Maximum Weight Carrying Capacity . They were awarded a trophy, medals and merit certificates.

The winning team proceeded to Pune for taking part in the 10th AWIM National\_Olympics at the Cummins IOC (Indian Office Campus), Balewadi, Pune as the representatives of the NCR Zone. There were 75 teams from 35 cities from all over India. It was a 3 day event from the 20<sup>th</sup> to 22<sup>nd</sup> of January, 2018. First day (20<sup>th</sup> January) included the opening ceremony, cultural events and briefing about the upcoming events. Our team also participated in Press Conference which was released on 20<sup>th</sup> January. SAE distributed a welcome kit for students which comprised of a backpack, brochure, water bottle, science book, cap and a T-shirt. The main event took place on 21<sup>st</sup> of January. It included a fabrication round, presentation round and track round followed by the prize distribution. The students visited ‘Science Park’ on 22<sup>nd</sup> of January. They saw 3D Science show. Science Park enthused and excited the students, creating awareness on important topical issues in science, technology and engineering. It was an enriching experience for them and they learnt a lot.

Such events are eye openers for innovative and creative thinking.

A World in Motion is an administered, volunteer- assisted program that brings science, technology, engineering and mathematics (STEM) education to life of students. AWIM incorporates the laws of physics, motion, flight and electronics into age- appropriate hands-on activities that reinforce classroom STEM curriculum. They enhance the application and knowledge of the basic principles of Physics. The Principal and the Vice Principal appreciated the hard work put in by the teacher coordinator and students.

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