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WEEKLY CIRCULAR SENIOR

6th SEPTEMBER 2024
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ASSEMBLY VI-VIII

The students of class 8B conducted their class assembly on 3rd and 4th September 2024. Each day was assigned a different topic for the class assembly. The personality of the day was Srinivasa Ramanujan, a special assembly was conducted on 3rd September to commemorate his work. All the assemblies started with a prayer to seek blessings from the Almighty followed by a talk to enlighten the students about Srinivasa Ramanujan on 3rd September. On 4th September, a debate was conducted on the topic 'Do we need to preserve our heritage sites?'



ASSEMBLY IX-XII

3 sept 24. the morning assembly was a poignant and insightful session led by the students of Class 12 A. The students chose to present a talk on the life of Anne Frank, a figure whose story continues to resonate with people around the world. The students presented a detailed and well-researched talk on Anne Frank, focusing on her life during World War II, her time in hiding, and the impact of her diary, "The Diary of a Young Girl." The students presented the talk in the form of a play, highlighting Anne's courage and resilience in the face of immense adversity, offering an important lesson on the human spirit and the importance of hope.



OPEN FORUM IX-XII

On September 2, 2024, an open forum was held on the topic “Should voting be mandatory for all eligible citizens in the country.” Students actively participated, offering diverse opinions. Some argued that mandatory voting would strengthen democracy by ensuring broad representation, while others contended it could infringe on personal freedom and lead to uninformed voting. During the discussion, some students suggested implementing mandatory voting with exemptions for those with valid reasons, ensuring fairness. Others proposed increasing voter education to encourage voluntary participation instead of mandating it. A few participants highlighted successful examples from other countries where mandatory voting increased voter turnout and political engagement. Overall, the forum concluded with a consensus that further dialogue and consideration are needed to address the challenges and benefits of such a policy.



CYCLING EVENT ORGANIZED BY THE HEALTH AND WELLNESS CLUB

On 31st, the Health and Wellness Club of Pragyan School organized a successful cycling event, which saw the enthusiastic participation of students from classes 4 to 12. The event was a testament to the school's commitment to promoting physical fitness and a healthy lifestyle among its students.

The event began promptly at 6:05 AM, signalled by our Senior Coordinator, Mr. Nitin, who flagged off the ride with a green signal. The participants embarked on a 13-kilometer cycling route, demonstrating remarkable energy and enthusiasm. The cycling route, carefully planned to ensure the safety and enjoyment of the students, provided a refreshing start to the day.

In addition to the student cyclists, several teachers also participated in a parallel event, "Walk for a Cause," further highlighting the school's dedication to promoting health and well-being within the community. The students returned to the school around 7:08 AM, completing the ride successfully. Upon their return, they were greeted with refreshments, which provided a well-deserved break and an opportunity to reflect on the morning's activities.

Overall, the cycling event was a resounding success, marked by high spirits and a positive message of health and wellness. It was an excellent way to kickstart the day, leaving everyone involved with a sense of accomplishment and a renewed commitment to maintaining a healthy lifestyle.

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ACHIEVEMENTS

We feel proud to share that Komal Singh of class IX is selected in the junior football girls team of Uttar Pradesh . She will be representing Uttar Pradesh in the sub junior National football tournament being conducted in Neemuch MadhyaPradesh .



TEACHERS' DAY CELEBRATION

5 Sept 24. On the occasion of Teachers' Day, the students of Pragyan School organized a unique and engaging assembly to honor and celebrate the dedication and hard work of its teachers. The event, filled with enthusiasm and creativity, took place in the school auditorium, where students treated their beloved teachers to an unforgettable "flight journey" experience. The assembly started with the hosts, acting as flight attendants and pilots, welcoming the teachers aboard the "Pragyan Airways." The assembly's theme was centered on a joyful journey to different destinations, symbolizing the role of teachers in guiding students through the journey of life. There were various stops on this delightful journey that made the assembly vibrant like poem recitation, an engaging storytelling, a poem narrating inspirational tale of Abhimanyu from Mahabharath. Kathak dance performance. A special quiz segment was then conducted, where teachers were invited to participate. The quiz questions were related to movies and songs from Bollywood. Teachers enthusiastically took part, displaying their quick thinking and sense of humor, much to the delight of the students.

TEACHERS' DAY CELEBRATION



MATHEMATICS ENRICHMENT ACTIVITY:VI

This week, Mathematics Enrichment activity conducted for Class VI focused on verifying the commutative properties of addition and multiplication for whole numbers. The activity aimed to provide students with hands-on experience using a paper cutting and pasting method to solidify their understanding of these fundamental concepts. The activity fostered collaborative learning, critical thinking, and creativity.



MATHEMATICS ENRICHMENT ACTIVITY:VII

The purpose of the enrichment activity conducted in class VII was to deepen the understanding of algebraic subtraction among the students. By integrating art into the learning process, students engaged in a hands-on activity to visually grasp the concept of subtracting two algebraic expressions. This creative approach aimed to enhance their conceptual clarity and foster active learning.



MATHEMATICS ENRICHMENT ACTIVITY:VIII

The main objective of this activity was to help students understand the concept of solving a linear equation in one variable through transposition. The goal was to make this concept more tangible and engaging by using an art-based approach. Students would first explain the concept of a linear equation and then solve it by visualizing the transposition of terms using cut-out paper shapes.



PRAGYAN PLUS PROGRAMME: INTERNATIONAL DIMENSION VC SESSION

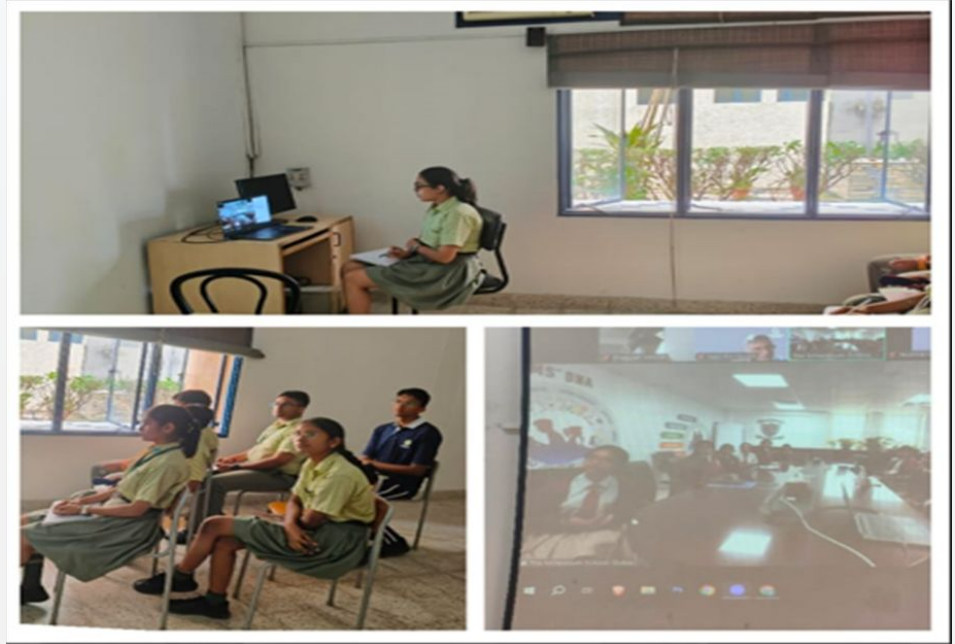
4 Sept 24. A virtual conference titled Generation Global was held between students of class XA of Pragyan School, India, and The Millennium School, Dubai, on the important topic of "Rights and Inequalities." This discourse aimed to foster an exchange of perspectives and understanding among students from two different countries, discussing how rights and inequalities affect society globally.

The primary focus of the conference was to engage students in a thoughtful dialogue on understanding human rights and their significance in creating a fair and just society, forms of inequality like addressing economic, gender, educational, and social inequalities and their impact on individuals and communities.

They also discussed in detail about Gender inequality which was a major focus, with both schools acknowledging the persistence of gender biases despite growing awareness. Millennium School students shared how UAE's progressive policies have improved gender equality, especially in terms of women's participation in the workforce. Pragyan School students highlighted ongoing challenges in India, especially in rural areas, where education and employment opportunities for women remain limited.

PRAGYAN PLUS PROGRAMME: INTERNATIONAL DIMENSION VC SESSION

This interactive Q&A session allowed students from both schools to exchange ideas and ask questions about each other's countries. Students explored how rights and inequalities were being addressed in each society, how cultures shaped perceptions, and what strategies could be employed to promote equality.



PSYCHOMETRIC ASSESSMENT FOR STREAM SELECTION

To assist students in making informed decisions about their future academic streams based on their aptitudes, interests, and personalities. The transition from class X to class XI is a critical juncture in a student's academic journey, where the choice of stream (Science, Commerce, or Humanities) significantly impacts future career opportunities. To facilitate informed decision-making, Pragyan School conducted a psychometric assessment for students of classes X-A and X-B on Monday, 2nd September 2024. The assessment aimed to provide scientific guidance to students and their parents regarding the most suitable academic streams based on individual strengths and preferences. The psychometric assessment for stream selection for classes X-A and X-B at Pragyan School was a significant step towards empowering students to make informed academic choices.



ARTIST OF THE MONTH

Krishnanka, a class VII student, is Artist of the Month for his outstanding performance in the Stone Art competition, where he secured second place in an inter-school event. He is also very creative, and he should keep up the great work.



E-WASTE DONATION AND DISPOSAL DRIVE

Pragyan School recently organized an E-waste donation and disposal drive in collaboration with the Green Dream Foundation. The initiative aimed to reduce electronic waste and its harmful effects on the environment. Students and staff actively participated, ensuring proper disposal and recycling of old gadgets. This effort highlights the importance of responsible e-waste management. Together, we can protect the environment, reduce pollution, and work towards a sustainable future for all.



DRY RATION DONATION DRIVE

The Interact Club of our school organized a Dry Ration Donation Drive in association with the Robinhood Army to support the less privileged sections of society. On Friday, 6th September, the collected ration was handed over to the Robinhood Army for distribution amongst the needy. The Interact Club would like to extend its heartfelt gratitude to our parents for their generous donations, which made this initiative a success. Your contributions will bring solace and sustenance to those who need it most.



ECOLOGY CLUB VI-VIII: GREEN WARRIORS

The students of Ecology Club were involved in the brainstorming session on the theme “Sustainable Life Hack”.

The brainstorming session was initiated via step by step understanding of the concept “sustainability”, where the students actively involved themselves in bringing out their ideas around its meaning. Through their viewpoints, the session was further taken on the secondary step of understanding that is “Uses of sustainability”. Students gave examples from their daily lives of sustainable life hacks. Further the session was concluded with the “Importance & Need of Sustainable Life Hacks”.



READERS CLUB VI-VIII: THE PAGE TURNERS

In order to encourage critical thinking, creative thinking and organising thoughts, Student members of Readers' Club were given interesting prompts on the spot to let their innovative ideas flow. They were encouraged to explore different genres like fantasy, mystery, humour, science fiction etc for story writing. The students displayed their creative side and their competency in writing short stories. It was a pleasure to discover many promising writers amongst the enthusiastic student members.



INTERACT CLUB VI-VIII: HELPING HANDS

The learners of Interact Club took initiative to raise awareness on the importance of women empowerment and its impact on the society. They started preparing a Nukkad Naatak to address issues such as gender inequality, violence against women, economic independence, and educational opportunities. Being the responsible members of Interact Club, they want to educate and engage the community on issues related to gender equality, women's rights, and the empowerment of women in various facets of life.



ECOLOGY CLUB TIP

5 TIPS FOR GREENER GARDEN THIS SPRING



COMPOST AT HOME

Start a kitchen compost of your fruits and veggies to give your soil a nutrient boost.

GROW YOUR OWN GROCERIES



Growing your own fruits and vegetables is not only good for the environment, it's a healthy alternative that also saves you some green!



URBAN GARDENS

Even if you lack outdoor space you can still get involved by joining a community garden. Find one near you.

SMART WATER

Water your plants early in the morning to reduce evaporation.



BEE THOUGHTFUL

Bees need our help to thrive. Plant a variety of flowers native to your area and go pesticide free to attract these little guys.

HEALTH AND WELLNESS TIP



Healthy Lifestyle Tips

Morning Facts

Doing this meditative pose for
5-10 minutes everyday...

FarmacyForLife.com



...elongates the lower back, is great for
digestion, opens up the hips, and most
importantly.. calms down brain activity
allowing you to relax, breathe and
SILENCE THE MIND

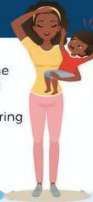


TIP OF THE WEEK

Positive Parenting

Positive parenting describes a set of parental behaviors that foster a child's capacity to **love, trust, explore and learn**. The goal of positive parenting is to help parents guide their children's healthy development in the context of the family's culture. Key elements of positive parenting include the ability to:

Understand or imagine the **child's point of view**, especially during challenging moments.



Respond with interest and **sensitivity** to the child's cues.



Recognize that **parenting can be stressful** and missteps are a natural part of child-rearing.



Recognize and **celebrate** the child's strengths, abilities, and capacity to learn and develop.



Provide consistent, **age-appropriate guidelines** and limits for child behavior.



Work toward a **balance** of meeting parental needs and child needs.



Delight in **moments of connection** with the child;



Recognize and **regulate** their own **feelings** and behaviors before they respond to the child.



Seek help, support or additional information on parenting **when needed.**

