

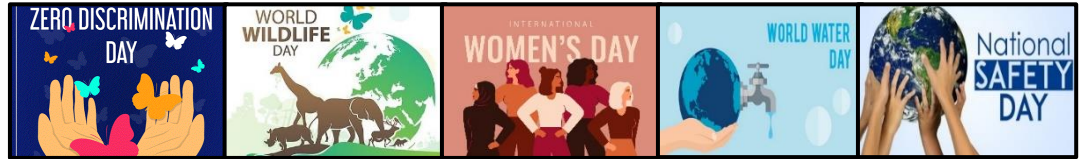
"Take pride in how far you've come.
Have faith in how far you can go. But
don't forget to enjoy the journey."

-Michael Josephson

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GLOBALLY IMPORTANT DAYS OF THE MONTH

1 March – Zero Discrimination Day To draw an attention to the worsening inequality and injustice that currently exist around the world, Zero Discrimination Day 2023 calls for urgent action to end those differences related to income, gender, age, overall health, profession, impairment, sexual preference, substance use, gender identification, racial group, class, ethnic background, and religion.

3 March – World Wildlife Day World Wildlife Day 2023 will be celebrated on March 3, 2023 around the globe. The purpose of the day is to promote wildlife interest and promote people to learn about the wide range of plants and animals all around the globe. Another way of saying this is that it is the commemoration of all the wonderful species that call Earth home.

4 March – National Safety Day India will celebrate the National Safety Day 2023 on March 4, 2023. The National Safety Day/Safety Week Program emphasizes the need of reducing the incidence of industrial accidents, as well as the necessity of focusing on sectors that haven't even been protected through any safety laws, such as construction sites.

CAMPUS CLANDESTINE

The range of varied activities provided a fabulous start to February. The pupils gained an insight about the royal heritage of India and ancient Indian history by means of the Thursday Activity 'Our Assets'. 'Healthy Heart' provided the students the opportunity to delve deep into the aspects of wellness. The activity 'Grandparent's Biography brought the children closer to their roots which in turn instilled in them the relevance of cultivating good moral values in the early stages of life. Jodo Gyan activities of 'Juggling Numbers', 'Decimal Level' and 'Fraction Level- I, II and III' enabled the learners to enjoy the subject and appreciate the power, beauty and relevance of Mathematics in real- life situations. The young enthusiasts explored the concepts of Science through simple experiment such as 'Sugar Water Density' which helped them to widen their knowledge on the topic. The students also explored the environment around them through the 'Nature Walk' and developed a deeper understanding about living and non- living things. The teachers prepared the children for the upcoming Annual Exams by slotting out a rigorous revision regime slated to commence by the end of February. The students prepared for their exams meticulously.

8 March – International Women's Day International Women's Day is an occasion to celebrate the progress made towards achieving gender equality and women's empowerment but also to critically reflect on those accomplishments and strive for a greater momentum towards gender equality worldwide.

22 March – World Water Day

On March 22, the globe celebrates World Water Day, a time to spread education about the significance of clean drinking water and the need to manage its supplies sustainably. On this day, people all around the globe are reminded of the global water problem. One of the most important things to have been access to clean drinking water.

AMAZING FACTS

1. The largest sundial in the world is located in the town of Jaipur (Rajasthan, which is a towering 27 meters (90 feet) tall.
2. The Kumbh Mela is an important festival and pilgrimage site. It is noted for being one of the largest gathering of pilgrims on Earth. The festival attracts such a large crowd that it can be seen even in the satellite images shot from space.
3. The holy city of Varanasi, also known as Banaras or Kashi, is believed to be one of the oldest living cities in the world.
4. India has one of the largest networks of postal services in the world. It also has some unique post offices, like the one in Dal Lake, Srinagar, which floats on water.

Dear Parents,

As springtime draws to a close and we stand at the doorstep of warm and bright summer days ahead, it has added a new life, a new colour, a new joy and a new beat to everything around the school campus. A new academic year awaits us this month. The fruits of the efforts put in for the last year have been rewarding. Now a new set of exciting facts and activities await us.

In today's dynamic world, Education is an asset. However holistic education does not end at learning. We make sure that our students are rooted in the values of Indian culture and yet maintain a global outlook. Its our promise to make them not only successful human beings but also good human beings. We aspire to provide quality education to all, with a balanced and relevant curriculum.

The parents are the most strengthening power in moulding the future of children. Their consistent support empowers us to do more and more. The active participation and involvement of the teachers and parents can create a positive empowerment for every student. As Nelson Mandela said "Education is the most powerful weapon, which you can use to change the world". And I am sure that our students will make all of us very proud. Let us continue to work together to make better citizens and a beautiful place for everyone to dwell.

Warm Regards,
Principal



GRADE 4

Trash Art

Reusing things that we normally throw away in art will reflect on how the waste can creatively be turned into aesthetic objects. It will encourage the students to look at beauty, even in the mundane, and make a conscious effort to reduce the garbage footprint.

GRADE 5

Sculpture

Project 1: Sculpting an object

Project 2: Tribal Mask

Project 3: Box Sculpture

Sculpture adds a third dimension to an artist artwork and gives an entirely new experience of art. Sculpture is art that needs to be looked at from all sides to be fully understood and appreciated. Like all other art form, students learn that sculpture has a purpose too- it is symbolic.

FESTIVE MAGNITUDE

‘Holi’ popularly known as the ‘Festival of Colours’ heralds the beginning of Spring. It is also known by other names as Rangwali Holi, Dhuleti, Dhulandi, Phagwah. It commemorates the arrival of spring and the end of winter. It is a festive occasion to make new friends, enjoy and mend broken relationships. It lasts for a night and a day, starting on the evening of the Poornima (Full Moon Day) falling in the month of Phalgun.



Though it marks the arrival of spring, it is a festival that celebrates agriculture, commemorates great spring harvests, and the fertile soil. The Hindus consider it a time to bid goodbye to winter and enjoy the vibrant colours of spring. It is also an invocation for a bountiful spring harvest. The night before Holi, people gather to perform religious rituals in front of a bonfire and pray that their internal evil be destroyed just as Holika, the sister of the demon king Hiranyakashipu, was killed in the fire. The next day is observed as Rangwali Holi when people apply colours and spray coloured water on others. Water guns and water-filled balloons are frequently used to play and colour each other. People visit their friends and family throughout the day where they get together to chat, relish Holi delicacies, and participate in fun activities.

The legend of God Vishnu and his devotee Prahlad explains why Holi is celebrated as a festival of the victory of good over evil. King Hiranyakashipu father of Prahlada, according to a legend who was the king of demonic Asuras, had earned a boon that he could not be killed. As a result, he became arrogant, believed himself to be God, and demanded that everyone worship only him. The immense devotion of Prahlad made Lord Vishnu save the child and Holika was burnt in the fire. Hence, this day is celebrated as Holi for the victory of good over evil.

The Holika bonfire and Holi festival commemorate the symbolic triumph of good over evil, Prahlada over Hiranyakashipu, and the fire that burned Holika. The festival has traditionally been also observed by people of all religions, such as by Jains, the Sikhs.

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PARENTAL TIPS

1. Encourage your child and provide guidance to set his or her own life goals.
2. Instil a love for reading in your ward by providing books or getting a membership in the local children's library. Help your child set his own goals.
3. Check your ward's ERP and almanac every day.
4. Restrict your ward from excessive usage of electronic gadgets as it can have an adverse impact in the long run.
5. Motivate your child to appreciate the gifts they receive from family members and friends by writing 'Thank You' notes thus expressing their gratitude.