

"You are never too small to make a big difference."

- Greta Thunberg

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Class: I



Dear Parents

"The soul becomes dyed in the colour of its thoughts." Marcus Aurelius

The current academic year 2023-24 has come to an end. As we approach the end of yet another beautiful year, I reflect on the remarkable journey we have shared as parents and teachers. This year brought new learning experiences and unforgettable moments, witnessing our children's steady progress on an upward trail, and fostering holistic development.

The year-end brings with it annual examination time for our students, emphasizing the importance of a positive attitude towards evaluation. As we encourage a spirit of healthy competition, we instill the notion of self-improvement rather than comparison. Whether they are being tested conventionally or otherwise in more informal ways, we must cultivate the correct attitude towards evaluation. We believe that accentuating respect for rules, along with self-confidence, hard work, and consistent practice are key to life success.

Our children are fortunate to be part of loving homes and a nurturing school, fostering their growth. Teaching them to share their blessings with the less privileged, even in small ways, adds to their development. I urge parents to guide their children towards healthy outdoor pursuits rather than excessive gadget-based entertainment.

May the almighty paint the canvas of your life with vibrant hues of love, happiness, prosperity and good health!

Warm Regards

Principal

## Festive Magnitudes

Chapchur Kut, March 01: It is a spring festival celebrated in the North-eastern state of the country, Mizoram.

Maha Shivratri, March 8: It is a Hindu festival celebrated annually in honour of the deity Shiva, marking a remembrance of "overcoming darkness and ignorance" in life and the world. It is observed by chanting prayers, fasting, and meditating on ethics and virtues such as honesty, non-injury to others, charity, forgiveness, and the discovery of Shiva.

Holi /Doljatra March 25: Holi is a vibrant spring festival, which symbolizes forgiveness and renewed friendships. Families unite, applying colourful *gula*, sharing sweets, and embracing traditional music. It is an exuberant occasion fostering unity and community.

Good Friday, March 29: It is the day when Christians commemorate the crucifixion and death of Jesus Christ. This is an important event in Christianity, as it represents the sacrifices and suffering in Jesus' life.

Easter, March 31: Easter is an important Christian festival- it's when Christians celebrate the resurrection of Jesus Christ.

## Campus Clandestine

In February, the students engaged in a variety of creative and educational activities, including marking their city on a state map, crafting Basant Panchami cards, and reflecting on the annual theme of climate conservation. The month concluded with the annual function "Jashn-e-Bachpan," where Class 1 students enacted stories from the read programme books. Their performances were a highlight, showcasing their storytelling skills and adding a memorable touch to the celebration of childhood learning. The annual function served as a platform for students to showcase their talents and creativity.

## Syllabus

### English

- ❖ Unit-10-Flying Man and The Tailor and his Friend
- ❖ Grammar -Revision of all concepts
- ❖ Grammar-was/were- with the help of sentences
- ❖ People who help us-Page 112 of the book.
- ❖ Odd one out.
- ❖ Revisit Number Names 1-50

### Math

- ❖ Unstructured counting 1-100
- ❖ Word problems of numbers up to 30
- ❖ Revisit Number combinations up to 10
- ❖ Halving up to 20
- ❖ Revisit skip count of 2 up to 20

### Written

- ❖ Data handling till 20 through pictures
- ❖ Measurement of Time
- ❖ Revisit - Calendar and Day length
- ❖ Long and short events
- ❖ Revisit previous experiences and understanding
- ❖ Concept of money

### Hindi

#### साहित्य-

- ❖ एक बुढ़िया
- ❖ हाथी चल्लम- चल्लम(स्वरित वाचन) व्याकरण- लिखित
- ❖ क्रिया और विशेषण की पुनरावृत्ति
- ❖ लिंग और विपरीत शब्दों की पुनरावृत्ति
- ❖ लिखित-तुकबंदी शब्द पुनरावृत्ति
- ❖ अपठित गद्यांश (बहुवैकल्पिक प्रश्न)।पुनरावृत्ति
- ❖ रचनात्मक लेखन
- ❖ सम्पूर्ण पाठ्यक्रम की पुनरावृत्ति

## Art Syllabus

### Working on Curated Show



Children will select their best work and rework if required. They will understand the theme of the show and discuss ways the artworks can be displayed.

### Tongue Twister

Whether the weather is warm, whether the weather is hot, we have to put up with the weather, whether we like it or not.

### Culinary Delight

#### No-Bake Energy Bites



#### Ingredients

- 1 cup oats
- 1/2 cup peanut butter
- 1/3 cup honey
- 1 cup coconut flakes (unsweetened)
- 1/2 cup ground flaxseed
- 1/2 cup mini chocolate chips
- 1 teaspoon vanilla extract

#### Procedure

In a large mixing bowl, mix the ingredients thoroughly until well combined. Allow the mixture to chill for 30 minutes. Once chilled, roll the mixture into small bite-sized balls. Place the energy bites on a tray. Refrigerate again for 15-20 minutes to set. Enjoy these no-bake energy bites as a delicious and nutritious snack!

## Theme of the Month: Recapitulation of All Themes

In March, Class I students will be part of an energetic session. Teachers will provide a swift overview of session themes. The major activity, "Down the Memory Lane," will be conducted. Stalls, based on common themes for Class I, will showcase drawings, art, and projects. Throughout the session 2023-24 children developed foundational knowledge through themes like My School, Animals, Food, Festivals, and Flowers. They explored their school environment, learned about animal diversity and habitats, understood balanced diets, gained cultural awareness through festivals, and grasped botanical basics with flower identification and life cycles. These themes nurtured curiosity and observational skills, laying the groundwork for further academic exploration.

Students achieved diverse learning outcomes through projects on My School Bag, Tiger, Chef, Dance, and Rose. These projects aimed to foster knowledge acquisition, practical skills, and creativity in a well-rounded educational approach.



### Amazing Facts

- In 2015, astronauts aboard the International Space Station grew a rose in microgravity, marking it as the first flower to bloom in space.
- The smallest country in the world is the Vatican City in Rome, Italy. It's only about 109 acres.
- A lion's roar can be heard from as far as five miles (eight kilometres) away, making it one of the loudest roars in the animal kingdom.
- French fries originated in Belgium, not France.
- 90% of Earth's population lives in the Northern Hemisphere.

### Parental Plus

- ❖ Provide a stable and predictable daily routine for your child. Consistency helps them feel secure and fosters a sense of structure, which is important for their overall well-being and academic success.
- ❖ Encourage regular reading habits by introducing age-appropriate books. Reading together not only supports language development but also instills a love for learning.
- ❖ Set reasonable limits on screen time and promote a healthy balance of activities. Encourage outdoor play, imaginative play, and creative activities. Pay attention to your child's emotional well-being. Foster an open environment for them to express their feelings and address any concerns they may have.