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**PRAGYAN
SCHOOL**

WEEKLY CIRCULAR SENIOR

26th AUGUST 2022
(Cir/PS/60/2022-23)

ASSEMBLY IX-XII

Classes IX-XII had an open forum to deliberate on the topic, “English Literature is overhyped.” Many points were put forward and the majority believed that English literature is more popular amongst youngsters as they find it easier to understand. Some students also accepted the fact that Hindi literature is indeed very rich and must be read and appreciated. Hindi poems are a treasure trove and one must definitely take time out to relish them. All in all, it was a very enriching session for all. Students of class XII- C displayed their oratory skills during the morning assembly on 24th August 2022. They presented a motivational story and a beautiful song. This was followed by a nukkad natak on ‘Media’ and how it changed in the recent years. The students who took part in the annual trek were given the participation certificates.

ASSEMBLY IX-XII



MATHEMATICS ENRICHMENT ACTIVITY VII

Algebra is an important life skill worth understanding well. Students of Class VII C performed their Math Enrichment Activity on "Algebraic Expressions". It motivates the students beyond basic math and prepares them for statistics and calculus. Algebra is useful around the house and in analyzing information in the news. It also reinforces logical thinking.



ENRICHMENT ACTIVITY VII

SOCIAL SCIENCE: WALK THROUGH THE NATURE

Students of class VII BC were given a virtual tour to various national parks and wildlife sanctuaries through Google Earth and 360° view videos . This time it was a hands-on activity where students prepared a project file including the History , climate , flora , fauna , location and explaining the need of these parks. Through research work on the given topics students understood the importance of these resources.



MATHEMATICS ENRICHMENT ACTIVITY VIII

Students of Class VIII BC performed their Enrichment Activity of Mathematics on the topic "Linear Equations". They understood about the mathematical circumstances that create the lines they see every day. Additionally, they learned how manipulating the slope and y - intercept of a line can affect the outcome of the graph. The activity helped students to make the connection between graphs and the real world.



SOCIAL SCIENCE ENRICHMENT ACTIVITY VIII

In Social Science enrichment activity, students of class VIII BC were given a virtual tour to national parks and sanctuaries - Nanda Devi National park, Gir National park and Jim Corbett National park. It was conducted through Google Earth and 360° view. It was followed by a hands-on activity where students have to make a model of their imaginary national park/wildlife sanctuary/ zoo. It was a group activity which helped the learners to work in group.



MATHEMATICS ENRICHMENT ACTIVITY IX

Geometry is about organizing space. Students of Class IX AB performed Enrichment Activity of Mathematics ,they organized and structured two and three-dimensional space. They prepared a surface with a pattern of flat shapes so that there are no overlaps or gaps. This activity provided overall problem solving skill development involving patterns and spatial reasoning.



MATHEMATICS ENRICHMENT ACTIVITY X

On 26-08-2022, Students of class XA made a working model on finding the Trigonometric Ratios. It was quite an interesting and fun learning experience.



MATHEMATICS LAB ACTIVITY XI

Students of class XI ABC actively participated in a Maths Enrichment Activity which was related to the chapter Sets. By cutting and pasting paper they verified the formula of the number of elements in the power set.



MATHEMATICS LAB ACTIVITY XII

On 26-08-2022, Students of class XIIA learnt the concept of Maxima and Minima with the help of paper cutting and pasting. Students had to make a cuboidal box out of a given rectangular sheet so as to maximize its volume. It was quite a fun learning experience for all of them..



WORK EDUCATION CLASS VIII

Students of class VIII learned about Electrical Safety Rules and Shock Treatment as a part of their work education during their class teacher period on Wednesday, 24th August'22. They acquired the knowledge of 'Fuse' through a video. They also learned how to affix a fuse.



ATL SESSIONS VI

Students of class VIC made super car from machanz 9 plus kit .



ATL SESSIONS VIII

During the Atal Lab session grade VIIIIB made "AUTOMATIC STREET LIGHT" using LDR.



ATL SESSIONS IX

Students of IXA prepared the circuit of Rain Drop Sensor in the Atal Tinkering Lab Session on 22nd August 2022.



INTERCLASS COMPETITION

Debate is an academic activity that gives students the creative room to express what they feel. On 24 Aug, Pragyan School, hosted "Vaad Vivaad Pratiyogita" for classes IX - XII on the topic "निर्जीकरण देश के लिए उचित या अनुचित". The participants were well prepared and undoubtedly convinced the audience of their beliefs and views. The participants, armed with statistics and data, made their arguments more emphatic with their righteous facial expressions and voice modulation. They exhibited great oratory skills. The competition was an enthralling experience for the speakers as well as the audience. A very competent and learned jury composed of Ms.Roja Ramani Revella and Mr.Nitin Sahay judged the student on well formed judgement. We congratulate the following winners of the event.

WINNERS OF VAAD VIVAAD [2022-23]

POSITION	NAME OF THE STUDENTS	CLASS
<u>FOR THE MOTION</u>		
WINNER	ARNAVI	X-A
RUNNERS UP	SHRISHTI KUMAR PRIYAM	XI-A XII-A
<u>AGAINST THE MOTION</u>		
WINNER	PARI	XI-A
RUNNERS UP	VIBHU	X-C

INTERSCHOOL COMPETITION: ECOFORUM

The Economics students of our school participated in the "Eco Forum" organised by Viswa Bharati Public School, Noida on 25th August 2022. The topic of the presentation was "Economic slowdown in the US and its effect on the Indian economy." The students gave a tough competition there by bagging the Award for "Best Presentation and Content". The participants were: Saahil Sinha XII A, Ira Joshi XII C, Niyati XII A.



WEBINARS

A training session by The Rotary Club District 3012

Senior members of Interact club attended a training session organised by The Rotary Club District 3012, for all the affiliated clubs. The session gave the interactors an insight of projects held in the past year and important events that will be held this year. The session included some fun games and announcement of the winners of first competition DIGI-DASH ROTARY, a digital poster making contest with the theme of the competition as ROTARY. Interactor Ananya Singh of class XIIB, Pragyan School secured the second place. She beat out hundreds of applicants to win the Digi-Dash competition.



Name of the Participant Teacher	Topic of the webinar
Dr Seema Sharma	•Using Teacher Energized Resource Manual- Science Upper Primary

SOCIAL CLUBS

CLASS VI- XII



- ECOLOGY CLUB
- HEALTH AND WELLNESS CLUB
- DEBATING AND JOURNALISM CLUB
- INTERACT CLUB

ECOLOGY CLUB VI-VIII

This week Eco club members were divided into groups and each group presented a self-written nukkad natak on water conservation. Arnav Singh and Praket of class VIII presented their self-composed poem on water conservation. This activity made each member aware about the significance of water in our life.



HEALTH AND WELLNESS CLUB VI- VIII

“A fit body, a calm mind, a house full of love. These things cannot be bought—they must be earned.” Keeping this view in mind, students of the Junior Health and Wellness club started their weekly session with a Poster Making Activity on “Health Awareness”. As we are aware an optimally designed poster appeals to the viewer’s curiosity, and his or her intellect, but also unconsciously to the emotional side. So the main purpose was to help children develop a positive attitude, think positively and feel good about themselves.



DEBATING AND JOURNALISM CLUB VI-VIII

Student members of the debating and Journalism club enjoyed debating on different topics like 'Is democracy good or bad', 'What is more important - knowledge or hard work', The idea was to make them think and express their opinions on the spot. Everyone enjoyed the session as it gave them an opportunity to be impromptu.



INTERACT CLUB VI-VIII

Students of Interact Club attended the club meeting on 23rd August 2022. The agenda of the meeting was to discuss about the habits that they can inculcate to make their future better. The student members read the article in the newspaper and presented their views on the topic. The teacher incharges Ms Pallavi and Ms Richa Palni discussed the various solutions of the problems we generate on a daily basis towards Carbon Footprint.



INTERACT CLUB INSTALLATION CEREMONY

Pragyan School, Greater Noida, organised the installation ceremony of the Interact Club on Tuesday 23rd August. The ceremony began with the welcoming of the Rotary Club members and all present in the gathering. The programme commenced with the Instrumental performance, a skit on the topic "Habit of helping" and a song performance. The club activities of the year 2021-2022 were summed up by the new president and secretary of the club, Daria Khan and Niyati respectively of class XIA. President of Rotary Club, Green Greater Noida, Rtn Vijay Pratap Vashisht in his acceptance speech stressed about 'Charity begins at home' and school's involvement in initiating good projects for the current year. In the speech, he remarked about the hard work and efforts of the club. The Principal Ms Ruchika Sharma extended her gratitude to the guests and congratulated the newly inducted members of the Interact Club who beamed with excitement. She appealed in her speech to the audience, our actions must reflect our service to mankind.

INTERACT CLUB INSTALLATION CEREMONY



FOGGING OF THE SCHOOL CAMPUS

Fogging with insect repellent of the entire school campus was done to get rid of any breeding mosquitoes.



HEALTH & WELLNESS CLUB



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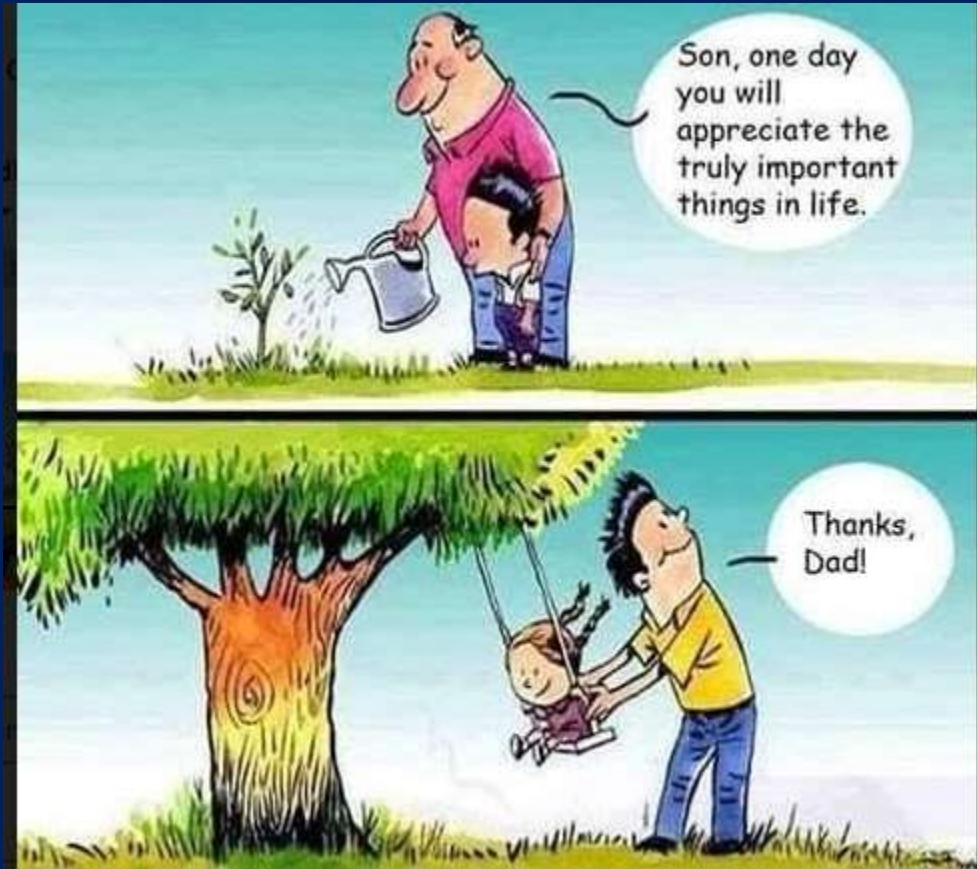
- **Wash Hands:**
Frequently wash hands for 15-20 seconds with warm water and soap; use alcohol-based sanitizers if soap is not available
- **Shower after Sports:**
Shower after participating in athletic activity or after sharing sports or workout equipment
- **No Sharing:**
Never share personal hygiene items including towels, soap, brushes or clothing
- **Dry & Clean:**
Keep all cuts, scrapes, wounds or burns clean and dry
- **Keep it Covered:**
Use proper bandages on all wounds

Source: American Academy of Pediatrics



ECOLOGY CLUB

As you sow, so you reap. Let's plant saplings for a better tomorrow.





TIP OF THE WEEK



8 WAYS KIDS CAN CALM DOWN ANYWHERE

All kids can have a hard time regulating their emotions. Some have a tougher time than others. For those that need a bit of extra help, these calming tools that they can do ANYWHERE, will provide them with the skills necessary to calm down in any situation.

- 1 COUNT TO 5.**
Counting is a great way to help kids learn how to stop and think before reacting to their anger. Impulse control is difficult to come by for young kids. This simple tactic gives them a chance to think before they act.
- 2 TAKE A DEEP BREATH.**
Deep breathing is such a great relaxation technique. Despite how they are feeling, taking a deep breath (or two) can help them calm their bodies quickly.
- 3 BLOW INTO YOUR HANDS.**
This is another technique for promoting deep breathing. By blowing directly into their hands rather than the air, the child receives feedback and can feel the strength of their breaths.
- 4 PLACE HANDS IN POCKETS.**
This act provides kids with some deep pressure and physical restraint. An alternative to this would be to sit on hands or clap them tightly.
- 5 ACKNOWLEDGE ANTECEDENTS TO ANGER.**
It is so important that kids begin to notice and realize what happens to their bodies when they become angry. What does their face feel like? Is there tension in their body?
- 6 MAKE A FIST, THEN RELAX THE HAND.**
Squeezing hands into fists and then releasing is a great way to remove some of the tension built up in the body. Often kids do not realize how much tension they are holding in their bodies when becoming upset.
- 7 DO A BODY SCAN.**
Start at the head, working down the body, notice areas of tension and relax those muscles.
- 8 ASK FOR A HUG.**
Hugs make everything better. Find someone you love and hug it out.



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