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We love India

Ms.Devi S (Nursery Educator)

Each year, 26th January is a day on which every Indian heart fills up with patriotic fervour and immense love for the motherland. Our Nursery students also had the same feel and came to understand the significance of Republic Day. They had a video watch showing the importance of a parade during the

Republic day celebrations and showed their love for the nation through an art activity – Tri colour Peacock. Their hands were painted with tricolours and printed on paper to make a Peacock, the National Bird of India.

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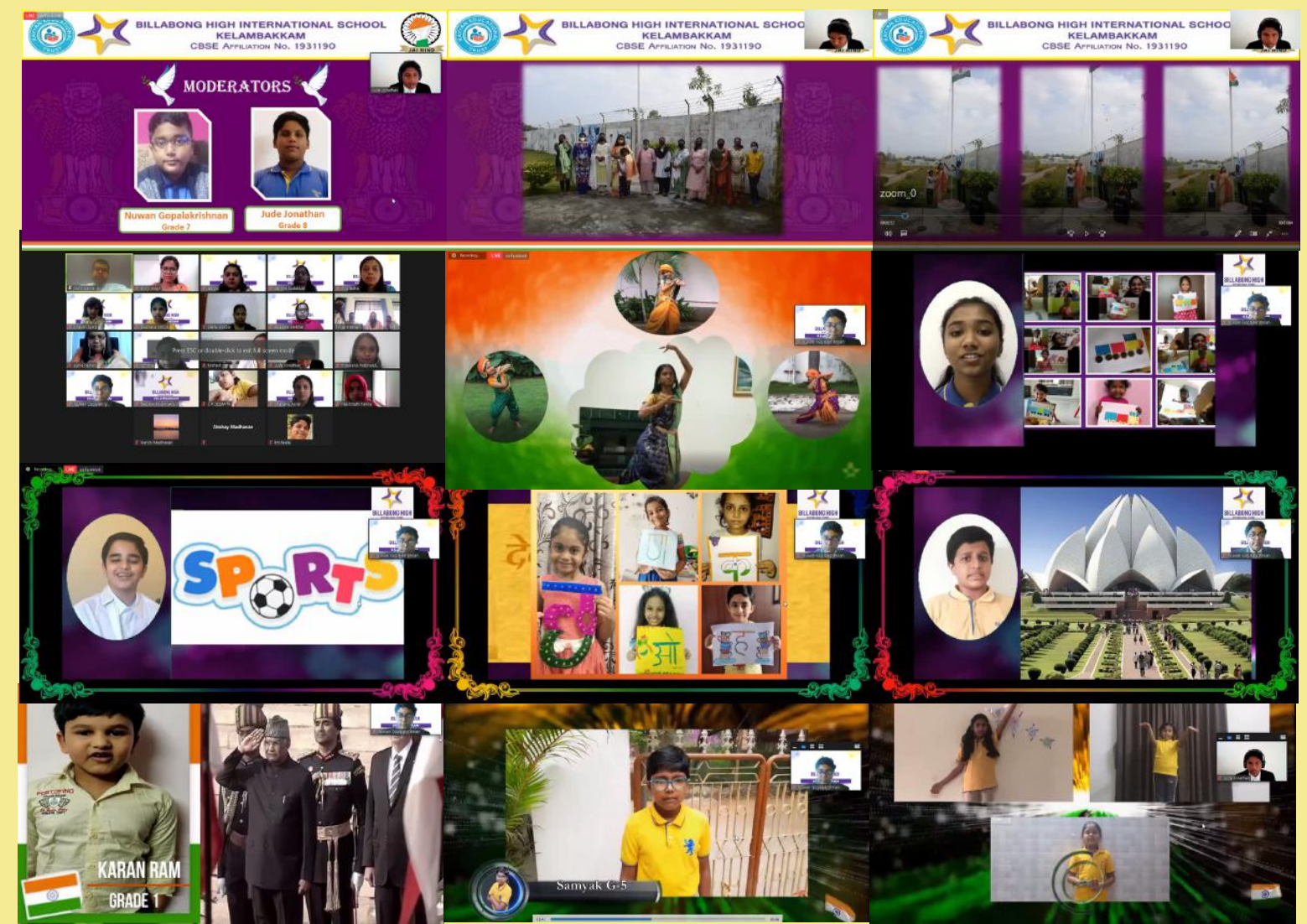


REPUBLIC DAY CELEBRATIONS – MY INDIA MY PRIDE

Hashmath Fahira K N (Middle School Science Educator)

India won freedom on the 15th of August, 1947, and became the Republic on the 26th of January, 1950. The new constitution of free India came into force with effect from this day.

It is a day of national rejoicing and a red-letter day in our country. The day is celebrated with pomp and show, zeal and spirit, throughout the length and breadth of the country. To add more colors to the Republic day celebrations, Billabongers took a thorough understanding of its pride, and our Director and Principal, Asma Nainar ma'am hoisted the flag in our school campus. Then, followed the virtual testimony at 9 am. The celebration commenced with the heroic voices of Jude and Nuwan as moderators and prayer by Kumar Nishaad of Grade 1. The magnificent treats in the event were thoughts for the day in Tamil, Hindi, and English, a patriotic song, speech by Sadhna Ashok of Grade 3, fascinating facts about Republic day, Hindi poem on awareness of our rights and duties by Harshni of Grade 9, an imposing video on 'My India My Pride', a vibrant dance performance and last but not the least, a video-guided quiz on Constitution by our Middle-school in charge, Sandhya ma'am. The primary graders were exhilarated to know the results of the Hindi and Tamil Recitation competition being announced. Our Chairperson, Yasir Nainar sir leavened our hearts with his Republic day speech message demanding our students to stay united to stay stronger. Our Director and Principal, Asma ma'am inspired every soul present with her impeccable message. The celebrations converged with a thank you note from Jude and Jai Hind!



Republic Day Celebrations of Senior Kindergarten

Ms. Bauviya Sekar, (Sr. KG Educator)

India became a free nation on August 15, 1947, yet it enjoyed the true spirit of Independence on January 26, 1950, when the Constitution of India finally came into force. Ever since the historic day, January 26 is celebrated with festivities and patriotic fervor all around the country. Our Senior Kindergarten students celebrated Republic day on 25th January during their virtual classes. First, we all watched an animated video that helped us understand the significance of Republic day, then to express our love and respect for our nation, we all drew our tricolour flag in the artbook by coin tracing. Here are our adorable tiny patriots with their drawing of the flag!



Patriotism through dance

Ms. Kiruthika Kumar (Dance Educator)

Patriotism means love, respect, and loyalty towards one's country. Instilling values of patriotism in children will help them to become responsible citizens. Our little Junior Kindergarten started their routine with eye exercise and stretch-ups enjoyed dancing to the patriotic song and expressed their love towards the nation.



Life in the Jungle

A Nursery Activity

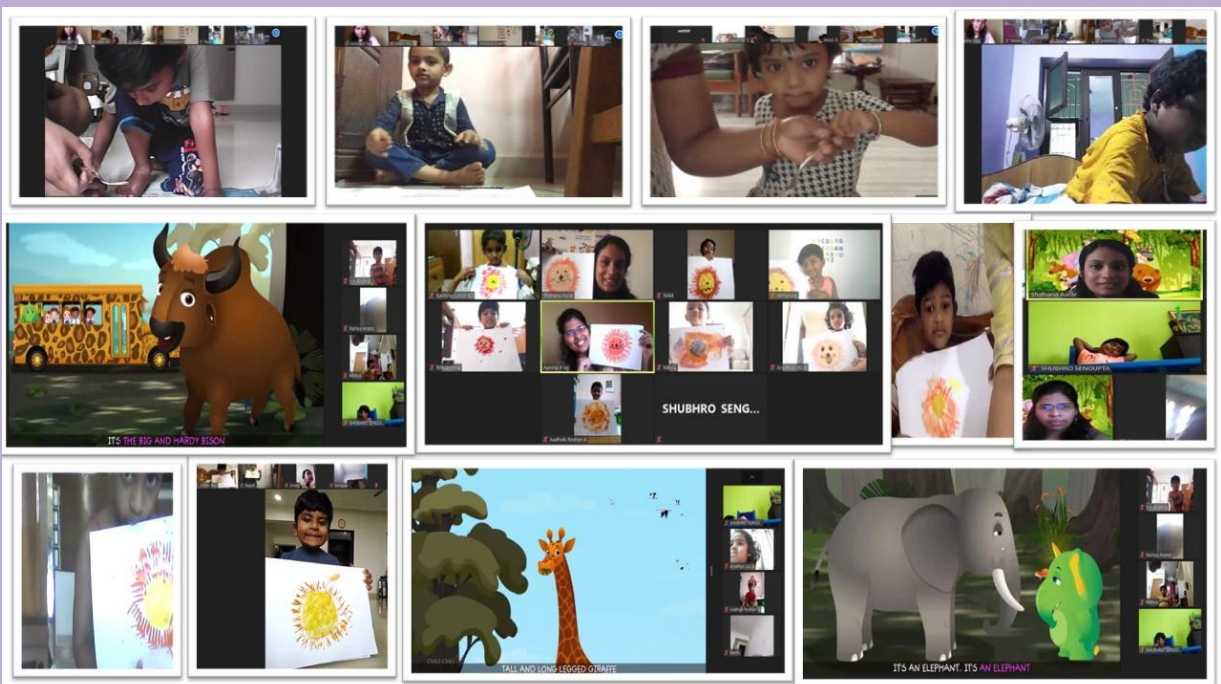
As a part of the theme, “Life in the Jungle”, our Nursery students enacted as wild animals by wearing an animal mask and gave a cute narration about that animal during their virtual class. Later they went for a virtual Jungle Safari and met all the wild animals including Elephant, Lion, Tiger, Fox, Giraffe, and Hippo. The session became more interactive with a dance using animal postures and movements. Children were so excited to enact as wild animals that they went on to make animal sounds thereby creating the effect of a real jungle.



All about Animals

Ms. Ayesha (Jr.KG Educator)

Our little zoologist of Junior kindergarteners is learning about the wildlife as their concept, our little tots explored the wildlife and their habitats. We all together went to the virtual zoo safari where all the students enjoyed it thoroughly, also did a fork painting activity of the mighty lion king of the jungle. It was a fun-filled activity.



Stacking with Rocks!!!

Dev Darshan, Grade 5 Student

Learning science is all about exploring the world, exploring the creation of God. We were thrilled to learn about “Rocks”. How the rocks are formed, types of rocks uses of rocks, and so on. I and my friends collected few rocks and displayed them on the virtual platform. We too found many of those stones are not just stones and they are of different rocks. Pebbles, marbles, Sandstones all are types of rocks. We also had to brainstorm at the end of the session by stacking all those collected rocks. Balancing and finding techniques to stack the rocks was fun.



Experiment on Types of Rocks

Ms. Jalaja Ganesh (Social Science Educator)

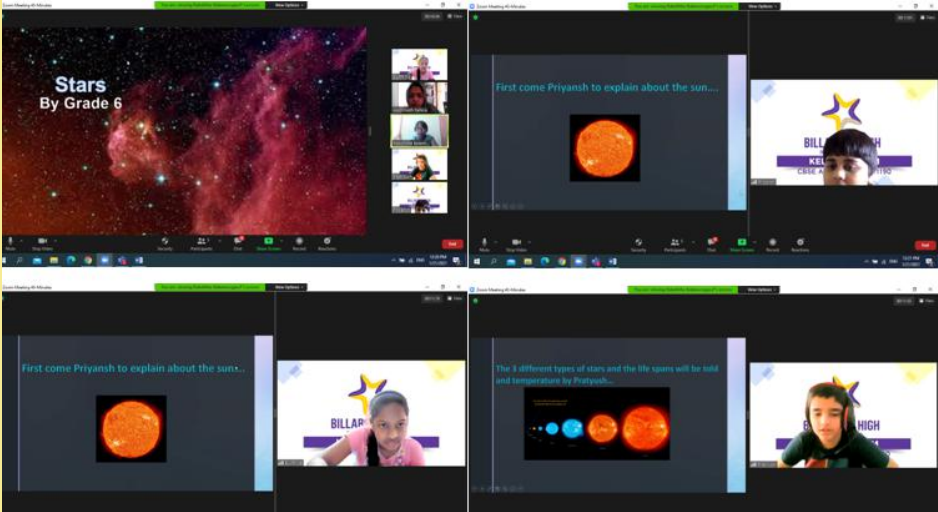
Doing experiments helps develop a child's resourcefulness, particularly their skills at goal setting, planning, and problem-solving. It also nurtures intellectual curiosity, helping children acquire new ways of asking questions and understanding the world. Our Grade 5 students involved themselves completely in the activity and experiment about the formation of Sedimentary rocks, Igneous rocks, and metamorphic rocks under parental guidance.



Mastering Role Play!

A Grade 6 Science Activity

Roleplay is an art that most people master in the juvenile phase. At Billabong, we leave no stone unturned and no skill untouched. Sixth graders outpoured their talents by engaging in a role-play session on the topic – Stars. They were curious to portray the features of stars and some exciting star facts. Kudos to the children who are always inquisitive and ready to explore!

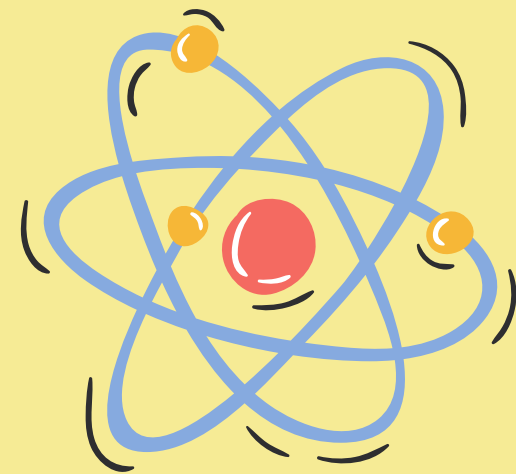


Riddles on Science

By ECO Club

1. I am a god, a planet and I can measure heat. What am I?
2. Many have heard it, but nobody has ever seen it. It will not speak back until spoken to. What is it?
3. What is black when you buy it, red when you use it and grey when you throw it away?
4. What can eat a lot of iron without getting sick?
5. It is impossible for me to be created, and I can never ever be destroyed, I can only change form. What am I?
6. What is the 'center' of gravity?
7. What did the fox scientist name his laboratory?
8. What period of time has the least weight?

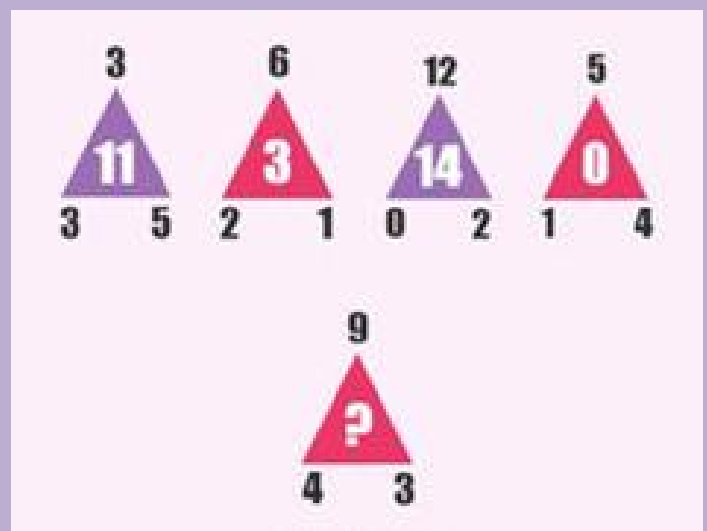
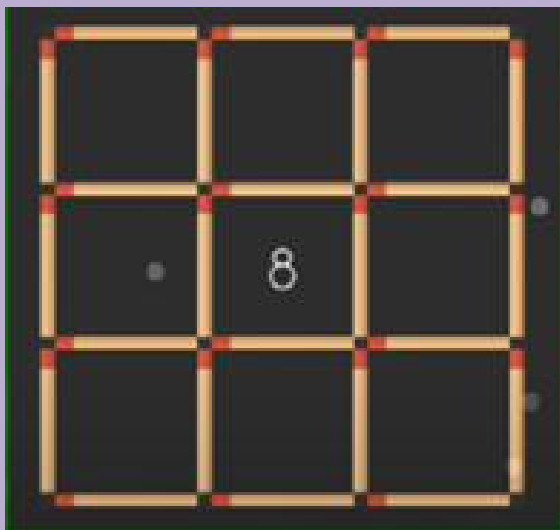
1. Mercury
2. An echo
3. Coal
4. Rust
5. Energy
6. The letter "v": gra-v-ity
7. Den-sity
8. A light year



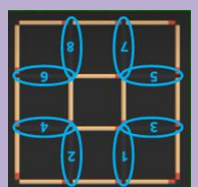
Math Quiz

By the Math Club

- a) Remove 8 matches to form 2 non-touching squares
- b) Which number fits in the last triangle.



$$2 = 9 - (4 + 3)$$



Answers