Dear Parents,

Greetings!!!

What makes a child gifted and talented may not always be good grades in school, but a different way of looking at the world and learning.

Everyone is gifted, but most people never open their package. It is, therefore, important for us, as educators, to be well versed with the ways of identifying gifted children, so that we can equip them with the requisite knowledge and arm them to develop all the facets of their personality.

Gifted Education Project is a National Level Project started at cluster Innovation Centre, University of Delhi and commissioned by the Office of Principal Scientific Advisor to the Govt. of India. Our school has taken the initiative to start this project in Classes VI, VII and VIII.

Under this project, every student will be exposed to Science and Mathematics Ability Test (SMAT) SMAT is not a competitive test. It aims to excite, enrich and stimulate the students in Science and Mathematics by developing their problem solving skills and assess individual excellence in comprehension, reasoning, problem solving, creativity and enthusiasm.

The paper will be grade specific and will consist of 30 questions to be solved in 3 hours. It will be conducted in the school on **6**<sup>th</sup> **May, 2017** 

The paper will be developed, printed and assessed by a team of educators and researchers of CIC, Delhi University. A minimal fee of **Rs. 100/-** has to be paid for appearing in the exam. Each student, who appears for SMAT, will receive a certificate. Kindly deposit the fee by tomorrow with your respective class teachers.

We would like each student of **Class VI, VII and VIII** to appear for SMAT and experience the thrill of success while revisiting important science and mathematical concepts.

**Best Regards** 

**PRINCIPAL**