



SCHOOL Connect

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Pre-primary

FROM THE PRINCIPAL'S DESK



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Principal

Dear Parents,
Greetings to you!

"We worry about what a child will become tomorrow, yet we forget that he is someone today."

- Stacia Tauscher

Indeed, the way we look at our children's accomplishments and achievements, setting up higher expectations away from reality is sometimes dangerous for their growth. So, at TMPIS, we believe in creating a positive learning environment for learners in collaboration with our parents.

Education is a joint venture between school and home and we work with our young students to help them learn about the world around them through the prescribed curriculum and the daily social interactions that they are a part of

Crossing the boundaries of classroom walls, our students of grade Nursery to KG II were taken to visit a Nursery where they were super excited and amazed to cherish the most beautiful creation of God - colourful flowers, plenty of them together smiling in the garden just like our little flowers blooming and growing every day at school.

We appreciate the support that parents give to their children at home as they strive to reach academic and social learning goals. Along with them we too are committed to providing our students with a safe and caring environment at school.

Thanks a lot for your kind cooperation and support!





Quote of the Month



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“Young children need to learn initiative, autonomy, industry and competence before they learn that answers can be right or wrong.”

- David Elkind

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Activities at School

FIELD TRIP - NURSERY

The students of pre-primary classes were taken to a Nursery on 10th July 2019 in order to extend their learning about plants. The students were introduced to a variety of plants including herbs, shrubs, cactus etc. The teachers showed the young learners different parts of a plant. The most beautiful part of a plant is a flower. The students saw a variety of flowers of different colours and size. The teachers were delighted to see the little ones asking thousands of questions to the gardener.

It was a wonderful learning experience. They were also told about the importance of plants in our lives and why we should not cut trees. The trip was a great success and a memorable experience for the little ones.



Classroom Activities

CONCEPT OF BIG AND SMALL

When sorting of big and small objects are done, students learn basic mathematical concepts. Specifically, they learn about size and how various objects can be compared. In an activity conducted on 3rd July 2019 for students of KG - II on the concept on big and small, teachers engaged the learners in a simple yet impactful activity. The teachers made the students find and jump on big and small circles that had been drawn on the floor.



COLOUR IDENTIFICATION ACTIVITY

In this activity conducted for the students of KG I, students were engaged in a 'Find the Colour' game where they had to find objects of the said colour from their surroundings. They had fun in learning colours and had smiles of pride on their faces each time they located objects of the required colour.



CONCEPT OF BIG AND SMALL FAMILY

Family is the most important part of a person. From an early age a child understands the importance of family. The little one of KG-II learnt about big family and small family through an activity conducted on 18th July 2019. Students also spoke about which type of family they belong to.





WILD ANIMALS AND FARM ANIMALS

Learning about animals and talking about them is indeed fun for the learners. In the activity conducted on 10th July 2019, students of KG -II learnt about wild and farm animals. The same was re-iterated through a sorting and pasting activity.



CLAY MODELLING ACTIVITY

The students of KG I were given colourful clay to create objects of their choice. The tactile nature of clay lets young children develop their imagination and their motor skills while having fun. Students made tiny objects of their choice and enjoyed this activity a lot.



BEFORE NUMBERS AND AFTER NUMBERS

To reinforce the concept of before and after numbers, students visualized them in a variety of contexts. One such activity was 'Identify and Jump' which was conducted on 22th July 2019 for students of KG -II.



BEFORE NUMBERS AND AFTER NUMBERS

In this activity conducted for students of KG I, students were randomly selected from the class and were given different numbers. They were then asked to arrange themselves by looking at their before and after numbers. The students had a fun filled learning experience.

Assemblies @ school

ASSEMBLY ON TRAFFIC RULES

An informative assembly was conducted on 11th July, 2019 by students of KG II B. The tiny tots explained about traffic light through an entertaining traffic light rhyme. The teacher further talked about basic rules to be followed and engaged the learners by asking them questions.



ASSEMBLY ON IMPORTANCE OF EXERCISE

In a special assembly conducted by students of KG-I A on 23rd July 2019, the importance of exercises was stressed upon. Students performed a dance which was followed by a few exercises. The energy and enthusiasm with which students participated was indeed endearing.



ASSEMBLY ON RAINY SEASON

A special assembly was conducted on 25th July 2019 on Rainy Season. Students of KG - I B presented a dance on rainy season. The teacher informed the students how to stay safe and yet enjoy monsoons.





ASSEMBLY ON STRANGER - DANGER

Our cuties of Nursery presented a dance on stranger-danger. The teacher involved the learners through questioning to help them understand how and what they should do when they see a stranger.

Activities @ Innovation Academy (KG II)

MAGNETIC CAR

Magnetic car runs with the help of magnets using principle of attraction and repulsion. Students made the car move in forward direction based on the principle of attraction in which opposite poles of magnets attract each other. The principle of repulsion of similar poles was used to move the car in backward direction.



SAIL BOAT

Sail boat contains two types of sail, head sail and main sail which can change direction of boat in water. Through this activity students learned the types of material which float in water and which sink under water.



WIND MILL

Wind mill rotates due to the force of wind. It is used for generating electricity. Students learned how to generate electricity by glowing LED. They also understood that Wind Mill can also be used for lifting applications.



Watch this space - Future events

- Friendship day / Yellow Day
- Special Assembly on Bakri Eid
- Open House II Performing Art/ Yoga display, Maths & Innovation Exhibition
- Show and Tell Competition
- Special Assembly on Rakshabandhan
- Janmashtami Celebration - Special Assembly
- Field Trip - Dough Factory
- Tirangaa - 2019



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