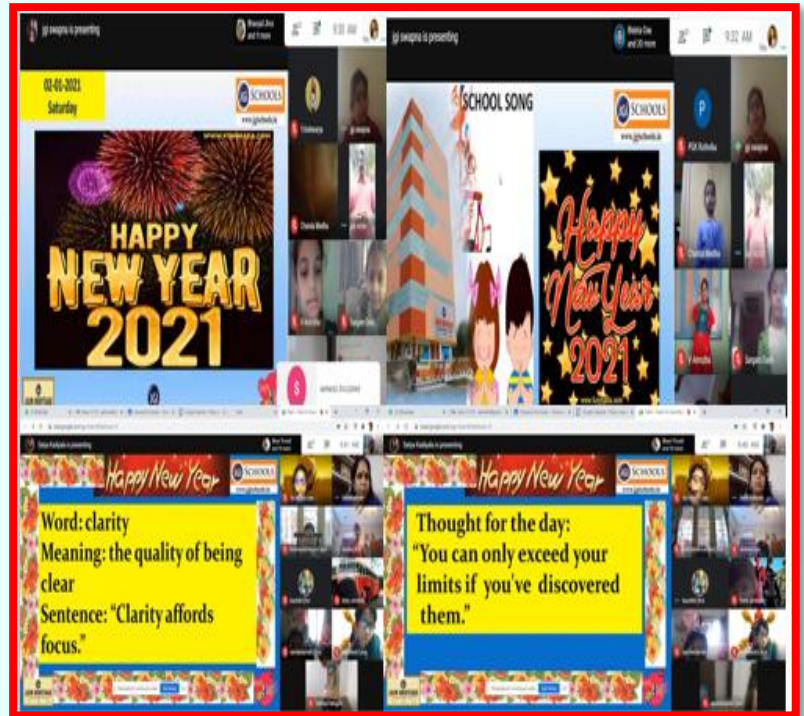


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THE MONTH IT WAZ.... (JANUARY 2021)

Quotable Quote: "Celebrate ending- for they precede new beginnings"

New Year Celebration



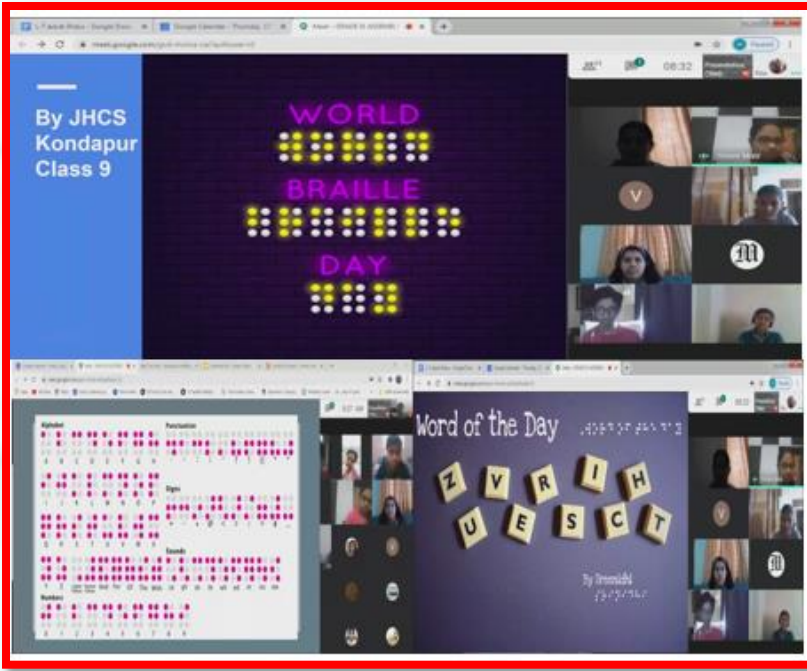
Let's make our New Year resolution to be there for each other and help fellow human beings in need even if we don't know them personally.

So, come let's spread some kindness and cheer!

Jain Heritage-A Cambridge School, Kondapur bid a befitting farewell to the year 2020 and welcomed the new year 2021 by organizing virtual class assemblies on 2nd January 2021. This year the world is in the throes of one of the most devastating pandemics witnessed by the human race. The stringent Covid-19 prevention protocols call for isolation and social distancing. But there were still ways in which everyone can ring in the new year with

great pomp and show. The virtual celebrations featured performances from students like singing, dancing, etc. Some student participants of the virtual meet dressed up as their favorite actor or actress and enacted one dialogue from the movie character they were portraying while the others guessed the actor and the film. The students and the faculty members enjoyed and welcomed the new year 2021 in their unique way. The fun filled celebrations concluded with a special audio recorded message from the School Principal to the students, their parents, and the staff for the New Year 2021.

Special Assembly Presentation on World Brailles Day by Grade IX



“There should be no limits for the blind.”
The Braille day is celebrated to commemorate the birthday of a unique soul who has developed a simple way for the blind people to read, write and even compose music or solve complex equations. A stunning special assembly was conducted on 4th January by the students of Grade IX on the topic “World Braille Day”. They showed how Braille has given the blind sight, and thereby made them equals with those who are fortunate enough to have eyes. A beautiful quote of Braille was shared to the class by Vikitha. Ganesh took the role of Louis Braille and shared the hardships the latter faced and the contributions that he made so that no other blind person would have to go through the same plight ever again. The Braille script is a genuine masterpiece. Just an arrangement of 6 raised dots in different

places. It is that simple, but once it is mastered it can enable the blind to function as though they have the two windows to the world. A blind person no longer has restraints and can now show the world his or her individual genius. Braille teaches us that we must always be thankful for what we have, and know that if we are willing to persevere, any impossible task can be done with ease. He has given eyes to billions of people and is a true role model for the saying, “where there is a will, there is a way.”

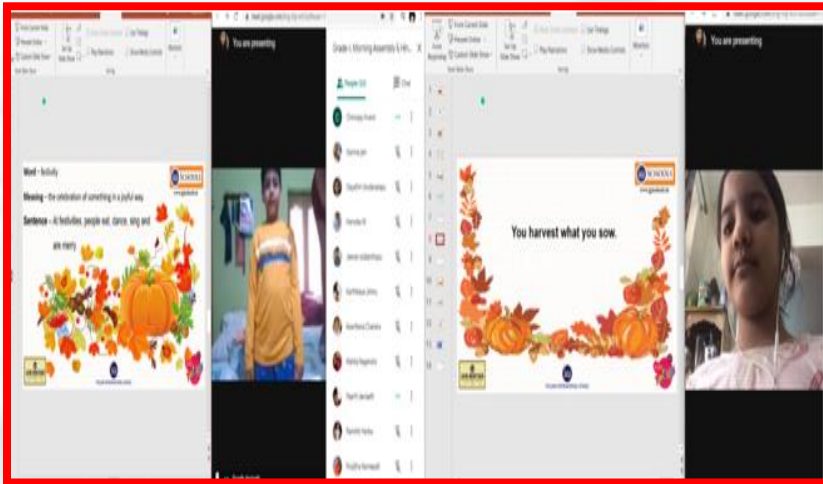
Article contributed by
Prem Naren - Grade IX

Special Assembly Presentation on NRI day by Grade VIII

“Non-resident Indians (NRI) are natural and bright rays of spiritually enlightened India to illuminate rest of the world” NRI day is celebrated on 9th January every year to link up the Indian Diaspora to commemorate the achievements of the individuals of Indian origin in their respective fields and also persuade them to bring their knowledge and expertise to their motherland. The students of Grade VIII conducted the special assembly on the topic “NRI day” on 8th January to raise awareness, connect and feel the spirit of having a Global Indian family. The assembly began with prayer and the school song. The special assembly was anchored by Ancy and Akshitha. Pledge was administered by Zubiya. Thought for the Day and Word for the day were delivered by Mahaveer and Krishna Sai. The thoughts shared by the students through the skit raised the vibes of the assembly in a very positive manner. The students enthusiastically participated in the quiz conducted by Kartik Dixit. The Senior Coordinator- Mr. Mahesh graced the assembly with his esteem presence. The students understood that the Indians located abroad play a huge role in the country's economy and bringing foreign currency to India. The government also honours such people with the Pravasi Bharatiya Samman Awards. They are given to selected Indian diaspora members to recognize their achievements and honour their contributions to various fields, both in India and abroad. In short, the assembly was a life affirming experience for the students. “We salute each bud of India that blossomed across the world and made India proud.”



Assembly Presentation by Grade I Topic: A Fruitful Harvest



“The seed that falls on good ground yield a fruitful harvest. With every deed, you are sowing a seed, though you may not see it.”

By Ella Wheeler Wilcox

Morning assembly inculcates moral values and prepares students to start their routine after praying to God. This habit formed stands them in good stead throughout their life. The assembly on the topic “Fruitful Harvest” was conducted by Grade I from 2nd to 8th January.

It started with the Morning Prayer which was followed by the following activities: Pledge was administered by Siddharth, Karthikeya Jishnu, Vihaan, Vivaan, and

Yashnara. Thought for the day and word for the day were presented by Aarohi, Aishani, Dheekshith, Anagha, Jayanth, Jeevan, Samaira, Sanchi, Zohan, Paarth, Varun, and Garima respectively. They came up with insightful thoughts and new vocabulary that were shared with all in the assembly. The Word for the day was explained with the help of a sentence. Students understood the importance of harvesting. The social importance of this event makes it the focus of seasonal celebrations such as harvest festivals, found in many religions and regions in India. The assembly concluded with the national anthem which was sung by all. The students participated in the assembly with zeal and enthusiasm. It was a well-planned assembly that inculcated values in the young hearts. The assembly was conducted smoothly and the audience was captivated by the flawless performance of the students. The assembly was concluded by an energetic exercise and a mindful meditation. The assembly was concluded with an inspiring quote.

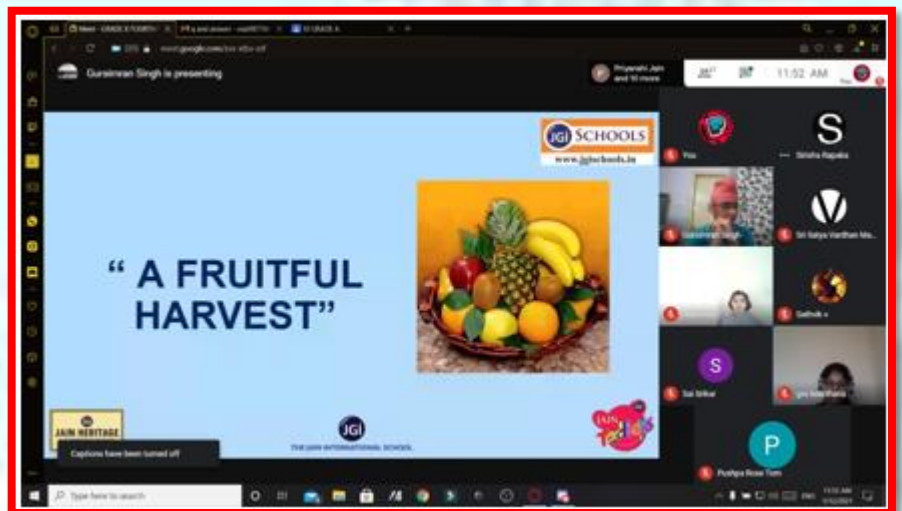
Assembly Presentation by Grade X Topic: A Fruitful Harvest

"Time does not heal emotional pain, you need to learn how to let it go"

- Roy T. Bennett

In the starting week of a new year, 2021, students of Grade 10 conducted the morning assemblies from 2nd to 8th January on the theme "A Fruitful Harvest". Students took the national pledge proudly, learned new words to increase their vocabulary, brought forward inspirational thoughts and got to know about what was happening around the world. Through the book - A Fruitful Harvest, students learned how to face their personal challenges with a smile. They also understood

about emotional pain and how by using common spiritual principles, we can be content with our lives. A Fruitful Harvest is a book written by Jeff Eaton, which includes ideals from Buddhism and psychology, to give deep insights about emotional pain in humans and how we can solve them. It includes his personal experiences as a psychotherapist with patients who were suffering from emotional distress, and his usage of Buddhist principles and psychology to help them lead a better life. This book is worth reading not only to understand human emotions better, but to also live a grateful and happy life.



Article contributed by
Tanishq-Grade X

Virtual Annual Function



Jain Heritage A Cambridge School celebrated its 12th Virtual Annual Day on 9th January 2021 with great zeal and enthusiasm. The event was celebrated on a virtual platform due to the pandemic restrictions. This year the theme for Annual Day was “Beyond 2020” which was presented exuberantly with spectacular performances by the students.

The programme commenced with the formal function. The Principal Ms. Mona Mehdi extended a warm welcome to all and then delivered the annual report of the school. The Academic Director Dr. K Lakshmi Rao then enlightened the audience by delivering a captivating and informative speech. This was followed by an inspiring speech by our CEO Dr. Chandrashekhar DP who enthused us with his words of wisdom. The esteemed Chief Guest for this year’s Annual Day was Mr. Vishal Roychand, an eminent personality and a man of wisdom whose inspiring words motivated us on how we can keep our hopes alive during these challenging times.

The program was followed by a spectacular display of performances in the form of a recordings comprising of skits and dances by the students. The program was centered around the current scenario where digital education using gadgets has become the new normal. Every student requires a gadget to connect with the teachers using virtual platforms to join virtual classes. This required learning a new means of communication, technology, and new learning material which was disseminated via electronic means like email or hosted on websites. The current scenario has evolved us to be more tech-savvy. Technology has played a pivotal role in our households with everyone isolated and trying to carry out the roles of professional work, household activities, and studying within the confines of their homes. The new normal imparted many life lessons to us and taught us the value of patience and perseverance. It also tested our degree of acclimatization

The students displayed an array of performances in the form of dancing, enacting, art, fancy dress, and mime. The performances delivered a positive message to the audience.

The program concluded with the Vote of Thanks given by the Head Girl Ms. Aarohi. The event was a grand success and was well appreciated by all.

Special Assembly Presentation on Vishwa Hindi Divas by Grade IV



हिंदी भाषा नहीं , भावों की अभिव्यक्ति है , यह मातृभूमि पर मर-मिटने की भक्ति है । इन्हीं भावों को लेकर कक्षा 4 के विद्यार्थियों ने 11 जनवरी को विश्व हिंदी दिवस की प्रार्थना सभा का आयोजन किया । सभी छात्रों ने इस प्रार्थना सभा में बढ़-चढ़कर हिस्सा लिया । सभा का संचालन पी.सीरी ने उत्साहपूर्वक किया , प्रभव , अनन्या श्रीवास्तव और उमिका ने शपथ , नया शब्द और सुविचार बताकर छात्रों को हिंदी भाषा के महत्व के प्रति जागरूक किया । आदित ने हिंदी दिवस क्यों मनाया जाता

है इस पर बहुत ही सुंदर अनुच्छेद सुनाया । श्रेयसी ने हिंदी वर्णमाला की कविता सुनाकर सभी का मनोरंजन किया । शुचिता महोदया ने सभी छात्रों के कार्य की सरहाना की । अंत में "हिंदी हैं हम वतन" तथा "हिंदी पढ़ना और पढ़ाना हमारा कर्तव्य है" - जैसे सुविचार बताकर सभा का समापन किया गया ।

Special Assembly Presentation on National Youth Day by Grade X

"Arise, awake and stop not till the goal is reached."

Government of India took a decision in 1984 to celebrate the birthday of great Swami Vivekananda, i.e. 12 January, as National Youth Day every year. The Government of India quoted that ' the philosophy of Swamiji and the ideals for which he lived and worked could be a great source of inspiration for the Indian Youth Day. Students of grade X conducted the morning assembly on the topic- National youth day.

Students administered the pledge perfectly. They shared splendid thoughts, brought forward new words, its meaning & usage in a sentence. News read by students made them aware of what was happening around them. The students also performed a skit which has provided a lot of information about Swami Vivekananda and his principles. Under the guidance of PE Sir, the students performed few mind refreshing exercises. The class teacher Mr. Srikanth addressed the assembly with his wise words. Overall, it was an excellent assembly that made students positive & productive.



Article contributed by
Aarohi -Grade X

Special Assembly Presentation on Makar Sankranti by Grade I & II



Makar Sankranti is believed traditionally to mark the arrival of spring in India. As it is the festival of Sun God and he is regarded as the symbol of divinity and wisdom, the festival also holds an eternal meaning to it. It is celebrated throughout India with splendor and glory. The students of Grade I & II celebrated Makar Sankranti by presenting a vibrant assembly to usher in the festival. Students joined the

assembly in traditional attire and a virtual background which enhanced the festival celebrations. Students of Grade I & II celebrated Sankranti on 12th January 2021. The special assembly started with Prayer followed by School song, Pledge, thought for the day, Word for the day. Pledge was administered by Reyansh and Aashi Priya. Word and thought for the day were articulated by Swara, Rohit, Advitha, and Ayaan Khanna respectively.

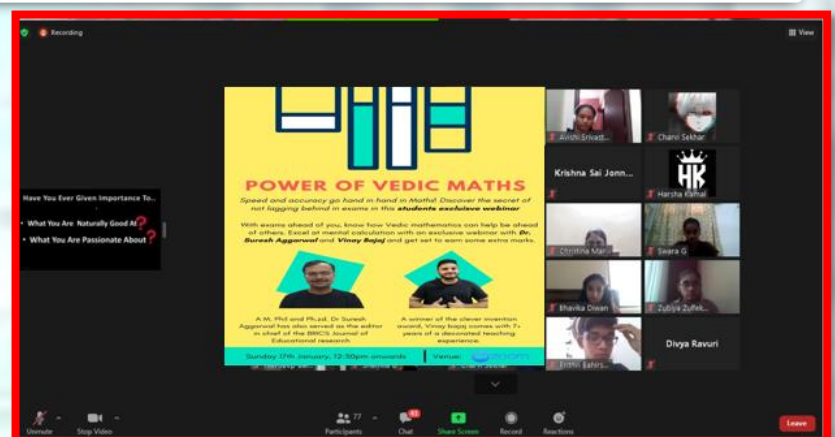
PLNS Anshul dressed up as Haridasu was the main attraction and he sang a few kirtans. Parinithi also sang a few kirtans praising Lord Vishnu giving a spellbound performance. The true essence of the festival was well portrayed. Bhogi Pallu was showered on Vihaan, Anupriya, and her sister to protect them from the evil eye by their mother and grandmother which depicts one of the most significant activities of this festival. T.Tanvi, M.Hamsika, Ch. Kushi, and Bhavi Trivedi performed various dances to the tunes of Aigiri Nandini, Hailohailesare haridasulu vachare, and udi udi jaye which added happiness by creating a lively ambiance. Saachi Varshini, Gayathri, Aarohi, and Aishani spoke about the importance of Sankranti comprising of Gangireddulu, Haridasu, Gobbillu, and Bhogi Mantalu that brought in festive spirits among the audience. The significance of the four days, Bhogi, Makara Sankranti, Kanuma, and Mukkanuma were well-explained by them.

Sankranti is all about sweets and kites and Vishwandha Sourya explained the significance of the kite and kite flying to all.

Webinar on Vedic Maths for Grade II to VIII

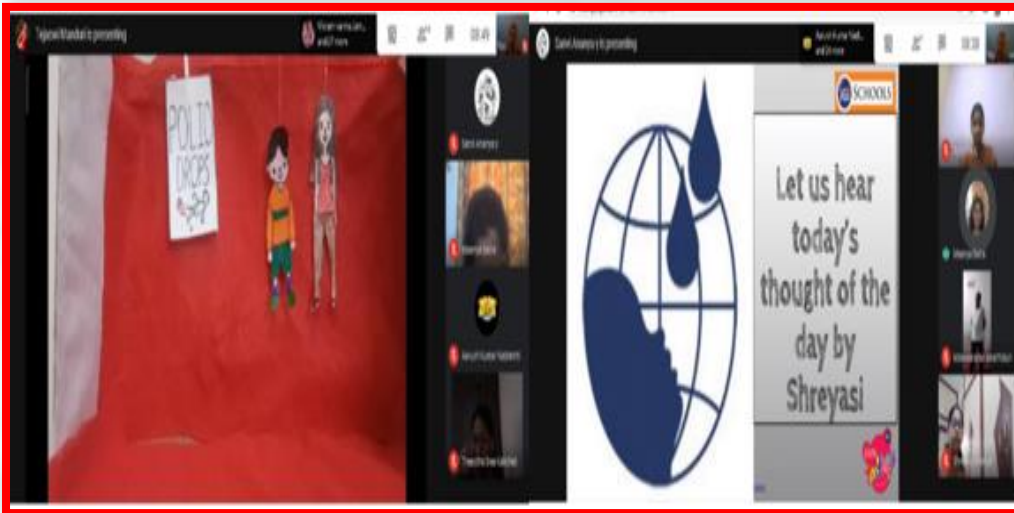
Vedic Maths is an excellent tool for developing interest in numbers and making calculations fun.

JHCS Kondapur gave opportunity to attend a workshop on "Power of Vedic Maths" for students of Grade II to VIII on 17 January 2021 virtually. The resource person for the session was Dr Suresh Agarwal and Mr. Vinay Bajaj, who are active associates of Vedic Maths. They shared the brilliance of Vedic mathematics and taught a few tricks to the students, especially, to count the number of triangles in a given triangle and in a square. They also shared some quick methods to find the square of a number and quick division by 5, 25 and 125. The workshop offered ingenious and interesting ways to teach and learn mathematics. The students showed great enthusiasm while learning the various strategies and even tried some during the session.



Article contributed by
Shreyasi- Grade IV

Special Assembly Presentation on National Immunization Day by Grade VII



Polio or poliomyelitis is a disabling and life-threatening disease caused by the poliovirus. The virus spreads from person to person and can infect a person's spinal cord, causing paralysis (can't move parts of the body). The poliovirus enters the body through the mouth, usually from hands contaminated with the stool of an infected person.

Sore throat, Fever, Tiredness, Nausea, Headache, Stomach pain are

a few symptoms of Poliovirus. Polio is more common in infants and young children and occurs under conditions of poor hygiene. The students of Grade VII conducted a special assembly on the Polio National Immunization on the 21st of January 2021. It was celebrated virtually by having a puppet show and documentary on Poliovirus.

The students have learned how people got infected, what were the symptoms and how all suffered through it, and that World Polio Day is observed every year on October 24, by Rotary International to earmark the birth anniversary of the famous virologist Jonas Salk, who discovered the polio vaccine in the year 1955. Every year, the 19th of January is celebrated for giving all children free polio vaccines. Many people in our country have no idea about polio and are infected by it and meet all other people and infect them too. Hence, we can help others by sharing the information with everyone.

Article contributed by
Poshika Bafna- Grade VII

Indian Flag Drawing & Collage Making Activity for Grade II and IV

“A thoughtful mind, when it sees a nation's flag, sees not the flag, but the nation itself.”

A drawing and collage making activity was organized for Grade II and Grade IV students on 21.01.2021. The theme of the activity was – “Indian Flag”.

All the children actively participated in this activity. This was an activity that aimed to test the knowledge

of children regarding our national flag. The children had an enjoyable time painting flags in various shapes, sizes, models and showcasing their creativity. The finished products were amazing as the children had let their imagination run creative and create absolute magic. It was indeed a very successful event and a memorable one too as all our children proudly displayed their work and posed happily.



Assembly Presentation by Grade II Topic: Beyond Limits



Never be afraid to try something new, because life gets boring when you stay within the limits of what you already know. So, sometimes the best way to learn something new is to go beyond limits and set your rules. Students going beyond limits would develop a curiosity for new ideas & show more enthusiasm to get interconnectedness of subject and learn to develop a generative mindset. Students of Grade-II

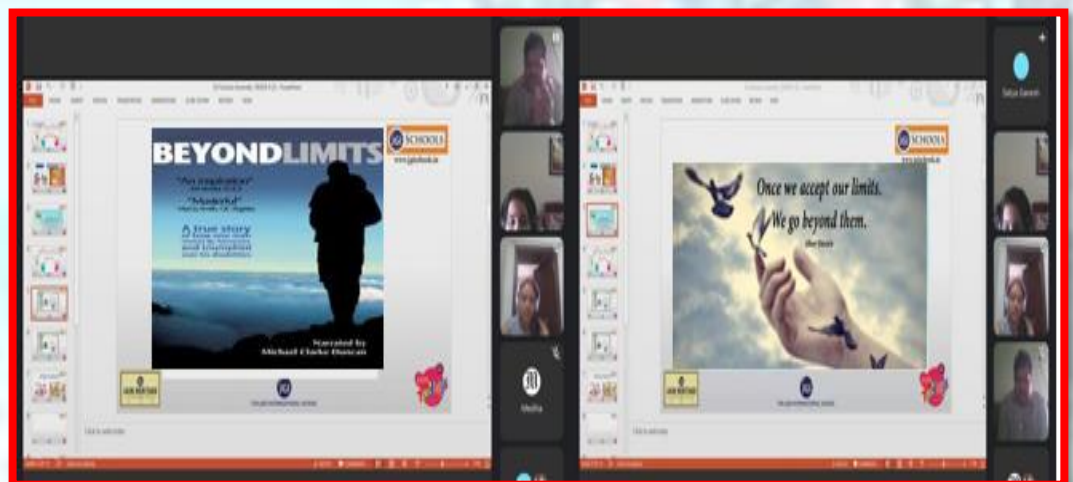
conducted the morning assembly on the topic “Beyond Limits” from 11th to 22nd January 2021. Different days of the week were allotted to each student to present their skills in the assembly. The day started enthusiastically with a prayer followed by a school song. The students of Grade-II took the pledge with pride to be responsible and disciplined citizens of our country. Pledge was followed by enriching thoughts presented by few students to convey a message to everyone that you have more potential than you think, but you will never know your full potential unless you challenge yourself and push beyond your self-imposed limits. Words have the power to change us, to enhance the vocabulary the students of Grade-II proposed word for the day to make everyone learn beyond their books. Through an enriching thought and word, the students understood that “The only way of finding the limits of the possible is by going beyond them into the impossible”. Mrs. Meghana & Mrs. Satya emphasized on few significant points about “Beyond Limits” saying that always believe in yourself and always stretch yourself beyond your limits because you have more potential than you think. At last, the assembly was culminated by an energetic exercise, mindful meditation, and the national anthem. Overall, the assembly ended very smoothly with an inspiring quote.

Assembly Presentation by Grade IX Topic: Beyond Limits

“Go beyond everything in order to be who you really are.”

Everyone has dreams and goals. However, very few people actually achieve them. This is because the majority of us let our limits hold us back. These limits take various forms. Examples are physical inability, doubt, fear or a negative past.

When you meet your personal limits, you feel resistance. This makes everything feel much harder to accomplish. A stunning assembly was conducted by the students of Grade IX on the topic “Beyond Limits” from 18th January to 22nd January 2021. They showed how to achieve something “Beyond the Limits” by looking at the things that positively help to achieve our goals. It is important to know our limits such that we can push ourselves to the point and overcome them. Beautiful quotes, instigating thoughts and sturdy words were shared by students in the class during the assembly. On the whole it was an informative assembly.



Republic Day Celebration



जो भरा नहीं है भावों से,
बहती जिसमें रसधार
नहीं
वह हृदय नहीं वह
पत्थर है, जिसमें स्वदेश
का प्यार नहीं।

मैथिली शरण गुप्त

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हमको तो जान से प्यारा यह गणतंत्र हमारा है।

- रूर्वा त्रिवेदी,

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Special Assembly Presentation on International Day of Education by Grade VI



“Education is the most powerful weapon which you can use to change the world.”

A marvellous assembly was conducted by Grade VI on the 25th of January 2021 on the topic “International Day of Education”. It was so happy to see everyone confident in their presentation. The assembly started with a pleasure tune of the prayer and the school song. Then came the pledge which was administered by Sahasradash. Vaibhav highlighted the meaning of education, Sahiti shared a

helpful thought and Sahasresh updated with news headlines. A wonderful and informative article was shared by Tarun in English which made us understand more about education. A rhythmic poem by was recited by Shrinika which was short and crisp. To add up flavour to the assembly, Sakshi presented an article in hindi. Sanjana, Ananya Nair, Sahasresh, Antara, Vaibhav, Niyathi, Rishank presented a skit which clearly depicted the importance of Education, as it is not only for help us bread earning, but also education teaches us to face situations in life and find a way for happy living. Ananya Nair proposed her vote of thanks. Mahesh Sir addressed the assembly and appreciated everyone for their participation. On the whole it was an informative and thought-provoking assembly.

Article contributed by
Chanda Vaibhav- Grade VI

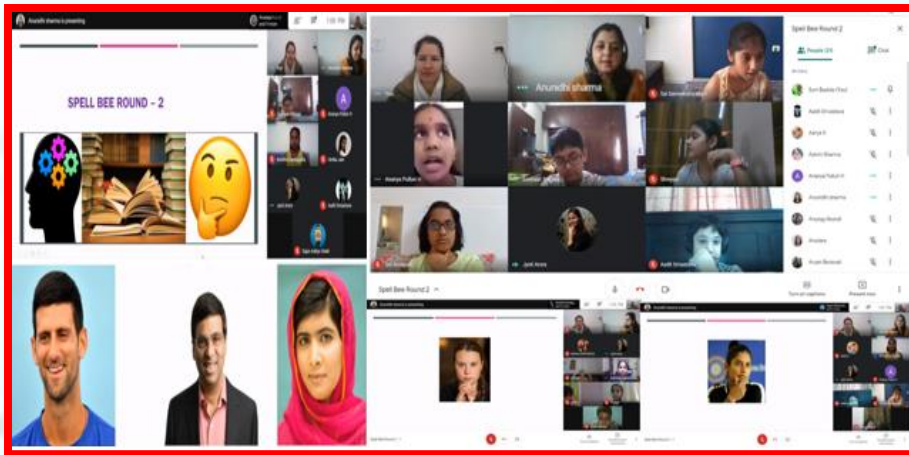
No Fire Cooking Activity for Grade V

As part of the CCA Activity and to develop the skill of preparing non-flame dishes a “No Fire Cooking Activity” was conducted for students of Grade V on the 27th of January, 2021. The activity aimed to provide a platform for students to showcase their talent and explore new areas of interest. It was conducted to create awareness about the nutritional value of food cooked without fire. The students prepared healthy dishes like ‘Dry Fruit Laddu, vegetable sandwiches, sprouts, oreo cake, choco lava cake, snacks mixtures, apple pie etc.

using easy and quick recipes. They served the dishes artistically and aesthetically. Children participated with full zeal and enthusiasm as they doled out nutritious yet delectable delicacies. The event not only provided a platform for the students to foster their creativity and decision-making skills but also helped them explore their hidden talents and discover new areas of interest.



Spell Bee Competition for IV & V



“Spelling is important because it aids in reading. It helps cement the connection that is shared between sounds and letters.”

A spelling bee is a competition in which contestants should know and should be able to speak/write/select spelling of a broad selection of words, usually with a varying degree of difficulty. To compete, contestants must memorize the spellings of words as written in dictionaries. A Spell Bee Competition was organized for

grade IV and V on 28th January. This competition is one of the numerous enjoyable competitions that give students a platform to learn spellings in different ways. This competition helps students to improve their spellings, increase their vocabulary, learn concepts, and develop the use of correct English. Twenty students from Grade IV and V were successful in round one of the competition and participated in round two as contestants. As part of level-1, round two, they were given a word orally and they had to speak out the spelling instantly. Eight students qualified for the next level of round -2 which required the students to identify the personalities from the pictures displayed and then spell their names. From Grade IV the winners were Anurag and Sameeksha. From Grade V, Rohitha bagged the first position and Sai Kruthi bagged the second position. The winners were congratulated for their grasp of difficult words and the spellings. All the students participated in the competition earnestly.

Vegetable Carving Activity for Grade VI & VII

Vegetable carving is the art of carving vegetables to form beautiful objects, such as flowers or birds. The products of vegetable carving are generally flowers or birds; however, the only limit is one's imagination. The techniques of vegetable carving vary from person to person, as does the final result. Some carvings present more artistic detail, while others have simple, yet beautiful shapes. Vegetable carving is generally used as a garnish, but it can also be used for flower arranging. The main purpose of fruits and vegetable carvings is to accompany gourmet dishes of palace meals and for religious offerings. The carving patterns are replicas of nature which are simple and pleasant. Serving food attractively is a skill that has been practiced for centuries across the world. Food presentation is now an art, which requires practice.

A virtual vegetable carving activity was conducted in Grades 6 and 7 from 22nd to 27th of January 2021. The purpose of conducting the co-curricular activity was not only to blend learning with fun but also to develop confidence in the students by allowing them to show their talent in front of everyone. This activity proved to be a great learning experience for the students and gave them a platform to explore their hidden talents. Overall, it was quite a vibrant activity with hundred percent participation by the students.



Article contributed by
K. Sai Aasritha- Grade VI

Special Assembly Presentation on Shaheed Diwas by Grade V



Gandhi Ji said, *“The best way to find yourself is to lose yourself in the service of others.”*

Assemblies are an integral part of the growth and orientation of the students. They play a pivotal role in the cultivation and sustenance of values; preparing the child to appropriate crucial roles in the future.

Students of Grade V conducted a special assembly on the topic Shaheed Diwas on 30th January. On 30 January Martyr's Day or Shaheed Diwas is observed in the memory of Mahatma Gandhi.

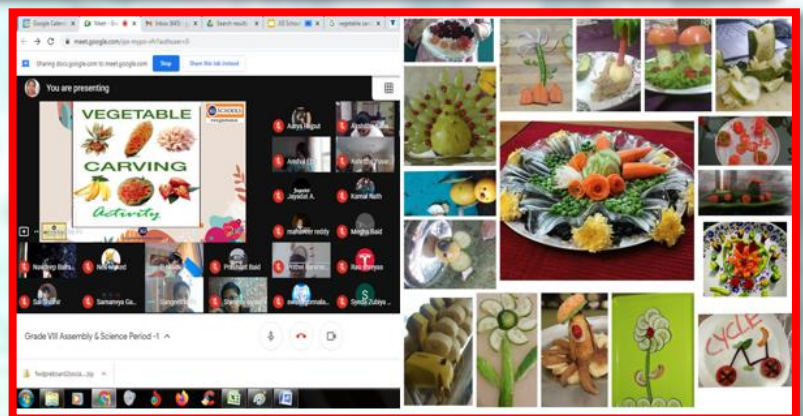
Mahatma Gandhi, the father of the Nation, was assassinated at Gandhi Smriti in the Birla House. The special assembly was anchored by Mary Jessica who spoke in both Hindi and English language while announcing the events as a part of the assembly. Mahitha led the students with the pledge. Word and thought for the day were articulated by Prithvi Raj and Aryaveer respectively. Navneeth played the tune of Gandhiji's Bhajan- “Raghupati Raghav Raja Ram”

on piano. Advim also played the piano on Gandhi Ji's bhajan- “Vaishnav Jana to”. The ambience was filled with a peaceful environment when Sai Kruthi and Anutara sang melodious Gandhiji's Bhajans. The bhajans made us remember the philosophy of peace that Gandhiji promoted while protesting against the British regime. He firmly believed that any mass movement would be only successful if it was sustained for a long time by using peaceful means of protest and non-cooperation. The students understood more about this day and the significance of this day when Aarushi, Rohitha and Varnika spoke eloquently about Gandhiji and his life. Sriyayan spoke about Gandhi Ji in Telugu. Durva spoke elaborately about him in Hindi. Ujesh Chinhara dressed up like Gandhi Ji and recited his slogans which he spoke during the freedom struggle against Britishers. Students made beautiful colourful posters to show their respect and paid tribute to Gandhi Ji through their artwork. It was a very informative assembly in which students understood the significance of this day. They also understood the contribution of Mahatma Gandhi towards the nation and its independence. He was a great freedom fighter who taught the lesson of non-violence and worked on building the unity of the nation. After India got Independence in 1947, Bapu stayed away from politics and started working on the harmony, peace, and brotherhood among the people. Overall, the assembly was informative and gave students the valuable message that Gandhiji gave to all Indians with his words and deeds.

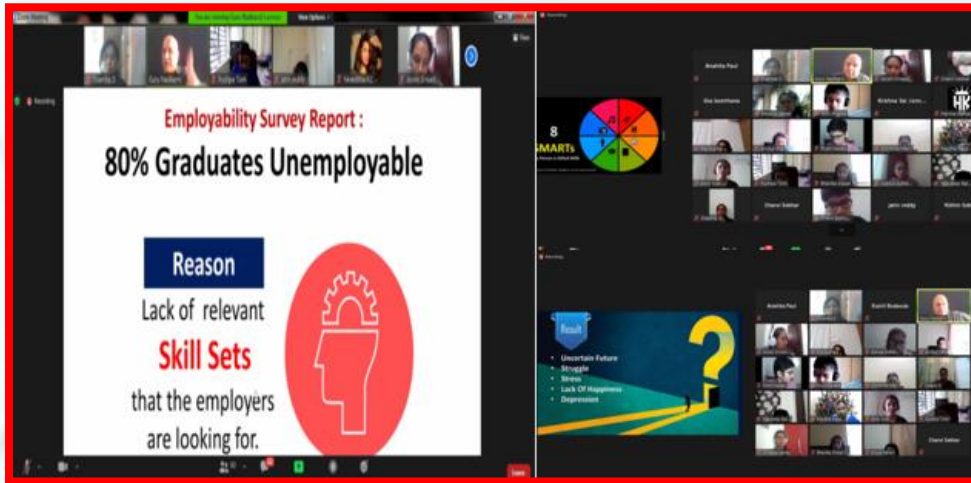
Vegetable Carving Activity for VIII

The art of carving fruits and vegetables originated during the period Sukhothay in the 14th century in Thailand.

The vegetable and fruit carving are an art and today it is one of the most valued professions and is highly paid. In order to exploit the imagination as well as artistic capability vegetable carving activity was conducted on 29.01.2021 to showcase the upcoming talents of Grade VIII as part of CCA. All the participants have got a magical touch of God which made them to create a world of fantasy with vegetables. There were attractive caricatures made out of fruits and vegetables by Grade VIII students. In the hands of our students, the art of fruit and vegetable carving is elevated to a new realm of edible creations. We are proud to have such talents and they are the feathers on our cap.



Webinar on Are you future ready for VIII to X



"It is not what you speak but how you speak"
Students of grade 8,9 and 10 attended a webinar on the topic "Are you future ready". Mr. Guru Nadkarni was the mentor and host for this event. Students were taught that communication skills are the most valuable part while applying for jobs. They were also told how important communication skills are. The students were given some examples of skills that big

companies look for in their recruits. They were also mentored about finding their passion and natural skills. They were taught that there are 8 smart that people have: Logically smart, numerically smart etc. They were also told that there are 4 main ways to find their natural skills. A Google form was also filled by the students to know more and get one to one interaction with Mr.Guru Nadkarni. Overall, it was an excellent webinar event that made students positive & productive.

Article contributed by
Aarohi -Grade X

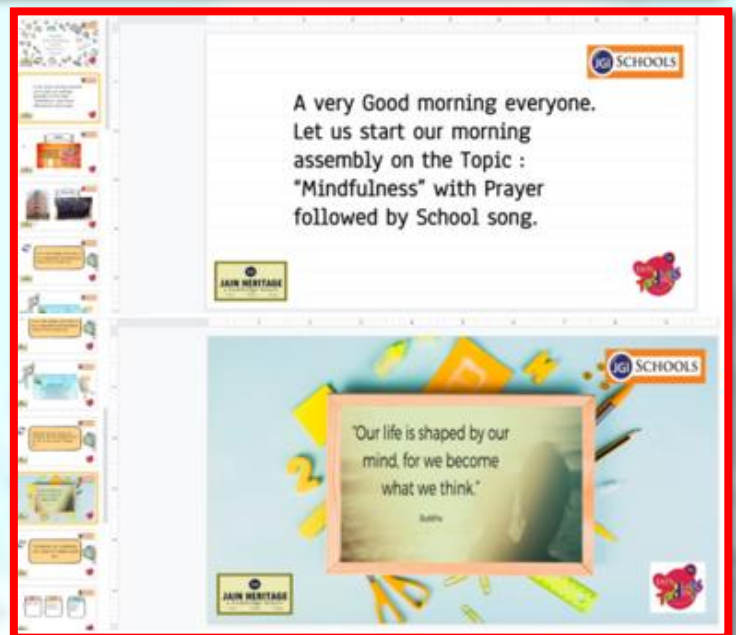
Assembly Presentation by Grade IV Topic: Mindfulness

Mindfulness is a way of befriending ourselves and our experiences.

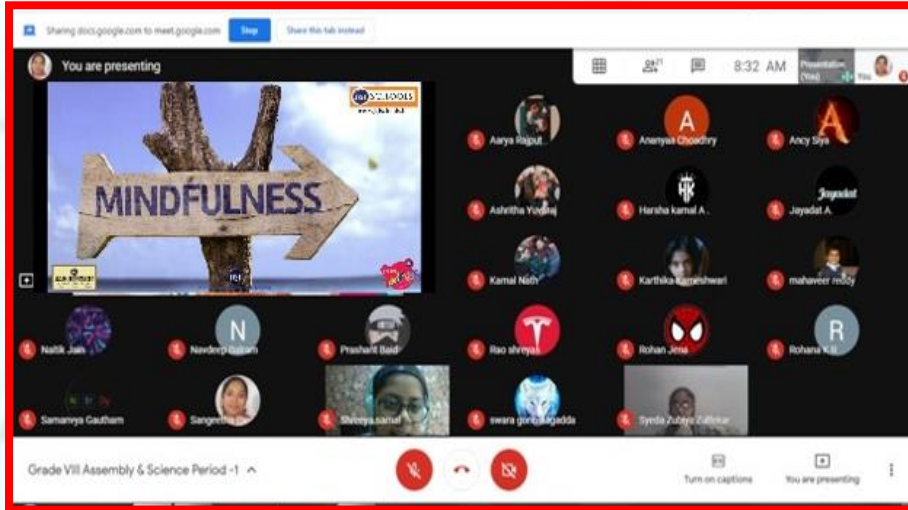
Jon Kabat-Zinn

Morning assembly is the platform for the students to express their thoughts and display their talent. It is a time to be at peace by incorporating meditation in the morning routine. Important information is given to students and everyday new topics are discussed among children thus improving their knowledge about these topics. Grade IV conducted Morning Assembly from 25th Jan to 30th Jan on the topic of Mindfulness. Mindfulness means being awake, it means knowing what are you doing at that moment. A week was allotted to different students to perform various activities in the assembly.

The day started with Guru Vandana followed by the school song. Students of Grade IV were well prepared for the assembly. P. Siri, Shaanyu, Nathan, Sameeksha, Ananya Shukla were the perfect anchor of the week. Pledge was administered by Suhas, Aadit, Karthikeya, and Abdul. New words improve our vocabulary which can then be used in the written and oral communication. Laasya, Jairaj, Manvitha, Shreyas, and A.Siri actively presented the word of the day. Thought for the day was presented by Ananya Shrivastava, Arianna, Allyson, Mayukh, and Shourya, and they enlightened us with a new thought. Shreyasi, Vallabha, and Umika excellently explained the importance of mindfulness in the articles they shared. Every day the students started their day with a fresh mind, with meditation. Ms. Samatha guided the children through breathing during meditation and yoga with calm and soothing music in the background. The students understood that Meditation is not evasion; it is a serene encounter with reality. Finally, the assembly ended with the national anthem. Morning assembly was well-planned and developed a feeling of affiliation and unity among students. The assembly was conducted smoothly and with a lot of energy and enthusiasm.



Assembly Presentation by Grade VIII Topic: Mindfulness



“Mindfulness is a way of befriending ourselves and our experience.”

The students of Grade VIII conducted the morning assembly on the topic 'Mindfulness' from 25 January to 30 January 2021. The morning commenced with Guru Vandana followed by the school song. Pledge was administered by Rao Shreyas and Karthik.” If you have good thoughts they will shine out of your face like sunbeams and you will always look lovely. Thought for the day was presented by Rohan Jena. Rohana and Ancy enhanced

our vocabulary by adding new words. Mahaveer updated us on what is happening around the world by sharing the news headlines. The articles delivered by Ashritha and Arya were thought provoking. Mindfulness has many benefits for students that can help them work through daily personal and academic issues. Consistent practice of this serves as a reminder that we should focus on the present, rather than the errors of the past or doubts of the future. The students learned that - by living mindfully, they can work to reduce stress and anxiety while making the most of each moment. They also understood the importance of Meditation that begins and ends in the body. It involves taking the time to pay attention to where we are and what's going on, and that starts with being aware of our body, that very act can be calming, since our body has internal rhythms that help it relax if we give it a chance. The students meditated for 5 minutes and were indeed refreshed with the positivity around them. The assembly helped the students in imbibing the feelings of empathy, compassion, respect, and admiration to surface that results in a peaceful and empathetic environment and attain mindfulness.

Awards & Rewards

The winners of Spell Bee Competition of Grade IV & V were awarded with certificates virtually.



Star Child of the Week (28-12-2020 to 02-01-2021)



JAIN HERITAGE
KONDAPUR

STAR CHILD - of the -WEEK

Awarded to
Thiyan
of grade
I-A dated **02-01-2021**

Principal

JAIN HERITAGE
KONDAPUR

STAR CHILD - of the -WEEK

Awarded to
Loya Advitha
of grade
I-B dated **02-01-2021**

Principal

JAIN HERITAGE
KONDAPUR

STAR CHILD - of the -WEEK

Awarded to
Bhavi Trivedi
of grade
II-A dated **02-01-2021**

Principal

JAIN HERITAGE
KONDAPUR

STAR CHILD - of the -WEEK

Awarded to
Sathvikh Guru Prasadh
of grade
II-B dated **02-01-2021**

Principal

JAIN HERITAGE
KONDAPUR

STAR CHILD - of the -WEEK

Awarded to
Kunwar Baid
of grade
III-A dated **02-01-2021**

Principal

JAIN HERITAGE
KONDAPUR

STAR CHILD - of the -WEEK

Awarded to
Sai Pranav
of grade
III-B dated **02-01-2021**

Principal

JAIN HERITAGE
KONDAPUR

STAR CHILD - of the -WEEK

Awarded to
Manvitha
of grade
IV-A dated **02-01-2021**

Principal

JAIN HERITAGE
KONDAPUR

STAR CHILD - of the -WEEK

Awarded to
Sai Suhas
of grade
IV-B dated **02-01-2021**

Principal

JAIN HERITAGE
KONDAPUR

STAR CHILD - of the -WEEK

Awarded to
Harshitha B
of grade
V-A dated **02-01-2021**

Principal

JAIN HERITAGE
KONDAPUR

STAR CHILD - of the -WEEK

Awarded to
Hemakesh Byna
of grade
V-B dated **02-01-2021**

Principal

JAIN HERITAGE
KONDAPUR

STAR CHILD - of the -WEEK

Awarded to
Shaik Ayaan Fadosa
of grade
VI-A dated **02-01-2021**

Principal

JAIN HERITAGE
KONDAPUR

STAR CHILD - of the -WEEK

Awarded to
Chavan Ramireddy
of grade
VI-B dated **02-01-2021**

Principal

JAIN HERITAGE
KONDAPUR

STAR CHILD - of the -WEEK

Awarded to
A Gokshetra
of grade
VII-A dated **02-01-2021**

Principal

JAIN HERITAGE
KONDAPUR

STAR CHILD - of the -WEEK

Awarded to
Abhinav Padmaram
of grade
VII-B dated **02-01-2021**

Principal

JAIN HERITAGE
KONDAPUR

STAR CHILD - of the -WEEK

Awarded to
Abhirdha Resh K
of grade
VIII-A dated **02-01-2021**

Principal

JAIN HERITAGE
KONDAPUR

STAR CHILD - of the -WEEK

Awarded to
Akhita Kanakamkala
of grade
VIII-B dated **02-01-2021**

Principal

JAIN HERITAGE
KONDAPUR

STAR CHILD - of the -WEEK

Awarded to
Aanya Rajput
of grade
IX-A dated **02-01-2021**

Principal

JAIN HERITAGE
KONDAPUR

STAR CHILD - of the -WEEK

Awarded to
Shruti Dwan
of grade
IX-B dated **02-01-2021**

Principal

JAIN HERITAGE
KONDAPUR

STAR CHILD - of the -WEEK

Awarded to
A Anushka
of grade
X-A dated **02-01-2021**

Principal

JAIN HERITAGE
KONDAPUR

STAR CHILD - of the -WEEK

Awarded to
Rishi Vardhan Hanne
of grade
X dated **02-01-2021**

Principal

Star Child of the Week (04-01-2021 to 08-01-2021)



JAIN HERITAGE STAR CHILD - of the -WEEK **SCHOOLS**
KONDAPUR

Awarded to

Saharsh
of grade
I-A dated **08.01.2021**

Principal

JAIN HERITAGE STAR CHILD - of the -WEEK **SCHOOLS**
KONDAPUR

Awarded to

Aarush
of grade
I-B dated **08.01.2021**

Principal

JAIN HERITAGE STAR CHILD - of the -WEEK **SCHOOLS**
KONDAPUR

Awarded to

Atharv Peyyeti
of grade
II-A dated **08.01.2021**

Principal

JAIN HERITAGE STAR CHILD - of the -WEEK **SCHOOLS**
KONDAPUR

Awarded to

N Jaya Siva Kesava
of grade
II-B dated **08.01.2021**

Principal

JAIN HERITAGE STAR CHILD - of the -WEEK **SCHOOLS**
KONDAPUR

Awarded to

N Sankara Srivatsa
of grade
III-A dated **08.01.2021**

Principal

JAIN HERITAGE STAR CHILD - of the -WEEK **SCHOOLS**
KONDAPUR

Awarded to

Anirudh Pasam
of grade
III-B dated **08.01.2021**

Principal

JAIN HERITAGE STAR CHILD - of the -WEEK **SCHOOLS**
KONDAPUR

Awarded to

Srikar Vasista
of grade
IV-A dated **08.01.2021**

Principal

JAIN HERITAGE STAR CHILD - of the -WEEK **SCHOOLS**
KONDAPUR

Awarded to

Ch. Veeksha
of grade
IV-B dated **08.01.2021**

Principal

JAIN HERITAGE STAR CHILD - of the -WEEK **SCHOOLS**
KONDAPUR

Awarded to

Harshith Cheryala
of grade
V-A dated **08.01.2021**

Principal

JAIN HERITAGE STAR CHILD - of the -WEEK **SCHOOLS**
KONDAPUR

Awarded to

Anutara Ojha
of grade
V-B dated **08.01.2021**

Principal

JAIN HERITAGE STAR CHILD - of the -WEEK **SCHOOLS**
KONDAPUR

Awarded to

K. Sai Niyathi
of grade
VI-A dated **08-01-2021**

Principal

JAIN HERITAGE STAR CHILD - of the -WEEK **SCHOOLS**
KONDAPUR

Awarded to

M. Saraga Rao
of grade
VI-B dated **08-01-2021**

Principal

JAIN HERITAGE STAR CHILD - of the -WEEK **SCHOOLS**
KONDAPUR

Awarded to

K. Sai Anuritha
of grade
VII-A dated **8-01-2021**

Principal

JAIN HERITAGE STAR CHILD - of the -WEEK **SCHOOLS**
KONDAPUR

Awarded to

Deva Bindhujya Reddy
of grade
VII-B dated **08.01.2021**

Principal

JAIN HERITAGE STAR CHILD - of the -WEEK **SCHOOLS**
KONDAPUR

Awarded to

Shiva A
of grade
VIII-A dated **08.01.2021**

Principal

JAIN HERITAGE STAR CHILD - of the -WEEK **SCHOOLS**
KONDAPUR

Awarded to

Khalifath Villa Khan
of grade
VIII-B dated **8.01.2021**

Principal

JAIN HERITAGE STAR CHILD - of the -WEEK **SCHOOLS**
KONDAPUR

Awarded to

L. Mahaveer Reddy
of grade
IX-A dated **8.01.2021**

Principal

JAIN HERITAGE STAR CHILD - of the -WEEK **SCHOOLS**
KONDAPUR

Awarded to

Sury Kumar Jincy Agraharam
of grade
IX-B dated **08.01.2021**

Principal

JAIN HERITAGE STAR CHILD - of the -WEEK **SCHOOLS**
KONDAPUR

Awarded to

Akhya Chirumamila
of grade
X-A dated **08.01.2021**

Principal

JAIN HERITAGE STAR CHILD - of the -WEEK **SCHOOLS**
KONDAPUR

Awarded to

Ratna Veerhan Manne
of grade
X dated **08.01.2021**

Principal

Star Child of the Week (11-01-2021 to 22-01-2021)



JAIN HERITAGE STAR CHILD - of the -WEEK **SCHOOLS**
KONDAPUR

Awarded to

Vihaan Gummadi
of grade
I-A dated **22.01.2020**

Principal

JAIN HERITAGE STAR CHILD - of the -WEEK **SCHOOLS**
KONDAPUR

Awarded to

Chiranjay Anand
of grade
I-B dated **22.01.2020**

Principal

JAIN HERITAGE STAR CHILD - of the -WEEK **SCHOOLS**
KONDAPUR

Awarded to

Angari Avani
of grade
II-A dated **22.01.2020**

Principal

JAIN HERITAGE STAR CHILD - of the -WEEK **SCHOOLS**
KONDAPUR

Awarded to

Vadhi Anasuya Reddy
of grade
II-B dated **22.01.2020**

Principal

JAIN HERITAGE STAR CHILD - of the -WEEK **SCHOOLS**
KONDAPUR

Awarded to

Reyansh Shetty
of grade
III-A dated **22.01.2020**

Principal

JAIN HERITAGE STAR CHILD - of the -WEEK **SCHOOLS**
KONDAPUR

Awarded to

Nimith Richard
of grade
III-B dated **22.01.2020**

Principal

JAIN HERITAGE STAR CHILD - of the -WEEK **SCHOOLS**
KONDAPUR

Awarded to

K.Shreyas Bharadwaj
of grade
IV-A dated **22.01.2020**

Principal

JAIN HERITAGE STAR CHILD - of the -WEEK **SCHOOLS**
KONDAPUR

Awarded to

Ananya Shrivastava
of grade
IV-B dated **22.01.2020**

Principal

JAIN HERITAGE STAR CHILD - of the -WEEK **SCHOOLS**
KONDAPUR

Awarded to

Aarushi Adya P
of grade
V-A dated **22.01.2020**

Principal

JAIN HERITAGE STAR CHILD - of the -WEEK **SCHOOLS**
KONDAPUR

Awarded to

Pratyush Choudhary
of grade
V-B dated **22.01.2020**

Principal

JAIN HERITAGE STAR CHILD - of the -WEEK **SCHOOLS**
KONDAPUR

Awarded to

Jaanvi A
of grade
VI-A dated **22.01.2020**

Principal

JAIN HERITAGE STAR CHILD - of the -WEEK **SCHOOLS**
KONDAPUR

Awarded to

Rakshi Khanna
of grade
VI-B dated **22.01.2021**

Principal

JAIN HERITAGE STAR CHILD - of the -WEEK **SCHOOLS**
KONDAPUR

Awarded to

Dusky Sai Rajitha
of grade
VII-C dated **22.01.2021**

Principal

JAIN HERITAGE STAR CHILD - of the -WEEK **SCHOOLS**
KONDAPUR

Awarded to

Starik Singh Bajwa
of grade
VIII-A dated **22.01.2021**

Principal

JAIN HERITAGE STAR CHILD - of the -WEEK **SCHOOLS**
KONDAPUR

Awarded to

Keshika Khandooi
of grade
VIII-B dated **22.01.2021**

Principal

JAIN HERITAGE STAR CHILD - of the -WEEK **SCHOOLS**
KONDAPUR

Awarded to

Samanvya Gautham
of grade
VIII-C dated **22.01.2021**

Principal

JAIN HERITAGE STAR CHILD - of the -WEEK **SCHOOLS**
KONDAPUR

Awarded to

Ashritha Juvarej
of grade
IX-AB dated **22.01.2021**

Principal

JAIN HERITAGE STAR CHILD - of the -WEEK **SCHOOLS**
KONDAPUR

Awarded to

Vanshika Vithika
of grade
IX-A dated **22.01.2021**

Principal

JAIN HERITAGE STAR CHILD - of the -WEEK **SCHOOLS**
KONDAPUR

Awarded to

Praddy Jatin Reddy
of grade
IX-B dated **22.01.2021**

Principal

JAIN HERITAGE STAR CHILD - of the -WEEK **SCHOOLS**
KONDAPUR

Awarded to

Vedant Barana
of grade
X dated **22.01.2021**

Principal

Creativity Column

Education in the Age of COVID-19



Anunidhi Sharma

Faculty, Jain Heritage A Cambridge School, Kondapur

She has 11 plus years of experience in the field of education. In her current role she has grown from being an educator and an individual contributor to Times of India NIE Coordinator. She received IIHM Teachers day Award for 2019.

The year 2020 is the year when the teachers evolved and a new version of them came into being – "GURU 2.0". It is the year when a new way of education became mainstream.

Digital platforms of education have existed for some time but their reach especially in India remains a big question mark.

The pandemic threw life in general and the functioning of schools into a turmoil. School premises had to stay closed since the lockdown was first announced. School is a temple where the students interact with each other, where the moral values are inculcated, where the students develop social skills, develop communication skills, and the spirit of teamwork is developed. Students develop their personality and their character under the guidance and supervision of teachers, which leads to the holistic development of students. This temple is closed and the whole world is eagerly, anxiously waiting for it to reopen. Do students miss the temple? Do students feel the absence of personal touch of their teachers? Does our society miss the immeasurable contribution of teachers towards the students? The young students are bored of studying at home all the time. The parents are exhausted from meeting their children's demands. In the past, many parents were not clear about the critical role played by a teacher but this pandemic and isolation of the family at home has taught them the unmatched role played by a guru in their ward's life.

There is only one profession that shapes all other professions i.e., the teaching profession. Covid has not turned the life of a teacher on its head. Teach from home was deemed far fetched and impossible but Teachers have learned a lot during the pandemic and evolved into their next version – GURU 2.0. They have become tech-savvy and spent hours learning the digital means of imparting education. This was done with the primary objective of continuing the education of children who would otherwise miss an entire year of their studies. They equipped themselves with the latest technology, learned skills like making presentations, scheduling meetings, maintain excel sheets for results, correcting the answer sheets on the platforms like Google forms, sending feedback for each answer sheet received. And even troubleshooting the hurdles faced by the parent and students in attending the classes. Working with a microphone, laptop, and the mouse was once the work of only computer teacher, but now even the language teachers use it.

SCHOOL IS COOL

MONDAY, JANUARY 25, 2021



Anunidhi Sharma, NIE Coordinator, Jain Heritage A Cambridge School, Kondapur

A captivating annual fete

Jain Heritage A Cambridge School celebrated its 12th Virtual Annual Day with great zeal and enthusiasm. This year the theme for Annual Day was Beyond 2020 which was presented exuberantly with spectacular performances by the students.

The programme commenced with the formal function. Principal Mona Mehdi extended a warm welcome to all and read out the annual report of the school. Academic director K Lakshmi Rao enlightened the audi-

ence by delivering a captivating and informative speech. This was followed by an inspiring speech by CEO Chandrashekhar DP who enthused the audience with his words of wisdom.

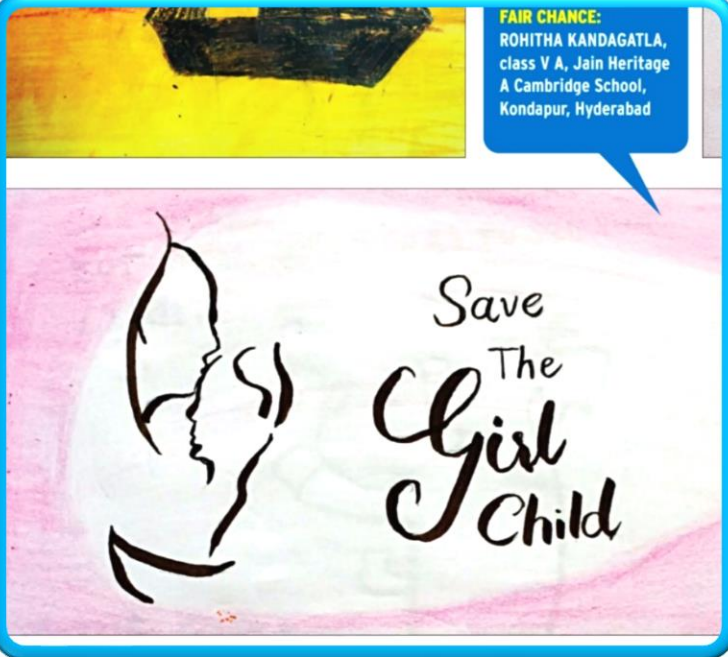
Academic Excellence Awards and Outstanding Student Awards were also virtually presented. The chief guest for the day was Vishal Roychand, an eminent personality and a man of wisdom whose inspiring words motivated everyone on how we can keep our hopes alive during these challenging times.

The programme was followed by spectacular performances in the form of a recording comprising skits

and dances by students. The programme was centered around the current education scenario where digital education using gadgets has become the new normal. Every student requires a gadget to connect with the teachers using virtual platforms to join classes. This required learning new means of communication, technology, and new learning material which were disseminated via electronic means like email or hosted on websites.

The performances delivered a positive message to the audience. The programme concluded with the vote of thanks given by head girl Aarohi.

FAIR CHANCE:
ROHITHA KANDAGATLA,
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SERENITY: SAI NIYATHI
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Creativity Column



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Satwik - X



Poshika- VII



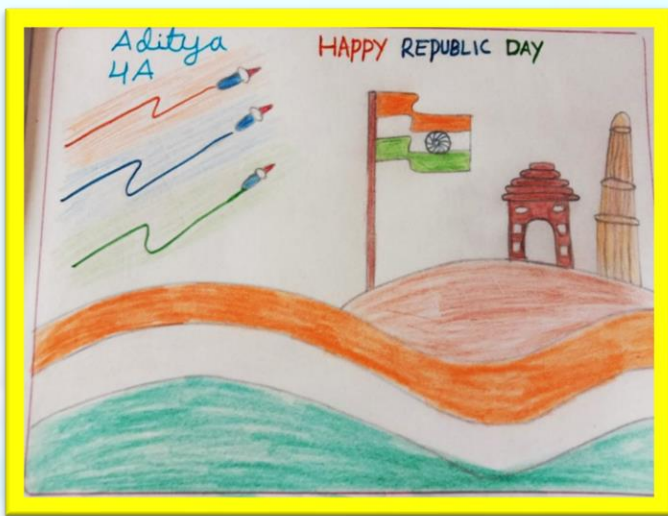
Utkash- II



G. Sritej- III



Ayaan- II



Aditya- IV



Manusree- IX



Your Birthday always comes as we start another year. January is your month; you are born in the middle of the winter when nature was asleep. You are highly attentive, seldom shows emotions, sensitive, down to earth, caring and full of life.



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