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**PRAGYAN
SCHOOL**

WEEKLY CIRCULAR PRIMARY

20th DECEMBER 2024
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NURSERY



ENGLISH

Letter Y was introduced to the children with the help of pictures. They also enjoyed the Jolly phonics song of the letter Y. Students did worksheets related to the letter in their workbook and in their notebook.



MATHS

The numbers 24 and 25 were introduced to the children using blocks. They did worksheets related to the numbers. Children also did counting using different objects. They practiced sequence writing of 0-25 in their notebook.



HINDI

Vyanjan 'र' was introduced to the students with the help of pictures. They also enjoyed colouring 'र' related objects in their Hindi letter book.



GENERAL AWARENESS

Discussion on different domestic and wild animals was done in the class. Students also enjoyed colouring the worksheets related to the topic.



EASP

Nursery students enjoyed jogging, regular exercises, and catch-and-throw activity. These exercises helped develop their gross motor skills, hand-eye coordination, and teamwork. They showed great enthusiasm and energy.



CLASS ASSEMBLY (NUR)

Students of Nursery A, B, C, & D showcased their learning quotient in a vibrant class assembly conducted from 16th December - 19th December. They explored the theme Seasons and Good habits and confidently shared seasonal facts, highlighting characteristics of each season. The assembly featured an engaging story enactment, poems, show and tell activity, emphasizing the importance of good habits. Proud parents applauded their little ones' enthusiastic presentation.



KINDERGARTEN

ENGLISH

Students were made aware of the od family words, exploring words like pod, cod, rod. They practiced reading and writing these words in their notebook.



HINDI

This week, students were introduced to the vyanjan "ध". Through engaging activities, storytelling, and colorful worksheets, the young learners discovered how to recognize, pronounce, and write "ध". The interactive sessions included identifying words like धनुष, धनिया etc. sparking their curiosity and creativity.



SKILL BASED LEARNING (KG)

This week, in the skill based learning class, the kindergarten students learned about piggy banks and the importance of saving money, especially as part of gifts or appreciation given by family. This activity helped children understand the value of money, develop responsibility, gratification, and learn generosity.





ENGLISH

During the week students learned about positional words in, on, under, between, left, right to enhance spatial understanding. Activities involved reading instructions and placing objects as per the given directions. Students actively participated in hands on activities where they arranged items based on instructions to demonstrate their understanding of positional words. They also did creative writing on the topic My family in their English notebook.



GENERAL AWARENESS

Facts on some of the animals were discussed during the week. Students were made aware of the eating habits, habitat and their young ones. They did related worksheets in their workbook like true false, tick the correct one, colour the sea animals etc.



JOY OF GIVING

Spreading smiles and hope when we come together is a celebration. Growing up and engaging with the community, inspires others to join in spreading kindness and fostering a positive spirit that can transform lives.

Keeping up with the fervour of meaningful celebration students of Nursery, Kindergarten and Upper Kindergarten came together with the gesture of giving little gifts for the underprivileged and spreading smiles. This initiative helps to build a spirit of togetherness creating a community built on compassion, unity, and the joy of giving.



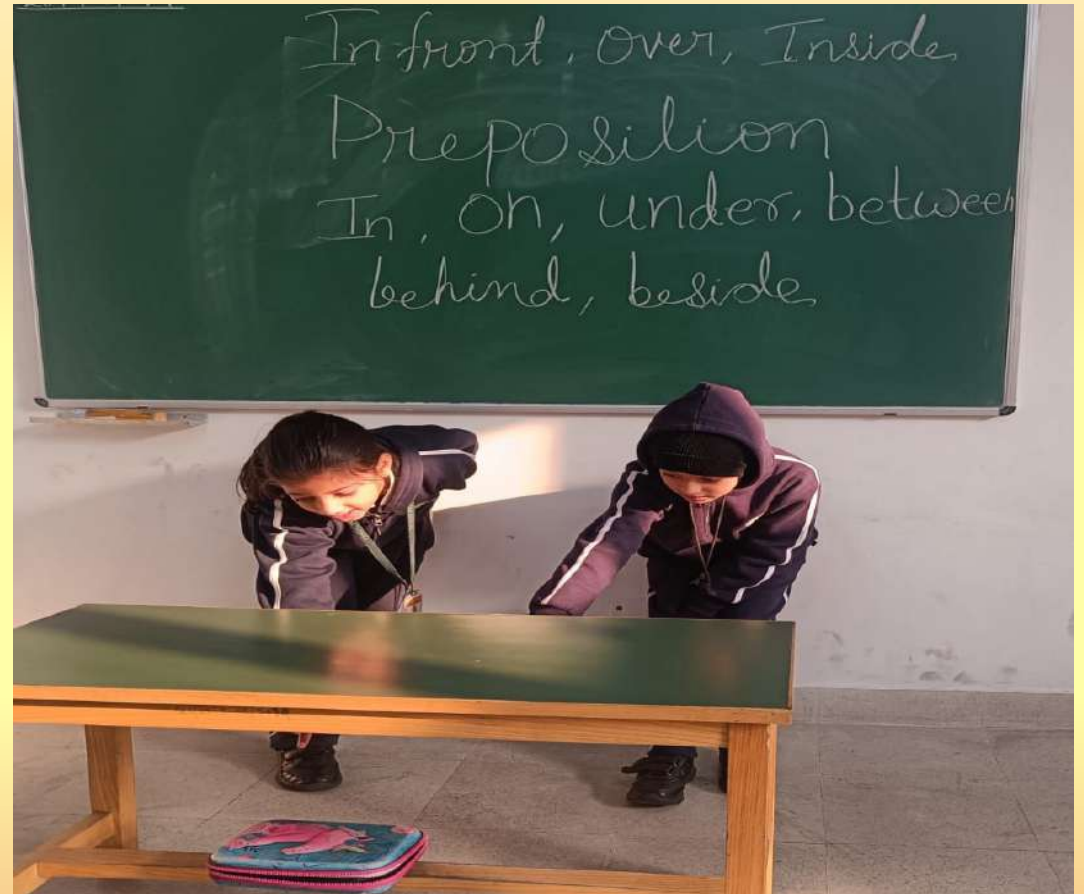
INTER CLASS ACTIVITY(NUR,KG,UKG)

As part of Inter Class Book Character activity was held on 18th December, where students of Nursery, Kindergarten and Upper Kindergarten enthusiastically dressed up as characters of their choice. They confidently shared the lines of their character, showcasing impressive prop use, voice modulation, and expression. The meritorious students will soon be recognized with certificates, celebrating their love for reading and storytelling.





Prepositions are an essential part of language, and teaching them to young learners can be both exciting and interactive. For Class 1 students, understanding prepositions helps them describe the relationship between objects and places, which is a fundamental skill for building strong language abilities. Students participated in an interactive activity where they learned different prepositional words through action, visuals, and simple sentences.





ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE

The chapter 'Means of transport and communication' was introduced to the students of class 1. They could understand the different means of transport like land transport, air transport & water transport. Students also drew a few examples of different means of transport in their notebook.





Mental Math helps a child in understanding mathematics concepts, instead of simply memorizing them. Through insightful mental math programs, children are taught the concepts deeply and thus can solve math problems more accurately and confidently. Children of class 1 practiced mental maths questions.





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कक्षा 1 के छात्रों को वाक्य निर्माण से परिचित कराया गया। इस दौरान उन्हें अक्षर, शब्द और वाक्य के बीच के अंतर को समझाया गया। छात्रों ने सीखा- अक्षर, भाषा के सबसे छोटे घटक होते हैं, जो मिलकर शब्द बनाते हैं, और कई शब्द मिलकर वाक्य का निर्माण करते हैं। इस पाठ को और अधिक रोचक और प्रभावी बनाने के लिए, एक फ्लिप क्लास सत्र का आयोजन किया गया। इस सत्र में छात्रों को शिक्षक की भूमिका निभाने का अवसर मिला। प्रत्येक छात्र ने बारी-बारी से अक्षर, शब्द और वाक्य के अंतर को समझाया और उदाहरण प्रस्तुत किए।





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दिसंबर माह का तृतीय सप्ताह सर्दी के स्वागत के साथ शुरू किया गया। इसकी शुरुआत विद्यार्थियों ने 'जाड़े का मौसम' कविता के सस्वर गायन के साथ की। गतिविधियों से बच्चों का मनोरंजन भी होता है और साथ ही अध्यापन और रूचिकर हो जाता है। बच्चों ने क्रियात्मक कार्य के अंतर्गत अपने मित्रों एवं सहयोगियों के लिए धन्यवाद कार्ड बना कर उसे सुंदर रंगों से सजाया। व्याकरण में बच्चों ने विराम चिन्हों पर आधारित वाक्य रचना की। अंत में थिंकिंग रूटीन के द्वारा बच्चों से विचारात्मक प्रश्नोत्तर पूछे गए जिसका उन्होंने उत्साहपूर्वक उत्तर दिया। बच्चों को मानव मूल्यों और परोपकार का महत्व भी समझाया गया तथा उन्हें दूसरों की सहायता करने के लिए प्रेरित भी किया गया।





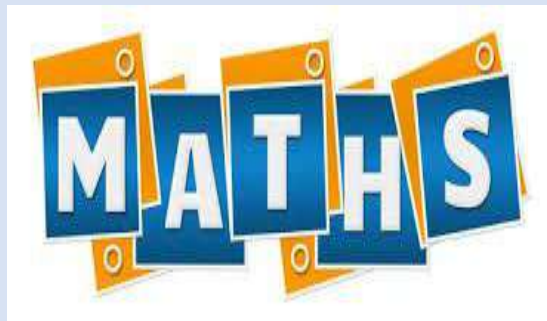
The students of Class 2 were introduced to another part of speech: conjunctions. They learned about conjunctions as joining words and explored basic ones such as and, but, or, and so, along with their usage in sentences. To reinforce the concept, they enthusiastically participated in the AIL activity 'Conjunction Junction', where they created a train of words connected by conjunctions. Additionally, they completed classwork exercises to further solidify their understanding of the topic.





Grade 2 students embarked on an exciting learning journey, exploring the fundamental concept about living and nonliving things. To reinforce their understanding, they reviewed new vocabulary words for the month and delved into the chapter 'Living and Nonliving Things.' Additionally, students engaged in interactive worksheets within their workbooks, further solidifying their grasp of this essential topic.





This week, Class 2 students explored the concept of weight and its measuring units, learning about grams and kilograms. They participated in a thinking routine activity where they observed various containers and answered questions related to capacity, enhancing their critical thinking skills. The students also revisited time concepts, practiced drawing a clock in their notebooks, and honed their ability to tell time. Additionally, they completed worksheets on the metric measures chapter, reinforcing their understanding of units like metres, grams, and litres. It has been a productive week of hands-on learning and revision.



INSTRUMENTAL MUSIC (1&2)

Playing musical instruments from an early age offers significant benefits, such as fostering creativity and enhancing hand-eye coordination. This week, during their instrumental music class, students learned to play the first verse of the Christmas song Jingle Bells.



ART & CRAFT (1&2)



This week, Grade 2 students have created wonderful Christmas drawings in their art files, showcasing their creativity and holiday spirit! They used bright colors and festive designs to bring the magic of Christmas to life.

VOCAL MUSIC (CLASS 1&2)



Children of class 1 and 2 enjoyed singing Christmas carols “Joy to the world” and “Deck the hall”. Children also prepared it for wednesday activity and presented their carol.

LIBRARY (1 & 2)

Books inspire us to do great things in life. They are our best companions. Books can be good or bad, but it is our responsibility to choose them wisely. Students of class 1 & 2 enjoyed reading session during their library class.



VALUE EDUCATION

“Animals are a window to your soul and a doorway to your spiritual destiny. If you let them into your life and allow them to teach you, you will be better for it.”

This week's Value education session focussed primarily on kindness towards animals. Students of grade 1 & 2 were shown two different story videos on the same and were posed questions related to the stories respectively. Students came up with beautiful answers including values like kindness, care and compassion towards animals.



RIDS ACTIVITY

As part of our RIDS activity, students delved into an exploratory project where they researched and wrote about various countries, including Pakistan, Japan, China, and Bangladesh. Their writings focused on the traditional attire worn in each country, the rituals and customs practiced, and the principal crops cultivated.

The students' work was showcased in the form of a collage, which was proudly presented during our school exhibition. This project not only enhanced their knowledge about different cultures but also encouraged them to develop their research and creative skills.



CIRCLE TIME

Engaging children of class 1 and 2 in conversations about helping the underprivileged is a great way to nurture empathy, kindness, and social responsibility. Children were involved in class discussion on the topic “How can you help the underprivileged” by sharing their view on the topic. They were told about the items that could be given, such as food, clothes, or books etc that can make a difference in the lives of others.



CLASS ASSEMBLY (1A)

Students of class 1A conducted the morning assembly on 17th and 18th December. The topic of the assembly was “Hobbies”. The assembly commenced with morning PT exercises thereafter the students offered their prayer. This was followed by inspirational thoughts, news and they shared informative pieces based on the topic. They also talked about their hobbies and showcased it by performing dances, playing instruments and through recitation of poems of both Hindi and English. The Headmistress, Mrs Parul Deveshwar encouraged children to find a hobby that sparks their creativity as hobbies not only bring immense joy but develop important life skills like discipline and teamwork.



CLASS ASSEMBLY (2E)

Class 2E conducted a delightful and engaging assembly on the topic-Our Magical World. The session began with energizing warm-up exercises, followed by the soulful prayer 'Hey Sharde Maa', creating a calm and positive atmosphere.

The students recited the Hindi poem "Chand Ka Kurta", and shared a few thoughts. They then mesmerized the audience with a magic show full of fun tricks and surprises. Students participated in a short skit, showcasing the magical elements of imagination and dreams.

The assembly was a perfect blend of creativity, confidence, and teamwork. The Headmistress, Ms. Parul Deveshwar, appreciated the students' efforts and encouraged them to keep exploring and celebrating the joy of learning.



INTER CLASS WEEKLY ACTIVITY(1&2)

“The best way to spread Christmas cheer is singing loud and clear for all to hear.”

Students of class 1 & 2 brought in Christmas cheer by singing the carols loud and clear. The echoes filled the atmosphere with festival greetings and best wishes for the new year.





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कक्षा ३ के विद्यार्थियों को इस सप्ताह कारक सविस्तार समझाया गया। कारक का अभ्यास कार्य हिंदी कार्यपत्रिका में करवाया गया। तत्पश्चात जल ही जीवन है के नए शब्दों का मौखिक अभ्यास करवाया गया।





Students of class 4 were introduced to the new lesson Lighthouse. They continued with the grammatical concept of Adverbs and did the related written exercises in the workbook. They even wrote a paragraph writing on A Visit to the Seaside.





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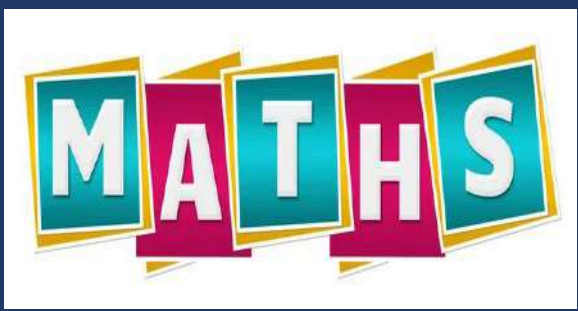
इस सप्ताह कक्षा 4 के विद्यार्थियों को व्याकरण के अंतर्गत कारक एवं समानार्थी शब्द का कार्य कराया गया। रचनात्मक कार्य के अंतर्गत विद्यार्थियों ने कविता एवं कहानियों के ऊपर चित्र सहित कक्षा कक्ष में कार्य किया। नवंबर एवं दिसंबर माह की कविता का अभ्यास कराया गया, नए शब्दों का वाक्यों में प्रयोग करना सिखाया गया। सप्ताह के अंत में विद्यार्थियों से श्रुतलेख का कार्य कराया गया।





Students of grade 5 were introduced to the lesson, 'Be Careful What You Wish For' this week. They wrote the new words and question - answers of this lesson. In grammar, they did a few exercises on Conjunctions in their notebook and workbook.





Students of Class 5 enthusiastically revisited the concept of negative numbers through an engaging and interactive learning experience. They designed and constructed models during the “Integer Working Model” activity, which allowed them to creatively showcase their understanding of integers in various practical and imaginative ways. These models not only helped them reinforce their theoretical knowledge but also brought abstract mathematical concepts to life in a fun and hands-on manner.



KATHAK(3-5)

Students from classes 3 to 5 are eagerly preparing for the upcoming annual function by practicing a captivating semi-classical dance.



VOCAL MUSIC(3-5)

इस सप्ताह छात्र छात्राओं को लक्ष्य गीत के सभी 3 भागों को सिखाया गया और सभी से सुना भी गया! साथ ही बच्चों को यह बताया गया कि हम किस प्रकार से गीत में सरगम और तराने के बोलों का प्रयोग कर सकते हैं और मधुर स्वरों से गीत का श्रृंगार कर सकते हैं!



SPORTS

Pragyan School's primary wing football teams, both girls and boys, made their mark at the 16th A.C. Deb Memorial Football Tournament, held from 9th to 13th December 2024 at Cambridge School, Noida. Competing with skill and determination, both teams advanced through the pool stage with dominance, securing first positions in their respective groups. After a successful run in the semifinals, they earned their spots in the final matches, where they showcased exceptional sportsmanship and teamwork. Although they narrowly missed the top positions, both teams secured second place, a commendable feat in a highly competitive environment. The tournament highlighted their talent, resilience, and dedication, underscoring the collective efforts of the players, coaches, and the supportive school community. This achievement not only celebrates their success but also sets the foundation for even greater accomplishments in the future.

Arham showcased exceptional talent and determination at the Table Tennis District Championship Tournament held in Gautam Buddh Nagar. Competing against skilled opponents, he achieved remarkable success by winning a gold medal in the Under-11 category, demonstrating his dominance and skill in his age group. Additionally, he secured a bronze medal in the Under-13 category, showcasing his ability to compete and excel against older players. Arham's achievements reflect his hard work, dedication, and passion for the sport, making him a proud representative of his school and an inspiration to his peers.

SPORTS



ANNUAL DAY CONCORD(3-5)

Pragyan School proudly celebrated its Classes 3-5 Annual Day Concord, on 21st December, 2024. The ceremonial function was graced by the Chief Guest Ms. Jayanti Ranganathan, Executive Editor, The Hindustan (The Hindustan Times Group) . After the ceremonial lighting of the lamp, the programme commenced with Vandanam, the Welcome Song. The school band delivered an electrifying instrumental performance The Moonwalk, bringing a fresh and dynamic twist to Michael Jackson's timeless melodies to life. It was followed by The Wellness Wheel, an English Talk Show which highlighted the engaging and thought-provoking social concerns of health, environment and screen time in a hilarious yet concerned way. The students presented a plethora of Hindi poems written by eminent poets in Abhivyakti. The rising dancers captivated the audience with their energetic Kathak performance, as they effortlessly brought Saudamini to life with grace and intensity. The Hindi Nukkad Natak Drishtikon vividly reflected the changing era through its engaging storytelling and powerful message.

ANNUAL DAY CONCORD(3-5)

The Chief Guest Ms. Jayanti Ranganathan, in her address, lauded the students for their remarkable confidence and poise during the stage performance. The school choir showcased the power of aspiration and goal-setting through their captivating musical performance, Sankalpana.

The English theatrical presentation The Enchanted Kingdom was based on a kingdom cursed by an evil witch who had bewitched Christmas to be without snow. In her vote of thanks, the School Principal Ms. Ruchika Sharma conveyed her pride in the participants, commending their hard work and outstanding presentations. The event concluded on a solemn note with the National Anthem.



EDUCATIONAL OUTING (CLASS 4)

On December 17, 2024, Grade 4 students embarked on an educational outing to the India Gate War Memorial in Delhi, accompanied by their teachers. This iconic monument, which commemorates the ultimate sacrifice of over 26,000 Indian Armed Forces soldiers in defense of our nation's sovereignty, evoked a profound sense of respect and patriotism among the young visitors. The students were captivated by the solemn beauty of the Amar Jawan Jyoti, an eternal flame symbolizing honor and gratitude for the sacrifices of our soldiers. They also explored the architectural grandeur of India Gate and learned about its historical significance. This visit provided a deeply enriching experience, inspiring the students with the values of bravery and selflessness.

