

Outstanding Indian students win 177 prestigious Cambridge International awards this year

- **Two students *Girish Krishnan & Arushi Garg* from *Treamis International school, Electronics City Bangalore* win 11 of 177 CAIE awards**

December 2, 2021: Two students from Treamis International school have won the highly sought-after Outstanding Cambridge Learner Awards for 2020-21. These two students are among the 150 Indian students, who have scooped 177 awards for their outstanding academic achievements in the November 2020 and March 2021 exam series.

Outstanding Cambridge Learner Awards are the hallmark of exceptional student achievement in Cambridge exams around the world. They recognise students' achievements in a wide range of Cambridge IGCSE and Cambridge International AS & A Level subjects. The global awards acknowledge student success in four categories – 'Top in the World', 'Top in the Country', 'High Achievement Award' and 'Best Across Subjects'¹.

Altogether, 42 students in India scooped the highly coveted 'Top in the World' award, which is awarded to students who achieve the highest marks in the world in a particular subject. In addition, 65 won the 'Top in Country' award and 17 won the 'Best across Subjects' award.

Girish Krishnan from **Treamis International School, Bengaluru** emerged as the student with the maximum number of awards in the country. He won 10 awards across categories with seven awards for 'Top in the World' for Physics, Chemistry, Biology, Mathematics and one award each for 'Top in Country', 'Best across Four Subjects' and 'Best across Three Subjects'. **Arushi Garg** won the 'Top in the Country' for Economics.

Mahesh Shrivastava, Regional Director, South Asia, Cambridge Assessment International Education said, "I would like to congratulate the students for their truly amazing achievements in their recent exams. What they have all achieved, during such a challenging year is incredible. The pandemic has continued to disrupt teaching and learning around the world, creating a great deal of uncertainty for students and teachers alike. Yet our students and their teachers have all worked incredibly hard to overcome these challenges and have maintained their focus on teaching and learning. I applaud all of our winners. These awards recognise their resilience and dedication and each of them should be very proud of what they have achieved. I wish them all the very best for the future.

Jyothis Mathew, Head of the Centre, Treamis International School, Bengaluru congratulated **Girish Krishnan** and **Arushi Garg** who have been with the school from their primary years and currently they pursuing their undergraduate courses in University of California and University of Manchester. She said, "Their efforts coupled with mentoring by the dedicated and high caliber faculty of Treamis have placed them on the global map. Outstanding Cambridge Learner Awards celebrate the success of high-performing Cambridge learners, but they are also an appreciation of the journey involving all the stakeholders and their efforts which culminated as this accomplishment"

¹ 'Best Across' awards are issued to learners who have achieved a minimum of either grade A and have attained the first highest cumulative total standard marks over set number of subjects*

She added, “During the pandemic, the teaching/learning journey was redefined, redesigned, and had a complete overhaul. I would like to congratulate all the winners and those involved in achieving this feat”.

The awards provide an opportunity to recognise the hard work, dedication and outstanding achievements of the very best Cambridge students around the world. The achievements of those who won awards this year are especially impressive, as many of them have had to adapt how they learn when schools were closed, and teaching and learning couldn’t take place face-to-face in a classroom.

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