

# **BUDDING AUTHOR'S PROGRAMME**

## **REPORT**

*The greatest art in the world is the art of storytelling.*

With an aim to provide students a platform to engage in reading different types of stories and learning to write effectively, CBSE initiated the Budding Author's Programme in partnership with Central Square Foundation, Pratham Books' StoryWeaver and National Book Trust. As students write and submit short stories under this programme, they get an opportunity to express their creativity and a chance to see them published.

The Budding Author's Programme is in consonance with The National Education Policy (NEP) 2020 which refocuses on the ideal path from Learn-To Read to Read-To-Learn. The policy clearly states that languages will be taught in an enjoyable and interactive style, with plenty of vibrant and proactive conversations, early reading and subsequent writing.

This programme was conducted in two phases-

### Phase-I

This phase of the programme was conducted at the school level. 110 students and 25 teachers of DPS Vasant Kunj registered for the programme. The students had to undergo a training to hone their creativity and imagination. Making apt use of the resource material the students were able to uptick their expression, creativity and language.

### Phase -II

Six students were selected for Phase-II of the programme.

The selected students attended webinars and series of training sessions in order to attain perfection in the art of story telling.

At the end of the rigorous training process, the original creations of the students were published on the storyweaver platform.