



RAFFLES GIRLS' PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Dear Parents/Guardians,

P2 Term 4 PE, Art & Music updates

PE

We have come to the end of Term 4 and here are some updates on P2 PHE. The students have been taught the following skills. They have also learnt some health-related topics based on the An Active and Healthy Me book.

Gymnastics

1. Travelling in relation to position with low apparatus.
2. Balance on different body surfaces with hands and legs raised to different levels in relation to the floor
3. Balance on the back and arms in the inverted position and coming out of the balance with control
4. Spin for at least half a circle on different body parts, in different body shapes
5. Turn in longitudinal rotation for at least half a circle while the body is in flight, in different body shapes
6. Roll using the shape of round-tuck in a forward direction
7. Jump onto low apparatus with control, using one foot and two feet take-offs.
8. Jump off a low apparatus, forming different shapes during flight, and land on two feet in a controlled finish position.
9. Perform a sequence of two different movements with smooth transition.

An Active and Healthy Me

1. Understand how common diseases such as flu and HFMD can be spread quickly.
2. Identify the symptoms of the 2 common diseases and demonstrate good personal hygiene habits to prevent the spread of the diseases.
3. Recognize that unclean environment is a risk to healthy living.

All these components formed the basis of their assessment. Through the activities carried out, the pupils also learnt values like sportsmanship, teamwork and responsibility in using and keeping the equipment. Generally, the girls were proficient in most of the movement taught during the gymnastics lesson. Even though they had lesser practice due to the FHBL, they were able to use their prior knowledge from Primary 1 Gymnastics lessons and build on it.

During the December break, we greatly encourage the pupils to stay active as much as possible while adhering to the Enhanced Safe Management Measures.

Best regards,
Ms Teo Siew Huai
Primary 2 PE Level Representative

Art

The P2 pupils learnt about the fascinating painting, the Mona Lisa by the famous artist, Leonardo Da Vinci. The focus was on variations of lines, colours and patterns. Opportunities were created for the pupils to use their imagination and creativity to recreate a 'Mona Lisa'. It was observed that the pupils had fun reimagining Mona Lisa as they went about their task.

At the end of the lesson module, the pupils did a reflection of their artwork. They described what they had created, how they carried it out and talked about how they felt about their artwork.

A survey conducted showed that the pupils understood lesson concepts and enjoyed all their art lessons.

Please continue to build up the personal folio with all artwork done in school. The folio is to be used for the six years in RGPS.

Best Regards,
Miss Ho Soo Peng
Primary 2 Art Level Representative

Music

In term 4, the Primary 2 pupils learnt about how music and mood are related. They listened to a variety of music and discussed how these music made them feel. For their assessment, pupils were engaged in collaborative learning as they worked together to create a soundscape for a silent video bearing in mind the strict SMM. They used voice, body percussion and classroom instruments to express the mood in the video. The pupils displayed creativity and teamwork during the group work.

Pupils also recapped the songs and dances learnt during music and PAL lessons while they prepared for the P2 Aesthetics Showcase. P2 Aesthetics Showcase is held online this year due to the COVID-19 situation. The students' performances were recorded in our Performing Arts Theatre and would be shared on the Student Learning Space for parents to witness their growth in music. This will be available on SLS from 18/11/2021, Thursday, till the end of the year. We hope you will enjoy the performances, which is a fruit of labour from both the pupils and teachers.

We look forward to seeing your child next year.

Best regards,
Mrs Amy Ng
Primary 2 Music Level Representative