

## THE BISHOP'S SCHOOL, CAMP ACTIVITY REPORT 2013 -2014 SEMINAR BY ORIENT BLACKSWAN

1	DATE	:	<b>1ST JUNE 2013</b>
2	DAY	:	SATURDAY
3	VENUE	:	NEW HALL BW ROBERTS BUILDING
4	TIME/PERIOD	:	9 AM TO 1 PM
5	INTER SCHOOL/ INTER HOUSE/ INTER CLASS/ GROUP/ INDIVIDUAL	:	
6	ORGANISED BY	:	ORIENT BLACKSWAN
7	CLASS / CLASSES IN- VOLVED	:	
8	TEACHER(S) INVOLVED	:	
9	REPORTED BY	:	MRS H LULLA
10	REPORT FILED BY	:	MR. M YOUNG

## Report on the Seminar by Orient Blackswan.

The 149<sup>th</sup> academic Year of The 'Bishop's School, Pune began with a workshop conducted by Mrs. Sheila Kurien from 'Orient Blackswan' on the 1<sup>st</sup> of June 2013.

It was conducted in the basement of B.W.Roberts Building. The teaching staff of our three schools of Camp, Undri and Kalyani Nagar of the 'Bishop's Education Society' attended the workshop.

The workshop aimed at igniting the minds of teachers about the latest trends in educational technology. It was a session where Mrs. Sheila Kurien discussed the various methods to make classroom teaching more inter-disciplinary and interesting. It provided a wonderful platform of discussion to teachers, wherein they got an opportunity to hone their teaching skills so as to tap the diverse study, learning, psychomotor skills of children, help them develop social skills and instill moral and ethical values in them.

She stated that children come to school to learn and to use what they learn from school so as to grow up into complete adults. She introduced the concept of 'Bloom's Revised Taxonomy' – aiming at enhancing the systematic process of thinking and learning in children through visual representation of alignment between goals and objectives, to help children to develop critical thinking skills. She assisted the teachers in the development of lesson plans and the remarks for report cards. She discussed how children responded in a varied manner to the same cues given.

All in all, it was a memorable interactive session where learning and fun merged together seamlessly and left everyone awestruck, waiting for more to learn.

This session helped the teachers to enable the students to grasp new technologies and gap the bridge to success in the best possible manner by kindling their minds as it is not a vessel to be filled but a fire to be ignited.

