## **SWATI NAIR-TIMES SCHOLAR 2019**



Swati Nair of class XI-H (Humanities) has been selected as a Times Scholar 2019. The Times Scholar programme is a competition to encourage school students of classes X to XII to develop a reading habit that helps them have a holistic understanding of society, enables them to be better citizens and carve a better future for themselves. Over 3 lakh students participated in this programme. Spanning over 5 months, the contest involved reading articles, tests, presentations, final examination and an interview. 100 students were selected in the X-XI category. Going through this process was an enriching experience as she could update herself with current national and international affairs and form an opinion on some of the relevant topics. The discussions she had with her teachers and classmates helped her immensely for the interview. Her interests include creative writing, music, current affairs and legal studies. She would like to thank school and teachers for their constant support and guidance.