



Theme: Fostering Creativity and Critical Thinking, Shaping Tomorrow's Mind

# 36" Regional Conference

of the

Association of Schools for the **Indian School Certificate** 

## **BIHAR AND JHARKHAND REGION**

Date :- 23rd and 24th September, 2024

Hosted by:

A.S.I.S.C. Bihar & Jharkhand Region Patna Zone

Venue:

**Hotel Taj City Centre** Lodipur, Opp. Fire Station, Patna



# "Teamwork makes the dream work."

John C. Maxwell

A Principal's Prayer

I want to teach my students how To live this life on earth, To face its struggles and its strife And improve their worth. Not just the lesson in a book Or how the rivers flow, But how to choose the proper path Wherever they may go. To understand eternal truth And know the right from wrong, And gather all the beauty of A flower and a song. For if I help the world to grow In wisdom and in grace, Then I shall feel that I have won And I have filled my place. And so I ask your guidance, GOD That I might do my part, For character and confidence And happiness of heart.

James J Metcalf

#### Programme for the 36th ASISC Regional Conference **Bihar and Jharkhand Region**

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Chief Guest - Mr. Sunil Kumar Minister of Education, Bihar

Guest of Honour - Most Rev. Sebastian Kallupura Archbishop of Patna

### Day 1) - 23rd September, 2024

- Registration of the Delegates at the Venue: 8.00 AM to 9.00 AM
- Inaugural session: 9.30 AM to 10.30 AM Prayer dance by students of St. Joseph's Convent High School, Patna
  - Lighting of the lamp Welcome song by students of Don Bosco Academy, Patna
  - Welcome address by Miss Mary Alphonsa, Principal of the Host School, Don Bosco
  - Introduction of the Chief Guest by Mrs. Anubha Arya, Principal, St. M. G. Public School,
  - Address by the Chief Guest, Mr. Sunil Kumar, Minister of Education, Bihar
  - Felicitation of the Chief Guest by Mr. T.D. Joshy, President of the ASISC, Bihar and Jharkhand Region and Miss Mary Alphonsa, Principal of the Host School, Don Bosco Academy, Patna Vote of Thanks for the Chief Guest by Mr. Abhishek Patrick, Jesus and Mary Academy,
  - Introduction of the Guest of Honour by Mrs. Farhat Hasan, Principal, International
  - School, Patna
  - Address by the Guest of Honour, Most Rev. Sebastian Kallupura, Archbishop of Patna
  - Felicitation of the Guest of Honour by Mr. C. A. Francis, Regional Secretary of the ASISC, Bihar and Jharkhand Region and Miss Mary Alphonsa, Principal of the Host School, Don Bosco Academy, Patna
  - Vote of Thank for the Guest of Hounour by Linda Lynette Barnes, Principal, The Bishop's Heritage School, Anandpur, Bihta, Patna
- Coffee break: 10.30 AM to 11.00 AM
- 4. Workshop: First Session: 11.00 AM 1.00 PM

### Resource Person Mr. Amitabh Mohan

- Introduction of the resource person by Mrs. Nandini Shukla, Vice-President of the ASISC Bihar and Jharkhand Region
- Session by the resource person

- Felicitation of the resource person by Sr. Mabel, Principal, St. Joseph's Convent High School, Jethuli
- Vote of Thanks by Mrs Shalini Kumari, Principal, Lohia Nagar Mt. Carmel High School,
- Kankarbagh, Patna Group Photograph
- Lunch break: 1.00 PM to 2.00 PM
- Workshop: Second Session: 2.00 PM to 4.00 PM

### Resource Person Dr. Vikram Singh

- Introduction of the resource person by Sr. Josephine C.J., Principal, St. Joseph's Convent High School, Patna
- Session by the resource person
- Felicitation of the resource person by Sr. Rose Toppo SCN, Principal, Nazareth Academy, Mokama
- Vote of Thanks by Mr. Prabuddha Chatterjee, Principal, The Kirk View School, Gaya
- Tea Break: 4.00 PM Dinner at 7.00 PM, at Amrapali, Birchand Patel Path, Sone Bhawan Campus, near

Chankya Hotel, Patna A special Musical evening, "Aaj Ki Shaam Apke Naam - Throwback Time" Organized

by the Host School, Don Bosco Academy, Patna

### Day 2 - 24th September, 2024

- Morning session: 9.00 AM to 9.30 AM
  - Prayer by emcee
    - Song dedicated to all mentors by students of International School, Patna
  - Dance by students of Carmel High School, Patna (Theme: "Incredible India")
- Council Time: 9.30 AM to 11.30 AM
  - Introduction of the Dignitaries by Rev. Fr. Manoj Kullu T.O.R., Zonal Coordinator,

### Dignitaries:

- Dr Joseph Emmanuel, Chief Executive and Secretary CISCE
- Mrs. Sangeeta Bhatia, Deputy Secretary ISC, CISCE Mrs. Ekta Kaundal, Deputy Secretary – ICSE, CISCE
- Dr. Bhawana Taragi Head RDCD, CISCE
- Vote of Thanks by Mr. C.S. Francis, Zonal Coordinator, Dhanbad Zone
- Appreciation of Publishers
- Coffee Break: 11.30 AM to 12.00 Noon
- Regional Time: 12 Noon to 1.30 P.M.
- Vote of Thanks by Mr. Basil Michael Quadros, Zonal Coordinator, Bhagalpur Zone National Anthem
- Lunch: 1.30 PM

#### Welcome Message from the Host Zone Coordinator

Warm greetings dear members of this lively, challenging and warm community

of the ASISC, Bihar and Jharkhand Region, I am looking forward with immense ebullience to being your host at Patna in

Bihar, the centre of power, learning, and culture, the Land of the Buddha and Lord Mahavira, the birthplace of Jainism and Buddhism, the birth place of the tenth Sikh Guru - Guru Gobind Singh, the home of the oldest Hindu temple, the Mundeshwari Devi Temple located in Kaimur district, the land of the people who are considered to be excellent in Mathematics, the IAS producing factory, the land which has the world's longest Wi-Fi range of 20 kms in Patha, and the land where we have the famous Nalanda University where the library was so huge that it kept on burning for three months, destroying nine million manuscripts. Above all, the land of Litti Chokha and Chana Ghugni.

I hope you are as excited, as I am, to be joining us for the 36th ASISC Regional Conference of the Bihar and Jharkhand Region to be held on 23rd and 24th September, 2024 at Hotel Taj City Centre, Patna.

As we look to the future, we are faced with increasingly complex challenges that will require innovative solutions. The ability to think creatively and critically will be essential for the next generation to tackle the problems of tomorrow. This idea resonates with the theme of this conference, "Fostering Creativity and Critical Thinking, Shaping Tomorrow's Mind".

So, let us commit ourselves to achieving this vital objective. Of course, fostering creativity and critical thinking is no easy task. It requires patience, flexibility, and a willingness to step outside of traditional educational models.

However, the rewards are immeasurable. When we invest in the minds of today's youth, we are shaping the future of our communities, our countries, and our world. Hence, it is with great delight and great expectations that I hope to see you at this congregation of intellectuals, thinkers, inspirers of dreams and creativity,

bringing with you your share of passion and energy to realize our common goal.

Mary Alphonsa Zonal Coordinator, Patna &

The present Executive Committee of the A.S.I.S.C. - Bihar and Jharkhand

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Principal

**INSPIRES DREAMS ENCOURAGES CREATIVITY** builds confidence

INSTILLS A LOVE OF LEARNING **TOUCHES OUR HEARTS** 

and changes our lives forever.

Principal of the Host School, Don Bosco Academy, Patna "Be the light, for it is the only way out of darkness."