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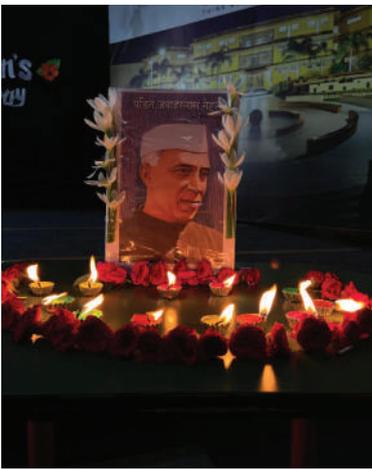
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Children's Day

"The most precious thing in this world is a smile on a child's face"

The GeeKay World School celebrated Children's Day with great excitement and joy on the 10th and 11th of November, 2023. Our Managing Director, Mr. Vinod Gandhi, and Head of School, Mr. Ram Kumar graced the occasion and greeted the children. The programme commenced with children paying their tributes to Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru.

The hall buzzed with excitement as the day's festivities unfolded one after the other. Children thoroughly enjoyed the power-packed performances by the teachers which included skits, dances, songs, and fun games. The celebration concluded with the School Song and the National Anthem. Students left the auditorium with a bag full of memories that they had at school.



International Kids Film Festival

International Kids Film Festival (IKFF) is a first-of-its-kind global film festival held in schools across 20+ countries since 2017. It provides a unique & engaging opportunity for students to watch the best of international children's films. In the world of audio-visual content, literacy is no longer only about reading & writing. Watching good films & learning how to create AV content is basic literacy today. Exposing children to different languages, cultures, emotions, challenges, etc. through films is imperative. The best independent films made for children are not available on mainstream channels. Film festivals are the only occasions where children get to watch them. In a first-of-its-kind global film festival hosted in schools, TGWS is proud to partner with School Cinemas to bring IKFF to our children. We hosted this film festival exclusively for our children from 16.11.23 to 30.11.23 where children watched several children's films selected from more than 20 countries.



Education Today

TGWS adds another feather to its cap

We are extremely delighted to share that the esteemed panel of Jury members consisting of India's eminent personalities from the education fraternity after analyzing schools pan India, has nominated The GeeKay World School for the Education Today's India's Top Prestigious School Jury Awards 2023. After intense scrutiny by the Jury Panel, The GeeKay World School has been awarded "Best Curriculum Design Adaptation".

The TGWS management takes immense pleasure in attributing this success to the students, faculty, and parents of TGWS.



Vidyarambham

Children begin their 'Vidyarambham' in TGWS

Vijayadashami is celebrated across India for the victory of the good over evil. It is also a time for all the positive beginnings. On 24.10.23, TGWS witnessed many toddlers writing their first letter on paddy with the help of their parents as they were formally introduced to writing. These children will now be part of K1 and will begin their journey to become leaders of tomorrow. TGWS takes pride in welcoming these children to its family and wishes them a happy schooling.



Stars of The month



Laksha - K2 Kiwi



Diya - K2 Litchi



Ira Yazhnila - K1 Kiwi



Kriishaanth - K3 Kiwi



Mohammed Faizan - K3 Litchi

Colour of The Month - Yellow

Yellow signifies joy, happiness, optimism, caution, imagination and hope.

Our Kindergarten sparklers had yellow as the theme for the month. K1 Kiwi designed a 'Girl in a Swing' using glitters. K2 Kiwi did crayon shaving for the bright sun and K2 Litchi hand-crafted a boy in slide using satin ribbon. K3 Kiwi pasted woollen threads on sunflower and K3 Litchi filled Thoor dhal on Duck in a pond. Children's work was later exhibited on the kindergarten noticeboard.

More colour to come in future!



Talent hunt show

“Talent is nothing more than a pursued interest”

Talents are hunted so that they will be a part of tomorrow. K1 kids had “salt dough”. They brought dough and they created animals with it. K2 kids had a “showcase” activity. They showcased their favourite toys and also spoke about them. K3 kids had to “paint a picture”, They were given a picture of the transport. The kids painted it according to their creativity.

Talents are always noted.



Students' corner



Nandhakishore K2 Kiwi



Janaviselva K2 Litchi



Shaik Hannah Maryam K1 Kiwi



Akshitha K3 Kiwi



Parthiv Sai K3 Litchi

Outdoor activity

“It is not the mountain we conquer, but ourselves”.

Our talented K1 kids had “Find your home”. Kids matched the pictures of animals and placed them in their respective homes.

K2 kids had traffic clearance. They had traffic signals placed on the ground. A model of a steering wheel was given to them. Children followed the signals and travelled to the finishing line. K3 kids had transport manners. They were given a model of the school bus. Teachers and Kids discussed the rules to be followed while travelling in the bus. Kids were also taken to our school bus and they enacted the rules that they had learnt from the teacher.

More outdoor activities to come.



HPTM

“When parents and teachers work together, children thrive.”

This month for the home PTM, teachers visited homes that are in and around Navalpur. Children were very excited to see their class teachers in their homes. Teachers observed the child’s behaviour at home and parents were very happy to share about their kid’s daily routines. On the whole, parents were happy with their kid’s progress.

More HPTM to come in future.



ASSEMBLY

In a symphony of colours and cultural vibrancy, our kindergarten teachers orchestrated a dynamic Diwali assembly on 9th November, turning our school into a lively stage with an electrifying rock show. Beyond the music and festivities, our educators seized the opportunity to impart valuable lessons about green crackers and safety, underlining our dedication to nurturing creativity and responsible celebration.

Fast forward to November 21st, when the spotlight shifted to our K2 Kiwi Kids, delivering a tremendous performance dedicated to Thanksgiving. Their captivating skit, harmonious song, and lively dance showcased not just artistic talents but also a deep understanding of gratitude. Stay tuned for the magic that awaits in future celebrations!



Button Day

“Once you have missed the first buttonhole, you will never manage to button up!”

Button Day is celebrated for the function of buttons and the hobby of button collection. Our Kids brought different kinds of buttons on 16th November. K1 pasted buttons in the picture of an apple and they loved making that. K2 kids pasted buttons on the outline of a shirt. K3 Kids made a button tree. Kids were given shirts to practice buttoning and unbuttoning.

Buttons up!



Thanksgiving Day

We are proud to witness our young learners understanding the significance of thanking and fostering a culture of appreciation. Together, as a school community, let's continue to nurture these values that make a place where kindness and gratitude thrive.

Happy Thanksgiving!



Beautiful Lampion

“I want to be a lamp to brighten your dark paths”

Kindergarten pyrotechnics brought Diyas and decorative items to school on 8th November, 2023. They painted the lamps and decorated them with their favourite beads, mirrors and glitters. It was then displayed in the foyer. Kids enjoyed taking pictures with the Diyas decorated by them.

Lamps lighten TGWS!



Teacher Talk

THE ESSENCE OF LITERATURE

As C.S.Lewis said "Literature adds to reality, it does not simply describe it. It enriches the necessary competencies that daily life requires and provides; and in this respect, it irrigates the deserts that our lives have already become". True to these words Literature is the expression of oneself with the help of a language. Literature teaches us to view the world from different perspectives. It enables us to feel even the deepest things in life. Literature reacts and reflects upon our lives through words whether it could be poetry, prose, a novel, or a play. The person who partakes in all these would feel the essence of human life. In this sense, literature provides the attainment for the readers about the life experiences from the saddest to the most joyful things that one could feel. Literature enables our minds to see through the lenses of others. As a whole, literature serves as the product of art in the aesthetic truth of life.

-THIRUMAGAL K
Primary School Facilitator



Parent Talk

It was a pleasant surprise for me when I received Dharun's exam results from TGWS. He has improved drastically in academics and extracurriculars, thanks to the teachers and the facilities that the school has provided. Teachers are well-trained in their field of expertise and give attention to all students to ensure that the students do their best. The facilities like labs help in-depth learning to understand the topics better. The hostel has a great environment for learning and self-improvement where students can focus and concentrate on their studies with fewer distractions. The extra-curricular activities such as football, give him experience in team building.

-Dr. Sundramurthy Kumar
F/o Dharun Balaaji Grade 10 IGCSE



MONTHLY PLANNER DECEMBER - 2023

Date	Day	Event
1.12.23	Friday	Colour of the Month -Red
6.12.23	Wednesday	Indoor activity K1 - Animal walk K2 - How do i travel K3 - Making farm
11.12.23 - 15.12.23	Monday - Friday	School Cinema K1 - Melodys new nest K2 - Melodys new nest K3 - The big race
12.12.23	Tuesday	Resource Parent K1 - Animals K2 - Transport K3 - Animals
13.12.23	Wednesday	Talent Hunt Show K1 - Shake and Twirl K2 - Story Narration K3 - Create a Story
14.12.23 - K3 15.12.23 - K2	Thursday Friday	Field Trip K3 - Visit to Amirthi Forest K2 - Visit to Railway Station
16.12.23	Saturday	HPTM
18.12.23 - 21.12.23	Monday - Thursday	EVALUATION-2
20.12.23	Wednesday	Special Activity Making Christmas Decorations
22.12.23	Saturday	Christmas Celebration
23.12.23 - 1.1.24	Saturday - Monday	Winter Break