



# IMPERIAL HERITAGE SCHOOL

## NEWSLETTER

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## **PRE- PRIMARY**

### **TODDLERS – K.G**

#### **CHARKA MAKING**

To celebrate the birth anniversary of the father of the nation, Mahatma Gandhi the Pre-primary students made a take away using different techniques of thumb printing. Students of Nursery and Kindergarten made Charkhas using A3 sheets and ice cream sticks.



## **PINK DAY**

### **EXCITED TINYTOTS PAINTED THE TOWN PINK**

Recognition of various colours is a significant concept for little children. ‘Pink Colour Day’ was celebrated by Nursery children to introduce the bright colour. With the help of interesting teaching methods and classroom activities, children learnt to identify pink colour objects. The school campus was painted pink as the tiny tots looked charming in their pink outfits which matched the tint of their chubby cheeks.



## **DIYA DECORATION**

**"Creativity doesn't wait for that perfect moment. It fashions its own perfect moments out of ordinary ones." -- Bruce Garrabrandt**

Our little ones of Toddlers and Nursery created their own memorable moments during the Diwali week. A Diya decoration activity was organized and our tiny tots very artistically and creatively decorated their diyas. They felt very proud while taking the diyas home.



## **PARENT INVOLVEMENT**

**‘A parent's love is whole no matter how many times divided.’**

Parents are our first teachers who teach us the value of learning. A Parent Involvement activity was organized for the parents of Toddlers, Nursery and K.G. during the Diwali week. They were involved in different activities such as Toran Making and Rangoli Making. Children assisted their parents and very keenly followed their instructions while making their masterpieces. The day was an unforgettable experience for everyone. Such activities strengthen the beautiful bond between children and parents.



**PAINT THE TOWN RED!!**

**RED COLOUR DAY**

Our tiny tots of Nursery celebrated 'Red Colour Day'. Children came dressed in different shades of red and brought their favorite red colour objects from home. They spoke about the object they had brought from home. The activity was aimed at familiarizing children with the colour red and giving them a platform to speak confidently in front of an audience. Children also made Santa Caps and took their souvenirs home.



**GRADE I-II**

**DANCE COMPETITION**

**Dance is the hidden language of the soul...**

An Inter-Class dance competition was organized for the students of Grades I and II. Children participated with a lot of enthusiasm. They came dressed in colorful costumes, twirled around and set the stage on fire with their enthralling performances. The competition was an enriching experience as the children danced beautifully and outperformed each other.



## **HANDWRITING COMPETITION**

**Handwriting is the imprint of the self on a page.**

In the age of computers good handwriting is no more given the importance it deserves. To make the children understand the importance of good handwriting an inter-class handwriting competition was organised for the students of Grades I and II. Children participated with a lot of fervor and presented their calligraphic skills. The winners were felicitated with certificates.



## **DIGITAL PAINTING**

**Man is still the most extraordinary computer of all...**

An artist is not a special kind of person; rather each person is a special kind of artist. To make our children future ready and technology savvy, a Digital Painting Competition was organized for the students of Grade II on the theme of ‘Diwali’. The children were very creative while making their digital paintings as they illustrated their ideas for a safe and green Diwali.



## **SHOW AND TELL – COMMUNITY HELPERS**

**“To become a better you, remember to be grateful to people who have contributed to making you who you are today.”**

We are surrounded by people who work for us and make our lives easier. To sensitize our children and to inculcate the value of empathy and compassion towards our community helpers a ‘Show and Tell’ activity was organized for the students of Grades I and II. Children came dressed as community helpers and understood the perspective of the people who work for us day in and day out. Such activities help our children to understand the value and importance of each profession in our society.



## **GRADE –III**

### **SPECIAL ASSEMBLY – GANDHI JAYANTI**

**A man is a product of his thoughts what he thinks, he becomes.**

To celebrate the birth anniversary of the father of our nation, a special assembly was conducted by Grade III children where they depicted the highlights of Gandhiji's life through a dance drama. Students mesmerized everyone with their enthralling performances. They showcased the struggles of Gandhiji's life and reminded everyone of his teachings. It was amazing to see our young learners performing confidently and inspiring others.



### **LEARNING BY DOING SEED GERMINATION – SCIENCE**

Students of Grade-III did a seed germination activity in which they sowed bean and black gram(chana) seeds in paper cups and, watered them every day for a week to analyse the different stages of germination.



## **LITTLE FELICITATORS- SCIENCE**

**“Tell me and I forget, teach me and I may remember, involve me and I learn.”**

**– Benjamin Franklin**

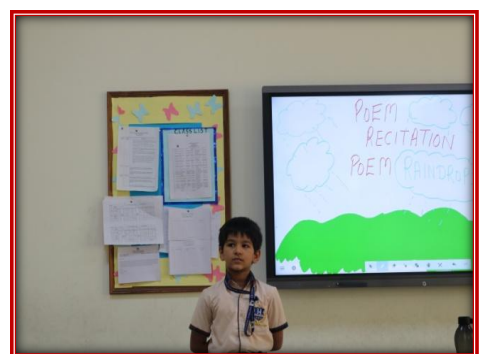
Grade -III children enjoyed delivering a power point presentation in their Science class where they proudly shared their knowledge about the different body parts of a bird like beaks and feathers to name a few. Children came and delivered lessons and played the role of educators to their peers. Such activities prove that teaching and learning can spring from anywhere in a classroom.



## **POETRY RECITATION- ENGLISH**

**Poetry is all that is worth remembering in life....**

Poetry is a stepping stone for the young students to develop their verbal skills and to boost their confidence. It also develops self-expression and memorization skills. Keeping this in mind, a poetry recitation activity was conducted for the students of Grade-III. Students recited a poem named ‘Raindrops’. They were confident and clear while reciting the poem. Such activities not only enhance the public speaking skills but they also improve the listening skills of the young learners.





## **GRADE-IV**

### **DUSSEHRA CELEBRATION- SPECIAL ASSEMBLY**

Students of Grade IV presented a special assembly on the auspicious occasion of Dussehra. They presented a musical dance drama and took us back to the era of Ram Rajya. They came dressed as the characters from the great epic Ramayana like Lord Rama, Lakshmana, Sita and Ravana to name a few. Everyone was spellbound with the flawless performance of the children.



### **POETRY RECITATION- ENGLISH**

**Enjoy the realm of poetry...**

Poetry is the core of literature. Students of Grade-IV did a poem recitation activity in the class. Children memorized and recited the Poem 'Foreign Lands' which was a part of their coursebook. The activity was aimed to build self-confidence, develop the oratory skills and self-expression of our children.



## **MACHINE MODEL MAKING- SCIENCE**

### **CAUTION!!**

#### **Little engineers at work...**

To reinforce the concept of machines and to give the students hands on experience a model making activity was conducted in the class. Children made models of various simple machines like wheel, axle, inclined plane and wedge using materials like cardboard and thermocol sheets. They very proudly presented their machines and explained the uses of these machines to the class.



## **STORY ENACTMENT- ENGLISH**

### **Story telling is the most powerful way to put ideas into world...**

As a reinforcement of the Prose- ‘Tenali Raman and Thieves’ a story enactment activity was conducted in class. Children eagerly participated and thoroughly enjoyed themselves while playing different characters. They seemed to adore the intelligence and wit of Tenali Raman.



## GRADE – V

### **SORT ME OUT-ENGLISH TOPIC ADVERBS**

**The quality of education is determined by its activities...**

To introduce the topic of adverbs an activity was conducted in the class. Children worked in teams to sort different adverbs on the basis of time, place, frequency and manner. This helped them understand adverbs better along with inculcating the spirit of group/team work in them.



### **SLOGAN WRITING- HINDI**

To create awareness in the young minds about the social problems, a slogan writing activity was conducted in Grade -V on the topic of 'Child Labour' and 'Save Water'. Children brainstormed and made slogans and presented them in front of their peers.



## **PROPERTIES OF AIR- SCIENCE**

**Science is a way of thinking much more than it is a body of knowledge...**

Students of Grade-V were engaged in an activity where they demonstrated about the different properties of air. The learners were fully engaged and enjoyed themselves during the activity.



## **SPECIAL ASSEMBLY – DIWALI GRADE V**

**No dhoom, No dhamaka iss bar No pataka...**

Keeping the thought of safe diwali in mind, students of Grade –V presented a thought provoking assembly on the occasion of Diwali. The children presented a humorous skit highlighting the importance of safe Diwali and showing the damage caused to the environment. The students though tickled the funny bones of the audience, but left everybody thinking about the message.





## **CULTURAL GALLERY EXHIBITION GRADE III-V**

**A nation's culture resides in the heart and in the soul of the people...**



To make the children understand and familiarize them with the diversity of Indian culture, a cultural gallery exhibition was put up by the students of Grade III-V. Punjab, Gujrat, Assam, Tamil Nadu and Rajasthan were the highlighted states. Children were divided into different teams and each team talked about the diversity of each state in terms of their food, folk music, dance, language and costumes. It was fruitful learning experience for the children.



## **GRADE – VI**

### **MEASURING HEIGHTS- SCIENCE**

Students of Grade–VI did an activity in which they measured different things around the school. Students used modern and ancient tools of measurement such as handspan, cubit, foot, ruler and measuring tape. Such activities are aimed to improve the analytical skills of the young minds. The activity was practical application of what they had learnt in the class.



### **TALK ON THE PREAMBLE-ENGLISH**

**Constitution is not a mere lawyer’s document, it is a vehicle of life, and the spirit is always the spirit of age.**

As a reinforcement of the chapter Preamble to the Indian Constitution an oration activity was conducted for Grade-VI students, where they were expected to talk about the Preamble. Students enthusiastically participated and performed as per the rubrics shared with them in the class. With such activities students learn how to speak effectively in front of large groups.



## **GRADE -VII**

### **STORY WRITING-ENGLISH**

**“You can make anything by writing.”**

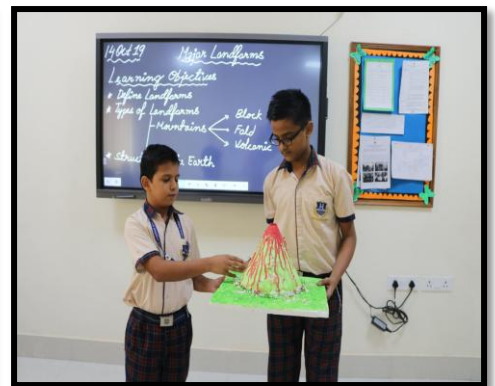
It is important for students to inculcate the habits of reading and writing which will help them to begin the process of self-expression. With the intention of grooming our students and to develop their imagination a ‘Story Writing’ activity was organized for the students of Grade VII. Students showcased their writing skills and displayed their creativity by writing brilliant stories.



### **SOCIAL SCIENCE DAY- GRADE III- VII**

**It’s not rocket science. It’s Social Science....**

Students of Grades III-VII celebrated Social Science Day and did various activities to celebrate their love for the subject.



To celebrate Social Science Day, presentations were done by the students of Grades III-VII on an array of topics that included communication, resources, moon, major landforms and advertising products.

#### **Details of the presentations:**

Grade III- Means of communication (TV, radio, newspaper, satellites, computer, mobile)

Grade IV- Ways to conserve natural resources (alternate source of energy- wind, sun, water, planting trees, using bicycles for short distances)

Grade V- Phases of moon, Chandrayaan mission, solar eclipse, lunar eclipse and satellites

Grade VI- Major landforms of the Earth

## **INTRA CLASS COLLAGE MAKING GRADE VI- VII**

**"Creativity is intelligence having fun."...**

Collage means to glue it's technique to assemble different artworks together to create a new whole. An Intra-Class collage making competition was organized for the students of Grades VI and VII. Children came up with so many ingenious ideas and put together beautiful pieces of work on safe diwali. The activity was aimed to inculcate the value of sharing and caring. The final output was very colourful and picturesque.



## **KEGGS FARM VISIT**

### **TODDLERS – GRADE II**

**Education is not preparation of life; Education is life itself...**

As a part of our experiential learning programme, and to put the textbook learning of our children into action, children of Toddlers to Grade II were taken to Keggs Farm for an educational trip. The happiness of the children was quite evident from their smiles. Such trips are very important for the children as it helps them make a connection with the real world.





## **DANDIYA CELEBRATION**

One of the perks of being an Indian is that we get to celebrate to so many festivals. Navratri is one such festival which is celebrated across India with great fervor and enthusiasm. Our school organized a Dandiya Night for parents and students on the last day of Navratri. Parents graced the occasion in large numbers. Everybody enjoyed themselves and danced to the tunes of dandiya thanking Goddess Durga for a blissful life.



## **DEEP ASHRAM VISIT**

**Sharing is caring, but it also reduces the burden and double the happiness...**

It was indeed a proud moment for our school when we played the role of the perfect hosts for the children of Deep Ashram which provides home and support for differently abled children. Our children gave them a tour of our school, sang with them and ensured that they feel special. The visitors were jubilant and took away gifts of diyas and lantern with them as token of love.



## **GOVERNMENT SCHOOL VISIT**

**Three keys to abundant living; caring about others, daring for others and sharing with others...**

Sharing and Caring is all about being compassionate and empathetic. Our children had a great time once again with students from the nearest government school. They did various activities with them and ensured that the guests had a great time. They also learnt the importance and value of sharing and caring.



## **LOHAGARH FARMS VISIT GRADE III-VII**

**Today's education prepares you for tomorrow's learning...**

Our children had a great time during their educational trip to the Lohagarh Farms. Children of Grades III-VII went for a one day trip and enjoyed the village ambience. They relished scrumptious food and realised the importance of being close to their roots and traditions. The day was filled with fun, laughter and lifelong memories.



## **ANNUAL DAY**

**A good life is a collection of happy moments...**

7<sup>th</sup> December was a remarkable day as our school celebrated its first Annual Day. It was a musical drama based on the classical fairy tale 'The Pied Piper of Hamelin'. Parents came in large numbers to support, appreciate and to motivate the children. The event witnessed a large gathering and got a lot of appreciation from everybody. The occasion was graced by Mr. Rakesh Daulatabad, MLA, Badshahpur Constituency as Chief Guest. Other Guests of honour were Mr. Md. Imran Raza, IAS and Mr. Gaurav Singh, CEO-PMU, Haryana.







## MATH- A- MAGIC ACTIVITIES

### GRADE- II

Mathematics is art of giving the same name to different things...

Mathematics is the most beautiful and most powerful creation of the human spirit. Children of Grade II did various activities to showcase their love for mathematics. Children did multiplication using bottle caps and solved puzzles in the Maths Lab.



## **GRADE –III**

**The study of Mathematics, like the Nile, begins in minuteness but ends in magnificence...**

Children of Grade III had fun solving tangram puzzles as a practical application of the chapter Tangrams and Shapes. The creativity of the children proved that the only way to learn mathematics is to do mathematics.



## **VALUE OF COMPASSION**

Compassion is one of the core values that every child should learn. To be compassionate is to be genuinely concerned about the other person or people's needs. The value of compassion enables a person to respond with understanding, patience and kindness.

## **GRADE- II**

Considering the importance of the value, our young learners of Grade II were taught about it all through the month of December through interaction, videos and activities.





### **GRADE III**

To understand the value of compassion Grade-III students did an activity where they wrote their understanding about the value and pasted the same on the board. Children wrote different things about what compassion means to them.



### **GRADE –IV**

Grade IV students sowed seeds of kindness and politeness and made a compassion pot in the class. Children understood that to be compassionate and to get compassion in return its important for them to nurture these values in themselves.



## **SPORTS FIESTA**

**Sports do not build character they reveal it...**

The much-awaited Sport Fiesta was held on Friday 20<sup>th</sup> December 2019, with great zeal, excitement and playful atmosphere. The programme began with our Head Mistress Archana Panicker encouraging the participants to play with sportsman spirit. The chill weather couldn't dampen the spirit of our young athletes. Once the races began, the air was filled with cheering and encouragement for the young athletes. The races were organized for students of all Grades, from Toddlers to Grade VII. There were interesting races like Where's the Leaf?, Decorate the Christmas Tree, Sparkly Gift Boxes, Pop the Balloon, to name a few. The highlight of the day was a Tug of War between the students of Grades VI and VII. The day ended on high energy, with the children challenging each other for the next Sports Day.

“A trophy carries dust. Memories last forever.”





## SWACCH SURVEKSHAN-2020

The Municipal Corporation, Gurugram, under Swachh Survekshan 2020 went to 200 schools and created awareness about hygiene among nearly 2 lakh school students. The Municipal Corporation will create a record in India Book of Records by making the longest plastic bottle chain. Our school is working closely with the Swachh Survekshan 2020 mission to create awareness and be a part of the longest plastic bottle chain. A special assembly was organized on 20<sup>th</sup> December, 2019, where our students brought used plastic bottles from home to make the longest plastic bottle chain and took a pledge to stop use of plastics and promote environment friendly substitutes instead of plastic.



## **CHRISTMAS CELEBRATION- SPECIAL ASSEMBLY**

**What is Christmas? It is tenderness for the past, courage for the present, hope for the future.**

It was once again a special moment when the whole school assembled to celebrate the birth of Jesus Christ. Children of Grades VI and VII presented a special assembly. The atmosphere was electrified when the children commenced the assembly singing Christmas carols. They depicted the Nativity Scene and took the audience back to the age of renaissance. Along with the celebration children were also sensitized about some important safety rules to be followed in school by Ms. Sharan Sandhu. She discussed and explained the importance of buddy system, awful acquaintance, bullying, good touch bad touch. The assembly concluded with our Principal Ms. Neelu Sharma wishing everyone a Merry Christmas.

**It is not what is under the tree that matters, it's who is gathered around it, that matters.**



## **AWARDS AND ACCOLADES**

It was a proud moment for us when our school won the Jury's choice award in the category of "Innovative and Creative Literacy". We were nominated amongst the top 50 schools and were awarded by Education Today.



It was yet a cause of celebration as we received Excellence in Progressive Education Curriculum Award which was presented at Eldrok India K-12 Summit-Gurugram, at The Leela Ambience, Gurugram, on December 18<sup>th</sup>, 2019.



## **Inter Invitational Skating Meet**

Our young skaters participated in the 1<sup>st</sup> Inter Invitation Skating Competition Meet which was organized by CRIC Seven Sports Academy at Vivekananda Global school Gurugram on 6<sup>th</sup> October 2019. 10 students across Grades I-III participated in various categories and a few of them bagged medals and positions. Anvi Gupta of I A secured the 2<sup>nd</sup> position with a Silver Medal, while Abheesha Taneja of Grade II B and Rajshree Upadhayay of Grade III secured the 3<sup>rd</sup> position with a Bronze Medal. Our team won the Winner Trophy for best performance. We are very proud of the winners.



## **I.T.F Taekwondo Championship**

Competition is a method of developing the full potential of the human body, both physically and technically. Taekwondo competition pursues the development and integration of fitness, technique, and strategy as well as a sense of humility and sportsmanship. Our young and dynamic taekwondo champs participated in the Delhi State I.T.F Taekwondo championship and brought laurels for the school.

### **Name of the Winners:**

Vidisha Rathore Grade III - Silver Medal  
Ayushman Atre Grade III – Bronze Medal  
Keshav Kumar Grade V – Bronze Medal  
Aaquib Ali Grade V- Bronze Medal



## **ROBO FEST**

Our school children Participated in a Robo Fest organized by Euro International School, Sec-84, Gurugram. Disha Choyal of Grade V and Tanishak Janghu of Grade VI secured third position. They made a ‘Clone-Bot’ using plastic bottles and their caps. It was a great learning experience for our young and talented innovators. Harshita Singh and Soham Rana of Grade VII also participated in Smart Robot Contest. They made “Robota” using various energy transformation mechanisms and explained about energy conservation.



Last year was a fun filled and exciting roller coaster journey. Hoping for an equally challenging and exciting 2020. Wishing you strength, endurance, courage and happiness for 2020.