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From the Principal's Desk...



“It is a law of nature we overlook, that intellectual versatility is the compensation for change, danger, and trouble. An animal perfectly in harmony with its environment is a perfect mechanism. Nature never appeals to intelligence until habit and instinct are useless. There is no intelligence where there is no change and no need of change. Only those animals partake of intelligence that have a huge variety of needs and dangers.”

— H.G. Wells, ‘The Time Machine’

At Zydus- Godhavi, children are continuously exposed to a wide gamut of engagements and interaction with people, situations and activities which help in shaping versatile individuals who can use their skills, knowledge and values towards wholesome learning experiences.

Read on to know more...



Hiya Singh (V) is the **Semi-finalist** at The **Second Gujarat State Ranking Table Tennis Tournament 2019** in Cadet Girls Singles Event. She also stood **2nd** in Mini Cadet Girls and **3rd** in the Sub Junior Girls Event .



Chitrax Bhatt (XI) -In **6th Asian School Championships** he won **Silver Medal** in Individual Event, **Silver Medal** in Double Event & **Bronze medal** in Team Event . He stands tall with this victory as its for the first time in Indian Table Tennis history...
 "We are proud of you Chitrax!"



Divit Matreja won **2 Gold Medals** at **2nd All India Shito Ryu Karate Championship 2019** in both Kata and Kumite categories organised by SRSKAI - [Shito Ryu Sports Karate Association of India] Also stood **2nd** in **Karate District Level Khel Mahakumbh** and selected for **State Level**.



Jahan Patel (VIII) stood **1st** in 300m Skating District Level Khel Mahakumbh and is selected for **State Level**
 He also stood **1st** in 300m. & 1000m CBSE Cluster West Zone and is in **National level**.



Jashvi Shah (VIII) stood **1st** & Varnika Chhawcharia (X) stood **4th** in Badminton District Level Khel Mahakumbh and are selected for **State Level** .



Shanay Shah (III) & Adi Jain (VII) stood **2nd** in Chess District Level Khel Mahakumbh and is selected for **State Level**



International Level Camel Art Contest

Revant Gandhi (I) - A **trophy** and **certificate** was awarded to him as he stood **1st** in Group A for 'My Family'

Dhanishka Rathi (III)- received **appreciation certificate** and a **trophy** in Group B for 'My Favorite School'



Jwal Trivedi (IV) stood **2nd** in 300m Skating District Level Khel Mahakumbh and selected for **State Level** .
 He also stood **1st** in 300m CBSE Cluster West Zone and has qualified for the **Nationals**.

In Khel Mahakumbh Taluka Level

U-17 Hockey Girls stood **2nd**

U-14 Hockey Girls stood **3rd** and **8 Girls** are selected for **State Level**

U-17 Volleyball Girls stood **1st** & selected for **District Level**

U-17 Football Girls stood **1st**

U-17 Football Boys stood **4th**

Bindhya Sunish (Educator) - was nominated from School to receive The IIBM Teachers Day Award 2019, by International Institute of Hotel Management in association with the International Hospitality Council, London & Delhi.



Reading Moms

Every weekend , Moms took initiative to share interesting stories to the entire kindergarten .The narratives were shared as a means of entertainment, education, cultural preservation and **instilling moral values**. The listening to a story instead of watching a video shall facilitate these kids to use their imagination more creatively and further encourage free thinking and the formation of innovative ideas.



Puppet Shows

The month long puppet play , put up by the educators helped young children to **develop creative skills** by forcing them to use their imagination. When they pick up the roles, the rules, the situations and the solutions.... the real world becomes more real to children who have opportunities to pretend and **develop emotionally** with improved **motor skills**. As kids feel shy reading or speaking out loud in front of their peers or parents ,playing with **puppet “friends”** will boost their confidence and help in constructing sentences and find words to describe the elements in their storytelling.

School Visits:

- 09.07.2019 Children were excited for their **first field trip** in **School**. They visited different labs ,sports room, library, music room and dance room. Anatomical models of human body created curiosity in children.
- 30.08.2019 **Nature Walk**-There are a lot of benefits of nature. Children were taken to the ground, where they learnt about the different types of plants and their names. Such activities help them to know the surroundings and reduce anxiety.
- 26.09.2019 **Science City**— The trip was a wonderful experience -full of knowledge and fun for the kids. Our tiny tots visited Earth Pavilion– an earth shaped dome where they saw an aquarium, wild animals, extinct animal, jungle and other science models.



16.07.2019- ‘Guru is aspiration, Guru is inspiration!’ This Guru Purnima our tiny tots teachers put up role play for both the new and old era of teaching.



11.07.2019- ‘Sense Organs’ :Teachers with the help of different things showcased the importance of it. They allow us to perceive the world in which we live. It is with the sense organs ,a stimuli is detected which is then interpreted and responded to accordingly. Kids enjoyed the activity as it gave them hands -on -experience.

14.08.2019-Independence Day/ Raksha Bandhan -73rd Independence Day was celebrated by our little ones; they conveyed their love towards their country by different dance performances.

Kids tied Rakhi to trees to established a **bond of love between them and nature**. To make them more responsible towards Nature.





14.08.2019-Germination -The ‘germination of seeds’ activity was done to demonstrate how a plant develops from a seed. The children were happy to see the practical experiment -of seeds sprouting in the soil and had all smiles and wonder to take home.

23.08.2019– Janmashtami Celebration-Children celebrated the occasion by enacting the “Krishna Leela” with six different enactments from birth to Kansh – Vadh; further the celebration continued with ‘Makti Fod ‘ and ‘Garba.’



30.08.2019– Ganesh Chaturthi -Clay moulding enhances the child’s dexterity and improves eye-hand coordination. Our little ones made **Eco- friendly** Ganesha and took the idol home. They also learnt the mythological anecdotes of Lord Ganesha.

Gaining Insights



1.07.2019 —Basic Training on Fire Safety Campaign: Safety of children and staff in school is of utmost priority for any institution. To educate about the same, a fire safety demonstration drill was conducted in the campus by the group of security officials. Various preventive measures that one must follow during a fire breakout , were also discussed in detail.

06.07.2019 Union Budget Workshop at AMA: Students of Std 11 and 12 Commerce , went for the analysis of the Union Budget 2019 by Mr. Mukesh Patel , an eminent International Tax Expert and Mr. Jay Narayan Vyas, a Leading Management Expert . They shared their views on the present Economic Scenario. It was a new experience for the students and they were the youngest audience to witness and be a part of it.



12.07.2019 Alzheimer's Awareness Programme - As an extension to the Hubs of Learning Programme , a session on **Awareness of Alzheimer & Dementia** by Wg Cdr. D.P. Sabharwal & Ms. Vidya Shenoy from Alzheimer Society Mumbai , was conducted at Godhavi campus . To identify traits & causes of **neurodegenerative diseases** and **dementia in grandparents** , children from other schools like DAV and Euro School were also invited to understand the preventive measures at family level .



12.07.2019 onwards—Dental Checkup : It was conducted in Godhavi campus by a team of Senior Dental Specialist and Para-Medical Staff of Vasupujya Dental Clinic .They carried out a comprehensive checkup of the students of Grade Jr. Kg to 12. Each student was given a Patient Card -a report summary of the diagnosed problem and the recommended dental treatment plan.



27. & 28.07.2019—Children Climate Conference:

Indus University Campus, Thaltej along with a theatre workshop , by Walter Pater of National Institute of Dramatics, 33 students from Zydus School for Excellence– Godhavi attended the conference. 4 students attended the **Student’s Parliament** and Arjun Murali of Class XII was declared as the **Best Parliamentarian**.



18.08.2019—Street Smart: Zydus School for Excellence– Godhavi partnered with ‘Approach’ an NGO- to celebrate the 73rd Independence Day at Street Smart - An initiative where the street is closed down for traffic and welcomes children and feel safe on using the space for celebrating or fun/cultural activities. On Sunday, around 50 students performed and contributed in the activities like Pottery, Patriotic singing, Magic Show, Dance Performances, Face Painting and Games .



19.08.2019—Career Counseling by Anant University: A knowledge session on Design thinking was conducted by Ms. Monica from Anant University for students of classes 11 and 12 to create awareness and insight about careers in design and architecture.



19.08.2019—Workshop on Menstrual Hygiene for Girls : It was conducted for the girls of grade 5 to 9 by the School in-house Biology teachers , it focused on sensitization of girls on various complications because of lack of menstrual hygiene , orienting the young girls about good menstrual hygienic practices and to enable them to live a healthy reproductive life .

23.08.2019—Industrial Visit

Students of class XI and XII Commerce visited Wagh Bakri Manufacturing Unit. It was an enriching experience for the students to know and learn the various processes and procedures followed across the plant.



21.09.2019 Heritage Walk: The event was organized for the students of Std IX to XII ,to visit the heritage places and to know about the different religion and architecture of the old city of Ahmedabad. Students started the walk from Swami Narayan temple and walked till Jami Masjid.



29.08.2019 Students of classes 9 to 12 witnessed the live telecast of “**The Fit India Movement**” launched by the Hon’ble Prime Minister at Indira Gandhi Indoor Stadium, New Delhi. Students along with the teachers administered the Fitness Pledge. Prime Minister on 29th August, 2019 and take the Fitness Pledge.

30.08.2019 – Founder’s Day

The day was celebrated with fervor, zest and enthusiasm , where the members of the school community – students, governors, staff – meet to commemorate Shri Ramanbhai Patel, who founded the School and who bequeathed resources to its development. An extravaganza of activities was designed to contribute towards an all-round development of a young Zydan. Student Achievers from both schools were commemorated for academics and sports. Teachers were felicitated for their dedicated services in the school for more than 5 years. Students of our school had put up a wonderful dance-drama program to add to this prestigious occasion which gave a message to audience to ‘Believe in Yourself’



6th July 2019- English Interschool Declamation Contest

Zydus School for Excellence - Godhavi , hosted its most awaited English Declamation Contest for the *third consecutive year* where *30 Schools* across Ahmedabad city participated. Around *100 participants* chose their favourite characters to perform declamation speeches. It was an intensive, passionate and thought provoking event. The speakers with their oratory skills showcased their talent and made the audience adulate them.

The winners are as follows:

Group A:

1st Position- Mark Antony—DAV International School as Mark Antony

2nd Position Sagnik Banerjee—ZSE– Vejalpur School, as Charlie Chaplin

3rd Position Kashvi Shah– Mother Teresa World School, as Mother Teresa

Group B:

1st Position Shourya Naik: LML School, as Charlie Chaplin

2nd Position Aashka Thakkar—Udgam School, as Ronald Winson

3rd Position Shreeya Shriwal– Udgam School, as Sarah Kay



16.07.2019— INCA MAP Quiz: INDIAN NATIONAL CARTOGRAPHIC ASSOCIATION (INCA) conducted the Quiz with the aim of improving the map consciousness/awareness in the student community especially classes 8th, 9th and 10th. 67 teams participated from Zydus School for Excellence– Godhavi at School level, out of which 6 teams were shortlisted for branch round and from those 6 teams, one team represented by -Ishika Thakkar, Jitika Deswal and Aditi Joshi (X std), qualified for the *National level*.

30.07.2019—C. N. Vidhyalaya: Kavya Singh from class 11 participated in **All Gujarat Inter School English Elocution Competition** held at CN Vidhyavihar. The topic for Elocution contest was “The Need for Instant News has affected the Quality of Journalism”.



03.08.2019—Srijan Fest: Zydus School for Excellence– Godhavi participated in SRIJAN Fest 2019 won the **1st prize** in La Melodie– French Song.

09.08.2019—Zyfest: Aarushi Mohta from class V secured **third prize** in Mask Making competition.

10.08.2019—Divine Fest: Zydus School for Excellence bagged the **1st Runner’s up Rolling Trophy** at DCIS– Adalaj where 20 schools participated.

Following were the proud winners:

- Debate: Group A Lavanya Singh **stood first**
- Debate Against Group B Ansh Mehta **stood second**
- Debate For Group B Vrisha Parikh **stood third**
- Interjector Group A Daivat kale **stood third**
- Music—Gazal Group B— **stood first**
- Quiz— Arjun Murali & Kulanjay Chavda— **stood third**
- Sculpture—Anugya Thakur & Manjari Shah– **stood third**



10.08.2019—Hiramani Science Model Making

Two teams from Zydus School for Excellence– Godhavi participated in the Science Exposition– 2019 . Ashish Pradhan and Dwadash Purani won the **First Consolation Award** for their innovative model of Helmet. The idea of automatic street light by the other team was also appreciated by the audience and judges.



23.08.2019— An Inter School Patriotic Song Competition—was conducted at CN Vidhyalaya where students of Zydus School for Excellence– Godhavi made a mark by singing the song titled “ Mera Bharat Mahaan” composed by Mr. Anil Dholakiya.

Gaining Insights — Inter House

17.07.2019—Inter House Poem Recitation– “ Rainy Season” Competition (I & II)–To promote speaking skills, improving pronunciation & intonation.

- **1st Position**—Aarohi Mistry (I) Jagriti House
- **2nd Position**—Aadya Pandey(I) Chetna House

24.07.2019—Inter House Hindi Hasya Kavi Sammellan (VI—VIII) with an aim to promote language competency and appreciation of humour in our lives

- **1st Position**—Shakti House, Aanya Jain (VII)
- **2nd Position**—Shakti House, Vivaan Shahane(VI)

21.08.2019—Book Jacket Cover Design (I & II): Students made the Cover Design based on– “My Fantasy World” and “I Am Unique”

- **1st Position**— Dhyana Shah & Gunja Ladani (I)
- **2nd Position**—Iva Baraiya, Anaya Desai, Srujanika Dey (II) & Anaya Khandelwal(I)
- **3rd Position**— Janvi Thakkar (II), Navya Patel(I) & Twincy Savsani (II)

21.08..2019—Illustrator (III to V): The details and essence of the given story was beautifully portrayed in their illustration.

- **1st Position**— Aarav Semwal (III) Chetna House & Ananya Dadhania (IV) Urja House.
- **2nd Position**— Hemangi Vaghela , Aparna Kumar (IV) Chetna House.
- **3rd Position**— Sanvi Patel(IV) Shakti House & Kashvi Sharma (IV) Chetna House

17.07.2019 – JAM (Just A Minute Competition)

Conducted by Shakti house, the competition gave students of (9 to 12), an opportunity to enhance spontaneity ,sharpen their oratory skills and an experience to work in a team. The participants were highly enthusiastic and spoke with excitement

- **Best Team**—*Chetna house* Kavya Singh (XI) and Arya Doshi(XI)

31.07.2019—Inter House Sing- Along Competition (III-V) :To promote Team Work and Group Singing Skills , the students sang beautiful songs on the topic like ‘My School’, ‘Music’ and ‘Freedom’.

Class III:-

- **1st** Chetna House, **2nd** Urja House, **3rd** Jagriti House

Class IV:-

- **1st Jagriti**, **2nd** Shakti House, **3rd** Urja House

Class V:-

- **1st** Shakti House,**2nd** Jagriti House, **3rd** Chetna House

11.09.2019– Inter House Ad Mad Competition (III –V): was conducted to showcase their creativity and with the purpose to acquaint the students about Promotional strategies in marketing through advertisement on topics like Save Water, Endorse anything made of flower, Past-Present -Future Communication.

Class III:-

- **1st** Jagriti House, **2nd** Shakti House, **3rd** Chetna House

Class IV:-

- **1st** Shakti House, **2nd** Shakti House, **3rd** Jagriti House

Class V:

- **1st** Shakti House, **2nd** Shakti and Jagriti, **3rd** Urja House

8th July 2019 – World Asteroid Day

It is celebrated in the remembrance of Earth's largest asteroid impact which happened in 1908 in Siberia, Russia. It is observed every year to raise awareness about the role of asteroids in the formation of our Universe.

18th July 2019 – Nelson Mandela Day

It is not meant as a public holiday but as a day to honor the legacy of Nelson Mandela, South Africa's former President, and his values, through volunteering and community services. It is a global call to action with an idea that each individual has the power to transform the world, the ability to make an impact.

19th July 2019 – Youth Skills Day

"Learning to learn for life and work". It is marked to promote youth skills development and abilities.

2nd August 2019 – Friendship Day

Friendship holds massive significance in a child's life and what's better than a morning that starts with igniting a little love for our best friends in our hearts.

There are numerous folktales and several instances in mythological legends that show that friends and friendship have been valued since the beginning of the civilized world.

"Greater love hath no man than this that a man lay down his life for his friends."

5th August 2019 – Kargil Vijay Divas

Remembering the sacrifice of hundreds of Kargil War Heroes, school paid homage to the martyrs with the song "ab tumhare hawale vatan sathiyo".

6th August 2019 -International Youth Day:

"Transforming Education", highlights efforts to make education more relevant, equitable and inclusive for all youth, including efforts by youth themselves and promote lifelong learning opportunities for all.

To light up the assembly, our students Anwesha, Megh and Kulanjay sang a French song.

8th August 2019 – International Senior Citizen Day

Be it our grandfather or grandmother, every child has an exceptional relation with his grandparents, and to bring into light the importance of the elders in our families, our young dramatists through their impactful performance did not only bring a smile to our faces but got us to value our grandparents and senior citizens even more. An image of the society was put up in front of us that showed the bitter truth of how senior citizens are treated by their own blood and we were made aware of how it's incumbent upon us to make sure to provide them with everything we can who gave their everything to us.

Reena Ma'am talked about one of the most important human virtues: *PATIENCE* and how it's the key to opening the many locks of opportunities and victories in our life.

9th August 2019- Sanskrit is called "Dev Bhasha" the language of the soul. Here, meanings of the words must come from the heart, from direct experience – dictionary meanings or static meanings have not much value. But in recent times of western languages conquering the globe, Sanskrit got lost in between. To display the beauty of Sanskrit, our students conducted an assembly entirely in Sanskrit language. The purity of the language was beautifully brought forward by the students chanting Sanskrit shlokas and singing a Sanskrit song.

13th August 2019 – World Humanitarian Day

A morning was especially dedicated to recognize humanitarian personnel and those who have lost their lives working selflessly for human welfare and spreading the propaganda of supporting those in crisis. The assembly discussed a sensitive issue and successfully spread the message of "providing aid to the needy is the greatest good".

19th August 2019 – World Elephant Day

The largest land mammals on earth deserve a bit more attention to the issue for their decreasing number than they usually get and to bring into light some facts and figures. They are not just huge, leaves eating peaceful animals, but also an important part of the ecosystem. But their existence is at stake with constant increase in poaching of their skin and teeth and as an eye opener our students presented facts and statistics regarding elephant population and made us all aware about how important it is to

S.N	Date	Name of the Workshop
1	July	Early Detection and Intervention of Psychological Problems at GIPS Psychiatric Clinic & De-addiction Centre, Ahmedabad
2	July	Alzheimer's Related Disorder Awareness programme
3	July	Motivating Students to Learn at AMA by Ms. Reena Jain—Trainer and content developer
4	July	Training Programme for Lead Collaborators of Hubs of Learning at GIIS School by CBSE
5	July	Stress Management at DAV School by Ms. Nivedita Ganguli—Principal DAV International
6	August	Physics at Maheshwari Public School, Jaipur by CBSE
7	August	Anxiety Spectrum Disorders at GIPS Psychiatric Clinic & De-addiction Centre, Ahmedabad
8	August	Rain Water Harvesting Seminar by Indo German Tool Room, Ahmedabad
9	August	English by CBSE at Jaipuria Vidyalaya, Jaipur
10	August	Physics by CBSE at Jayshree Periwal High School, Jaipur
11	August	Chemistry by CBSE at Shanti Asiatic School, Jaipur
12	August	Business Studies by CBSE at Edmunds Jawahar Nagar, Jaipur
13	August	Individual Educational Plan by Dr. Nivedita Ganguli—Principal DAV International
14	August	Conducting Soft Skills Classes by AMA
15	August	Informatics Practices by CBSE at The Palace School, Jaipur
16	August	Economics by CBSE at Maharaja Sawai Bhawani Singh School, Jaipur
17	August	Business Studies at Delhi Public School Bopal
18	September	Preventing addiction : Mobile and Substance Abuse at GIPS Psychiatric Clinic & De-addiction Centre, Ahmedabad
19	September	Managing Time & Priorities by AMA
20	September	Regional Summit of School Principals on "Childhood Depression" by ICTRC
21	September	SST by CBSE at Shri Agrasen Public School, Jaipur
22	September	Value Education by CBSE at Maharaja Agrasen Vidyalaya, Ahmedabad
23	Every Week	Induction Programme for New Teachers by Ms. Urmilla Thakkar —Consultant from Guru Shiksha
24	Every Wednesday	English Enrichment by Preeti Sharma—Educationist

Picture perfect

I was obsessed with picture perfect,
I searched the world inside and out,
for a single moment I could say,
Is what life's all about .

My life was viewed through lenses,
My camera a medal worn with pride,
I thought it held the moments
That I'd always keep inside.

But, looking back at photos,
I can't remember how I felt,
The noises that the world made,
Or the way the warm air smelt.
I don't remember how the day was

If it was going good or bad,
I've just a snapshot of a moment,
that nobody even had.

So, I gave away the camera
And now use my eyes instead
to take photos for the scrapbook,
That I've made inside my head.
always thought my photos,
Were ways to make my moments
last,
But you remember life much better,
When you don't see it all through
glass

~ Trisha Choksi (IX Darwin)

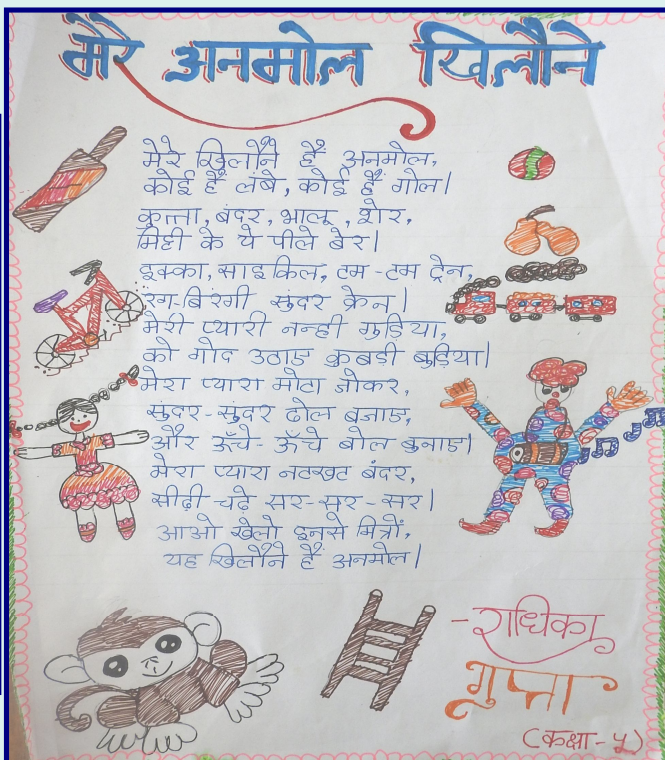
जन्मदिवस

जन्मदिवस क्यों मनाते हैं ? इसका उत्तर सभी के पास अलग -अलग होता है । बच्चों को जन्मदिवस मनाने का इंतज़ार साल भर रहता है क्योंकि उस दिन उनकी लगभग सारी फरमाइशें पूरी हो जाती है ,ढेरों उपहार ,चॉकलेट ,खिलौने का अंबार लग जाता है । बच्चों की इस खुशी से माता -पिता भी खुश होते हैं । जो उपहार उन्हें मिलते हैं वे कुछ दिन के साथी होते हैं । क्या माता -पिता द्वारा दिया गया ऐसा कोई उपहार अथवा बच्चों से माँगा गया उपहार सालो -साल चल सकता है ? जी हाँ । आज ऐसे ही एक उपहार की बात हम करेंगे जो बच्चों के साथ आजीवन रहेगा । बच्चे भी गर्व से कहेंगे कि यह मेरे परिजनों द्वारा दिया गया उपहार है । मेरा नन्हें पाठकों से यही कहना है कि आप अपने ज़रूरत के लिए अपने परिजनों से उपहार ज़रूर ले लेकिन जिस भेंट की बात में कर रहा हूँ उसे लेना कतई न भूलें ।

आप अपने प्रत्येक जन्मदिवस पर अपने माता -पिता ,दादा -दादी ,नाना-नानी, मासी -मामा ,काका -काकी या भुआ -फूफा किसी भी परिजन से उपहार में एक वृक्ष ज़रूर माँगे । एक वृक्षारोपण प्रत्येक वर्ष करे । उसकी देखभाल की ज़िम्मेदारी ले जब तक कि वह एक वर्ष का न हो जाए । दूसरे जन्मदिवस पर नए पेड़ की देखभाल शुरू कर दे । जब -जब भी आप अपने उपहार को देखेंगे यकीन मानिए आप खुशी से झूम उठेंगे । अगर आप आयु में छोटे हैं तो अपने परिजन से उसकी देखभाल करने को कह सकते हैं क्योंकि आखिर वो आपका उपहार है । आप अपने आगामी जन्मदिन पर यह उपहार कतई लेना न भूले । मैं भी अपने प्रत्येक जन्मदिन पर अपने माता -पिता से एक वृक्ष ज़रूर माँगता हूँ । और तो और आपका यह उपहार सिर्फ आपका न रहकर विश्व कल्याण के लिए आपकी ओर से एक नन्हा कदम होगा ।

-- मौर्य मेनारिया [कक्षा ९]

Radhika Gupta (V)



Birds

I went for a walk
And saw a hawk
I shouted "pork"
And made it squawk
I saw a crow
Flying low
Where did it go?
I don't know.
I saw a flamingo
And let it go
I saw a peacock
Saying cock,cock, cock.

-Shriya Jhadav(VII)

Incendie de la forêt amazonienne

Les récents incendies de forêt amazonienne poussent la forêt vers un point critique où elle ne sera peut-être plus en mesure de subvenir à ses besoins.

Les flammes brûlent la plus grande forêt tropicale du monde depuis trois semaines maintenant. Le président français Emmanuel Macron a qualifié la crise de "crise internationale" et a inscrit l'incendie à l'ordre du jour de la réunion du G7 ce week-end, provoquant une dispute diplomatique avec le président brésilien Jair Bolsonaro. Les pays du G7 ont promis une aide de 20 millions d'euros à la forêt pluviale, ce que M. Bolsonaro a déclaré mardi qu'il refuserait. L'Institut national de recherche spatiale du Brésil (INPE) a signalé au moins 74 000 incendies en Amazonie cette année, soit une augmentation de 84% par rapport à la même période de l'année dernière. La fumée des incendies a balayé le pays et atteint des métropoles côtières comme São Paulo.

C'est une augmentation alarmante, car l'Amazonie ne brûle presque jamais seule et l'augmentation des incendies cette année a été tellement spectaculaire. La région est généralement trop humide pour s'enflammer, de sorte que la grande majorité des incendies sont causés par des humains. Certains des incendies sont allumés par des agriculteurs cherchant à défricher des terres, d'autres par des bûcherons illégaux essayant de couvrir leurs traces et d'autres par négligence. Les incendies et l'exploitation forestière étaient en baisse depuis des années en Amazonie jusqu'à ce que Bolsonaro, qui a clairement annoncé son intention d'exploiter l'Amazonie, soit entré en fonction l'an dernier. Cédant aux protestations nationales et à la pression internationale, Bolsonaro a déployé l'armée ce week-end pour lutter contre les incendies qui brûlent maintenant dans six États brésiliens.

Mais lorsque la fumée se dissipe et que les flammes s'éteignent, une autre menace périlleuse menace la forêt amazonienne. Les scientifiques avertissent que si suffisamment de forêt est perdue, elle pourrait entrer dans une spirale d'effondrement. C'est un résultat aux conséquences globales, et si nous franchissons ce seuil de déforestation, cela pourrait constituer un point de non-retour. La forêt amazonienne joue un rôle important et complexe dans le climat régional et Mondial. La pluie dans la forêt tropicale n'est pas un accident de géographie ou de météorologie. Les arbres à noix en acajou, kapok et Brésil de l'Amazonie occupent une place importante dans l'orchestre du système hydrique de la région.

Les arbres absorbent l'eau de pluie par leurs racines, la déplacent dans la canopée et la libèrent dans l'air, un processus appelé évapotranspiration. Les arbres libèrent également des composés organiques volatils qui réagissent pour former de minuscules particules. Ces particules servent de points de nucléation pour former des nuages et finalement conduire à plus de précipitations

~Manasvi Gandhi (VII)

Young Artists - Educator

संस्कृतवार्ता:

अनागतं यः कुरुते स शोभते, स शोच्यते यो न करोत्यनागतम् ।

वनेअत्र संस्थस्य समागता जरा, बिलस्य वाणी न कदापि मे श्रुता ॥ इति ॥

एकस्मिन् वने खरनखरः नाम सिंहः वसति स्म। सः एकदा इतस्ततः भ्रमति किन्तु भोजनं न प्राप्नोति । सायंकाले सः एकां गुहां पश्यति विचारयति च - 'रात्रौ अत्र कोअपि जीवः आगमिष्यति तदा मम भोजनं भविष्यति ।' इति विचार्य सः तत्र एव तिष्ठति । ततः एकः शृगालः आगच्छति एवं पश्यति - 'सिंहस्य पदानां चिह्नानि अन्तः गच्छति किन्तु बहिः न । शृगालः चतुरः आसीत् । शृगालः वदति - 'भो बिल ! अहं आगतः । मम आह्वानं किमर्थं न करोषि । यदि त्वं मम आह्वानं न करिष्यति तर्हि अहं अन्तः न आगमिष्यामि ।' इति श्रुत्वा गुहायां स्थितः सिंहः शृगालस्य आह्वानं करोति। अतः चतुरः शृगालः ततः पलायनं करोति स्वजीवनं च सिंहात् रक्षति।

कथायाः बोधः एतस्मिन् श्लोके अस्ति यत् - "यः जनः अनागतस्य संकटस्य पूर्वसज्जतां करोति सः सुखी भवति ।" यथा शृगालः वदति यत् अत्र वने निवसन् मम वृद्धावस्था जाता किन्तु मया बिलस्य वाणी कदापि न श्रुता । अतः मनुष्यः अपि अनागतस्य पूर्वसज्जतां कुर्यात् इति बोधः।

- शैलेश जोषी (संस्कृत अध्यापक)

"ભણતર નું મહત્વ"

આજનો બાળક આવતી કાલ નો નાગરિક છે. દેશ માં વિભિન્ન કાર્યો માં દરેક માનવી એ કોઈ ને કોઈ જ્ઞાનો આપ્યો છે. બાળકો માં નાનપણ થી જ કસું ને કસું કરી છૂટવાની ઈચ્છા હોય છે સંસ્કારોનું સિંચન નાનપણ થી જ થાય છે ભણતર સાથે ગણતર પણ ખુબજ જરૂરી છે. તેથી જ કહેવાય છે કે "ભણે ગણે તે નામું લખે ન ભણે તે દિવો ધરે. "

તો ભણતર નું કેટલું મહત્વ છે તે બાળકો ને નાનપણ થી સમજવું જોઈએ ધરના ચણતર વખતે પાયો મજબૂત નાખતા તેની ઉપર આખેઆખું બિલ્ડીંગ ઉભું થઈ જાય છે તેવીજ રીતે જો બાળકોનો પાયો નાનપણ થી મજબૂત હશે તો ક્યારેય નહીં ખળભળે અને પુરા વિશ્વાસ થી ઊભું રહી શકશે તેમજ દરેક મુશ્કેલી નો સામનો સહેલાયથી કરી શકશે.

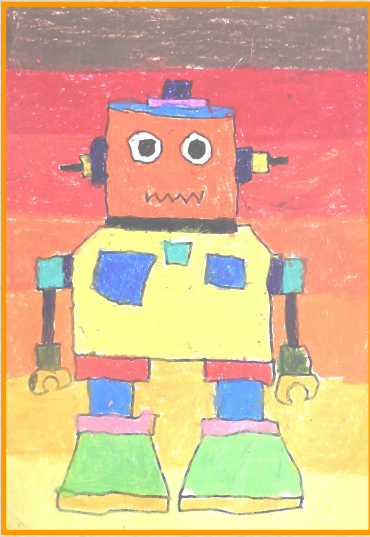
મેડિટેશન (ધ્યાન) નું મહત્વ ખુબજ વધી ગયું છે તેથી દરેક બાળકને આંખો બંધ કરીને દિવસમાં પાંચ મિનિટ બેસાડવાથી નવા - નવા વિચારો સાથે આત્મ વિશ્વાસ કેળવે છે.

બાળક નાના હોય કે મોટા આત્મ વિશ્વાસ કેળવે તેમજ ભણી ગણી તો ક્યારેય જીવન માં પાછા પડતા નથી માતા - પિતા, પરિવાર, શિક્ષકો તેમજ સારા મિત્રો વગેરે નો વિશેષ જ્ઞાનો હોય છે અને તેથી આગળ જતા બાળક સારું ભણે ગણે છે અને સારી ઉચ્ચ ડિગ્રી મેળવે છે અને સારો નાગરિક બને છે. જે ઘર, સોસાયટી, સમાજમાં મહત્વ નું સ્થાન મેળવે છે

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Inked by the Editors...

Being a part of the editor's team, it prepares us with all new hopes and hues to bring out the new issue of Kaleidoscope, that will unfold -the unraveled world of some of the most unforgettable and precious moments of the school. As the saying goes, "mind like parachute works best when opened." This initiative has allowed the budding minds of our students to roam free in the realm of imagination and experience, to create a world of beauty in words.....

Success depends on our power to perceive, the power to observe and the power to explore. Being a part of this team, the attempt to make the growing talent of our students give shape to their creativity and the art of being aware, has indeed given us the benefits of the above.

We are sure that the positive attitude, hard work, sustained efforts and innovative ideas exhibited by the student body will surely stir the minds of the readers and take them to the surreal world of unalloyed joy and pleasure.

We look forward to continue putting in relentless efforts and to bring excellence to this treasure trove. We hope that this issue of Kaleidoscope will enjoy- your critical acclaim and prove itself to play a vital role in all-round development of the children.

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