

Montessori Newsline

“ANGER MANAGEMENT” BY SISTER SHIVANI (BRAHMA KUMARI)



To embrace the importance of spreading positivity and maintaining peace, a workshop on “Anger Management” was conducted by Brahma Kumari sister Shivani on 05.12.19 at Bal Bharati Public School, Pitampura. During her motivational speech, she explained how to overcome stress, how to control our reactions and ways to accept our

own failures. Teachers as mentors at school level were explained how to accept the children’s behavior and how to acknowledge their decisions. They were also advised to appreciate the children not only for their academic performance but for their gratitude towards the moral values as well.



Celebrating Festivals

DUSSEHRA CELEBRATION

Montessori department celebrated Dussehra in school with a lot of religious zeal and fervor on 04.10.19. The students were clad in colorful costumes of various characters of Ramayana viz. Rama, Sita, Lakshman, Shatrughan, Bharat, Ravan, Hanuman etc. The effigies of Ravana, Meghnath and Kumbhakaran were displayed on the stage to acquaint the tiny tots with the festival of Dussehra. Everyone around enjoyed the serene atmosphere.



DIWALI CELEBRATION



The festival of lights-Diwali was celebrated with pomp and show on 24.10.19. The main aim of the celebration was to make the children aware about the importance of



celebrating “Green Diwali” and emphasize on “Say no to crackers”.

GANDHIJI’s 150th BIRTHDAY



The children of Pre- School and Pre- Primary took the privilege of paying homage to the noble soul, Mahatma Gandhi on his 150th birth anniversary, through a Joint Morning Assembly on 01.10.19.

CHRISTMAS CELEBRATION



Children have a great attraction towards Christmas as it brings with itself a lot of happiness and enjoyment. The festival was celebrated with great fun and joy in the Department on 24.12.19. Children from Pre- School and Pre- Primary participated enthusiastically in the programme.



The children's favourite Santa came dancing on a popular Christmas song and brought great joy for them.

REPUBLIC DAY CELEBRATION



The 71st Republic day was celebrated in all its solemnity and grandeur on 23.01.2020. The whole atmosphere was filled with the feeling of love and respect for the nation. To inculcate the sense of gratitude and patriotism a cultural extravaganza was presented with great zest and zeal.



Let's Express Our Creativity

STICK PUPPET MAKING ACTIVITY



A stick puppet making activity was organised for the Pre - primary children on 11.10.19. The children were free to choose from the following topics, Birds (the theme of the month), festivals of the month, insects and happiness. Children enjoyed immensely making puppets of their own liking using variety of materials. It was an exposure for them to show their creativity.

CARTOON DRAWING COMPETITION



Cartoon Drawing was organized on the occasion of Children’s Day which was celebrated on 20.11.2019. The students from Pre- School and Pre- Primary actively participated and made their favourite cartoons in vivid colours.

NEW YEAR CARD MAKING

To welcome the New Year 2020 with fun, delight and joy, a new year card making activity was organised on 26.12.19 for our tiny tots of Montessori Department. The children expressed best wishes for their loved ones in varied colours and designs.



LET'S SALUTE OUR SOLDIERS



To pay gratitude and respect to our Indian warriors, an activity "Let's salute our Soldiers" was planned for our little ones on 24.01.2020. The children of Pre-school did tri- coloured paper tearing and pasting in jet airplanes whereas Pre- primary children did paper tearing and pasting in the picture of a Soldier and Amar Jawaan Jyoti. They were also explained about the importance of our Indian Army through this activity.

CREATIVE EXPRESSION

A Creative Expression Competition was held for Pre-primary students on 07.02.2020 to foster their imagination through art and encourage free form of self-expression. The children enjoyed expressing their ideas on one of the topics of their choice i.e. Garden/ Water world/Animal World. All the students participated enthusiastically.



PLANTS- OUR LIFELINE

A fun activity- "Plants- Our Lifeline" - Germination of seeds, was organized for Pre School and Pre Primary children on 12.2.2020 to make the children aware of the growth of a seed. The main aim of the activity was to make children acquainted with the importance of a plant in our life. The activity also imparted moral values in them as they promised to protect the trees to save the environment.



EXPERIMENT DAY



Air is essential for humans to breathe and so is for a lot of other animals and plants. To explain the importance and the properties of air to our young ones, various experiments on air were conducted by the children of Pre- School & Pre- Primary with the help of their class teachers on 19.02.2020. Children were also sensitized towards keeping our air clean and pure. They were also explained various measures that can be taken to reduce air pollution.



Preparing Future Orators

HINDI EXTEMPORE



Hindi Extempore Competition was organized for the students of Pre- Primary on 16.10.19. Children prepared two topics “मेरा प्रिय खिलौना” and “स्वच्छ भारत” for the competition. The main aim of the activity was to make the children confident and enhance their speaking skills, thus making them better orators.



ENGLISH RECITATION COMPETITION



English Recitation Competition for Pre- Primary & Pre- School children was held on 20.12.19 & 28.01.2020 respectively. The children got an opportunity to express their feelings, thoughts & showcase their talent through this competition. They chose rhymes from a variety of topics for their recitation like nature, unity in diversity, pollution, save trees, harmful effects of plastic in our life etc. All the children participated with great zeal and enthusiasm.



CHARACTER DEPICTION & ROLE PLAY



The Character Depiction activity for Pre- school & Pre- primary children was held on 21.01.2020 & 29.01.2020 respectively. They came dressed up as different helpers like Doctor, Plumber, Farmer, Teacher, Soldier etc. Children also became computer, mobile, ATM etc. to emphasize on the role of technology as our helper. This activity helped in boosting up the confidence of the children as they got an opportunity to speak in front of their class mates.



SHOW & TELL COMPETITION

Show and Tell competition for Pre-school classes was held on 17.02.2020. There was maximum participation of students from each class. The students shared their thoughts and feelings about their favourite object & showed it to their classmates.



Bal Sabha Activities

WORLD ANIMAL DAY



To sensitize the children towards saving our fauna, “World Animal Day” was presented by the students of Pre- School & Pre- Primary on 10.10.19. Students through their talk, rhymes & dance urged the audience not to kill animals but to save them.

STORY DRAMATISATION

A Bal Sabha Activity-Story Dramatization was held on 7.11.19 for Pre - primary children. Around 120 participants presented two interesting stories "A Clever Jackal" and "Budhimaan Haathi" through actions, expressions and colorful costumes. All the participants dramatized the stories with confidence and enthusiasm.



RHYME DRAMATIZATION



A 'Rhyme Dramatization' was organized on 28.11.19 for the students of Pre- School. Two rhymes were presented during this event, one in English and another one in Hindi, on themes "Mother Earth" and "Ekta mein hai bal".

The objective of this dramatization was to spread awareness on protecting Mother Earth and to imbibe a moral in our children i.e. "United we stand and Divided we fall".

SKIT ON MEANS OF TRANSPORT

A fun activity on Means of Transport was organized for the children of Pre- School & Pre- Primary on 27.11.19. The main aim of the activity was to give students first-hand experience on how to board the various means of transport.

The children immensely enjoyed the set up created in the class. Overall it was an educational and entertaining experience for all of them.



CHILDREN'S DAY



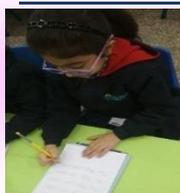
The students of Pre- School & Pre-Primary celebrated the birthday of Pt. Jawahar Lal Nehru on 19.11.19 with love and affection. The children presented various items like skit, slogans and dance performance to showcase the life of Chacha Nehru. All the them were given a chocolate by the PTA members

HINDI CALLIGRAPHY COMPETITION

Hindi calligraphy competition was held for Pre Primary students on 22.01.2020. The young learners showcased their calligraphic skills by writing the given sentence with proper strokes and neatness.



MASTER STROKE



English Calligraphy competition 'Master Stroke' was conducted for the Pre-Primary children on 14.2.2020. The aim of the competition was to encourage the students to write neatly with proper strokes. All the students participated with great zeal and enthusiasm.

Games & Sports

SPORTS DAY

The much awaited Sports day was held on 24.02.2020 with great zeal, excitement and colourful atmosphere. There was a massive participation of 140 boys and 140 girls from both Pre School & Pre Primary. 16 colourful & interesting races were planned for the tiny tots.



One of the attraction of the event was the inclusion of children with special needs. The sporting spirit was apparent and all the children enjoyed participating in the races. Medals and certificates were awarded to the winners.



SPORTS ACTIVITY-“OBSTACLE COURSE”



A Sports Activity “Obstacle Course” was organized for the children of pre- school on 15.10.19. A runway was laid in the playground and children were asked to run zigzag between the cones, crawl under the hurdle and pass through the hoopla and run to the finishing point. This activity helped in improving their gross motor skills and eye- hand co-ordination.

SPORTS ACTIVITY- “AIM THE BALL”

Sports Activity “Aim the Ball” was organized for Pre Primary children on 30.01.2020. It helped them in improving their ability to aim the ball high on the basket in their front. It also helped in developing their gross muscles & eye- hand co-ordination.



Picnics And Excursions

TRAFFIC TRAINING PARK



An excursion to Traffic Training Park was organized on 10.10.19 for Pre Primary children. The children enjoyed learning the traffic rules & the traffic signals

BAL BHAWAN

The students of Pre- School & Pre- Primary were taken for an excursion to Bal Bhawan in the months of January & February respectively. They enjoyed watching their own funny images in the magical mirrors. Afterwards they were taken to the art gallery which had drawings and



paintings which were made using different textures. Children were thrilled to see fishes of different colors and sizes in the Jawahar fish aquarium.

DOLL MUSEUM



The students of Pre-School & Pre-Primary visited Doll Museum on 07.02.2020. The children enjoyed observing the dolls of ancient time from different countries. They also learnt about the culture, costumes and dance forms of different states of India. Travelling to doll museum was a joy ride for them. It was a wonderful experience for all the students.

ANNUAL PICNIC 26.02.2020 & 28.02.2020

The annual picnic for children of Pre School & Pre Primary was scheduled on 26.02.2020 & 28.02.2020 respectively, to Talkatora Garden. The children left the school premises enthusiastically and boarded the buses. They enjoyed the swings in a lush green environment and relished the refreshments given to them. They were shown colourful flowers which were blooming during this spring season. Moreover they were also shown the gardener who was planting and watering the plants, which made their picnic all the more knowledgeable. Children were shown blue and green dustbins and they were asked to put the wet garbage in green dustbin and dry garbage in blue one. It was a fun-filled day for the children to run around and play in the lapse of nature



Inter- School Competitions

ON THE SPOT CHITRA KALA COMPETITION

Five students of the Montessori Department participated in “ON THE SPOT CHITRA KALA COMPETITION” held at Bhagwati Devi Shishu Bharati School, Ajmeri Gate on 15.12.19.

Vedika Keswani PP-H got 1st prize and Mohak Narang PP-J got 3rd prize.

M.M PUBLIC SCHOOL ON THE SPOT PAINTING COMPETITION 2019



22 students of Montessori Department participated in Inter school painting competition organized at M.M Public school, Pitampura on 03.12.19. The budding artist got the good opportunity to draw their favourite cartoon.

Mohak Narang PP-J got 1st prize and Vedika Keswani of PP-H got 3rd prize.

TINY TOTS



15 children of the Montessori Department participated in various categories at Dev Samaj Modern School, Nehru Nagar on 07.02.2020.

Yahvi Gupta participated in the Fancy Dress Category who was dressed up as Mother Earth and spoke lines about various measures that can be taken to save our planet and keep it green and clean. She also used elaborated props to lay emphasis on her message.

Vedika Keswani and Mohak Narang participated in the category of Free hand drawing and colouring. There were various topics like butterfly, scenery, my home, flowers etc which were given to them. The children had to choose any one topic and show their creativity.



12 children of Pre- Primary participated in the Story Dramatisation which focused on instilling the moral values amongst our little ones.

Our school won Third (3rd) position in Story Dramatization and all the children got participation gifts

NATIONAL DEWORMING DAY



The National Deworming Day, an initiative of Ministry of Health & Family Welfare, Govt. Of India was organized in the school premises on 17.02.2020 for the students of Pre- School & Pre-Primary. A deworming tablet was given to 43 children by their respective class teachers under the guidance of Dr. Preeti, a supervisor and a Doctor from DOE. The Programme was successfully conducted under the supervision on Ms. Neelam Ahuja (Headmistress Montessori Department).

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