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**PRAGYAN  
SCHOOL**

# WEEKLY CIRCULAR PRIMARY

23<sup>rd</sup> AUGUST 2024  
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# NURSERY



## ENGLISH

Letter N was introduced to the children with the help of flashcards and different objects. They also did Jolly phonics song of letter N which they enjoyed. Students did worksheets related to the letter in their workbook and did sandpaper tracing as well.



# SCIENCE DEMO

Students were introduced to the concept of air through a rhyme. To provide hands-on experience and as part of a science demonstration teachers showed the existence of air through a balloon-blowing activity and created bubbles using a soap solution. Teachers inflated balloons, releasing air to show its presence. Nursery students participated, blowing and deflating balloons to experience air's existence firsthand, fostering curiosity and engagement.



# MATHS

This week number 8 was introduced to the students using blocks and they also did worksheets related to the number. Children did counting using blocks and sandpaper tracing of number 8.



# KINDERGARTEN

## ENGLISH



Letter m was introduced to the students through its phonic sound. Flashcards were used to help them recognize and associate the sound with various objects. The students enthusiastically shared examples of objects that start with the letter m. They completed a worksheet related to the letter, demonstrating their understanding and engagement. As part of the Reading Scheme students were introduced to the passage 'My pet cat' through an enactment. Words from the passage were revised and students were asked to illustrate as well.

# MATHS

The students were introduced to counting from 60-70. They also completed the corresponding worksheet in their workbooks, practicing their new counting skills.



# HINDI

Students were introduced to the vyanjan ऋ. To make learning more engaging, students were encouraged to colour pictures beginning with vyanjan ऋ. This helped them associate visual creativity with language learning. The combination of writing and colouring made the learning process interactive and enjoyable.



# GENERAL AWARENESS

As part of general awareness, students were made aware of the festival Raksha Bandhan in the class. Students participated in class discussion about how they enjoyed the festival with their brothers and sisters. They also enjoyed colouring the worksheets related to the topic.



# SCIENCE DEMONSTRATION

This week as part of our science demo, students conducted an engaging experiment to demonstrate that air has weight. Using a simple setup with a stick and two balloons, they carefully balanced the stick by tying an inflated balloon on each end. When one of the balloons was deflated, the stick tipped to one side, clearly showing that the inflated balloon was heavier due to the air inside it. This hands-on experiment helped the students understand the concept of air having weight in a fun and practical way.



# CRAFT (KG)

This week, our class celebrated Janmashtami with creative craft activity. The students enthusiastically participated in decorating matkis and creating colorful "torans" (door hangings). The matkis were beautifully adorned with vibrant sequins, and beads, reflecting the joy of the festival. The torans, made using bright materials like flowers, leaves, and decorative threads, added a festive touch. This activity not only brought out the students' artistic talents but also deepened their understanding of the cultural significance of Janmashtami.



# HANDS ON ACTIVITY (KG)

Flashcards were given to the students, and they had to arrange them in the correct sequence, counting from 60 to 70. This fun activity not only helped them enjoy the process but also reinforced their understanding of the sequence from 60 to 70.



# SKILL BASED LEARNING (KG)

This week as part of a skill based activity students of kindergarten focused on important self-help skills. The children learned how to tuck in their shirts, zip up the jacket, and practiced fastening both tic-tac buttons and buttoning eyelet. These activities help build their independence and confidence.





## ENGLISH

During this week students did activity related to the concept is,am,are. In this activity, words is, am, are were written on the paper glasses, whereas the pronouns he,she,it,they, I, we were written on the flash cards. Students had to read the word and then put them in the right glass.They did worksheets related to the topic in their workbooks.



# MATHS

During this week students were introduced to two digit subtraction. They practiced the concept on the board independently and completed the worksheets related to it in their workbooks.



# GENERAL AWARENESS

During this week, the topic community helper was continued, where students did some written tasks and worksheets related to the topic that included tick the correct option, fill the blanks and complete the sentence. Students were able to recognise different community helpers and their work.



# HANDS ON ACTIVITY (UKG)

During this week students practiced digraphs and blends, where they were informed about the difference between digraph and blends. Students then read the words related to the blends and digraphs and later picked up the flash card, spelled aloud to make a meaningful word.



# INTER CLASS ACTIVITY

As part of the Inter Class Activity that was held on 22nd August, 2023, the students of the nursery participated in the Clean My City race. Participants picked up items placed on the ground and deposited them into the basket. Students of Kindergarten participated in Bucket the Bean bag race where they demonstrated agility, balance, and teamwork as they raced to carry bean bags from one end of the field to the other using only buckets. Students of UKG participated in the Obstacle race, where participants had to cross the cones by zigzagging and cross the hurdles by jumping. The activity helped in bringing out the competitive spirit in all participants

# INTER CLASS ACTIVITY



# SPECIAL ASSEMBLY KG(C,D,E): JANMASHTAMI

Janmashtami celebrates the birth of Lord Krishna, who is associated with virtues like truth, bravery, and compassion. Gokulashtami is merely another name for Krishna Janmashtami. Students of KG C, KG D and KG E presented a special assembly on Janmashtami on 23rd August, 2024 that included short skits on life stages of Lord Krishna, poems, melodious bhajans and dances. A splendid and colourful performance by the students conveyed the message of victory of good over evil. The presence of the parent body motivated and cheered the little Pragyanians and the assembly concluded with the words of wisdom from our Headmistress Ms Rashmi Chugh.

# SPECIAL ASSEMBLY KG(C,D,E): JANMASHTAMI





Learning action words is fundamental in developing a child's language skills. The students of class 1 revisited the poem and key vocabulary for the month, reinforcing their learning. During the session, the concept of action words was introduced, providing them with a foundational understanding of the topic. To enhance their retention, a video was shown, which visually explained the concept. Following the video, the teacher engaged the students with oral questions to assess their comprehension.





# ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE

National festivals play an important role in planting the seed of nationalism and patriotism among the people of India. Celebration of these festivals commemorates the sacrifices of our great leaders and freedom fighters who laid down their lives in the foundation of this country. This week children learned about the need to celebrate national festivals. They read the lesson and also made two national symbols of our country in the notebook along with the new words.





Children of class 1 enjoyed learning carry over addition this week. Relevant videos and PPTs were shown. Multiple practice questions and worksheets were given to students.





# हिन्दी

इस सप्ताह कक्षा १ के विद्यार्थियों को “ऊ की मात्रा” से परिचित कराया गया। कक्षा को रूचिकर बनाने के लिए उन्हें मात्रा से संबंधित चित्र दिखाए गए तथा उन्हें इस मात्रा की ध्वनि और पहचान भी बताई गयी। बच्चों ने खेल-खेल में मनोरंजन ढंग से मात्राओं के प्रयोग को जाना और वीडियो भी देखा। सभी बच्चों ने माह की कविता का सस्वर गायन कर अभ्यास भी किया।





# हिन्दी

अगस्त माह के इस सप्ताह में सभी बच्चों द्वारा माह की कविता की प्रस्तुति की गई। व्याकरण में बच्चों को विलोम (उल्टे अर्थ वाले) शब्दों की जानकारी दी गई तथा वीडियो के माध्यम से मौखिक अभ्यास कराया गया। थिंकिंग रूटीन बच्चों की बौद्धिक क्षमता को विकसित करता है, अतः विद्यार्थियों से जल से संबंधित विचारात्मक प्रश्न पूछे गए जिसका उन्होंने उत्साह के साथ अपनी सूझ के अनुसार उत्तर देने का प्रयास किया। यह विषय बहुत ही मनोरंजक और ज्ञान वर्धक रहा।





In class 2, the students revisited the poem and vocabulary for the month to reinforce their learning. To revise the concept of 'Gender' and to aid in retention, a video was shown, which visually explained the gender concept. After the video, the teacher asked oral questions to gauge the students' comprehension. To further solidify their understanding, the students completed a classwork assignment in their workbook based on the concept.





# ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE

Students of class 2 read the chapter - Good Habits during their EVS class. They enjoyed making illustrations related to good habits they follow. Students also actively participated in a quiz related to the topic on the 'Quizizz' platform.





Multiplication is used day to day throughout adulthood, whether it's working out price reductions, doubling recipes or splitting bills. Students of class 2 revised the concept of multiplication as repeated addition and did worksheets on vertical multiplication with regrouping and word problems. Kids enjoyed solving the lemon tree puzzle in their AIL activity.



# INSTRUMENTAL MUSIC (1&2)



Playing a musical instrument stimulates brain function and promotes cognitive development. In this context, students of classes 1 and 2 practiced playing Alankaar 2 and 3 on the keyboard, enhancing their musical abilities while contributing to their overall brain growth.

# ART & CRAFT (1&2)



Warli is a traditional art form of Maharashtra. These paintings are distinctive with their vivid contrast expressions. These paintings are mainly dominated by basic geometric shapes like circles, triangles and squares. Students of class 2 were introduced to Warli art in their sparkle book. Students of class 1 learned to draw a mango during their art class.

# COMPUTER (1&2)



Students of class 1 were introduced with the Tangram Puzzle and Rebuild Mosaic activity of GCompris Software. Students of class 2 were introduced to the lessons in Tux Typing. They learnt the proper keyboarding with the help of interactive lessons.

# VOCAL MUSIC (1& 2)



Children of classes 1 and 2 enjoyed singing the song ‘Aare badal Kale badal’. Children practiced singing solo and in groups.

# DANCE (1&2)

Dance helps you stay fit and healthy. This week students of classes 1 & 2 started learning dance choreography for their upcoming school event.



# PHYSICAL EDUCATION (1 & 2)

Children of classes 1 and 2 enjoyed doing general exercise and obstacle training. Navigating through an obstacle course builds strength and improves body maps. Pressure to the joints and muscles improves awareness of where your limbs are so that you can be more coordinated in your movements and not bump into things.



# VALUE EDUCATION

In this week's value education class, students were introduced to the information related to Rani Lakshmi Bai. They were shown a video wherein they understood the life and the huge personality of Queen of Jhansi- Rani Lakshmi Bai.



# CLASS ASSEMBLY (2E)

Class 2E conducted the morning assembly on 14th and 20th August, focusing on sports and games. Students shared valuable information about various sports personalities and their respective games, discussed different types of games, benefits of games and sports and highlighted those played during festivals. They also recited the Hindi and English poems of the month. The assembly concluded with the national anthem, marking a successful and informative session.



# INTER CLASS WEEKLY ACTIVITY(1&2)

Students of grade 1 and 2 prepared beautiful Krishna crowns and flutes on the occasion of Janmashtami. They used colourful sheets and decorative materials to make their craft attractive. This craft activity encouraged them to be more creative and engaging.





Students of class 3 had done chapter 'A Glass of milk' and the poem 'The Land of counterpane' along with new words, make sentences and question answers for the given chapters. They also revised punctuation in their language notebooks.





# हिन्दी

कक्षा ३ के विद्यार्थियों ने इस सप्ताह अपनी व्याकरण कॉपी में अनुच्छेद लेखन का कार्य किया। तत्पश्चात उन्हें स्नेह प्रभा से सबका साथी का अभ्यास कार्य समझाया गया और छात्रों ने यह कार्य स्नेह प्रभा में पूर्ण किया।





Students of Class 3 continued with the concept of subtraction. They were introduced to the concept of estimation and solved the questions and word problems related to the same.

Top 3 students from each section were felicitated with Mindspark badges for their regular hard work and excellent performance.





# ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE

The new chapter “India-Physical” has been done in the class. Students of grade 3 were taught about six physical divisions of India, rivers flowing in India, Peninsula and Plateau etc. Videos and pictures related to the topics have been shown to the children. New words and questions have been done in the class.





Students of Class 4 revised the poem of the month and the new words. They wrote the questions and answers from the lesson Rainmaking. The grammatical concept of Synonyms was introduced in the class followed by written exercises. They read from the reader Robin Hood and Sherwood Forest too.





# हिन्दी

कक्षा ४ के विद्यार्थियों को इस सप्ताह पाठ्य-पुस्तक स्नेह प्रभा के 'पाठ ३ सहायता का उचित उपयोग' तथा 'पाठ ५ झर-झर झरना झरता' पाठ का पुनः अभ्यास कार्य कराया गया। लेखन कौशल के अंतर्गत बच्चों ने कक्षा में 'स्वतंत्रता दिवस' (१५ अगस्त) पर अनुच्छेद लेखन का कार्य किया। विशेषण पाठ को समझाया गया। कार्य-पत्रिका में विशेषण पाठ को कराया गया। सप्ताह के अंत में विद्यार्थियों से श्रुतलेख का कार्य कराया गया।

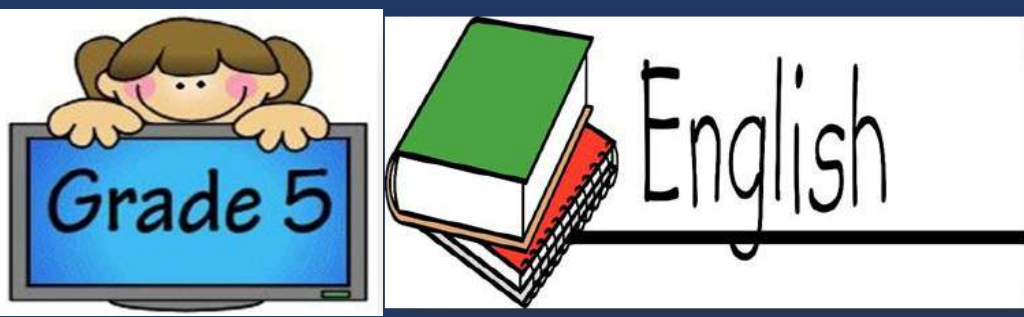




# ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE

Grade 5 students studied the chapter- Temperate Zone in which they studied the grasslands of the world and their location. They also did the map work on marking the grasslands of the world on the physical world map. Videos related to the topics taught were shown to the students in the class.





Students of grade 5 were introduced to Adjectives and Synonyms this week. They did a few exercises and worksheets based on these topics. In creative Writing, they were introduced to formal letter.





# हिन्दी

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# ART & CRAFT (3-5)

Students of classes 3 to 5 have started practicing for the upcoming inter class sketching competition.



# DANCE (CLASS 4)

Dance motivates the students and they get confidence and improves their concentration too. Students of class 4 have started learning dance choreography for the upcoming school event.



# KATHAK(3-5)

Students of class 5 learnt teen taal with hand movements and footwork in their Kathak Class this week.



# VOCAL MUSIC(CLASS 3)

इस सप्ताह कक्षा 3 के छात्र छात्राओं को सदभावना गीत सिखाया गया, जिसके बोल हैं, सदभावना की राह पर चलते जायेंगे! गीत का पहला भाग स्थाई और अंतरा सिखाया गया!



# LIBRARY (CLASS 4)

A student of class 4 summarized the book, “The wind in the willows by Kenneth Grahame”. This book deals with four animal friends- Mole, Rat, Toad and Badger, as they move through the English countryside and learn lessons of friendship and loyalty. This story includes the concept of forgiveness and patience as seen through the characters' mistakes and growth. Book is worth reading.



# CLASS ASSEMBLY (3C)

This week students of class 3C got an opportunity to conduct the morning assembly on 22nd August. The theme for the assembly was ‘Hobbies’. The assembly started with a short prayer followed by the positive & motivational thoughts shared by the students. There were poems and interesting facts followed by the talk on hobby. It concluded with the National Anthem.



# WELLNESS SESSION

As part of our Wellness Session, students from classes 3 to 5 embarked on a journey to discover the benefits of yoga and mindfulness. Our session, "Young Yogis," successfully introduced students to the world of yoga and mindfulness.

Our young yogis learned and practiced various yoga asanas, including Taad Asan, stomach exercises, neck and shoulder exercises, and full-body exercises with Reeta Ma'am. This program aimed to cultivate physical flexibility, mental focus, and emotional well-being in our students. Students got the opportunity to learn and practice 10+ yoga asanas, focusing on proper technique and breathing. Regular sessions have always helped students to improve their flexibility, balance and develop self-awareness, self-discipline, and self-confidence in them.

