

Vidyanjali's Bugle



Principal's Note

Personality is the single greatest factor of success!!

Ms & Mr Persona gave an opportunity for children to understand that a persuasive personality distinguishes one from the others. Children explored their learnings through going out, celebration of Bakrid & observance of Doctor's Day. Parents interacted with teachers to know more about productive engagement of their children. Parent Orientation and presentations were an added benefit.

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Up-coming Events

- Workshops for Adolescents
- Independence Day Celebration
- Mock Parliament
- Health Check-up
- Parent Empowerment Day

Ms & Mr Persona

Geetha Raj (CBSE Teacher)

Ms & Mr Persona is conducted every year exclusively for grade X students of Vidyanjali to reflect the ethos and vibrancy of present generation. Children learn to present themselves as more than just their physical beings. This year the event was conducted from 23rd June 2022 to 2nd July 2022 with great splendour and grandeur. The theme of the program was 'Origins'.



Children participated with grit, glamour and style. They presented an array of skills and creative abilities. Several rounds were held ranging from writing, group discussion, self-introduction, exhibiting creative talents, and questionnaire rounds. During the 'Introduction' round students spoke briefly about what they



had learned about their families' origins. The highlight of the program was the 'Talents Round' where children enthralled the audience with their exceptional skills in dance, stand-up comedy and martial arts. The guest Mr Chetan Gangatkar, Artistic Director at Natya Ninada Nrityalaya, graced the occasion and motivated the children to display pure performances in whichever field they chose. The performances in all the rounds were considered to choose the winners of the event.

Doctor's Day

Meena Reddy (Vice-Principal)

Doctors' Day was observed on 1st July 22 to bring awareness about doctors' contribution to society. Primary Montessori children were briefed about the contributions of Dr Bidhan Chandra Roy, whose birthday is celebrated as Doctor's Day. Doctors from Rajiv Gandhi Institute of Dentistry explained the anatomy of a tooth, parts of the tooth, types of teeth, oral hygiene, foods that



help in making the teeth strong, a balanced diet and transplant(fixing) of a tooth. They demonstrated the proper method of brushing teeth.

Prep-2 & 3 children watched a video explaining the significance of doctors and types of doctors. The children also watched the teachers' role play to understand how doctor's work. Children listened to their hearts beating using a stethoscope and made thank you cards to give their own physicians.

Dr Prerna, a government physician, helped the children of I & II std them understand the importance of hygiene and eating nutritious food. Children enthusiastically participated and asked various questions to the doctors.

Bakrid Celebration

Brinda Kumar (Montessori Teacher)

The Primary Montessori celebrated Bakrid on 08.07.2022 with great zeal and jollity. Mrs.Munawar Begum shared the story behind



the Bakrid Celebration & how it is celebrated in India. She spoke about the importance of sacrifice & sharing.

Children also learnt that one has to sacrifice bad habits and hurting others and instead inculcate goodness, humbleness, kindness and obedience. To ensure that children assimilate the message, they were asked to write about the festival.

Parent Engagement Conference

Geetha Raj (CBSE Teacher)

Regular assessments are conducted to reflect and monitor students' progress. After the first Periodic Assessment, the Parent Engagement Conference was held on 30th July 2022 for CBSE I to X std.



It helped parents gauge the performance of their wards and introspect on the areas of concern. Parents attended the meeting in the time slots allotted for them. They were happy and excited to see the results. Teachers discussed with the parents on how to engage their children in more active learning at home.

Going Out

Brinda Kumar (Montessori Teacher)

Children of Primary Montessori grade I got an opportunity to explore and experience the visual beauty of a lake and island when they went to Ulsoor Lake on 27th July 2022.

Children were delighted to see the beauty of the lake, lush green islands and the fresh air even during peak traffic hour right in the middle of the city.



They observed the large variety of plants in the park adjacent to the lake and gleefully boarded the bus back to school.

Meanwhile, Primary Montessori, grade II



children explored and experienced parts of a mountain along with a few plants and trees when they visited Anandagiri Betta on 28th July 2022.

They were thrilled to see the scenic beauty of the place from the top of the hill. The children enjoyed participating in the quiz session based on their exploration of the hill.

Parent Orientation - II

Smita Balaji (CBSE Teacher)

The Parent Orientation Program was conducted for parents of CBSE I, II & III std on 23rd July 2022. The orientation conducted by Dr Rekha Reddy included the stages of development of children, benefits of bringing up the child, their environment and nurturing methods. Achieving success in child's life lies in parenting and understanding the mindset of children, the importance and gridlines of freedom within the limits of the environment.



The dictum 'We love our children' meant with four ingredients of love - Knowledge, Respect, Responsibility and Care. Parents understood that the curriculum is effective only when it is supplemented by appropriate nurturing provided at home.

Parent Presentations

Brinda Kumar (Montessori Teacher)

To help the parents understand the Montessori Method of teaching and give them a hands-on experience with materials, Parent Presentation Program was organized for Pre-Primary Montessori for Mont-2 and 3 parents on 9th July 2022, and for Mont-1 parents on 23rd July 2022.



Parents understood the benefits of Exercises of Practical Life activities and how it facilitates the child to grow as an independent and harmonious individual. They also learned how grace and courtesy lessons are helpful in developing the social skills in the child. They also got to know how sensorial activities refine the child's intelligence and watched the presentations of a few activities in each area.



Parent Presentation Program for Primary Montessori was organized on 23rd July 2022. The I std parents got presentations of Pythagoras plate & Combining of Elements, while the II std parents were presented Seasons and Stamp Game Group Division. The III std presentations were – Splitting of Squares & Sentence Analysis. Parents learnt about the Montessori Method, progression of a concept in each subject and the inter connectedness of the subjects. They were happy to be provided an opportunity to work with the materials. They were also glad to know how the materials will further lead to abstraction.

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