"Animals are such agreeable friends – they ask no questions; they pass no criticisms." –George Eliot

Dear Parents,

"Let bygones be bygones, let's greet the New-year with the new outlook of compassion, benevolence and altruism to make this world a better place to live in with peace and harmony."

With the advent of another new Year, let's step into its threshold with abundance of optimisms, aspirations and dreams by bidding adieu to the bygone year. Well, it's an ideal time to introspect ourselves and move ahead gallantly to face the challenges with invincible spirit and tenacity. **New Year** is widely celebrated all across the globe on January 1st with pomp and splendor.

Let's imbibe the values of respect for elders, teachers and parents among our children as they are getting diminished day by day owing to their colossal exposure of scientific technology. The New Year is gradually approaching, and with the holiday season already round the corner would enable us to retrospect some of our lives' choices.

Inculcate refined **communicative skills** by giving ample exposure to great speeches by great leaders.

Spare some quality time in **meditation** to acquire tranquility and serenity.

Stop procrastinating & become more organized: It doesn't matter how much time you have on your hands if you can't manage it properly.

Read more: Books are an excellent way to gain a lot of knowledge on a huge variety of topics, and are also a great exercise for your brain.

Improve your concentration and mental skills: People have been trying to find ways to improve their focus and cognitive capacities for thousands of years.

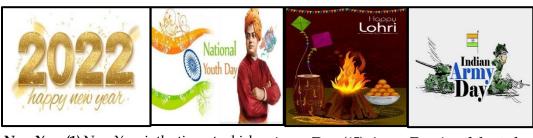
Be more polite: Good manners have always been an appealing trait. Wishing you all a very blessed, cheerful and successful New Year ahead!!!

Warm Regards, Principal

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New Year (1) New Year is the time at which a new calendar year begins and the calendar's year count increments by one. It is a time to start fresh, make resolutions and to get ready for welcoming 2021.

National Youth Day (12) the Government of India declared and decided to observe the birthday of Swami Vivekananda as a National Youth Day, because it was felt that the philosophy of Swamiji and the ideals for which he lived and worked could be a great source of inspiration for the Indian Youth.

Makar Sankranti, Lohri, Pongal (14)

marks the first day of sun's transit, marking the end of the month with Winter solstice. The festival is observed each year and is dedicated to the Sun God.

CAMPUS CLANDESTINE

Wintry December added charm, warmth and health with the major co- curricular activity 'Get set go'. The project 'Seeds' seeded the thought of nature as a provider and a healer with the very many uses of the plants. Children enjoyed the activities and understood the importance of plants as a producer and a provider for all the living The 'Get set go' instilled the importance of sound mind in a sound body. The children understood the spirit of team work, supportiveness, positive attitude, respectfulness, the willingness to learn and the need to practice self- control. The Art Integrated learning, story-based pedagogy, active learning, teacher as a facilitator enabled the children in being competent, knowledgeable and skillful in their day-to-day activities.

Army Day (15) Army Day is celebrated to mark Lt Gen K M Carriappa taking over as commander-in-chief of the Indian Army in 1949 from General Francis Butcher, the last British commander-in-chief of India. The transfer of power from the British to India signifies an important moment in the Indian history.

Republic Day (26) honours the date on which the Constitution of India came into effect on 26 January 1950 replacing the Government of India Act as the



governing document of India and thus, turning the nation into a newly formed republic.

Martyrs' Day (30) The date was chosen as it marks the assassination of Mohandas Karamchand Martyrs' Day
January 30"

Gandhi in 1948. A two-minute silence in memory of Indian martyrs is observed throughout the country at 11 AM.

SYLLABUS

ENGLISH

Unit 9-Jicketty – Can, Article – The, Grammar – Verbs, Paragraph Writing & Workbook-pg:35 and 39.

MATHS

Oral: Unstructured counting 1-100, Word problems of numbers up to 30, Skip count of 2 up to 20, Revisit Number combination up to 10, Halving up to number 20.

Written: Revisit Number Names 1-50, Word problems of numbers up to 20, Revisit Number combinations up to 10, Weight (heavy/ light), Concept of money HINDI

साहित्य-

🍄 चकई के चकदुम

चूहों! म्याऊँ सो रही है(स्विरित वाचन)
 व्याकरण─

🂠 क्रिया का प्रारंभिक ज्ञान

🏞 रचनात्मक लेखन

अपित गद्यांश(बहुवैकिल्पिक प्रश्न)। पुनरावृत्ति

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ART SYLLABUS FOR THE MONTH OF JANUARY

PROJECT - UP IN THE AIR

CHAPTER - A WINDOW WITH A VIEW

Children would be given the concept about folk art and the origin of folk art. In olden times the, married women would draw symbolic paintings on the inner walls of the, house during the wedding occasion, birth of a child or during any religious rituals. They would be shown Madhubani painting to wake their minds about folk art of Bihar. Warli painting is also a type of folk art which originated in a small tribal community in Thane district of Maharashtra. These tribal people lived in simple house made of mud, bamboo, reed, leaves and used to draw symbolic paintings on the inner walls of house for wedding occasions.

TONGUE TWISTERS

- A noisy noise annoys an oyster.
- Swan swam over the sea.
- Kitten in the kitchen.

THEME OF THE MONTH — ANIMALS



The theme animals will help the children delve upon the animals in various forms and sizes, inhabiting the earth from freezing points to the hottest places. The need of the animals and the need to protect the animals will foster in them a sense of responsibility of caring and sharing the nature and the natural



resources for the well- being of the world which is a biome. The various measures adopted by the government as a last resort to protect the animals by law will also be dealt with in the

purview of national park and sanctuaries.

DARENT PLUS

- Helping kids to respect animals is to model behaviour that respects animals.
- Spending time observing animals in a natural setting can be done as an alternate to detox from gadgets. It can be in the backyard, at a nearby park or on a camping trip.
- ❖ As a family, one can make a habit of volunteering at a local animal shelter.
- Children can be taught to make choices that do not harm wildlife. It can be in the form of cleaning a nearby park or a beach or it can be in making the kids understand the difference between want and need to have any item be it a toy or even an eraser.
- A pretend pet can be a great substitute when one can't get a real pet. The child can be taught to care for the pretend pet like he or she would a real one.

AMAZING FACTS

- Otters "hold hands" while sleeping, so they don't float away from each other.
- The shortest living animal in the world is the Mayfly. It's entire lifespan is just 24hrs.
- ❖ Koalas can sleep for up to 22 hours a day.
- A group of parrots is known as a pandemonium.
- ❖ A bat can eat up to 1 thousand insects per hour.