



# hindi vidya bhavan

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This is to certify that Zubin Mehernosh Vaid has been a bona fide student of this School.

At the very onset, I wish to state that Zubin was declared the Best Boy of the Year for three different years, on the recommendation of the senior staff of the School. He was also elected the Head Boy of the school for the year 1988-89.

Zubin has been the recipient of the 'Best Student' as also the 'Best Charactered Student' award for the year 1988-89. This award was bestowed upon him by the Rotary Club of Bombay and is a clear indication of Zubin's mental and moral calibre.

On the academic front, Zubin has been among the top-rankers in his class and has won, year after year, prizes for proficiency in various subjects.

Zubin has dominated the stage as well, being a frequent and eloquent speaker at both school and inter-school levels. He has frequently represented the school at Inter-School Elocution Competitions and has won prizes on almost every occasion.

Surprisingly enough, Zubin excels in both Indian and Western music and has cups, medals and certificates aplenty, to prove his talent. As an expert harmonica player as well as a violinist, he has given performances on both radio and television as also at St. Xavier's College the Dadar Chess Circle and the Bombay International School.

Zubin won the first prize in the Seniors Open Age Group Competition sponsored by the Hohner Harmonica Club during their Golden Jubilee celebrations in 1987. A special prize in the form of a harmonica autographed by Larry Adler was presented to him on that occasion.

At the Inter-School Music Competition organised by the Pacific Cultural Association, Zubin won a silver medal in 1986 and a bronze in 1987. He also won cash prizes of Rs. 51/- at the competitions held by the Dadar Music Ensemble in 1986 and 1987. In the competition organised by the Zosta, Zubin won the first prize in both the Indian and the Western Instrumental Groups.

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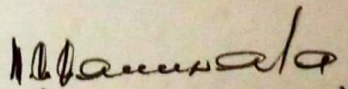
Zubin has also won numerous prizes for his powers of elocution. He has twice represented the School at the Murarji J. Vaidya Memorial Elocution Competition and has won the consolation prize, each time. The other trophies won were at the elocution competitions organised by the Nowroze Baug Play Centre, the Bombay City Social Education Committee, the Radhakrishna Mission the Youths Own Union and the Zoroastrian Anjuman.

At the Inter-School Essay Competition organised by the English Speaking Union of the Commonwealth, Zubin was awarded a certificate of merit. He has also been awarded certificates for his collections for various causes, including the National Association for the Blind, the Mobile Creche and the Children's Orthopaedic Hospital.

As a wild life preservation enthusiast, Zubin has regularly contributed articles to the 'Gub' magazine of the famous Sanctuary Group.

Notwithstanding his exceptional talent and remarkable achievements, Zubin remains modest, unassuming lad, well-liked by the students as well as the staff members. He is amiable, enthusiastic and industrious.

Zubin will certainly be a great asset to the institution he joins.

  
(Mrs. N.D. Daruwala)  
Principal