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Ad Infinitum

PRINCIPAL'S DESK



Welcome to the month of December

As quoted by Alexander Graham Bell “Before anything else preparation is the key to success”, the children of Primrose were set on the preparation for their Term Examinations.

Exam is a term that threatens every individual. We are deeply rooted in the education system which has aligned our beliefs that, ‘the more you score the better you are.’ This belief system threatens the individual going through this phase as it stands as a judging tool of one’s intelligence.

We at Primrose focus on developing the knowledge of the children on the concepts taught. Preparations are made meticulously to enable the child understand, analyze, question and answer for the concepts rather than just memorizing it.

Our children are trained to take up the exams very confidently because exams are considered only as a tool to analyze their understanding and move on to the phase of development. This strategy helps the children really improve their scores as well as master the concepts.

While classes I to VII were in the midst of their exam preparations, our class VIII children set to extend their learning at Irumbuli village. God looked down on the earth he created and said “I need a caretaker for this world I have made” and so God made a farmer – Paul Harvey. Though technology has been ruling us quite since, we are able to sense many of us walking towards organic food, avoiding the usage of plastics and minimizing the use of gadgets. We are always reminded that it is essential to take our children back to the path we travelled to keep our people healthy and peaceful. The field trip did help us on this objective. The children enjoyed the real taste of organic food, they understood the vast difference between the refined food products and organic food products. The children experienced and enjoyed rolling in the mud, bathing in the pump set, trying their hands in pot making, uri adithal and to shoot marbles using catapult. We are happy for having been able to teach our children that life is possible without gadgets. It was definitely a day well spent.

Though December was kind of hectic at the beginning, the joy of Christmas celebration and the vacation kept lingering in our minds. As always Christmas celebration was fun, colourful and rhythmic. It brought the essence of sharing not only the gifts but also our love for each other. Every month, Primrose bestows us with a different learning experience.

Moving on, wishing our children and our team a happy and successful new year.

Regards
Principal

CHRISTMAS DAY CELEBRATIONS

School celebrated Christmas in all its joy and happiness.



Our KG angels sang to joyful tunes.



The kindergarten reverberated with the melody of Christmas carols on December 22 as the little ones organised a Christmas Special Assembly that day. The programme started with a skit depicting the important events related to the birth of Jesus Christ.

Christmas brings cheer and love and we celebrated it with the same fervour, spreading the message of love and joy among our children.



The students of class III sang various choirs and performed on many dance numbers.



The beautiful assembly became energised when Santa visited the students and had fun with them.



CHRISTMAS DAY CELEBRATIONS



Children performed enthralling dances adding to the festive.



The students of class IV sang Christmas carols that sent the Christmas cheer all around.



The atmosphere became electrifying as class V and VII students performed one dance after another and had everyone tapping their feet.



Melodious Christmas carols were sung by our class VI A, along with the all time favourite 'Jingle Bell' song.



The entire school was festooned with colourful streamers, balloons and brightly decorated Santa with sleigh.



Field Trip!

The students of class VIII went on a field trip to Gramathil Oru Naal, was a day spent in a village atmosphere with their friends.



The exiting tour started with a thrilling 1 kilometer mattuvandi ride, through green patched paddy fields with cattles grazing in the field, farmers working in the farms.



Our traditional childhood games like uri adithal (pot breaking), fun games in wet field (sagathi), pumpset bathing, clay pot making, pambaram,



Crossing a small bridge while getting soiled and enjoying the water and mud.



Pottery making in the process by the teacher.



Tug of War in the wet paddy field.

Raagi koozh, the traditional vazhai ilai virundhu lunch and evening snacks were enjoyed by the kids. It was soooooo good was the statement by the students as they wanted to extend their stay.

PUNCTUALITY AWARD

Punctuality is the gateway to success, children of Class I - B get recognized with a punctuality award for their commitment.



Hard work always gives the best return, Class II - A receiving their punctuality award.

Class III - C receiving the punctuality award



PUNCTUALITY AWARD



Success is the sum of small efforts day in and day out, the efforts of class V – A children yielded them the punctuality award of the month.

Coming together is a beginning, keeping together is progress, working together is success, Class VI – B honored with the punctuality award.



A little progress each day adds up to big results, Children of Class IV – B given the punctuality award.

PRIMROSE WINS ANOTHER ACCOLADE

WON THE BRITISH COUNCIL INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL AWARD FOR THE YEAR 2018 – 2021



The academic year 2017-18 came up with yet another opportunity of working on Internationalism. Having received the Prestigious British Council ISA Award for the year 2014-15, the excitement was double in terms of taking the project to the children.

Primrose School strives to educate the children globally. ISA, with no doubt was a right tool to achieve the same. ISA helped us to uphold our vision which is commitment to the holistic development of the child, through quality education, uniqueness in teaching, bringing the inherent talents and unfolding the creative thinking.

The projects were assigned with utmost care for each class. Each project was integrated with academics. The experience and essence of Internationalism was taken to every single child, ensuring their participation in the projects. Integrating the ISA in our routine was indeed a fulfilling experience.



International exposure to the children, learning the diverse cultures, their uniqueness and their values were the successful outcomes of the efforts, dedication and commitment of the teachers, children and parents.

Interaction with students across various countries helped us to unfold the inherent talents and creative thinking of our students opening up the opportunity to learn and share their views with the children from schools across the globe. This opportunity, I firmly believe will help the children discuss the global issues and provide futuristic solutions with confidence.

I thank the ISA team for planning the projects meticulously and executing the activities with utmost care. The effort taken by the teachers to bring the project to life is worth appreciating.

I thank British Council for supporting us explore Internationalism with full of life thus standing in our belief, learning for the joy of knowing and understanding the world in all its essence.

Principal

Primrose Schools

FREEDOM

It was the 22nd of September, 1862. And he sat reading the newspaper in the unlit room, his dark hands clutching his only connection with the outside world. He had just finished his work and so he had returned to his dingy shack. His eyes scanned the headlines for interesting news. One piece caught his eye - 'Emancipation Proclamation by Abraham Lincoln'. A spark of hope fired in him as he read the word "free".

It was the night of 31st of December, 1862. They had assembled at a single home, counting down the seconds till Lincoln signed the final draft of the Emancipation Proclamation. They chorused, "Ten...

Nine...

Eight...

Seven...

Six...

Five...

Four...

Three...

Two...

One!"

Cheers and tears followed as they hugged one another, knowing that somewhere Lincoln was signing the Proclamation. Their praises had still not died down. They proclaimed, "This is the happiest New Year's Day that has ever dawned upon us."

It was the 16th of April, 1863. It was Emancipation Day and they were celebrating. The slave was once again sitting in his dingy shack but now he said, "I am a free man."

It was the 15th of April, 1865. Lincoln was dead. The truth struck him hard. The slave looked at The Emancipator's picture on the wall. Tears started rolling down his face, he said, "Thank you, for giving me freedom." And Lincoln's free spirit remained in their hearts forever.

Riya Antony
Class X

