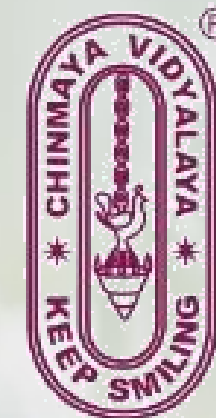




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2021-22



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CHINMAYA VIDYALAYA VADUTHALA

A School With A Difference...

THUNDERING SUCCESS

AISSCE 2021

RESULTS 100 % PASS

DISTINCTION : 100 %

SCIENCE TOPPERS

AJAYKRISHNAN K (98.4 %)

SRUTHI S NAIR (98.4 %)

COMMERCE TOPPER

ALEENA JAISON (98.2 %)

AISSE 2021

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32 ALL A1s

TOPPER

GOURI BINU

(99%)

EDITORIAL

2022 is special for CVV as fifty years of scintillating moments weave in golden threads their stories of many an educational milestone and resounding success of its alumni scattered all over the world. This is also a jubilant moment for the Pravahini team to document the enthralling successes of our children and our experiments in learning. We have also traced our steps through innovative grounds and cached resources and ideas rooted in our time tested values for a generation treading with uncertain steps during this transition era of learning. We are sure that much as we do, you too will feel immensely delighted to delve into the remarkable achievements of our children in various fields of activities. May Pujya Gurudev's grace and wisdom light up our paths as we continue in our striving to help our children discover their precious gifts.

Happy reading !!!

The Pravahini team

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PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE



Crushing variants with valiance

Chinmaya values adaptability, relearning and unlearning above all. This spirit of resilience is reflected in the wide spectrum of online as well as real world activities that make life at Chinmaya a real celebration. Pravahini 2022 is festooned in the glitter and sparkle of this euphoria. Despite the dark despair into which the pandemic plunged the whole world, we here at this cosy niche of Kochi, continue to light up the minds of our dear children continuously striving to keep them sanguine. We leave no stone unturned in recognising the intellectual abilities, creativity, cultural diversity and the unique gifts of each child. In our endeavour to invest in a versatile cohort, we ensure that we create stars and heroes out of the fledglings entrusted under our care at their entry points to this great shrine of learning. As we gear up to equip our students with knowledge and skills relevant for the post pandemic era, we remain rooted in the Chinmaya values of humanistic spirit. May Almighty shower our children with the precious blessings of success - both material and spiritual through abundant measures of compassion and service mindedness and let us get empowered with this strength to combat all variants with valiance.

Stay safe .

Thank you

Ms Prathiba V, Principal



Achievements

TOWARDS EXCELLENCE

- Our school has won a **SILVER MEDAL** in the **BEST SCHOOL CATEGORY FOR EXCELLENCE IN THE FIELD OF EDUCATION** among several hundreds of schools in India and Middle East by **CENTRE FOR EDUCATIONAL INITIATIVES AND REFORMS GLOBAL (CEIR)**. Our school has won **SPECIAL PRIZE** for Best practices followed in our school **WELL BEING OUT OF WASTE** We were one of the 23 shortlisted schools by the CEIR jury to finally win the silver.



- Our school has been selected for **GLOBAL SCHOOL AWARD – 2021** organised by **Centre of Education Development Foundation (CED)**.



- Our school bagged **Gold medal** for the 'Best Eco Friendly School' and Silver medal for 'Best Sustainable Idea' under the Global Sustainability Awards 2021 by Earth Day Network. The award was report of environmental activities and eco initiatives



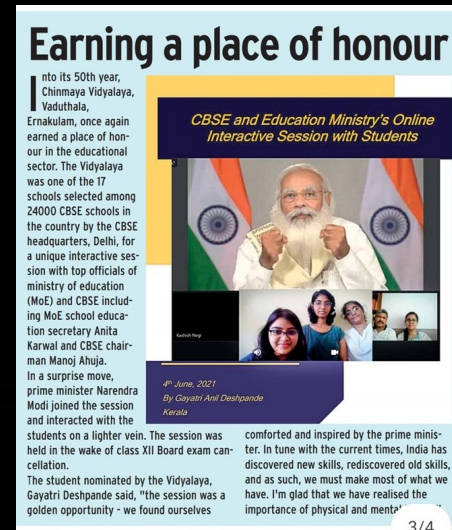
- Our school received the **Haritha Jyothi Award** organised by Mathrubhumi under the SEED programme. This is the 3rd consecutive year that we are receiving this award.

- Our school received **Certificate of Appreciation** in recognition to the guidance rendered to the students in developing innovative mindset in the International Innovation Summit – **IMAGINATION**



TOWARDS EXCELLENCE

- Continuing its 50th year of stellar march to excellence, Chinmaya Vidyalaya Vaduthala has once again earned a place of honour in the educational sector. CVV was one of the 17 schools among 24000 CBSE schools in the country to be selected by the CBSE HQ, Delhi for a unique interactive session with top officials of ministry of education and CBSE including Anita Karwal, E.S, Moe, and Manoj Ahuja, Chairman, CBSE and others. In a surprise move, Prime Minister Sri.Modi also joined the session and interacted with the students on a lighter vein. This unique session comes in the wake of the cancellation of STD XII board exams.



- Our school was awarded **Certificate of Recognition** from **Helen O'Grady International** for the school with maximum number of participants in the international competition "Drama Personality of the Year 2021".



- Our school was awarded **Certificate of Appreciation** for the excellent performance of our students in Toffee Ride GO Quiz contest conducted during the academic year 2020-2021.



- CHINMAYA VIDYALAYA VADUTHALA was specially invited by CBSE HQ to share screen space with the Prime Minister Narendra Modi on the inaugural launch of **Shikshak Parv 2021**, a CBSE and NCERT initiative to enable "Quality and Sustainable Schools : Learnings from the Schools". The conclave will go on for 15 days for all the CBSE schools in the country. We were the **only school from Kerala** which was invited for the inaugural programme on webex platform held on 07/09/2021.

- Our school received **Certificate of Appreciation** for conducting H2Oooh Waterwise Programme for Children of India for students from Std I – VIII during July – August 2021.



- Our School secured **EVER ROLLING TROPHY** of **INSIGNIA**, the interschool literary fest organised by Bhavans Varuna Vidyalaya, Kakkanad.

- Our school team secured 2nd prize in the interschool dance competition **SRUSHTI** conducted by Bhavans Munshi Vidyashram.

- Our school emerged as Overall champions of Inter School quiz 'hosted by Navy Children School, Kochi in connection with 75th Independence Day celebrations.

- Our school team secured third position in the Inter-School Quiz fest **Labyrinth Arcanum 21** organised by Bhavans Adarsha Vidyalaya . G Krishnakanth of Std XII secured 1st prize.

PROUD MOMENTS

We are proud of you Ma'am..

- Our Principal Ms Prathiba V won **GLOBAL PRINCIPAL AWARD – 2021** organised by **Centre of Education Development Foundation (CED)** after 2 rounds of selection procedure. She was one of the 100 educators in India who bagged this award.
- The Principal has been conferred with the title “**PROGRESSIVE PRINCIPAL OF INDIA**” by **ReTHINK**



Principal was **invited by CBSE HQ** to share inputs and ideas regarding the preparation and designing of **Holistic Report card** with Director, Academics, CBSE HQ, Joint Secretary, Academics, CBSE HQ and 7 selected Principals from all over the country.

The Principal received Certificate of Appreciation from Zenik Learning in connection with the International Innovation Summit – IMAGINATION 2021.

The Principal was awarded certificate of Visionary Leadership for leading the school with a purpose and dedication by The Times NIE in collaboration with Lifology Global Education Network.

India Foundation, a Nationalist Think Tank which nurtures a wide range of Communities of

Practice. She is the only Principal from Kerala to be awarded this title. This title is a standing recognition which continues lifelong from the year of its conferment.

- The Principal was selected as a delegate for the “International School Leaders Summit” held in Alliance University Campus, Bangalore .

- The Principal was invited by **Blub World** as **Speaker** in the Round-Table of **Blub World Web Talks** to share the thoughts on the topic, Education Online V/S On-Ground.



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GEMS OF CVV...



Two of our teachers Ms Aiswarya Suresh and Ms Betty Vijay were selected by CBSE as members for item writing , content preparation and Question paper preparation.



- ♦ Ms.Manju Ann Abraham, HOD English, was nominated by Principal to receive a Certificate of Appreciation from Kochi Metro Sahodaya on account of Teachers day celebrations 2021.



- ♦ In Vidyajwala, an academic conclave organised by Vidyodaya School in collaboration with CUSAT, Ms Girija K ,faculty of English won first prize for caption writing.



- ♦ Primary Headmistress, Ms. P Prasanna was nominated by the Principal for Teacher's Day Award, organised by IIHM Bangalore as part of Teachers Day.



- ♦ Our Librarian Ms. Sheeba Satheesh has won the third prize in the video competition conducted for school librarians all over India as part of V- Samvad, the virtual colloquium organised by Vidyodaya School, Thevakkal on Saturday, 19th of June 2021.



- ♦ Our English teacher Ms. Jyothi V was one of the Resource Person for CCMT Vidya Vritti series 2 online workshop.



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1. Dhanya Dinesh (X) got prize for painting competition conducted by PCRA, State level
2. Adharsh. S.Menon (VI)- First prize in the Teens category at the National Level & Bhavya Krishnan (II) - First runner up prize in the Junior category at the National level- 'Drama Personality of the Year' - Helen O Grady International 2021.
3. Swetha S Nath (XI), Aishwarya Lekshmi B S (XI) and Vaishnavi S (XI) - Second prize -

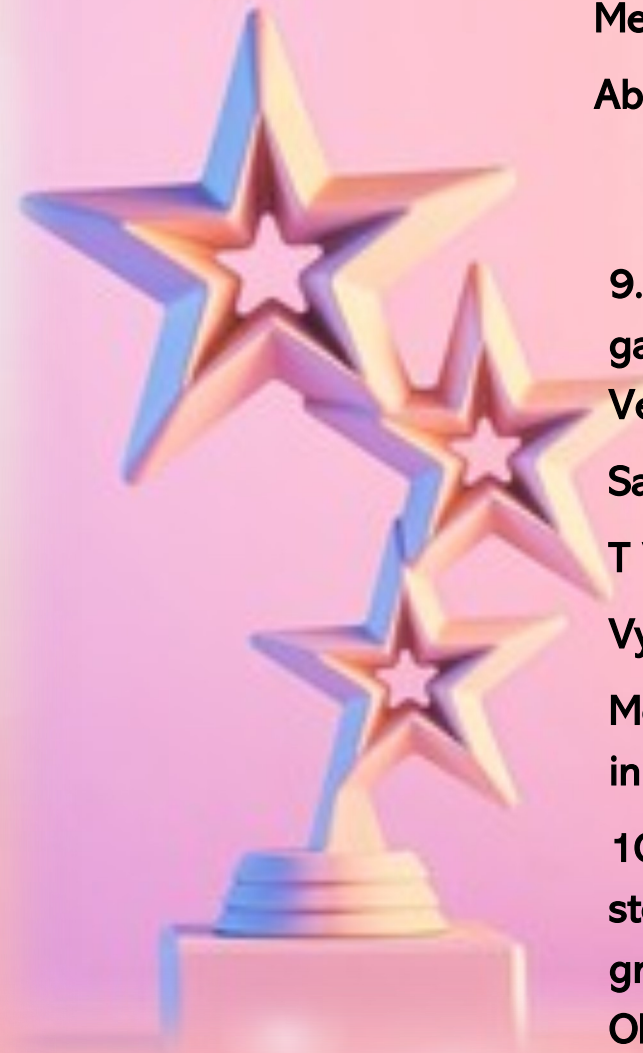
Inter-school dance competition 'Srushti' conducted by Bhavans Munshi Vidyashram.

4. Chaitanya (VII) -First prize in Katha Sagar (Sanskrit), C N Bhadra (IX) -Second prize -Mathur Vani(Malayalam), Gouri Binu (XI) - Second prize in Latam Alteram (literary event)- INSIGNIA Interschool Literary Event organized by Bhavans Varuna Vidyalaya.

5. Anirjith D. Kartha (XI)-Best Actor -Spectral Screenplay-genre Drama, Steve Manual (XI)- Magical Marketing-Musical event- Inter school cultural competitions *Fringes* conducted by the Choice School .

6. Masoomi Nevgi(IX)- Editor's Choice Award- Monomousumi Essay Competition for the topic - Healthy Food Choices and Role of Advertisements.

7. Ritisha V R (VII) 2021 won scholarship of Rs 10,000/-- E Drona Champions League .



8. ESPERANZE '21-Interschool competition - Chinmaya Vidyalaya, Kannamaly

Loka M Menon (V)- Third prize - Story with Different Ending

Bhavya Krishnan (II)-First prize - Patava Speak About It

Bhavya Krishnan (II)- First prize- Gita in Our Daily Life

Ishani R Prabhu (I)-Third prize- Book Characterisation

Jake George Antony (III)-First prize - Kilikila Action Song

Karthik Vivek(V)-First prize- Guess It

Karthik Shine (XI)-First Prize & Anirjith D Kartha (XI)-Second prize - Stand up comedy

Megha Maria Jose (XII)-First prize – Mono Acting

Abhinav Vinay(VII)-Third prize - Vartha Vachana - News Reading

9. Sreelakshmi K (XII)& Namitha Anjana Suresh (XII)- Outstanding Delegate, Ananth Ram Omkar (XI)- Honourable mention, Lakshmi Rajeev (XI)- Verbal mention- Bhavan MUN.

Saddrishya. G (VIII)- Third prize - Story with visualisation

T Varsha(XI)- First prize - Radio Jockey

Vyshnavi Venugopal (X)-Third prize- Gurudakshina

Meenakshi V Nair (X)-First prize- Gita in our Daily Life

10. R Mitra Aditi(IV)- Second prize-story writing- H2000oh waterwise program organised by UNITED SCHOOLS ORGANISATION

11. Hadrian Shane Rebeiro (X)- participation certificate- National level art competition-CBSE





12. Chaitanya (VII)- 6th rank – Carnatic Music- Vandana : National Level Inter-school Classical dance and singing competition- Hertiage Foundation of Art and Culture.

13. Sivanandana P J-Gold Medal – All India Environment Awareness Competition by Jim Corbet

14. World Space Week 2021 School level events ISRO

Masoomi S Nevgi (IX) – First prize- Hindi Extempore competition

T Varsha(XI)- Third prize- Malayalam Extempore competition

15.Abhinanda Jinesh(V)-First Prize- Poster Designing(Jr)- Cochin Port Trust

16.Deshna M Nair-One of the top 50 students from Kerala- Rs. 2000/- cash prize- PCRA “Saksham “National Essay Comeptition – Petroleum Conservation Research Association

17.Adwaith Varma & Ananth Ram Omkar –First Prize- The Padawan – Interschool competition- The Global Public School.

18. Lakshmi K Rajeev, Alka Ruble, Aabhas Chauhan & Yadhukrishna Palliyath- First Prize- Maz’s Artefacts- Inter school competition- The Global Public School.

19. Swetha S Nath, Diya Bobby, Anirjit D Kartha, Aravind Shivram, Vishal Bharathi, Aishwarya Lekshmi B S & Megha R S (XI Students)-Second Prize- The Duel on Mastafar- Interschool competition- The Global Public School.

20. Masoomi S Nevgi & Rohith K – First Prize – The Last Jedi - Interschool competition- The Global Public School.

21. Aishwarya K (VIII)- First – Anchoring- V-Litt Interschool Competition- Vidyodaya school, Thevakkal

22. Annapoorna G (III)-First Prize- Gita Chanting competition – Chinmaya Mission , Kottayam.

23. Gauri Nandana H S (XII)- First Prize- Just Do It (Documentary)- a-byte 2.0 –an interschool competition- Vidyodaya School , Thevakkal.

24. Aayal Cil M. N(V)- Kalathilakam- Ethal 2021 competition- Social Eye Foundation.

25. Nivedhitha Sreejith, Navaneet Krishna, Aabhas Chauhan, Yadhukrishna Palliath (all from class XI)- Best Hindi Film on End Plastic Pollution- Digital Earth Reel Film making competition- Acts of Green.

26. Anika (V)- Second Prize- International Art Competition- SPECTRA-ICRF BAHRAIN.

27. KURUKSHETRA – INTERSCHOOL DANCE FEST - THE CHOICE SCHOOL

Keerthana Krishna(I)-First Prize- Semi classical - Solo

Nakshatra Prasanth(IV)-First Prize - Semi classical -Solo

Shrinkha Susin (II)- First Prize - Dance with your parent

Anamika Girish (III)-Second Prize-Dance with your parent

Aishwarya Lakshmi(XI)- First Prize –Freestyle -Solo

Swetha .S.Nath (XI)- Second Prize -Semi classical –Solo

Bhavya Krisha(II)-Second Prize - Free style dance-Solo

Eliz Simon (IV)- Second Prize - Freestyle dance- Solo

Drishya Manoj (VII) – Second Prize- Dance with the parent



CONTESTS



OLYMPIADS

* Sivanandana P J of Std VIII won Gold medal in Group A in All India Environment competition, Jim Corbett 2019-2020. She secured 1st position in the country.

* For the National I.Q. Test, from Mensa India (the oldest high I.Q. society), our student, Sadarsh Janin Kurup of Std. 7, has scored greater than 90th percentile.

* Gouri Binu of Class XI secured Global Rank 1 in the Group III innovation Olympiad by Zenik Learning.

* In the National level, Sanskrit Olympiad organised by Sam-skrita Education Trust, Gauri Nandana of Std XI secured Rank 5 in State Level. Jyotiraditya M Naik (VI) received merit certificate for the same.

* In the inter school National level quiz conducted as a part of Lit Magic Fest 2021 by Chinmaya Vishwavidyapeeth, Masoomi S Nevgi (IX) and Abbia Rose D'silva (IX) secured 1st and 2nd prize respectively.

* In the Geo Genius National Geography Olympiad, Gayatri Unni (III) of Hrishikesh Unni (VIII) secured Gold medal in Sub Junior and junior level respectively.

* Ritisha V R of Std VII participated in 2021 E Drona Champions League and won scholarship of Rs. 10,000/-.

* Mitra Aditi of Std IV emerged as winner in the Math Master game show of All-rounder Cup. There were more than over 500 students from Classes 1-8, who participated in this event.

* Hadrian Shane Rebeiro (IX) Shortlisted among Top 50. All India Youth Ideathon 2021 contest organised by the Ministry of Skill Development and Entrepreneurship.

* Adwaith Varma and Ananth Ram Omkar won First Prize in 'Basuri' Interschool competition 'CROSSROADS' by Global Public School .



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SPORTS

GAMES

* Bhavya Krishnan (II) won First Prize in Grammer competition conducted by Little Learners .

* Gauri Nandana (IX) secured Rank 5 in State Level for National level, Sanskrit Olympiad organised by Samskrita Education Trust

* Bhavya Krishnan (II) won First Prize in Unique Brain Award 2021 by Kidoos.

* Jyotiraditya M Naik (VI) won Merit Certificate for National level, Sanskrit Olympiad organised by Samskrita Education Trust

* Gayathri Unni (III) won Gold Medal in Sub Junior Category Geo Genius National Geography Olympiad

* Hrishikesh Unni (VIII) won Gold Medal in Junior Category Geo Genius National Geography Olympiad

* Bhavya Krishnan (II) won Second prize in National symbols contest organized by Born To Win Kids

* In the Kerala State Athletic Meet, Hritika Ashok Menon of Std IX secured Gold medal in 300m race.

* Our student Gauri Anand of Std IX won 1st prize in the Alapuzha District Badminton Championship selection tournament in U15 mixed doubles and U15 girls doubles.

* Our student Hritika Ashok Menon of Std IX won Gold medal in 100 m and 300 m U-16 Girls category in Ernakulam District Athletic Championship.

M AYUSHI Std VIII won Third Prize in Kerala

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tournament .

She was the member of Ernakulam District team.





- ♦ In an online quiz on infectious disease organised by SCMS Institute of Bioscience and Biotechnology Research & Development our school team won 1st and 2nd positions respectively.
- ♦ Our school emerged as Overall champions of Inter School quiz 'hosted by Navy Children School, Kochi in connection with 75th Independence Day celebrations. Aadithya Anish Nari (XII) and G. Krishnakanth (XII) are the winners.
- ♦ Our school team secured third position in the Inter-School Quiz fest LABYRINTH ARCANUM 21 organised by Bhavans Adarsha Vidyalaya.
- ♦ In the Toffee Ride Go Quiz Contest conducted by Toffee Ride – Learning App for Primary School Kids, Alodia Emilyn Macdonald (II) emerged as winner in the primary level.
- ♦ In the interschool online quiz organised by SCMS college, Gauri B and Ananya of Std XI secured 1st prize and Gauri Binu and Gouri Nandana of Std XI secured 2nd prize respectively.
- ♦ In the Inter School quiz conducted as a part of Lit Magic Fest 2021 by Chinmaya Vishwavidyapeeth- Masoomi Santosh Nevgi (IX) First Prize& Abbia Rose D'silva of (IX)Second prize.

It was a national level quiz conducted for students of age group 14 to 17



- In the Digital Earth Reel Filmmaking competition - #Acts of Green organised by Earth Day Network and Council for Green Revolution, students of Std XI Aabhas Chhauhan, Navneet Krishna S, Niveditha Sreejith and Yadhukrishna Paliyath won prize for Best Hindi Film on “End Plastic Pollution”.

- Joel Josy (XII) secured 2nd position in the event 3A – Reflection perception at Snapshots 2.0, an All India online school photography event organised by Bal Bharati school, Noida.
- In the interschool competition FRINGES organised by The Choice school, Anirjith D Kartha (XI) won Best Actor award and Steve Manual (XII) secured Best Editing award.
- In the a - byte 2.0, an interschool competition conducted by the Department of Computer Science and Mathematics, Vidyodaya School, Thevakkal , our students Gauri Nandana H S(XI) secure 1st prize in Just Do It " (Documentary) and Gauri V R (VIII) secured 3rd prize in Wait A Secant" (Drawing).

L I T E R A R Y

- ♦ Our school bagged two prizes in the 'Drama Personality of the Year' event conducted by Helen O Grady International 2021. Adarsh S Menon of Std VI bagged 1st prize in the Tweens category at the National level and Bhavya Krishnan of Class II secured first runner up position in the Junior category at National level.
- ♦ In the H2000h waterwise program organised by United Schools Organisation for the children of India in collaboration with UNESCO and Ri8brain, R Mitra Aditi of class 4A won the second prize at the national level. She won the prize for writing a story. Her story will be made into an animation video.
- ♦ Our students Masoomi S Nevgi of Std 9 won the First prize, High school category, Hindi or the All Kerala Space Extempore competition organised by ISRO in connection with World Space Week 2021. They were included in the Ernakulam zone which consisted of around 40 participants from five districts of central Kerala.
- ♦ Our students Adwaith Sreenivas and Ameya Sreenivas played leading role in the Documentary 'Pukamanju' which secured Special Jury Award - Documentary - Bharath Murali Media hub Online Awards; Media Hub International Shortfilm and Documentary Festival 2020-2021.
- ♦ In the competitions conducted by Chinmaya International Foundation as part of Adi Sankara Jayanthi celebrations, Gauri Nandana of Std XI secured 1st prize in Speak Sankara, Bhavya Krishnan of Std II secured second prize in Chant Sankara and Chinmaya Varma of Std IV secured second prize in Speak Sanakara.
- ♦ Prajwala Nanda of Std VII secured 1st prize in Public speaking competition conducted as part of Melio Online competitions 2021..
- ♦ The debate article written by our students was published in Times of India.
- ♦ Aishwarya K of Std 8 B won the first prize for Anchoring in connection with the Vidyodaya interschool competition (V Litt).
- ♦ In the online school fest ETHAL organised by Social Eye foundation, Aayal Cil M N secured first prize in Malayalam poem composition and A Grade in English Poem composition.
- ♦ Ithika R Menon of Std III secured 3rd prize English speech competition organised by Rotary Cloud contest.



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Chinmaya's Virtualebrations...

WORLD ENVIRONMENT DAY

The World Environment Day was celebrated online with focus on the theme of the year-**2021 : Reimagine. Recreate. Restore.** As the World Environment Day 2021 marks the beginning of United Nations Decade on Ecosystem Restoration, the whole programme was charted out to create awareness about the same. The introductory speech by Siddharth of class IX did fair justice to the theme, as he highlighted the need for finding ways to safeguard natural ecosystems and biodiversity through science, education and participatory approaches while promoting innovative economic development that is environmentally sustainable and socially and culturally appropriate. The guest speaker Sri Manoj Kumar T B, a leading environmentalist, said that students are the advocates of change and encouraged them to make environmentalisation programmes an integral part of their life. The video also showcased glimpses of the environmental activities pursued passionately by the school. Divya G of class VIII A recited a Malayalam poem echoing the lofty aspirations of the poet for preserving the rich bounties of nature. Guided by the principles of **WOW –Well being Out of Waste** – programme, the students shared their ideas on recycling old things by way of making bags, aprons, table runners and pot holders from old T-shirts and jeans. Placards displaying quotes on nature were meaningfully expressed through inspiring speeches. The online celebration of the day provided a very good opportunity to broaden the basis for valued opinions and responsible conduct by the student community, by way of making bold attempts for preserving and enhancing the environment.



VANAMAHOTSAV

Vanamahotsav was a weeklong celebration. Our Nature club “Chinmaya Haritham” presented a video paying tribute to the true lover of nature—Sunder Lal Bahuguna. A webinar by the Environmentalist Mr. Manoj Edavanakkad on the topic Urban Forestry was also conducted for students and parents.

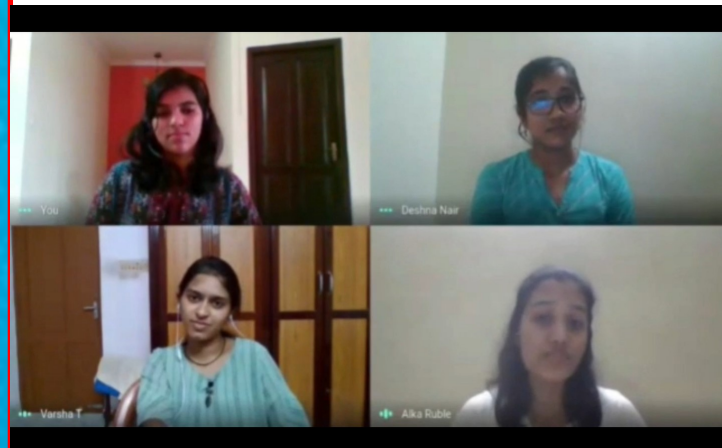
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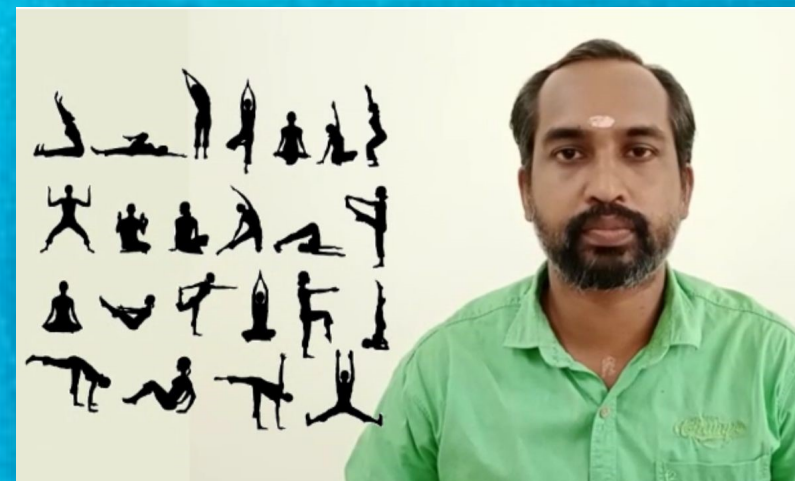
The school celebrated the 25th edition of the National Reading Day on June 19th. The school honoured Sri P N Panicker who was responsible for the cultural movement to advocate reading in the state of Kerala. The introductory speech provided the right ambience for setting the general tone of edifying the virtual audience by way of transforming them into a generation who love and cherish the written word. Sowparnika of Std XII presented a scintillating review of the great classic Pride and Prejudice by Jane Austen. A skit on the importance of reading left its indelible mark on the digital space that of late has conquered every walk of human imagination. The great Malayalam poet Kunjunni Master's quotes and short witty epigrams included in the video were really

thought inspiring. Another sparky debate on Books Vs Movies gave room for witty exchanges and forceful polemics. As per CBSE's mandate, students are participating in various online competitions related to Reading Day.



INTERNATIONAL YOGA DAY

Our school celebrated international yoga day highlighting the theme - 'Yoga For Wellness'. All the activities of the online celebrations had the spotlight on practising yoga for physical and mental well-being. To drive home the significance of making healthier choices and following lifestyle patterns that foster good health, the students shared useful tips that make the practice of yoga meaningful and purposeful. From the superb demonstration of Surya Namaskar to the simple stretches and relaxation techniques to break the monotony of online sessions, the entire attempt of the video presentation was highly relevant and impactful. Tracing the roots of yoga to Rig veda dating back to the times of yore, the message of the day ingrained in all respect for our rich heritage and timeless wisdom.



RAMAYANA DAY

GURUPURNIMA

GURU SAMADHI DAY

Our school celebrated the start of Ramayana month with great fervour by reverberating chants from Vedic hymns, Ramayana and soul-stirring Bhajans that illumines the virtual classes. Teachers also spoke about the importance and significance of Ramayana during their live lectures.

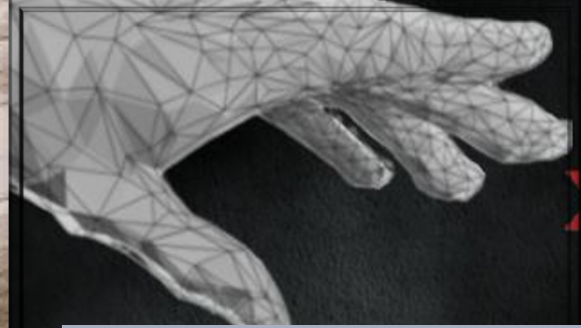


Gurupurnima was celebrated in the virtual mode on 24/07/21. The theme for this year was Rajopachara which painted the whole programme in the purple hue of royal splendour. The chief guest of the day, Dr Lakshmi Shankar, Assistant Professor of Sanskrit in Sree Krishna College, Guruvayur gave the key note address tracing the significance of the day to Sri Ved Vyasa's birthday. Dr Lakshmi spoke of Sri Veda Vyasa in lofty terms as one who took up the Herculean task of compiling the Vedas under different heads. Apart from this Guru shtothram, bhajans, selected chants from Guru Ashtotharam sung by tiny tots and speeches on Pujya Gurudev added to the sanctity of the day.

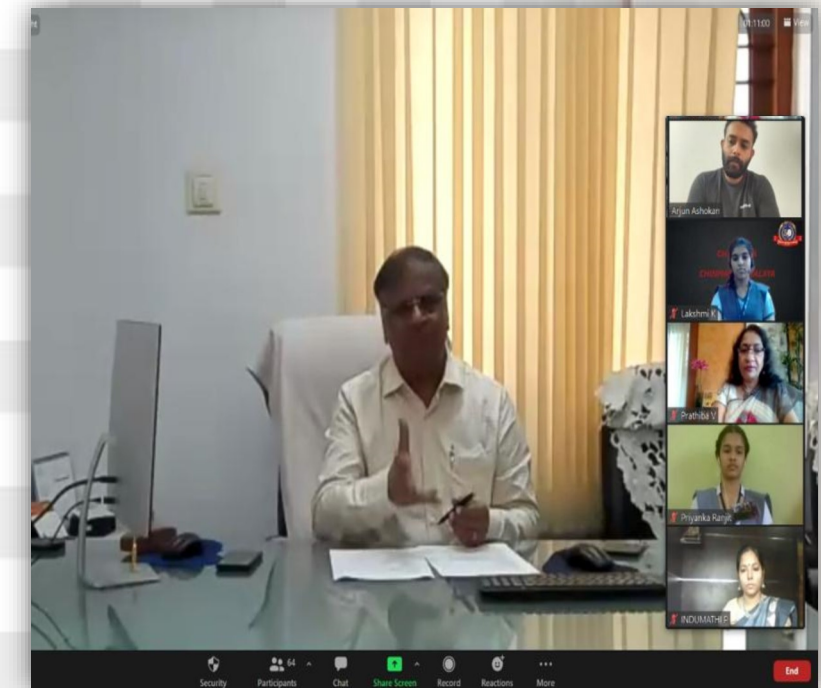


The 28th Maha Samadhi of Param Pujya Gurudev Swami Chinmayanandaji was observed reverentially on August 3rd 2020. A video message by Swami Adwaithanandaji, Chief Acharya of CIF on the significance of the day was an insightful experience. A beautiful video presentation that followed comprising an invoking song, Chinmayash-takam, mellifluous bhajans, and Chinmaya Arathi, set a sanctimonious tone of the day. The presentation of students holding placards showcasing the importance of guru in one's life added more meaning to the event.





CHAITANYA- 2021, the interschool competition hosted by Chinmaya Vidyalaya, Vaduthala was held virtually on the zoom platform on 28th July, 2021. The theme of this year's talent programme was –**"A decade from now—the best is yet to come"**. Principal, Ms. Prathiba V welcomed the gathering. The guest of honour, an alumnus an Rising movie actor, Arjun Ashokan ,declared the cultural fest open. Mr. Dheeraj Denny another upcoming film artist, enthused the participants with his speech and garnered support for his movie awaiting release. This was followed by a scintillating address by Sri A Gopalakrishnan, Chief sevak, CMECT-GC. The need to focus on humane values even as we evolve into a technology driven world was highlighted in the Presidential address. The introductory video gave a sneak peek into the years yet to come. The vote of thanks was proposed by Alka Rouble of class XI. The four events– Skit, Stand up comedy, Fashion show and Dance attracted a fairly good participation.



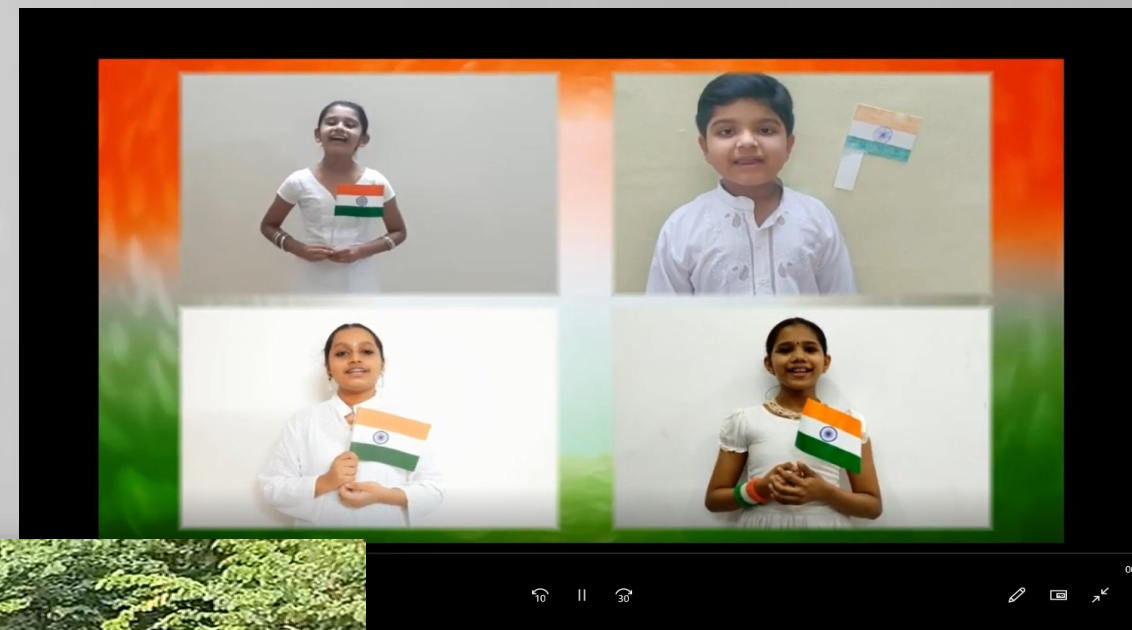
NOVICE NOVELLA NOUVEAU LITERARY & ART CONTEST

The Novice Novella, Literary cum Art Contest was conducted on 23rd October 2021. The Chief Guest was Dr.K.S Radhakrishnan, Former Chairman - Kerala Public Service Commission. 14 schools participated in this pres-



INDEPENDENCE DAY

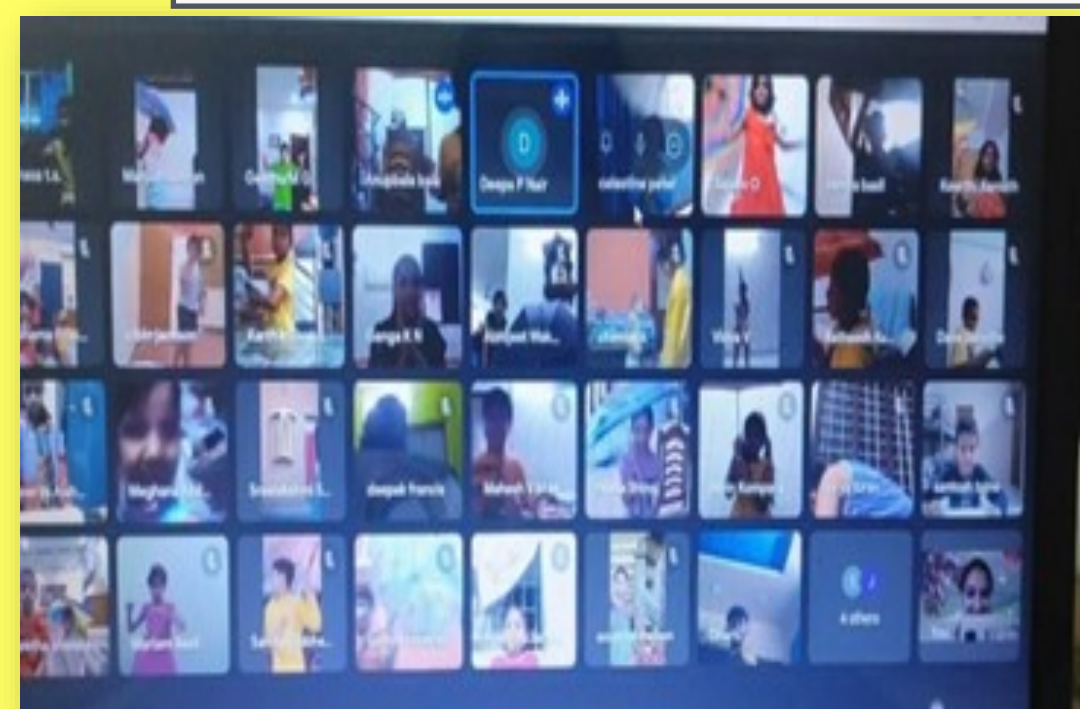
Our School celebrated the 75th Independence Day of the nation in virtual mode with a marvellous video, streaming our principal hosting the national flag in the school grounds. The video also exhibited our students singing patriotic songs to pay tribute to the national leaders who sacrificed their lives for the freedom of the country and the presentation of the history of Indian freedom struggle hooked the children on to their gadgets.



FUN DAY



Our school is striving to keep things sailing smoothly without compromising on its motto of providing futuristic and holistic quality education to maximum children amidst the pandemic situation. To create gratifying and indelible moments in the virtual classes, we have launched a Virtual Fun Day for class I and II students to enjoy a day with fun and frolic to break up the routine of school work where children can experience new and challenging activities to unfold their skills and talents. The Virtual Fun Day is conducted in Google meet platform with a special theme where children and teachers were asked to dress up according to the theme so that the children can relate and experience things more realistically. Introducing the theme with a dance or video show, craft time, dance with the teacher and snack time with the friends are the main highlights of the Fun Day. Rainy Days, Jungle Safari, Dance with the Fairies were some of the theme introduced. Children had a riveting and gripping experience.



ONAM CELEBRATION

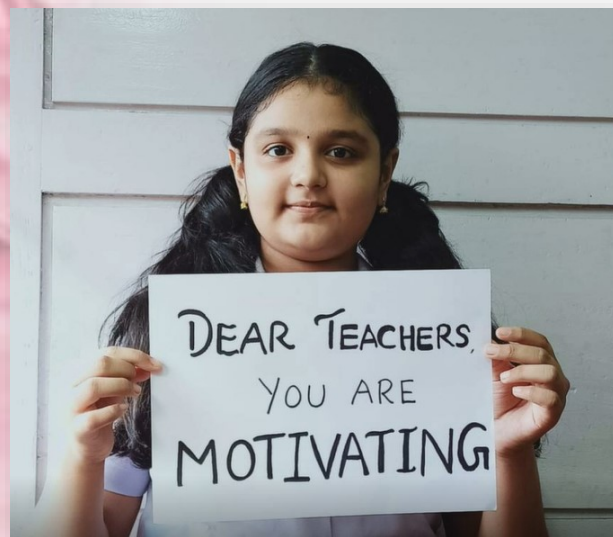
The virtual Onam celebration conducted on 18/8/2021 was a magnificent feast for the eyes and ears. The true spirit of the festival to honour King Mahabali who visits Kerala at the time of Onam was portrayed in the form of a story by the grandmother of one of our students created curiosity and fascination among the children.

The onam video opens up with an entirely new world of an exotic taste, exquisite fragrances, and an enchanting display of beauty of the state in the form of Onapattu and dance that make our soul and body dance with the exciting beats of music.



TEACHERS' DAY

Teacher's day was celebrated on the online mode with the all-round participation of the students from various classes paying tributes to their teachers. Krishnakanth of 12 A in his introductory speech talked about Dr S Radhakrishnan whose birthday is celebrated in India as Teacher's Day. An insightful skit on the struggles and challenges faced by the teachers as well as students formed the focus of the online video streamed for the entire school on 4th September, 2021. The skit brought the need for upholding the value of sincerity and commitment to studies on the part of students. There was a light entertainment with music and dance by the students of Std XI.



हिंदी दिवस HINDI DIWAS

Hindi, our official language, the insignia of India, marks its impactful presence in our Vidyalaya virtually on 14/9/2021. The chief guest of the day was Dr. Susmitha O.V, Assistant Professor, VTM NSS College, Dhanuvachapuram. She has delivered a motivating speech about the importance of Hindi Language. Educational and entertainment videos of programmes like play, poem recitation; dance to enhance the awareness about Hindi Language was also streamed as a part of the celebration.





GANDHI JAYANTHI

NAVARATHRI CELEBRATION

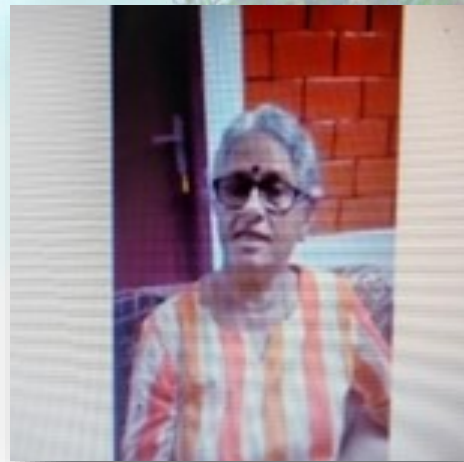
The 152nd birth anniversary of the father of the nation, was celebrated on digital mode on 1/10/2021. The important milestones in Gandhiji's life was presented with a lot of photographs. The chief guest of the day was Smt. Prasanna Gopan, Chief Judge, Muvattupuzha elicited a thought provoking speech for the students. A group of our students sung Gandhiji's favourite bhajan, 'Vaishnav jan to'. The presentation of handmade products like charka, paper basket, cloth bag, painting and drawings of Mahatma Gandhi by our students gave a visual treat to the viewers.

"NAVARATHRI" is one of the major and important festival celebrated to worship the Goddess 'Durga' was observed on 13/10/2021. The chief guest of the day was the versatile playback singer, Smt. Manju Menon. The presentation of students dressed as various form of Goddess Durga added more charm to the virtual celebration. The girls dressed in the colorful 'ghagra cholis' and boys dressed in the beautiful 'kurta pajamas', danced to the tunes of folk garba beats at their homes. Students chant bhajans praising Goddess Durga followed by a presentation of how Navaratri is celebrated in various states. The essence of the festivity was truly felt and celebrated by all in the true spirit of oneness. Virtual Navarathri celebration was indeed a great event which was not only enjoyed but also appreciated by both the students and their loving parents. Online Mathrupuja was conducted on 13/10/2021 in Google meet platform to highlight the importance of worshipping



KERALA PIRAVI

The virtual Kerala Piravi virtual celebration provided a breathtaking platform to honour the mother tongue Malayalam and our motherland Kerala. The chief guest of the day was the famous writer and artist Smt. Gracy. She has rendered an extraordinary speech to highlight the importance of honouring our mother tongue. The virtual cultural fiesta by the students with variety of programmes like poem recitation, folk song, folk dance, skit were the other highlights.



DIWALI



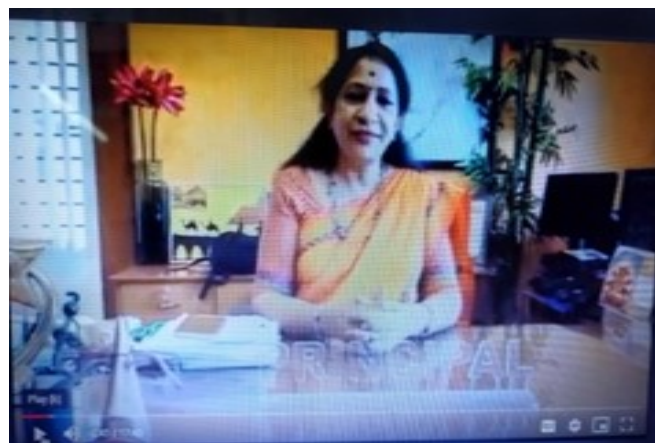
Our school celebrated the festival of lights with pomp and gaiety on November 13th, 2021. A video about the significance of celebrating Diwali was presented to the students. The significance of diya and the preparations for diwali were also presented in the video. The depiction of Diwali story from Ramayana, diwali special song followed by a dance was the highlight of the celebration.





CHILDREN'S DAY

The virtual celebration of the 132nd birth anniversary of Pandit Jawarharlal Nehru commenced with a captivating speech by our principal Ms.Prathiba V. The teaching and non-teaching staff of our school has presented various cultural programmes that took children to a happy world . The primary teachers presented a musical drama that showcased the values like sharing, caring, honesty and respect for the children of class LKG to XII.



CHRISTMAS CELEBRATION

The virtual Christmas celebration was conducted on 23/12/2021 with religious gaiety, fervor, and enthusiasm. The videos showcasing the significance of Christmas, children and our staff singing carols, video detailing of how to make homemade decorations for Christmas and the dance by the little tots gave a colourful feast to the eyes and ears of the viewers. The staff and students were completely spellbound with the Christmas gratification



NATIONAL MATHEMATICS DAY



REPUBLIC DAY



National Mathematics Day was celebrated virtually to honour the great mathematical genius Srinivasa Ramanujan on 15/12/2021. National Mathematics Day video was streamed as a youtube channel show. The introductory speech was delivered by our Vice Principal Ms. Mini. The chief guest of the day was our retired primary headmistress Ms. Gita Shivaraj. Videos of students explaining the importance of Mathematics in our life, discussing the easy way to learn multiplication tables and amazing facts about the numbers hooked the students into the screen.

Our school celebrated India's 73rd Republic Day virtually with great éclat. The students made the screen alive with their passion and love of the motherland through various cultural activities. Our principal conveyed the republic day special message to the children through her thought provoking speech. The online classes reverberated with patriotic fervor and enthusiasm by the song of our students. An inspiring skit, that conveyed the pain and sacrifices of the Indian soldiers, was the main highlight of the video. The presentation on the precious contribution of great freedom fighters added more colours to the celebration. Through the video, our students took pride in glorifying and celebrating the spirit of unity. They have logged out from the online classes with the image of the fluttering tricolor in their mind and heart.



SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS!

ENGLISH INITIATIVE..



An online English training programme named English Initiative was conducted to hone the communication skills and soft skills of teachers. The training programme was conducted as a part of teacher enhancement programme in which teachers can update their linguistic and soft skills for better communication and also to improve the teaching strategy. All the teachers enthusiastically and actively participated in the training programme on every Mondays.

TALENT TIME..

TALENT

- A **Covid—19 Vaccination drive** was conducted for our students on **21/01/2022**.

- Our school was the centre for the following examinations

- ⇒ **UPSC Armed Forces Exam 2021**

- ⇒ **NEET Exam**

- ⇒ **CA Exam**

To nurture the intrinsic qualities and to remove the inhibitions, stage fear among the students, an online talent time competition was conducted for classes LKG to Class XII. All the students participated with great zeal and exuberance.

BIRDS CLUB..

Our school was selected to launch the Bird club unit in our campus in collaboration with the Birds Club International (BCI), an organization for the conservation of Birds.



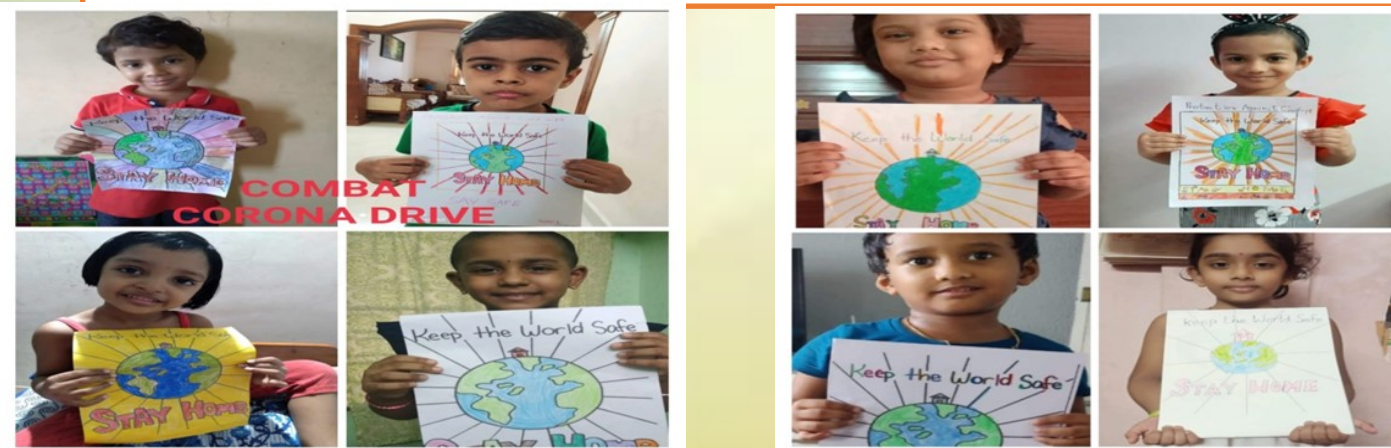


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CHINMAYA JAYANTHI

We had a virtual celebration on 8th May 2021 in connection with the 105th birthday of Poojya Swami Chinmayananda. Teachers shared the video of a short programme put up by the staff and students of our school. A thoughtful initiative of our school ***“COMBAT CORONA DRIVE, World Perfection through Individual Perfection”*** was launched on the same day. Activities such as making a poster and design your mask were conducted during the virtual session.



WORLD ENVIRONMENT DAY

The World Environment Day was celebrated virtually on 05/06/2021. The teacher briefed about the significance of the day. A poster making activity was conducted to raise awareness for a greener world. Children were encouraged to adopt a plant or plant a sapling. They participated in the activity with great enthusiasm. The teacher compiled the photos and videos of the children planting the sapling and shared it during the online session.



MOTHER'S DAY



Mother's Day was celebrated virtually on 9/05/2021 to teach our children the importance and significance of Mother in their life. To express respect, honor and love towards mothers children were asked to make a card .



FATHER'S DAY



To celebrate fatherhood , a virtual father's day celebration was conducted on 19th June. Children made a card for their father following the teacher's instruction. They enjoyed singing the rhyme "My Father Is the Best". They were eager to share the cards they had made.

RAINY DAY

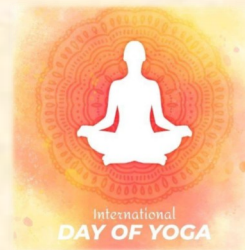
To know about rainy season and observe the changes in the climate we have celebrated Rainy Day for a week starting from 05/07/2021 to 09/07/2021.

The entire week was dedicated to various rainy day theme activities like cotton pasting activity to make a rain cloud, rainbow drawing and colouring, origami- paper boat making activity, Drawing and colouring the things used on a rainy day etc . Children enjoyed singing the Rainy Day rhyme taught in class. Teacher shared a PPT and video to reinforce the topic. A passage about rainy day was taught to enhance their language development.





YOGA DAY



We celebrated the International Yoga Day on 06/06/2021. Children were made aware of the importance of yoga by performing few asanas including breathing techniques and meditation.



INDEPENDENCE DAY

The 75th Independence Day was celebrated on 13/08/2021. A brief history about how India became independent was narrated in the class. Patriotic songs and national symbols were taught in class. Students coloured the Indian flag and they had dressed up as various freedom fighters.

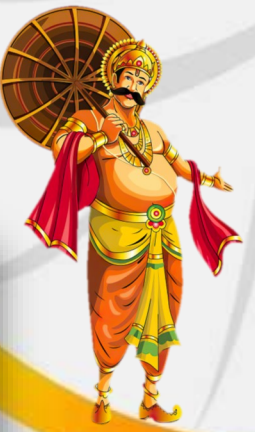


Dressup as Freedom fighters





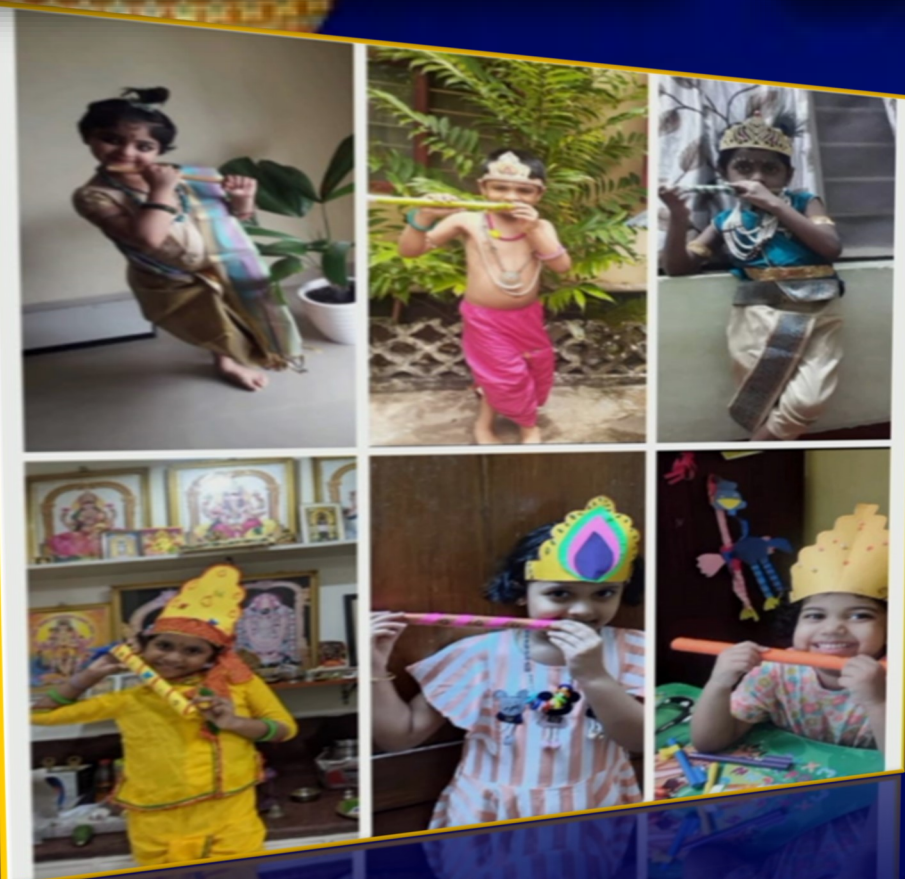
ONAM CELEBRATION



We celebrated Onam on 18/08/2021 in all its glory in the virtual platform. All the children participated in the various events such as Pulikali, Thiruvathirakali ,Onapaattu, Onam dance, Val-lom kali and flower carpet making. The tiny tots were dressed up in traditional wear and were eager to watch the Onam Programme. They were excited to watch the events in which they had participated. They made the flower carpet with the colour paper cuttings .The teacher shared the story of Mahabali.



SREE KRISHNA JANMASHTAMI CELEBRATION



We celebrated Janmashtami virtually on 31/08/2021 to know about the significance of Janmashtami and the story of Lord Krishna. The tiny tots dressed up as Radha and Krishna. The teacher told the story of the incarnation of the Lord Krishna to the children. Following the teacher's instructions, children made the flute and crown of Lord Krishna with great enthusiasm.

PINK DAY

Pink Day was celebrated on 02/07/21 to make children aware of the pink colour, its significance, to develop their fine motor skills and to create the cognitive link between visual clues and words. Children were dressed in different shades of pink. They were eager to show their collection of pink toys and objects. They were excited to know that pink colour was made by mixing red and white. Children participated enthusiastically in the paper folding pink cupcake activity. The PPT presentation and videos and the spell rhyme helped to learn more about the colour.



RED DAY

Red Day was celebrated on 18/06/2021. Children were asked to dress up in red colour. They were asked to collect red coloured objects they could find around their home. They were made to colour few objects that were red in colour.



GREEN DAY

Green Day was celebrated on 09/07/2021. Children were asked to dress up in Green colour. They were asked to collect green coloured objects they could find around their home. They were made to colour few objects that were green in colour.



LEMONADE & SANDWICH DAY



Lemonade and Sandwich Day was celebrated on 26/06/2021 to reinforce the importance of healthy food habits, vocabulary enhancement and to learn to make a sandwich and lemonade on their own. Children made their own sandwich and lemonade following the teacher's instruction. They had a great time preparing the lemonade by squeezing the lemon, sprinkling the salt and sugar and stirring the mixture with their tiny fingers. It was a wonderful sight to watch the children make their sandwich with their favorite fillings.

SNACKS DAY

Snacks day was conducted on 02/07/2021. Children were asked to bring healthy snacks in their snack boxes. They were made to spread a small towel on the desk, then keep the box on it and open the box. Everyone ate the snacks using a fork or a spoon.



They were taught to eat using right hand and to chew food without opening their mouth or making noise while eating.

FRUIT SALAD DAY



To educate children about the importance of consuming fruits as part of daily diet we have celebrated Fruit Salad Day on 08/10/2021. Children enjoyed doing the pineapple paper craft activity during the virtual session. Each child spoke about their favourite fruit while relishing the bowl of fruit salad made by themselves under the guidance of their parents.

ALPHABET SAFARI

We follow the Alphabet Safari BalaVihar curriculum to teach children simple values and discipline through English letters. Each letter is connected with a value and taught to the children with the help of a story. This helps to inculcate values in children. They chant the letters with its values by showing actions. For eg: "A is for ASPIRATION. I want to be a B is for BROTHERHOOD, Vasudhaivakudumbakam. The whole world is one family. We are all Chinmaya Family."

PAPER BAG DAY

We have celebrated Paper Bag Day on 13/07/2021. Children made this bag using paper cut out in the shape of circles. Two circle cut outs were folded into halves and pasted at the end to form the shape of a bag. Handles for the bag were made using paper strips.





GANDHI JAYANTHI CELEBRATION

The virtual Gandhi Jayanthi celebration was conducted on 1/10/2021 to know about the great leader Mahatma Gandhi, his principles and the sacrifice he made for our country to attain freedom from the British rule. A programme was put up by the students which were live streamed during the virtual class. Children sang the rhyme about Gandhiji. Children dressed up as Gandhiji spoke about the significance of the day. Children enjoyed making a card.



CHILDREN'S DAY



Children's Day was celebrated in the virtual mode on 12/11/2021 to know about Chacha Nehru and his love and affection towards children. Assembly with the teachers performing was live streamed for the students during the virtual class. Children were entertained with videos and songs. Children wearing the attire of Chacha Nehru spoke about the significance of the day. Children enjoyed doing the craft activities (paper doll chain and paper folding puppet).



DIWALI CELEBRATION

A virtual Diwali celebration was held on 13/11/2021. Children put up a programme which was live streamed during the virtual class. The video highlighted the Green Diwali concept. Children dressed up in traditional wear and enjoyed making the Diwali card and paper lantern. Children shared the photos of rangoli pattern and diya decorations at their home.



KERALA PIRAVI

The virtual Kerala Piravi celebration was held in our school on 1/11/2021. Children put up a programme which was live streamed during the virtual class. The video helped the children to know more about our state and honour our mother tongue. Children were dressed up in traditional wear and enjoyed the theme based drawing and colouring activity.



CHRISTMAS CELEBRATION

The virtual Christmas celebration was conducted on 22/12/2021. The whole online session had a festive look with children dressed in shades of red and white and most of them were donned in Santa caps. The significance of the festival was explained to the children by showing the video of the Christmas story. Children made a greeting card following the teacher's instruction. They enjoyed doing the Christmas tree craft activity. Children were happy to sing the Christmas song taught in class. Selected children were taught a simple Christmas dance and the edited version of all of them



A SNEAK PEEK INTO KG ACTIVITIES...




STUDENTS' EMPOWERMENT PROGRAMME

S.No	Date	Topic	Conducted by	Attendees
1.	16/6/2021	Professional courses in Commerce."	KERALA COMMERCE FORM	11 C
2.	25/6/2021	Opportunity to interact with UK – Universities – Rusell Group of Institutions and ETS TOEFL .	ETS - LLF	11 th and 12 th
3.	26/06/2021	WebiFair (virtual university fair platform)career fair	KIC UnivAssist	11 th and 12 th
4.	27/06/2021	'Essential Skills to Become a Successful Entrepreneur'	CHINMAYA vishwavidyapeeth	12 th
5.	30/06/2021	Webinar on B.Com integrated with ACCA	CHINMAYA vishwavidyapeeth	12 th Commerce
6.	06/07/2021	iStar Class Research demo session with Harvard University and an interactive talk by Seattle University	istar(Resolved)	11 th and 12 th
7.	08/07/2021,09/07/2021	NEP session	IEDUCATIONALIZE	11 th and 12 th
8.	10/07/ 2021	Webinar on Career Education Guidance	IEDUCATIONALIZE	11 th and 12 th
9.	10/07/ 2021	Crowd funding sessions	Chennai mission members.(Eye specialist Dr.Sunil.P)	11 th and 12 th
10.	10/07/2021	Career guidance session	Alliance University Bangalore on Speakers Prof Rahul Mishra MrPrateekAcharya	All classes of 11 th & 12 th
11.	11/07/2021	National Webinar On Booming Careers In Science In The Post-Covid Era.	Amrita vishwavidyapeeth	12 th A & B
12.	17/07/21 Saturday 2 to 3 pm	Failure Management by Zenik Learning	Zenik Learning	Classes 6 to 12
13.	17/07/21 Saturday 8 to 9 pm	"Guidance Beyond Google - Making the Schools, Parents, Students Future Ready'	LIFOLOGY GLOBAL EDUCATION NETWORK (L-GEN)	Classes 7-10 students, parents and teachers
14.	22/07/2021	Crowd funding webinar	Chinmaya mission members	11 th and 12 th
15.	30/07/2021	Introduction of ACCA Programme	ChinmayaVishwavidyapeet	11 th and 12 th

STUDENTS' EMPOWERMENT PROGRAMME

16.	30/07/2021	MBBS Admission in Ukraine	VPSA Education Consultancy (MS.Malavika)	11A and 12A
17.	13/08/2021	Huddle with CVV-ians	ChinmayaVishwavidyapeet	11 th and 12 th
18.	16/08/2021	Vedic Maths	The Hindu	1-10
19.	23/08/2021	Awarding the students with certificate of appreciation.	PRYAS Education and legal society	10 th and 12 th A1 students.
20.	27/08/2021	Topics: -The range and flexibility of courses, majors, and minors -Scholarship and financial aid opportunities -Perks of studying in Canada -Job and internship opportunities -Visa information -Application calendars and deadlines	Resolved	10 th -12 th
21.	29/08/2021	Integrated Amrita Meditation-An Exclusive Virtual Workshop to Help Leaders Combat Stress	Amrita Vishwa Vidyapeetham	9th-12th
22.	11/09/2021	WebiFair-exclusive higher education virtual fair event from Canada, Italy, Ireland, Hong Kong, Netherlands, Singapore, U.K and the .U.S.	KIC UnivAssist	9th-12th
23.	09/10/2021	Career Awareness Programme - Company Secretary Course	Kochi Chapter of Institute of Company Secretaries of India	12 th Commerce
24.	23/10/2021	50+ universities on one platform: you choose whom to meet *Scholarships offered with over 90% of these universities *Get your questions answered LIVE with admissions office *"Around the World" workshop to learn about study abroad in different countries	WebiFair	9th-12th
25.	24/10/2021	Career Feast Advantage15 - India's first Career Summit for Teenagers and Parents.	Clever Harvey	8th-12th
26.	30/10/2021 Nov 27, 2021 11:30 AM Dec 25, 2021 11:30 AM *Jan 29, 2022 11:30 AM	Importance of Civil Services in Today's Context	ChinmayaVishwavidyapeet Global series	
27.	27/11/2021	Biodiversity module	Eco Champs,Bhumi, Chennai	3rd-5th
28.	27/11/2021	Resource management	Eco Champs,Bhumi, Chennai	6 th -9 th

STUDENTS' EMPOWERMENT PROGRAMME

29.	12/12/2021	Trees module	Eco Champs,Bhumi, Chennai	3rd-5th
30.	12/12/2021	Composting	Eco Champs,Bhumi, Chennai	6 th -9th
31.	16/12/2021 TO 19/12/2021	Workshop on Art, yoga and dance	Northern Command, Indian Army and Crejo.Fun	1 st - 9th
32.	12/01/2022	Education -21 Education for the 21 st generation.	E-Cell IIT Madras	6 th -12th
33.	22/01/2022	Online mentoring workshop TYE Breaker	TiE Kerala	9 to 12th Std Feed back Very interesting session @..... Thank you for the wonderful opportunity..... We really enjoyed it..... Our team was given extra compliments for relating it to economics and making a practical idea
33.	23/01/2022	Hydroponics	Eco Champs,Bhumi, Chennai	6 th -9th
34.	05/02/2022	Plastic pollution	Eco Champs,Bhumi, Chennai	 <p>Plastic Pollution DIY Material</p> <p>Lots of waste & used plastic packets/containers pollute the environment</p> <p>Don't throw waste (garbage) near your neighbourhood or go inside your house (recycling)</p> <p>Don't empty and clean plastic bottles</p> <p>6th-9th</p>

FACULTY IMPROVEMENT PROGRAMME

S.No	Date	Topic	Conducted by	Attendees
1.	26/05/2021	Presentation on Question paper and blue print making as per the CBSE norms.	Ms. P.Indumathi CVV	All staff members
2.	26/05/2021	Presentation on Learning disabilities	Ms. Tina Dhinakaran CVV	All staff members
3.	28/05/2021	Presentation on Study skills	Ms. Sunitha CVV	All staff members
4.	28/05/2021	Presentation on Stress management	Ms. Renuka CVV	All staff members
5.	11/06/2021	Webinars for teachers on Young Warrior movement.	CBSE	All staff members
6.	12/06/2021	Leading with a vision	CCMT (Smt. Shanthi Krishnamurthy)	All staff members

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