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Dear Parents,

As we come to the close of another wonderful academic year, I would like to express my heartfelt gratitude to all of you. Together, we have created a nurturing environment where every child feels supported and encouraged to do their best.

The partnership of our parents, the enthusiasm of our students, and the dedication of our teachers and staff have truly made our school community shine. I would also like to thank our school leadership, Namrata Di and Sonali Di, for their constant support, guidance, and encouragement.

My best wishes to all our Grade 4 students as they move on to the next phase of their learning journey. As you read further, you will see glimpses of the enriching learning experiences our students enjoyed during Term II.

FIELD TRIPS

LEARNING IS NOT JUST
BOOKS AND WALLS,
IT HAPPENS OUTSIDE—IN
PARKS AND HALLS.
OUR FIELD TRIPS
HELPED US SEE AND
EXPLORE,
MAKING LEARNING FUN
AND SO MUCH MORE.



FIELD TRIPS



Our field trips offered students valuable real-world learning experiences.

Grade I explored a supermarket to learn about fruits, vegetables, grains, and measurements.

Grade II visited a stationery shop and experienced buying items using real money.

Grade III went birdwatching with bird enthusiast Mr. Vaghela, while Grade IV explored how everyday waste travels through drains and eventually pollutes our rivers. These visits helped students connect classroom learning with the world around them.



CUISINE CRAFTERS

CHOP AND MIX WITH
JOY AND CARE,
EXCITEMENT AND
LAUGHTER
EVERYWHERE.
FROM START TO
FINISH, STEP BY STEP,
OUR YOUNG CHEFS
GAVE IT THEIR BEST.



GRADE IV PREPARES THE
CLASSIC DADPE POHE!



CUISINE CRAFTERS

GRADE III PREPARES THE MOONG SPROUT SALAD!



Our learners of Grades III and IV enthusiastically participated in Cuisine Crafters, a hands-on cooking activity that connected classroom learning with real-life experiences. From measuring ingredients to preparing and enjoying their dishes, students worked together and experienced the joy of learning by doing. 🧑🍳🧑🍳

SPORTS DAY

SPORTS DAY BROUGHT
CHEERS, SMILES SO WIDE,
RACES WERE RUN WITH
ENERGY AND PRIDE.
WITH TEAMWORK, COURAGE,
AND FAIR PLAY TOO,
OUR YOUNG CHAMPIONS
GAVE THEIR BEST
THROUGH AND THROUGH!



SPORTS DAY



CONCERTS

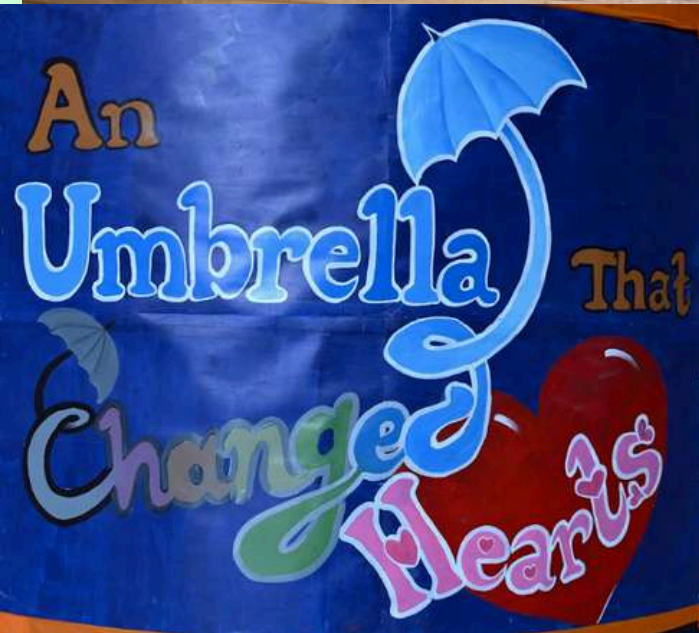
ON THE STAGE OUR CHILDREN SHINE, WITH DANCE AND SONG AND JOYFUL LINE. THROUGH EVERY ACT AND EVERY PLAY, THEY SHARE THEIR LEARNING IN A SPECIAL WAY.



CONCERTS



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NATURE WALK WITH PARENTS

EARLY MORNING NATURE WALK SO BRIGHT,
COOL FRESH AIR AND A LOVELY SIGHT.
WITH PARENTS, TEACHERS, FRIENDS SO NEAR,
WE EXPLORED NATURE WITH JOY AND CHEER.



Grade IV students enjoyed a refreshing Nature Walk to Pashan Hill along with their parents. The trek encouraged students to appreciate nature, stay physically active, and spend meaningful time with their families and friends. Conducted in collaboration with Vasundhara Swacchata Abhiyaan (VSA), the experience helped nurture curiosity about the environment while strengthening bonds within our school community.

STREAM WITH PARENTS

WITH CURIOUS MINDS AND PARENTS BY OUR SIDE, WE BUILD, EXPLORE, AND LEARN WITH PRIDE. THROUGH QUESTIONS, IDEAS, AND HANDS THAT CREATE, 'STREAM' MAKES LEARNING TRULY GREAT



Grade III students and parents designed a variety of creative games such as math games, language games, roller coasters, board games, and puzzles using materials made from best out of waste. It was a joyful experience of learning, creativity, and meaningful parent-child collaboration.

ART WITH PARENTS

BRUSHES, COLOURS,
HANDS THAT CREATE,
PARENTS AND CHILDREN
COLLABORATE.
WITH IDEAS BIG AND
IMAGINATIONS SMART,
TOGETHER THEY MADE
BEAUTIFUL ART.



Grade II students enjoyed a joyful Art with Parents activity where imagination and creativity took center stage. Children and parents worked together to create beautiful artworks using colours, ideas, and their shared creativity. It was a wonderful opportunity to bond, express themselves, and experience the joy of creating something together.

PYJAMA PARTY

PYJAMAS ON IN THE
EVENING LIGHT,
FRIENDS TOGETHER WITH
SMILES SO BRIGHT.
STORIES, GAMES, AND
LAUGHTER ALL AROUND,
HAPPY MOMENTS AND
FRIENDSHIPS WERE
FOUND! ✨



Grade III students enjoyed a delightful Pyjama Party at school. The evening gave children an opportunity to spend time with friends in a safe and familiar environment while building confidence and independence. Through storytelling, games, music, and dance, students shared laughter, strengthened bonds with their teachers, and created joyful memories together.

NIGHT OUT CAMP

ADVENTURE CALLED AND WE SAID "YES!", WITH TEAMWORK, FUN, AND HAPPINESS. FRIENDS AND TEACHERS BY OUR SIDE, WHAT A JOYFUL CAMPING NIGHT WITH PRIDE!



Grade IV students participated in an exciting Night Out Camp at school, designed to encourage independence, teamwork, and confidence. Through engaging team games and soft adventure activities conducted by MCF Adventure Indoors, students experienced learning beyond the classroom. Spending time with friends and teachers in a safe and supportive environment made the camp truly memorable and strengthened their spirit of cooperation and bonding.

LEARNING UNBLOCKED(MLV)

STEP BY STEP OUR LEARNING SHOWED, THROUGH IDEAS AND KNOWLEDGE WE PROUDLY SHARED. WITH CONFIDENT VOICES AND SMILES SO BRIGHT, OUR LEARNING JOURNEY CAME TO LIGHT!



Grade II students proudly presented their learning during the Learning Unblocked (MLV) event. In this student-led initiative, children revisited and explained concepts they had learned in class, showcasing their understanding with confidence. As they shared their ideas with parents, the event strengthened their communication skills and gave families a wonderful glimpse into their learning journey.

VISITORS

STORIES TOLD WITH JOY
AND CHEER,
AN AUTHOR'S JOURNEY WE
COULD HEAR.
WITH EVERY WORD AND
TALE SO BRIGHT,
OUR MINDS FILLED UP
WITH PURE DELIGHT.



Students of Grades III, IV, and V had an inspiring author interaction with Nivedita Krishnan. She shared her journey—from dreaming of becoming a tennis player to discovering her love for writing stories during the lockdown. Students listened with great interest as she introduced her book, answered their thoughtful questions, and encouraged them to read and explore the world of stories.



VISITORS

TRAFFIC POLICE CAME TO TEACH AND SHARE, IMPORTANT ROAD RULES WITH LOVE AND CARE. NOW WE KNOW WHAT WE MUST DO, TO KEEP OUR JOURNEYS SAFE AND TRUE.



Students of Grades II, III, IV, and V attended an informative session by traffic personnel on road safety.

The session helped students understand important safety rules to follow on the road. Our young learners, especially from Grades II and III, who were currently learning about safety in their EVS and Hindi lessons, were able to connect their classroom learning with real-life situations, making the session even more meaningful and engaging.

GANIT WEEK

NUMBERS DANCED AND
PUZZLES PLAYED,
MATH WAS FUN IN EVERY
WAY.

WITH GAMES AND
CHALLENGES ALL WEEK
THROUGH,
GANIT WEEK BROUGHT JOY
TO OUR LEARNING TOO!



Ganit Week was celebrated with great enthusiasm to mark Math Day. It was a week-long celebration where students of Grade III & IV participated in a variety of exciting and engaging activities conducted by the team of LearnQuest. Through puzzles, challenges, and hands-on tasks, students experienced the fun side of mathematics. Grade I and II students particularly enjoyed STEM-based activities connected to their math concepts, making learning interactive, joyful, and meaningful.

GANIT WEEK



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ASSEMBLY PRESENTATIONS

SONGS AND POEMS FILLED
THE DAY,
FESTIVALS CAME ALIVE IN A
SPECIAL WAY.
WITH JOY, COLOURS, AND
STORIES TO TELL,
OUR YOUNG STARS
PERFORMED SO WELL!



Students of Grades I and II recently showcased their talents through engaging class assemblies. Grade I presented a lively recitation assembly where students sang songs and recited poems in Marathi, Hindi, and English, celebrating the joy of language and expression. Grade II beautifully brought alive the spirit of India's harvest festivals—Maaghi Saaji, Uttarayan, and Pongal—through colourful performances while also explaining the importance and significance of these festivals.

MARATHI DIWAS ASSEMBLY

MARATHI WORDS SO RICH
AND BRIGHT,
STORIES AND POEMS
FILLED WITH LIGHT.
REMEMBERING
KUSUMAGRAJ ON THIS DAY,
OUR LOVE FOR LANGUAGE
FOUND ITS WAY.



A special assembly presentation was conducted to nurture love and respect for the Marathi language among students. The assembly also marked the birth anniversary of Kusumagraj, a renowned Marathi poet and writer. Students were introduced to the richness of Marathi literature, and their own Marathi literary work was displayed, making them feel proud of the state language and its heritage.



CIRCLE TIME ASSEMBLIES

TOGETHER WE SIT,
TOGETHER WE SHARE,
SPEAKING OUR THOUGHTS
WITH LOVE AND CARE.
LISTENING KINDLY, TAKING
TURNS,
A SAFE SPACE WHERE EACH
CHILD LEARNS.



Circle Time Assemblies provided a warm and inclusive space where every child had the opportunity to share their thoughts and ideas. These sessions encouraged students to speak confidently, listen to others, and express themselves freely. Through meaningful conversations and reflections, children learned the value of respect, empathy, and active participation.

WELLNESS ASSEMBLIES

MOVE, JUMP, PLAY
EACH DAY,
KEEP THE SCREENS A
LITTLE AWAY.
HEALTHY HABITS
HELP US GROW,
STRONG AND ACTIVE
AS WE GO!



A Wellness Assembly was conducted where students learned about the importance of healthy habits. On the occasion of World Obesity Day, senior secondary students spoke about the importance of staying active and making healthy choices. Priyanka Di also guided students on the importance of reducing screen time and encouraged them to spend more time playing, reading, and engaging in outdoor activities.

Dear Parents,

As we come to the close of this academic session, I would like to sincerely thank you for being an important part of your child's learning journey. Your support and involvement, as your child's first educators, play a crucial role in their overall growth and development.

Throughout the year, our efforts have been focused on nurturing the essential skills children need in their primary years—academic, social, emotional, and creative. While these may not always be immediately visible, they are gradually strengthening and shaping each child's confidence and abilities.

As students enjoy this short break before the new academic session begins in April, we encourage you to continue nurturing good study habits at home—through reading, conversations about their learning, and revisiting their work. Your encouragement goes a long way in reinforcing their learning.

I would also like to extend my heartfelt appreciation to our dedicated team of teachers for their commitment and the wonderful relationships they have built with both students and parents.

On behalf of my team and our Coordinator, Pallabi Di, I wish you and your family a restful break. We look forward to welcoming our students back in April for another exciting year of learning.

*With gratitude,
Amarpreet Kotkar
Unit Head – Primary*

