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#1

Middle School Parent Orientation

Ms. Usha Anand (English Educator, BHIS)

'Behind every child who believes in himself /herself, is a parent who believed first' It started at 10:00 a.m. on 18/03/2023 at Rayyan Hall, with a word of prayer by Ms. Bauviya followed by a welcome note. Middle School Coordinator, Ms. Praveena explained about the various aspects of CBSE curriculum in general with a beautiful PowerPoint presentation. Subject teachers explained the components of each subject in detail. Parents were informed of the curriculum, SPA, assessment methods, assessment criteria, art integrated and subject enrichment activities. Text books for the academic year 2022-2023 were kept for parents' view. During the question hour, Ms. Asma Nainar, Our Principal and Ms. Praveena, Middle school coordinator, patiently answered all the queries of the parents. Later, Asma ma'am addressed the gathering and the programme ended with vote of thanks by Ms. Lakshmi. Parents found the orientation programme useful and left satisfied.





#2

THE STUDENT'S NIGHT OUT

Ms. Maria & Ms. Menaka (Grade 4 Educators)



As an End of Year Activity, the grade 4 had a night out in the school. It was felt, this getting together will bring a bond among them and they will move on to higher grades with a good note. Camping is a fun and exciting way to introduce children to the wonders of nature. Grade 4 students are at an age where they are curious to know about the world around them, and camping provides an opportunity for them to explore and learn in a natural environment they are in.

We planned a variety of educational activities such as Primitive survival skills, where children were asked to imagine a Stone age Era and build all they could in a given time period. To our surprise, they enjoyed the activity for almost 2 hours and had produced such innovative and creative tools, housing, ornaments etc.

The music and dance were enjoyed by all the students and the teachers. The much-awaited bonfire added to the fun and entertainment, as students indulged themselves in singing, dancing, joking and bonding. One of the highlights of this night out was the opportunity for teamwork and cooperation. The students worked together to set up their beds, clean up after activities. They also encouraged and supported each other throughout the night.

Overall, the Grade 4 camping night out was a tremendous success. The students had a wonderful time learning and exploring in a natural environment, and they developed valuable skills such as teamwork, responsibility, and self-sufficiency. We are grateful for the opportunity to have had this experience and we look forward to more outdoor adventures in the future.





#3

Multiplying Success

Ms. Sankari (Grade 4 Math Educator)



"The only way to learn Mathematics is to do Mathematics" - Aul Halmos

Doing quicker and produce accurate means, one has trained his skills to achieve the result. Quiz is an age-old method of helping people learn. Grade 4 students participated in a multiplication quiz program to improve their multiplication skills. The quiz had three rounds: basic multiplication, narration of tables, and multiplying by two-digit numbers. The program was successful in improving the students' accuracy and speed, promoting healthy competition, and showcasing their multiplication skills. We hope to continue such programs in the future to support the development of student's mathematical skills.



Multiply Mania Star Students

Congratulations to our wonderful kids of class 4 A



Teacher: Ms. SANKARI R

Multiply Mania Star Students

Congratulations to our wonderful kids of class 4 B



Teacher: Ms. SANKARI R

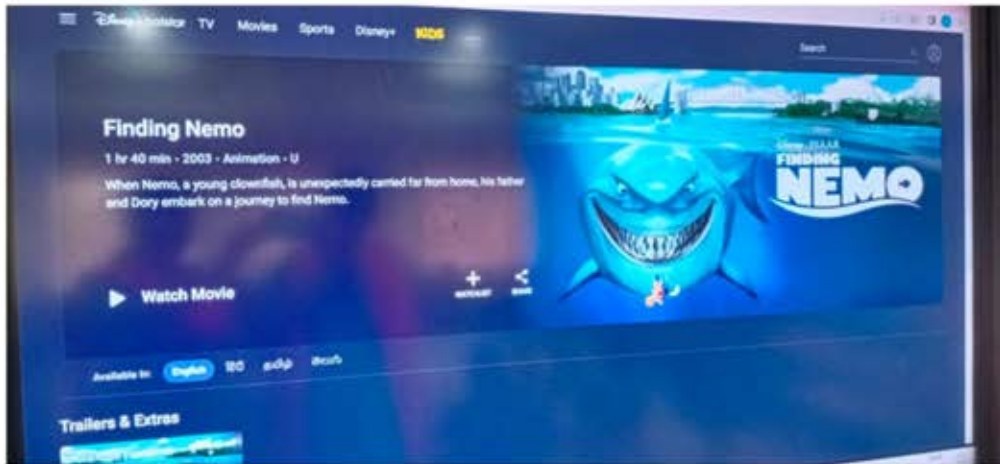
#4

THE FINALE

Ms. Aparna (Primary Educator)



Last days and last moments are meant to be special. To make this true, the primary wing of BHIS-K, planned various activities and a movie watch. The students watched the movie with popcorn, laughter and giggles.









#5

Graduation Day at Kindergarten



Ms. Sivaranjani (Nursery Educator)



Kindergarten Graduation is an exciting milestone for children as it's their first step towards a future full of hopes and possibilities. This offers an opportunity to celebrate the culmination of their preschool years and the beginning of new experiences. To celebrate progression and development, we Kindergarten celebrated Graduation day with the chief guest **Ms Hajira Fathima**, Director, Kangaroo kids- Porur & parent guest of honour **Dr. Anjali Gopakumar**, Senior Asst. professor, Environmental Geo-technical & water resources division, VIT Chennai . The event started with distribution of graduation certificates to the little graduates in graduation gowns. Their smiling faces were welcomed by rapturous scrolls of merit on the dais. It was indeed a joyous and memorable day for the little ones as they received their Graduation certificates from our Chief guest. The tiny tots left everybody spell bound as they performed songs and danced for vibrant songs displaying breath taking colours with coordinated movements that also set the tone and mood of the atmosphere at an all-time high.



















CLASS TOPPERS OF SOF-SCIENCE OLYMPIAD EXAM (MIDDLE SCHOOL - CBSE & CAIE)



CLASS TOPPERS OF SOF - NATIONAL SCIENCE OLYMPIAD EXAM (PRIMARY STUDENTS)





Message from the Director



Ms Asma Nainar
Director & Principal - BHIS & MIS

Dear Parents,

Warm Greetings from BHIS & MIS!

We thank our parent community for continuous support and encouragement in making the academic year 2022-23 a well accomplished year where our students learnt new concepts, different exciting activities and participated in various events and celebrations.

Im eagerly looking forward to welcome my students for the new academic year 2023-24 with loads of events and activities planned together with academic excellence.

Lets begin the new year with the blessings of the Almighty!

