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OUR VISION

To create futuristic school to develop leaders for the world.

OUR MISSION

To develop the children and mold them to be the true global citizen with sterling qualities and good values.





PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE



Dear Students,

Examinations are a part of your academic journey, but they should never be a source of fear. Instead of viewing them as obstacles, see them as opportunities to showcase your learning and progress. As Dr. A.P.J. Abdul Kalam said, "Exams are not the end but a stepping stone to success." A calm and confident mind can turn any challenge into a learning experience.

Success in exams is not about last-minute stress but about consistent effort and smart preparation. Plan your studies well, revise regularly, and practice self-discipline. Swami Vivekananda advised, "Take up one idea. Make that one idea your life-think of it, dream of it, live on that idea." Stay focused on your goal, and your dedication will yield results.

A healthy body and mind are essential for effective learning. Ensure you get enough rest, eat nutritious food, and practice meditation or yoga to improve concentration. As the Bhagavad Gita teaches, "A person is said to be elevated when his mind is steady in difficulties." A calm approach helps you perform better.

Avoid comparing yourself with others; each student has unique strengths. Believe in your abilities and trust the effort you have put in. As Mahatma Gandhi said, "The best way to find yourself is to lose yourself in the service of others." Focus on self-improvement rather than competition.

Exams are just a part of your education, not a measure of your worth. Approach them with confidence, do your best, and learn from every experience. With determination and a positive mindset, you will always find success. Stay strong, stay motivated, and keep learning.

"SOAR UNIQUELY HIGH" Yes. You Can.

Yours in education Dr. Jegatheesh TR



TREASURE

PONGAL CELEBRATION

Pongal / Makara Sankranti is a festival day in the Hindu Calendar, in reference to the deity Surya (Sun). It is observed each year in January. The festival is celebrated across the country, with a distinct regional essence even though the forms are different but the purpose remains the same, marking the onset of the spring season.

KPS celebrated Pongal on January 13, 2025. Smartly dressed in colourful ethnic wear, our students performed many enthralling songs and dances. As part of the celebration,' Chakara Pongal' was prepared in clay pots. The entire campus wore a festive look with colourful Rangoli, decorated Pongal pots, sugarcanes and other decorations enhancing the festival spirit. Various cultural programs, that included songs, dances and skit, depicted the significance of the Harvest Festival. The Highlight of the day was the Inter – House Pongal Competition by the teachers and students of all the four houses, followed by indigenous games like Lucky Corner and Uriyadi.













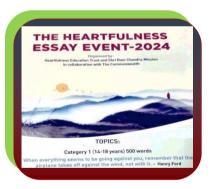






HEARTFULLNESS ESSAY EVENT

The Heartfulness Education Trust organized the Heartfulness Essay Event 2024, a platform for students to showcase their writing skills. Our school enthusiastically participated and Lokesh S R, of Grade 12, secured the 5th position in the Tamil essay writing category.



NATIONAL ROAD SAFETY MONTH

In observance of National Road Safety Month, our school organized a Drawing and Slogan Writing Competition for students from Grades 3 to 9 and 11 on 23rd January 2025. The event aimed to raise awareness about road safety, with students actively participating and showcasing their creativity through impactful drawings and slogans emphasizing the importance of traffic rules and responsible road behavior.









ORIENTATION PROGRAM BY INFINITY LEARN

On 25th January 2025, Infinity Learn organized an orientation program for Grades 6 to 11, focusing on foundation classes and preparation for NEET and JEE. The session emphasized the importance of building strong conceptual knowledge from an early stage to excel in competitive exams.







ACTIVITIES

CATERPILLAR MODEL

Our PRE-KG kids made a caterpillar model using paper plate, circle cutouts, small pompom balls, green strips and googly eyes. Through this activity kids learnt about insects, identifying common insects, parts of insects, exploring their life cycles etc. It helped kids to develop empathy for living things, hands on exploration and environmental awareness.







STRAWBERRY MODEL

Our PRE-KG kids made a Strawberry model using strawberry cutout, crayons and glue. Through this activity kids learnt about fruits, identified and named various fruits, colour, shapes and textures. It helped the kids to develop a foundational knowledge about healthy eating habits, eye-hand coordination, cognitive and fine motor skills.





FLOWER PLANT MODEL

Our LKG kids made flower plant model using foam flower, straw, leaf cutouts. Through this activity our kids learnt about plants, flowers, color and shapes. It also helped to develop their fine motor skills and hand-eye coordination.









FLOWER BRACELET MODEL

Our LKG kids made a flower bracelet model using satin ribbon and flower with sequence. Through this activity our kids learnt about different flowers and parts of flowers. It helped the kids to develop their creativity, cognitive and fine motor skills.









POT PAINTING ACTIVITY

Our Toddlers made a pot painting as a part of pongal celebration using pot and paints. Through this activity children learnt to paint, knowing about colors and also refine their fine motor skills. It helped children to express their emotions and promote emotional well-being.





FISH CATCHING ACTIVITY

Fishing games can help children develop their thinking process by requiring them to think quickly. Our Toddlers had a fish catching activity using stick to catch up fish. Children can improve their hand-eye coordination and fine motor skills by casting a line or reeling in a fish.



PARROT MODEL ACTIVITY

Our little charms of UKG were actively engaged in a Parrot Model activity using colorful paper and googly eyes. This delightful hands-on activity enhanced their creativity, fine motor skills, and observational abilities while strengthening their understanding of shapes. It was a joyful experience watching our students learn through exploration and imagination.









SWAN MODEL ACTIVITY

Our UKG kids were actively engaged in making Swan Model Activity. The activity involved using materials such as paper plates for the swan's body, feathers for decoration, craft paper for features like the beak, googly eyes to bring the swan to life. It helped to develop their fine motor skills, creativity and imagination.







RHYTHM SHAKER

Learning about different cities of India, expose kids to diverse cultures, traditions and ways of life. One of the aspects of culture is the music, which involves rhythm.

Our students of Grade 3, explored the culture of Chennai by combining music and rice, which the people of Chennai are fond of using these two elements, the kids made rhythm shakers using paper cups.







English Project (1ste five statements using "and" statements can be written based on a situation like speaking to a front. 1. could you explain how to prepare held? 2. could you please tell how to select good note. 3. Doubt you please tell how to do forwing? 4. Could you please tell of the rain fell way known; on the prepared? 5. Doubl you please tell how to do havesting.

PROPER COMMUNICATION

Grammar plays a vital role in proper communication. Children of Grade 3 learnt the usage of "could" in making polite requests.

The activity was designed by giving them a situation where they could frame questions using politely. This activity enhanced their speaking skills and helped them use grammar correctly.



कारक गतिविधि

संज्ञा या सर्वनाम के लिए रूप से वाक्य का संबंध किसी दूसरे शब्द के साथ जाना जाता, उसे कारक कहते हैं। छठी कक्षा के विद्यार्थियों ने कारक गतिविधि की। इस गतिविधि से वे अपने रचनात्मकता से कारक के प्रकार और उवके सिंह दर्शाते हैं।





पोंगल

पोंगल दक्षिण भारत में मनाया जाने वाला एक प्रमुख त्योहार है, विशेषकर तमिलनाडु में। यह चार दिनों तक चलने वाला एक कृषि पर्व है, जो मुख्य रूप से नववर्ष का स्वागत करता है और किसानों द्वारा फसल की कटाई के सफल समापन का जश्न मनाता है।

- * बोगी पोंगल: पहले दिन, प्रानी चीजों को जलाकर नए साल का स्वागत किया जाता है।
- * थाई पोंगल: दूसरे दिन, मुख्य पोंगल मनाया जाता है, जिसमें नए चावल को दूध और चीनी के साथ पकाया जाता है और भगवान सूर्य को अर्पित किया जाता है।
- * माट्टु पोंगलः तीसरे दिन, पशुओं को सम्मानित किया जाता है और उनकी पूजा की जाती है।
- * कान्म पोंगल: चौथे दिन, बहनें अपने भाइयों के लंबे जीवन की कामना करती हैं





"CHOICE IS YOURS"

Whatever has to be done, it's always your choice.

We're all confronted by countless choices each day. Each decision helps to define who we are and how we're different from one another. Personal values should serve as your guiding star in making good choices.

Remember, there's no right or wrong answer to each question. The answer that you provide should be the right one for YOU.

Students from grade 8 have learned about making right choices from the lesson "Choice is Yours".













SAFETY RULES

Our Grade 5 students completed a project on safety rules, focusing on how to stay safe at home, school, and while traveling. They highlighted important rules like wearing seat belts, following traffic signals, using helmets while biking, and practicing fire safety. Their project aimed to raise awareness about personal safety and encourage responsible behavior to prevent accidents.



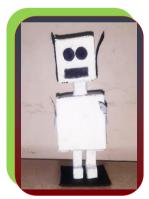








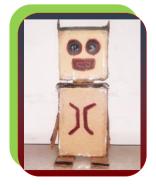




எந்திர மனிதன்

இயந்திர மனிதன் என்பது மனிதனைப் போலவே இருக்கும் தானியங்கி எந்திரம் ஆகும். மனிதர்கள் செய்யும் வேலையை செய்வதற்காக வடிவமைக்கப்பட்டது இன்றும் பல்வேறு ஆய்வுகளுக்காக பல இவ்வெந்திரம். உருவாக்கப்படுகின்றது. வடிவங்களில் எந்திர மனிதன் எல்லா வயதினரையும் கவரும் எந்திர மனிதனின் மாதிரி நான்காம் மாணவர்கள் வடிவக்கை வகுப்பு உருவாக்கியுள்ளனர்.















அறிவுசால் ஔவையார் நாடகம்

கல்வி அறிவில் சிறந்த அறவோரைப் பற்றியும், கொடைத்திறன் மிக்க வள்ளல்களைப் பற்றியும் அறிய சங்க இலக்கியங்கள் பெரிம் துணை புரிக்கின்றன. அறிவில் சிறந்த புலவர்கள், மன்னர்களுக்கு தேவையான அறிவுரை வழங்கி நாட்டை பாதுகாக்க உதவினர் என்பதை அறிவுசால் ஒளவையார் கதை வழி அறிய முடியும். இக்கதையினை தங்கள் நடிப்புத்திறன் மூலம் வெளிப்படுத்தியுள்ளனர் எட்டாம் வகுப்பு மாணவர்கள்.











MUD POT REFRIGERATOR:

To minimize the use of electrical gadgets and prevent the release of chlorofluorocarbons, vegetables can be kept fresh using mud pots. Through this activity, Our Grade 06 students learned about the cooling effect of mud pots. This helped them understand how to maintain a natural refrigerator. The soil retains water, and water evaporation from the outer surface of the post helps keep the temperature inside.



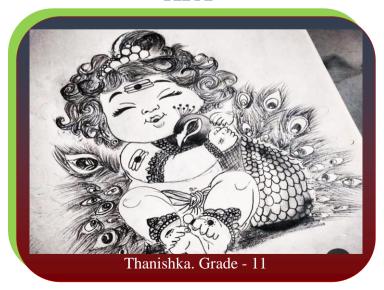


MAZE USING STRAW

Students created a maze using straws and operated it using a magnet. By moving the magnet along the maze, students could roll iron balls through it. Through this activity, Our Grade 06 students learned about the properties of magnetic materials and magnets. It was a fun and engaging way for them to explore magnetic properties.



ART



A POEM OF A PEBBLE

Oh dear Pebble! You go
Plonk! Plonk! Plonk!
Down in the well,
And down in my heart.
As I throw it,
And go hippity hoppity hop!
Humming through the woods,
And jump all I want.
Going round about,
Collecting more pebbles, to throw about.
Shiny and smooth with a twinkle in my eye,
The sight of you melts my feelings.

-PRANAVIHA PRABAKARAN GRADE – 05





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