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**PRAGYAN
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WEEKLY CIRCULAR

20th MAY 2022

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PRAGYAN
SCHOOL

SUMMER CAMP SUNNY SMILES

17th May - 28th May 2022
- CLASSES NURSERY TO V-

Summer
- ADVENTURE -

Summer camp of Classes Nursery to V started from 17th May 2022. Students who are a part of the camp are actively involved in various chosen activities.



Summer camp of Nursery and kindergarten is going on where students actively participate in various activities like splash pool, yoga, magic art, fun sports, origami, dance, Leaf pasting.

Splash pool- Students enjoyed their splash pool activity during this hot summer time.

Yoga- Students tried to do Surya namaskar and different yoga poses where they learnt the benefits of those yoga as well.





Fun sports- Students enjoyed warm up exercises, Hurdle race, playing with football, frisbee and throwing and catching the soft ball.

Origami- Students enjoyed doing origami like fish, whale, fos, tulip.

Dance- Students enjoyed dancing on the song 'Beautiful world'.

Magic art- Students enjoyed doing peacock, lion and various things with the thumbprint.



MANDALA ART & FINGER PAINTING (1&2)

Mandala art is a Sanskrit word for “magic circle”. It is an activity that helps develop hand-eye coordination, trains the mind to recognize shapes, develops creativity, stimulates the sense of patience and attention, and helps the development of intelligence and reasoning.

Class 1 & 2 enjoyed learning basic design and colouring Mandala art. They were taught to make the base using the Mandala art for poster making. They also had fun in making the Mandals art circle design.



AEROBICS (1&2)

Students of class-1 & 2 learnt aerobics on the beats of music. The class always began with some warm up exercises and then continued with some aerobic exercises. These fun exercises are making these kids move their body and have fun at the same time.



MEMORY GAMES (1&2)

Memory games can improve other brain functions, such as attention, concentration, and focus. Children of class 1 and 2 enjoyed creating and playing memory games. The classes started with several memory games like spot the difference, guess the picture, I spy, find the bugs, how many in the shown picture etc. First activity was Lay your table where children were shown with the different table layouts and children had to lay the same layout without looking at it. Children enjoyed making matching cards for matching memory games and they made a picture and word chart to guess the words and pictures of their friends. after seeing them once. A shopping list and a bingo game was also part of the activity.



COOKING WITHOUT FIRE (1&2)

As part of Summer Camp activity - Sunny Smiles, students learnt how to make different snacks and dishes under the category 'Cooking without fire'. They learnt a few easy recipes to beat the heat such as buttermilk, tang, Roohafzah lassi, stuffed Monaco, aloo chaat, simple vegetable sandwich etc. Students enjoyed learning these thoroughly in the first week of the camp.



PAPER CRAFT (1&2)

Paper craft has an aesthetic, educational and therapeutic value. It strengthens understanding of geometry, develops problem solving skills, promotes multicultural awareness, teaches patience and following instructions. Children of class 1 and 2 enjoyed making paper folding fans, photo frames, flower cards, bouquets and birthday caps. It was fun for the children to make all these and they were able to relate it with their day today lives.



STORY ENACTMENT (1&2)

Enacting stories has a positive influence on children. It helps in mental development and is great for learning. Story Enactment is the method of conveying stories in words, sounds etc.

Classes 1 & 2 had a pleasant time enjoying the Story Enactment activity. In the first week of the summer camp one video of the story was shown to the kids which they really liked. Moreover, they enjoyed learning to make props on which they'll be enacting. Dialogue delivery was taught to them and also they danced on a jungle song which they really adored.



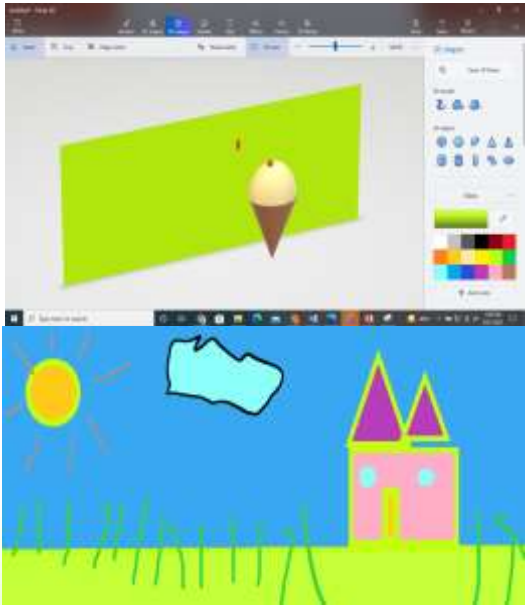
SUMMER CAMP: MATCHSTICK ART (1&2)

Summer camp helps a child to make the memories of a lifetime, with new friends, new skills and a new self-esteem that breeds confidence. As part of Summer Camp activity - Sunny Smiles, students of classes 1 and 2, learnt Matchstick art and created Sailboat, Flower in the pot and Windmill in the first week of the camp. A different technique that made children learn how a dangerous object can also be used in a creative way with little imagination and skill.



LITTLE TECHIE: PAINT 3D (1&2)

Children had a lot of fun in the first week of Computer Summer Camp. They learnt brush tool, 2D shapes and 3D shapes of Paint 3D. They made different 2D, 3D objects in Paint 3D .



TWIST A GIFT: GIFT WRAPPING (3-5)

The art of gift wrapping is a great way of enclosing the present so that it is a surprise for the receiver. During the first week of the summer camp, students of classes 3 to 5 learnt the Japanese Style wrapping technique using only a single piece of tape. They also learnt to make bows using ribbons and origami sheets. Students were also taught eco-friendly techniques of gift wrapping using brown paper bags and newspapers. They added a personal touch to the gifts using their creativity.



THE MEANDERING YARN (3-5)



Embroidery is the craft of decorating fabric or other materials using a needle to apply thread or yarn. During the first week of the Summer Camp, Sunny Smiles, the students of Class 3 to 5 learnt the basics of stitching and embroidery. They learnt to do various kinds of embroidery like running stitch, stem stitch, back stitch, chain stitch and satin stitch.



ALICE ANIMATION 3D (3-5)



Students of grade (3-5) did animation using handles and camera layout in Alice. They have learnt how to write script and create animation in Alice. Students have made 3D animation on Bunny and Bluebird greeting each other.



STORYTELLING (3-5)



Students of storytelling had a session of endless fun and exciting adventures @Once upon a Time, with Ms Swati. They learnt about the various elements of storytelling and what are folktales. They heartily enjoyed folktales from different parts of the world and shared beautiful drawings of their favourite characters too. They danced to the Happy Song and even narrated their own stories. They enjoyed learning how to make finger puppets and use them as props.



NAMASTE YOGA (3-5)

Yoga helps students to develop a healthy body at the physical, mental and spiritual level. When combined with breathing and meditation, yoga acts as the best element to take care of our mind, body and soul. During the first few days of the summer camp, students of Class 3 to 5 learnt vajrasan, bhastika pranayam, bhujangasan, dhanushasan, tadasan and surya namaskar.



LET'S CLAY AROUND (3-5)

May your hand be full of clay and your heart with imagination.

The tactile hands on nature of clay made children get engrossed while allowing for a high degree of creativity. They pounded, squeezed, rolled and blended the clay to make some unique and amazing creations like the life cycle of a butterfly by preparing a caterpillar, pupa, butterfly and eggs. They also learnt to prepare snail and tortoise.



BREAKFAST DELIGHTS (3-5)

Breakfast , the most important meal of the day should be eaten well. One should eat breakfast like a ‘King’ to stay fit and be energetic throughout the day. During the first week of the summer camp, little chefs of the activity learned to prepare some nutritious and delectable dishes for breakfast. They learned to prepare Rawa Idli with sambhar and coconut chutney, KaleChane ke Kabab, Cocktail Samosa and Lassi, Saboodana Tikki with Choco Smoothie and Cheese Balls with Sprouts Salad. Students enjoyed learning to chop veggies and plating styles to present their dishes.



BREAK FREE FITNESS: ZUMBA (3-5)

Zumba is a "fun and effective" dance fitness class that provides "A total workout, combining all elements of fitness". Students of classes 3-5 enjoyed the Zumba class during summer camp with some foot-tapping dance numbers.



ALL THE WORLD'S A STAGE: DRAMATICS (3-5)

Students of dramatics had a fun-filled session with Ms. Neelu in the first week of Summer Camp, Sunny Smiles. They learnt about drama and its elements. They also learnt about different facial expressions and how to deliver dialogues using those expressions. They even enjoyed dancing during the session.



ADVENTURES OF ECOPALS (3-5)

With the initiation of the Summer Camp 'Sunny Smiles', the students of 3-5 had the opportunity to uncover the mysteries of science related to space. Our young creative Pragyanians explored different concepts by performing various experiments like playing with air, lava lamp, milk art, walking water, balloon in a bottle. The children were very enthusiastic to know about the unknown facts on outer space and different planets of our solar system. They had a lot of fun doing these experiments and exploring science concepts.



RESULT OF INTER CLASS ACTIVITY: ROLL A STORY

Following Students Are the Winners of the Inter- Class Weekly Activity- Roll a Story.

1	Oudhvikaa Gahlan	3 C	1st
2	Punarnava Mukherjee	3 D	2nd
3	Myra Saluja	3 A	3rd
4	Anaisha Thapliyal	3 D	3rd
5	Myra Kasliwal	3 D	Commendation
1	Akshayaa Pandey	4 D	1st
2	Rihansh Chaudhary	4 D	2nd
3	Ishani Agarwal	4 C	2nd
4	Aarohi Thakur	4 B	Commendation
5	Anaya Jain	4 B	Commendation
1	Priyal Rao	5 A	1st
2	Aayush Mehta	5 B	2nd
3	Drishti	5 D	2nd
4	Sarisha Sharma	5 D	Commendation

OLYMPIAD AND HANDHOLDING CLASSES (VI-IX)

The summer break time this month from 17 May to 28 May is being utilized for conducting handholding and olympiad classes . Students of classes VI-IX are being given extra classes to further enhance their concepts and teachers are working with the students to clear their doubts and queries. Olympiad classes in Social science, Science, Maths and English are also being conducted to prepare the students for the SOF olympiads.

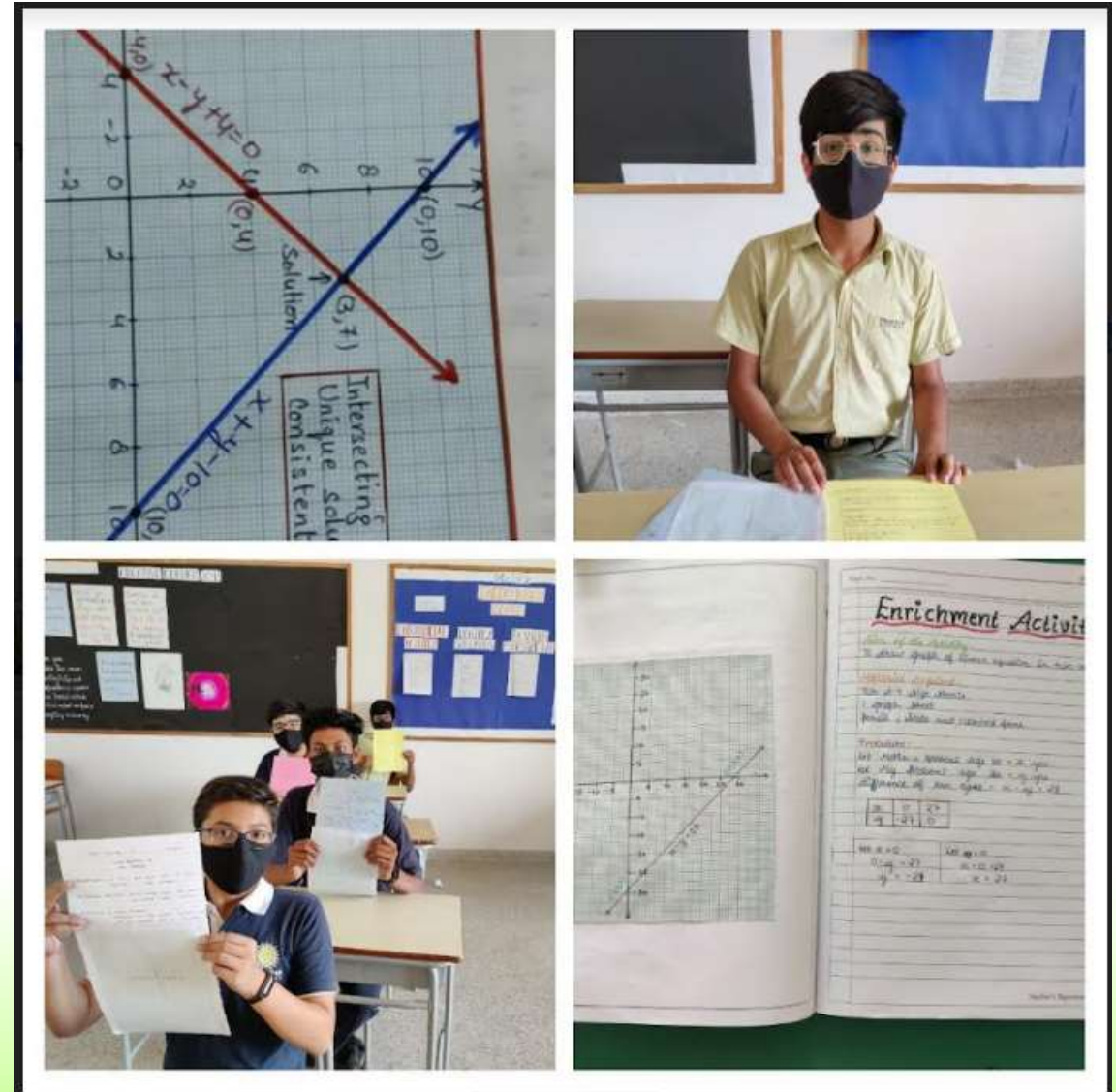
PRAGYAN PLUS SESSION

Pragyan School, under its Pragyan Plus initiative introduces, "University Guidance and Preparatory Classes" for the students of class XII during school hours in order to assist students in preparation of Common University Entrance Test, Target - 2023. Classes commenced from 20th of May 2022.



ENRICHMENT ACTIVITY(X)

Students of class XB performed Mathematics Enrichment Activity on 20/05/22 related to Linear Equations in two variables with enthusiasm. They framed two equations with difference of their and their parents age and represented those on graph. Students learnt practical approach of linear equations in two variables.



CBSE WEBINARS

Name of the Participant Teacher	Topic of the webinar
Ms Richashree	<ul style="list-style-type: none">•Microsoft innovative Educator•Accessibility, special education and online learning: Supporting equity in remote learning environment.



HEALTH & WELLNESS CLUB



Super Healthy Spices

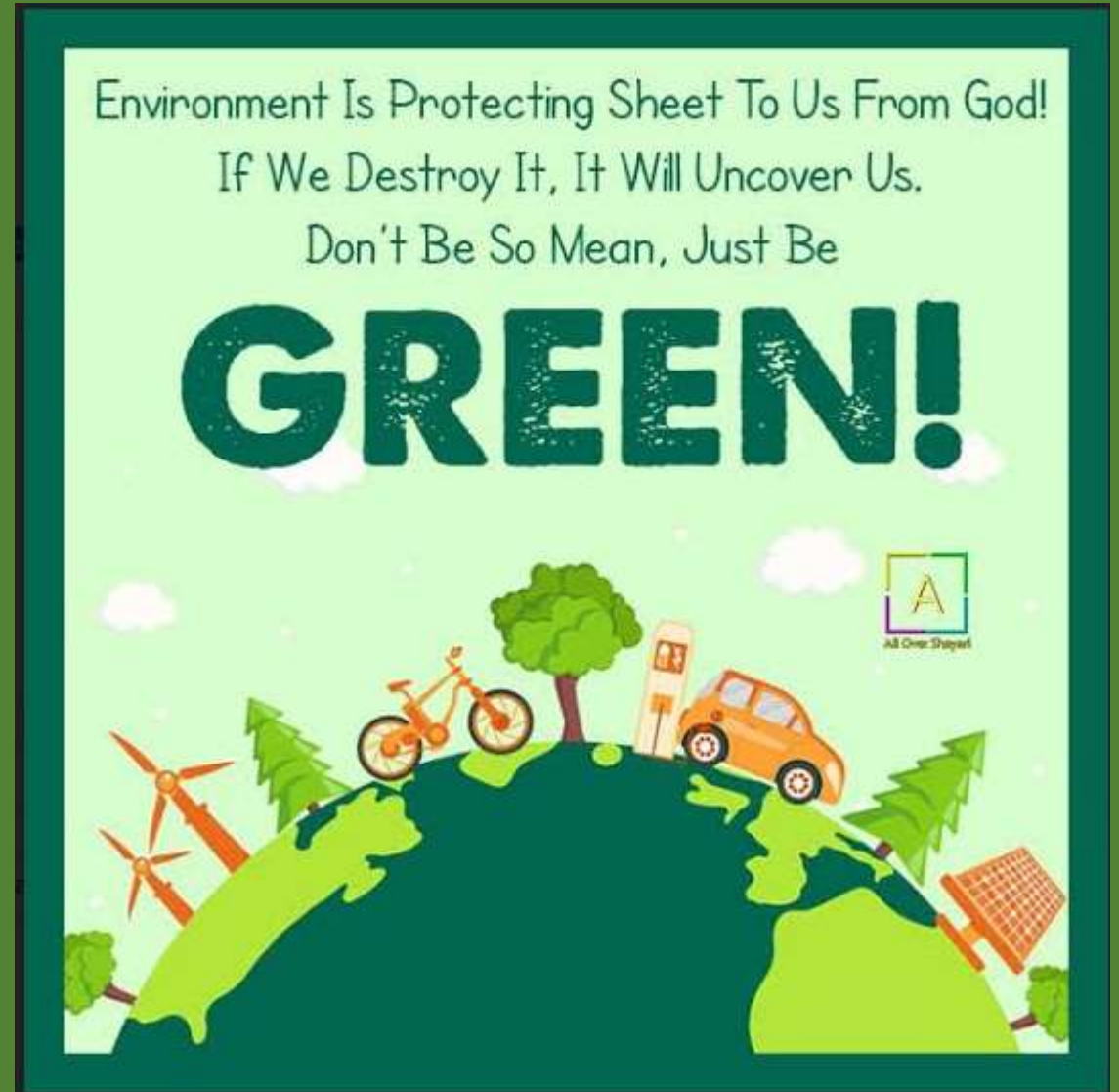
OREGANO helps soothe stomach muscles		Thyme relaxes respiratory muscles
MINT can ease hiccups		TURMERIC anti-cancer
GINGER anti-nausea remedy		BASIL can relieve gas and soothe stomach upsets
GARLIC natural antiseptic		BLACK PEPPER help relieve indigestion
FENUGREEK helps flush out harmful toxins		CAYENNE can stop a heart attack
Fennel can reduce bad breath and body odor		CINNAMON helps lower blood pressure
CLOVE anti-microbial		Dill treat heartburn, colic and gas
SAGE antiseptic and antibiotic		Rosemary antioxidant



Tip of
the week

ECOLOGY CLUB

We won't have a society if we destroy the environment. - Margaret Mead





TIP OF THE WEEK



Many of us conceal emotional realities from our children. Usually, it's done with well-meaning intent, but children can read atmosphere. If they feel something big in the air that they don't understand, they'll feel uncomfortable, twitchy or even distressed. It's better to tell your children that you've woken up really cranky and tired today than it is to yell at them for no apparent reason.

- Aunt Annie's Childcare