



TAGORE INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL
VASANT VIHAR, NEW DELHI-57
CIRCULAR FOR CLASS XII (HISTORY STUDENTS)

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April 2023

Visit to the Excavation Site at Purana Qila

Dear Parent,

The history of Delhi is older than what the layers of soil have revealed so far, and the deepest mysteries lie under the Purana Qila complex. Archaeological excavation has resumed at the site, and this time, the goal is to reach the level of what is called the 'Mahabharat period', estimated to be around 900 BCE. The dig, which began on 13 January, is headed by archaeologist Vasant Swarnkar, Director (NCF, CEP) under the Archaeological Survey of India (ASI).

The school is organizing a visit to this excavation site. This will be a unique opportunity for the students to gain first-hand experience of how excavations take place, the costs incurred, what we find and how that helps us understand the past.

The visit is scheduled for the first week of April 2023. The exact date will depend on the weather conditions for the day and will be intimated accordingly. The visit will take place within school hours and here is no cost involved.

NOTE:

- Students should carry a small notepad and a pen/pencil to note down their observations.
- Eatables are not allowed inside the museum. Only water bottles are allowed.
- Students should come in proper school uniform. (Not sports uniform)
- Students are not allowed to carry mobile or camera to the museum.

Do avail this opportunity to know more about the city, we call home!

Isha Sood
Sr. School Headmistress

CONSENT FORM

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I, _____ parent of _____, studying in class / sec. _____ agree to send my ward to Purana Qila. I understand that the school teachers will take all possible care and precautions to safeguard my ward. In case of any untoward incident, I will not hold the school responsible.

SIGNATURE OF THE PARENT / GUARDIAN

DATE