Colleagues host "life changing" carnival





60 Bangalore colleagues visited a specialist institution devoted to the education of specially-abled children. Run by the Association of People with Disability (APD), the institution is devoted to the education of specially-abled children.

During the day, the colleagues joined pupils in a raft of class-based activities, from drawing to hygiene to the broader subjects such as the environment to astronomy. The group also hosted a carnival, where the children could take part in pottery making, tattoo painting, and enjoy a magic show.

The activity was organised by the AVEVA Action for Good Social Wellbeing Committee, which identified the school for support. Mark Cooper, Chief Human Resources Officer, said: "This is another reminder of how AVEVA Action for Good enables colleagues around the world to make a difference to the communities we live and work in."

One colleagues described the visit as a "life changing experience", having found the children's zest for life and innocence inspirational. "Their love and care towards each other and the smiling faces are beyond description. They were so happy, and money doesn't make them smile, affection and attention does."

"Our colleagues put in a lot of hard work to make the visit to the APD school such a success. They gave their heart and soul to giving the children a great learning experience in their lessons – their caring shone through."

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