



WELCOME TO DIRECTOR'S

Weekly Newsletter

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Joy Of Learning



DEAR INFLUENCER,

The **highlight of the week** has to be the **Joy of Learning in PYP**, a culminating event after learning a unit where students reflect on their **learning experiences** with as much joy as they had while having them.

It is a wonderful way to empower the young children to be the agents of their learning, enhancing their **communication and presentation skills** in the process.

Grade 1

KINDNESS AND CARING

Our recent JOL for the theme "**Who We Are**" centered on Kindness and Caring and was beautifully brought to life by the kids. They confidently performed **songs in Spanish, Tamil, and English**, showcasing their language skills and enthusiasm.



Beyond their impressive performances, the children engaged in a **fireless cooking** session, embodying the theme by showing love and care for their parents.



It was heartwarming to witness their **creativity and dedication**, and the parents thoroughly enjoyed participating in the experience. This event truly highlighted our young learners' growth and their **deep commitment to kindness**.

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Grade 2



The students gave an excellent performance of the Hindi song "**Hum Honge Kamyab**" and recited the "**Aathichudi**" poem in Tamil, highlighting important life principles and discipline.

They also sang a learner profile song they had learned during the **Unit of Inquiry**. The students enthusiastically shared their learning through journals and various IB attribute stations, eagerly **explaining their progress to their parents**. The parents were thrilled with their children's confidence and work, feeling immensely proud of their little ones.

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Grade 3

The PYP-3 Joy of Learning showcase was a testament to the students' **six weeks of consistent hard work and determination**. Through an engaging skit, they demonstrated their understanding of the inquiry cycle, seamlessly integrating various topics.

With confidence, they shared their learning journey, highlighting the significance of balance in life for optimal health and well-being, as explored in the **unit 'Who We Are'**.

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They enthusiastically discussed **how nurturing a healthy body, mind, and relationships can lead to a fulfilling life**. Additionally, they enjoyed creating mindful jars, a tool that helps cultivate calmness, focus, and concentration.

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Grade 4

The PYP 4 students took center stage during our Joy of Learning (JOL) event, showcasing their **creativity, collaboration, and deep engagement with their Unit of Inquiry (UOI)**.

Learners captivated their parents with a lively **comic drama**, fully crafted by the learners. They **wrote their own** dialogues, created props, and delivered a performance that showcased their creativity and deep understanding of the **theme: Who We Are**.

Adding to the celebration, they **sang songs** in the languages French, Spanish and Hindi of their choice, reflecting cultural diversity. The event was a joyful display of their passion, leaving the audience inspired and delighted.



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Grade 5



The Grade 5 learners embarked on their Journey of Learning (JOL) centered on the theme "Who We Are," where they explored and made connections with Sustainable Development Goal (SDG) 3: **Good Health and Well-Being**.

The event commenced with a **yoga session for parents**, setting a positive tone for holistic well-being. The students then showcased their learning journey through a **French skit and performances in Spanish, Hindi, and Tamil songs**.

To further engage their families in the learning process, the learners **collaborated with their parents** to set short-term goals, which will be reviewed at the end of the term.



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Onam Celebration

POOKOLAM

The festival of Onam was celebrated with the **traditional Pookalam competition for parents** and the school foyer was filled with exquisite floral designs made from colorful flowers. I thank the parents for their **enthusiastic participation**.



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Sports Day

PREPARATION

The **preparations for the PYP Sports Day**, to be held on **September 20**, are in full swing and the children and teachers are working together to make it a great experience for everyone.

The invitation for the Sports Day will be sent soon.



Mid-Term Examinations

DP STUDENTS

The Mid-Term Examinations for the DP students have started this week and some of the students have also started their **University Application Process through the online platform BridgeU.**

Coming UP...

EXPERT SESSION

There will be an **expert session for parents and students** from grades 10 to 12 about the University Application and Admission Process by **Mr. Rishi** from Test Rocker, Singapore **on Saturday, September 21 at 11:30 am.**

This session will cover all the details about how to start planning for college education, difference between International and National college applications, standardized test prep strategy for SAT/ACT/AP/UCAT, building a strong academic and college centric profile, application Essays / Personal Statement, LORs and SOPs, Scholarship and Financial Aid and timeline of end to end application.

I strongly recommend all the parents and students of grades 10 to 12 to make use of this opportunity.

As I conclude my newsletter I wish you and your family a

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Happy weekend!!!