

FLYING HIGH

From Principal's Desk

Chrysalis

"We delight in the beauty of the butterfly but rarely admit the changes it has gone through to achieve the same."

Yes, "Chrysalis" is the transformation of a caterpillar to a butterfly. It was during the preparation and execution of the school Science Exhibition 'Chrysalis' that I saw my children transform and fly confidently with beautiful colours—which was, of course, the fruit of hard work.

The preparations for the exhibition began as early as August. The teachers planned meticulously to set the stage, considering individual strengths of each child at Primrose. Our goal was to kindle our students' interest and motivate them to enjoy science and its many facets. For, we believe, learning is a process that can never be confined within the covers of a book or within the walls of a classroom. Application oriented understanding, hands-on activities and experimenting are where the real learning happens.



Just as expected, as soon as the Science Exhibition was announced, I could see the children were bubbling with excitement and enthusiasm. Discovery and Innovation were the two key words that seemed to resonate in our school in the month of October. I appreciate the spirit of parents and thank them for working along with their children and offering support. Despite the challenging weather conditions, children made it a point to safely bring their models to school.



With all the cooperation and efforts, the Science Expo was conducted in the school premises on the 11th of November 2017. It gave me immense pleasure to see my children take flight and present their projects with utmost confidence and conviction. Both the teachers as well as the parents were amazed at the amount of effort invested by the children. Their research was thorough and impressive. What really made an impression on us was that the children not only did their research but also managed to execute their ideas effectively. They presented their thoughts using charts and painstakingly created models and PowerPoint presentations. Each child took the time to explain his/her model and their earnestness in doing so was particularly touching.

Children covered various branches of Science, Life Science, Marine Biology, Potency of Antacids, Adulteration, etc. Many of them did a splendid job and it will be impossible to name and congratulate each and every child individually. I feel the Science Exhibition helped us achieve what we set out to do. Children were inspired, engaged and motivated to discover their true talents.



The parents came in like a swarm of bees to witness the Science Expo. They walked around with overwhelming joy and pride. Last but not least, children not only learnt scientific theories and concepts but also learnt to appreciate lab etiquette and manners. They learnt the importance of being a 'team' player when they worked together. They learnt the new and complicated theories from their peers with ease and excitement. The competition provided them with a perfect platform to showcase their talents.

I congratulate all the children, teachers and parents for their efforts in making this event, a wonderful cross learning experience.

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