



**Gyan Bharati School
Saket, New Delhi**

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NAME OF THE EVENT: Educational Excursion to Rajon ki Baoli located at Mehrauli

CLASSES: P 4 and 5

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“The best classroom is roofed only by the sky “

The school organized an exhilarating excursion for students of classes IV and V to the Rajon ki Baoli located at Mehrauli Archaeological Park, which proved to be an astounding experience. Children were bubbling with excitement as they commenced their journey to visit the Baoli. It is a heritage site protected by the Archaeological Survey Of India (ASI), it is a marvellous example of stepwells built at that time. It is characterised by steps that lead to an actual well, and the brilliant stonework symbolises its architecture.

Built by Dalut Khan during the reign of Sikandar Lodhi the Baoli descends down to four levels. The Baoli served as a residence of the mason during the early 20th century and hence the name Rajon Ki Baoli. It follows the conventional U – shaped pattern and as one slowly descends the broad staircase the grandeur of the spectacular structure unfolds, before his eyes. Small narrow staircases lead to the terrace which offers a spectacular view of the Mehrauli region.

At Rajon ki Baoli students observed and acquired knowledge about the traditional ways to conserve water. They understood that Baoli’s served as a lifeline for local communities by collecting monsoon rainwater, ensuring a year-round water supply. The baoli's role in sustaining the city's populace became clear as they explored its rich history.

It was an enlightening journey .To instil curiosity for the excursion a pre-excursion activity was done. The excursion concluded with a post-excursion activity to illustrate what they saw and write few sentences to express their experience .

