



# Primary Section Second Quarterly Newsletter

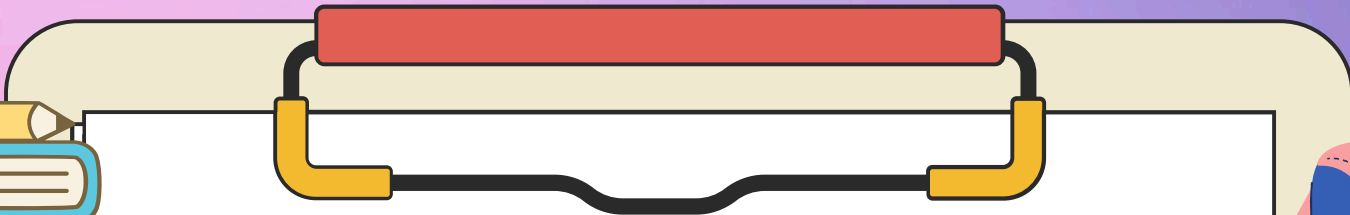



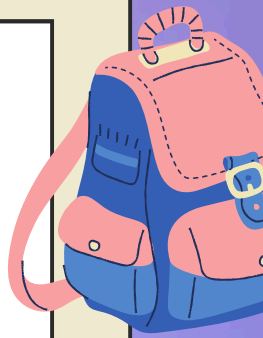

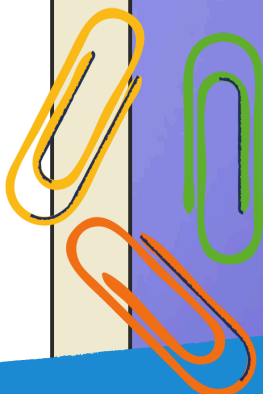


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# Accolades

## *National School Award* *Exceptional contribution in Sports, 2024 in West Bengal* *Best Day Boarding School, 2024 in West Bengal*





# Accolades

## *Times School Survey Award*

*Rank 1 in Howrah District and Rank 5 in West Bengal*



**TIMES SCHOOL SURVEY**  
**WEST BENGAL - 2024**  
**TOP SCHOOL ~ RANK 5**  
**ASIAN INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL**





# Accolades

## Times School Survey Award Rank 1 in Howrah District and Rank 5 in West Bengal



Sivan Sanghera and Nishi Sharma receive award from Md Kaif and Koel Mallick

Asian International School (AIS) is a CBSE-affiliated, co-educational, English-medium institution spread across a serene 10-acre green campus. The school, equipped with over 100,000 square feet of modern facilities, provides an ideal environment for learning, offering students numerous opportunities to explore their talents. The expansive playgrounds, green spaces, airy classrooms, and peaceful atmosphere all contribute to a conducive learning environment where young minds are encouraged to realize their potential in harmony with nature.

At AIS, we believe that every child is special and possesses a unique talent waiting to be nurtured. Our approach is centered around helping parents identify and foster these gifts, allowing students to explore their interests and evolve into bright, confident individuals. We encourage each child to discover their world, transforming dreams into reality. Students at AIS learn to work with emotions, nurture an inner life, appreciate the beauty of ideas, ask thought-provoking questions, and ultimately become original thinkers.

Since its foundation in 2012, AIS has emerged as a leader in progressive education, particularly in the Howrah region, with a strong emphasis on environmental consciousness and sustainability. The school's efforts in promoting sustainability go beyond the physical boundaries of the campus, with initiatives that engage the wider community. AIS helps parents to identify, encourage and give wings to this specific gift of their child. Every child is allowed to explore, discover and experience his/her own world. We encourage them to transform their dreams to reality and metamorphose them into bright individuals. Children learn to work with emotions and moods, to nurture an inner life, to love the world of ideas, to ask questions, and to be original thinkers.

From the very beginning, the school has been dedicated to fostering a love for learning, encouraging critical thinking, and promoting values such as integrity, respect, and responsibility. Our curriculum

and co-curricular activities are carefully crafted to nurture well-rounded individuals who possess the skills, knowledge, and confidence to succeed in an increasingly complex and ever-changing world.

Over the years, AIS has grown from a small school with a handful of students to a flourishing educational institution with a diverse student body. This growth has been marked by numerous milestones and achievements, each reflecting the school's commitment towards excellence and innovation in education. At the heart of AIS's success is its dedicated team of highly experienced teachers, academicians, and administrators. These professionals are regarded as pillars of the institution, ensuring that the quality of education is never compromised.

AIS follows the 360° Model, an approach to education that ensures all stakeholders, including parents, students, teachers, and administrators, work collaboratively towards one common mission: "EDUCATION FOR LIFE." This focuses on the holistic development of each student, incorporating relevant psychological, intellectual, emotional, and moral values. By recognizing and nurturing each child's natural abilities, the school helps students develop into individuals who can confidently face life's challenges and reach their maximum potential in their future life.

The Board Examination Results

for the academic session 2023-24, were very impressive. Our AISians proved their mettle by showcasing an outstanding result. This has been possible with the continuous and combined support of the School, Teachers and Parents.

Facilities: The school is furnished with well-equipped laboratories that supports advanced learning in various scientific experiments. These labs, equipped with the latest technologies, which offer students hands-on experience through individual and group projects, bridging the gap between theory and practice. These labs provide a safe environment for scientific exploration, that prepares our students for higher education and future careers. Our campus houses a colossal auditorium with a capacity of over 1,500 seats, providing a versatile space for assemblies, performances, and other events. This auditorium is equipped with advanced audio-visual systems, flawless acoustics and comfortable seating, making it an ideal venue for a wide range of activities.

Asian International School offers spacious sports facilities, both indoor and outdoor, to promote physical fitness and to provide a wide range of activities for students from Nursery to Grade XII. The campus includes a mini football ground for younger students, and a full-sized basketball court and full-sized ground for

competitive play. Furthermore, the school provides indoor sports facilities, including table tennis areas and a racket court for badminton, ensuring students can remain active and develop skills in all weather conditions. The campus also includes a swimming pool for the students, allowing them to develop swimming skills in a safe environment. The thoughtfully designed campus of AIS represents the school's commitment to creating an ideal setting for a joyful learning environment and excellent student performance.

Asian International School is proud to highlight the achievements and recognitions that showcase our commitment to accomplish in education, sports, and social responsibility. Our school has numerous awards and accolades to its credit over the past 12 years, a testament to the rich legacy it continues to build and uphold.

Alumni Connect: Our school plays an important role in representing the views of our alumni, contributing to building an engaged, supportive alumni community that reflects the values of a world-class educational institution with Indian ethos. We give our Alumni a platform to come together, meet and share experiences which otherwise would have been difficult in their busy schedule. Our Alumni have gone on to secure distinguished positions across renowned institutions, colleges, and both national and international universities, adding to the school's rich heritage.

Asian International School stands as a model of excellence in education, combining a precise academic curriculum with a strong focus on environmental sustainability, student's development and holistic growth. As the school continues to develop, the mission remains the same, "EDUCATION FOR LIFE", that emphasizes experiential learning, spiritual development, and practical skill for living such as concentration, self-discipline, and compassion. Education for Life emphasizes learning that will last a lifetime because we at AIS believe that education is the only aspect in life which cannot be taken away from an individual.





# Accolades

## *The Telegraph School Award*

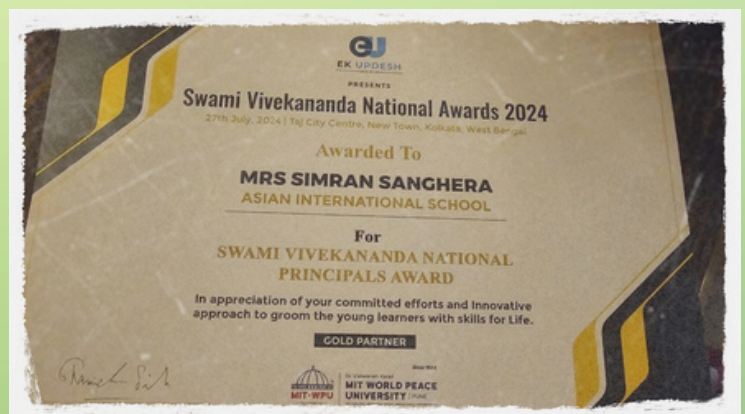
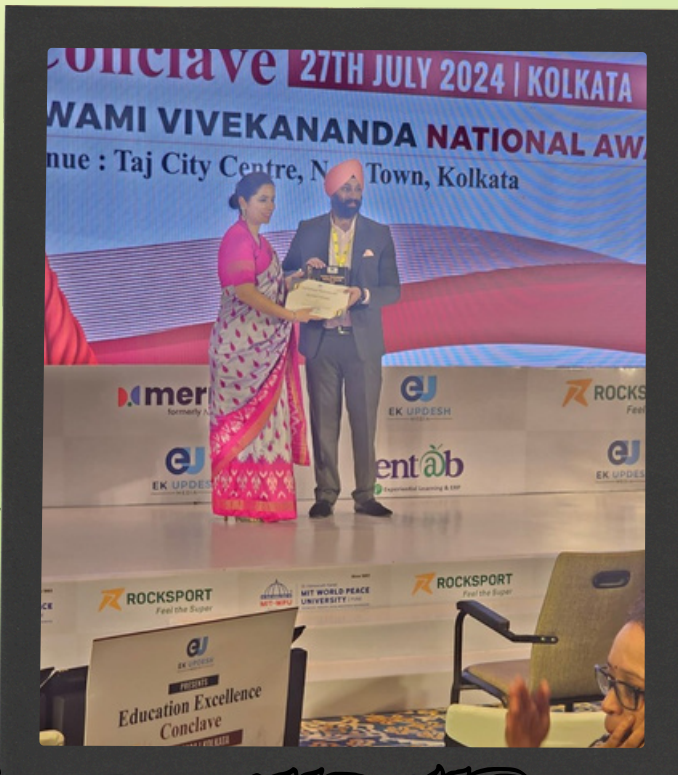
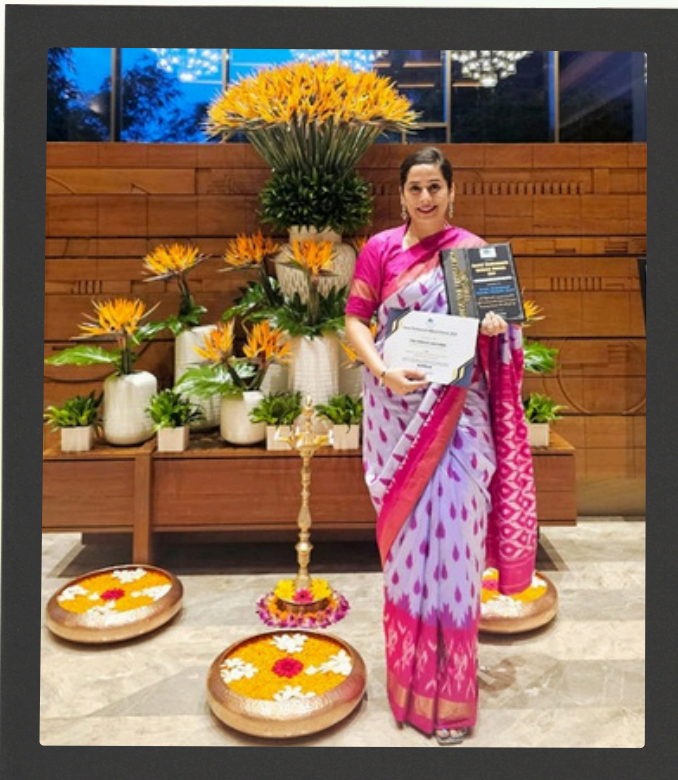
*Honour certificate for Excellence in Extra Curricular Activities*  
*Merit certificate for Excellence in Maintenance and Eco-Friendly Initiatives*  
*Honour certificate for Social Service*





# Accolades

*Swami Vivekananda National  
Principals Awards 2024  
Mrs. Simran Sanghera*







# Accolades

## *I.I.H.M Best Teacher Award*

Mr. Aranya Nag, a dedicated faculty member at Asian International School was honored with the prestigious Best Teacher Award by the Indian Institute of Hotel Management (I.I.H.M).

This esteemed recognition acknowledges Aranya Nag's exceptional teaching skills, innovative methods, and significant contributions to the educational field.

His commitment to mentoring and guiding students has inspired outstanding academic achievements and fostered a passion for excellence in education. This accolade reinforces his reputation for academic excellence and faculty distinction.





# From The Principal's Desk



**“As we embrace the joy and togetherness of the festive season, let us not forget that it is also a time to balance celebration with dedication. While the festivities uplift our spirits, assessments serve to shape our future. Let this season be a reminder to cherish both—celebrating with loved ones and continuing to strive for excellence in our academic journey. The true essence of success lies in our ability to find harmony between enjoyment and responsibility.”**

**Warm wishes**

**Mrs. Simran Sanghera  
Principal**



# From The Headmistress's Desk



## Navigating the Learning Journey: The Importance of Assessments

Dear Parents,

As we continue through this academic year, I want to highlight the essential role of assessments in our children's learning journeys. These assessments are not merely tests; they are valuable tools for gauging student progress. They reveal mastered concepts and pinpoint areas needing attention, enhancing the learning experience and helping students thrive.

Much like a GPS navigates you to a destination, assessments clarify where your child stands academically. They indicate subjects mastered and areas requiring more focus, allowing students to target specific improvements and boost their confidence.

**Handling Assessments: A Growth Mind-set Approach** I encourage both students and parents to view assessments as valuable learning opportunities. Embracing a growth mind-set allows students to see assessments as chances to refine their skills, maintaining an optimistic and motivated outlook throughout their educational journey.

**What to Do After Assessments?**

Following an assessment, parental support is key to a child's growth. We have a robust support system to ensure your child's progress. Parents can establish a consistent study routine that addresses identified areas for improvement. Engaging in discussions about assessment feedback fosters a collaborative learning environment, enabling students to understand their strengths and weaknesses better. Additionally, providing resources—such as books, online tools, or tutoring—tailored to specific needs can significantly aid in their progress. Positive reinforcement helps build confidence and motivation while creating a calm, stress-free environment that ensures students are prepared and focused.

**The Path Forward:**

**Making Learning a Collaborative Adventure** Improvement is a team effort. With the combined support of parents and educators, assessments transform into a roadmap for growth. Together, we can focus on reinforcing areas that need attention, celebrate achievements, and utilize feedback to foster continuous improvement. By embracing assessments as tools for growth and using the results to guide future learning, our students can approach their studies with renewed confidence and enthusiasm.

Thank you for your ongoing support in your child's educational journey.

**Mrs. Bipasha Biswas**  
Headmistress



# Note from the EDP Co-ordinators



**Mr. Arnaya Nag**  
EDP Coordinator

As the Examination Coordinator for Nursery to Class V, we are delighted to witness the growth and progress of our young learners. Through regular assessments and evaluations, we have seen our students demonstrate their understanding and skills with increasing confidence. These assessments not only help us track their progress but also identify areas where they need extra support. We are optimistic that these early years of learning will lay a strong foundation for their future success. We wish our students all the best as they continue to explore, learn, and reach new heights. Together, let's nurture their curiosity and foster a love for learning that will stay with them forever.



**Ms. Harsha Bania**  
EDP Coordinator

In line with NEP 2020's principles of Continuous and Comprehensive Evaluation (CCE), Asian International School has tailored exam patterns to assess academic knowledge, skills, and holistic development at each schooling stage. For the Foundational stage, we use informal assessments with continuous observational evaluations to track developmental progress. In the Preparatory stage, we implement project-based assessments to allow students to delve deeply into concepts and apply their knowledge practically. Our curriculum emphasizes experiential learning, integrating hands-on activities and real-world experiences. We also organize 'Bagless Days' to reduce reliance on textbooks and promote creative, interactive learning. By leveraging technology and NEP guidelines, AIS creates an engaging and effective learning environment, committed to nurturing well-rounded individuals who are equipped to thrive as lifelong learners and responsible global citizens.



# Theme Of The Month

*Community  
Helpers*

*UKG - A*



*Patriotic  
Fervour*

*Nursery*



*Grand  
Parents' Day*

*II - B*



*II - A*



*V - B*



*III - A*



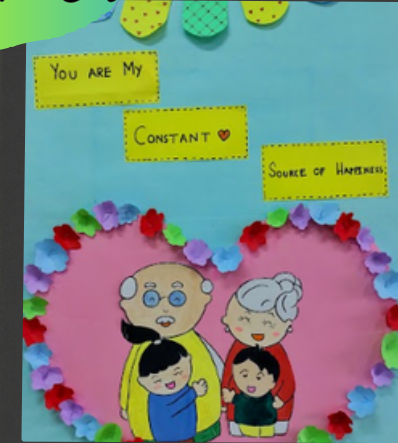
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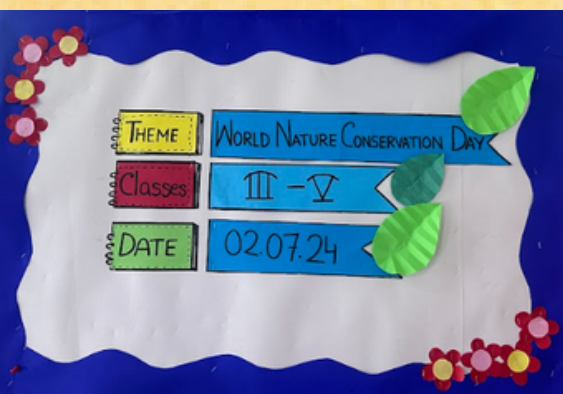




# Special Assembly



## World Nature Conservation Day - Einstein House



Einstein House observed Nature Conservation Day with a thought-provoking assembly, emphasizing the importance of environmental stewardship. Students presented informative skits and speeches on conservation themes. A poignant documentary on climate change and its impact sparked meaningful discussions. The house members showcased innovative recycling techniques and eco-friendly products.







# Special Assembly

## Independence Day Celebration



On 15th August, 2024 we commemorated India's 78th Independence Day with grandeur. The Chief Guest, Mr. Biswajit Mahatao, IPS, DCP South Division Howrah Police hoisted the national flag, amidst patriotic fervor. Students delivered inspiring speeches and performed thought-provoking skits on India's freedom struggle. Patriotic songs and dances filled the air, evoking national pride. Essay writing and drawing competitions on national themes showcased students' creativity. The celebration instilled a sense of responsibility and citizenship among students. The event concluded with a solemn pledge to uphold India's unity and integrity. The school's tribute to the nation's heroes left a lasting impression on all present.

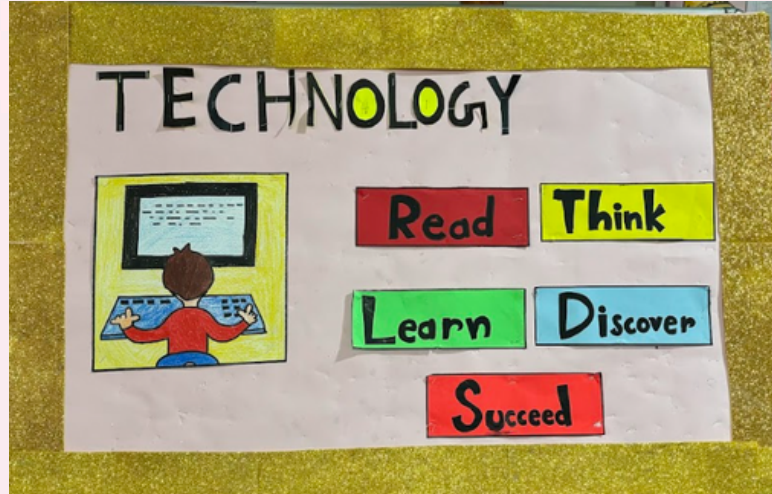
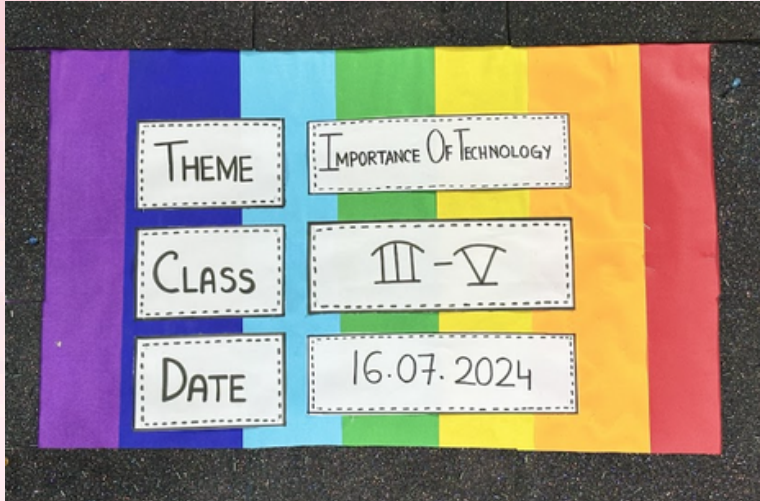




# Theme Based Assembly



## Importance Of Technology





# Theme Based Assembly



## Nelson Mandela Day

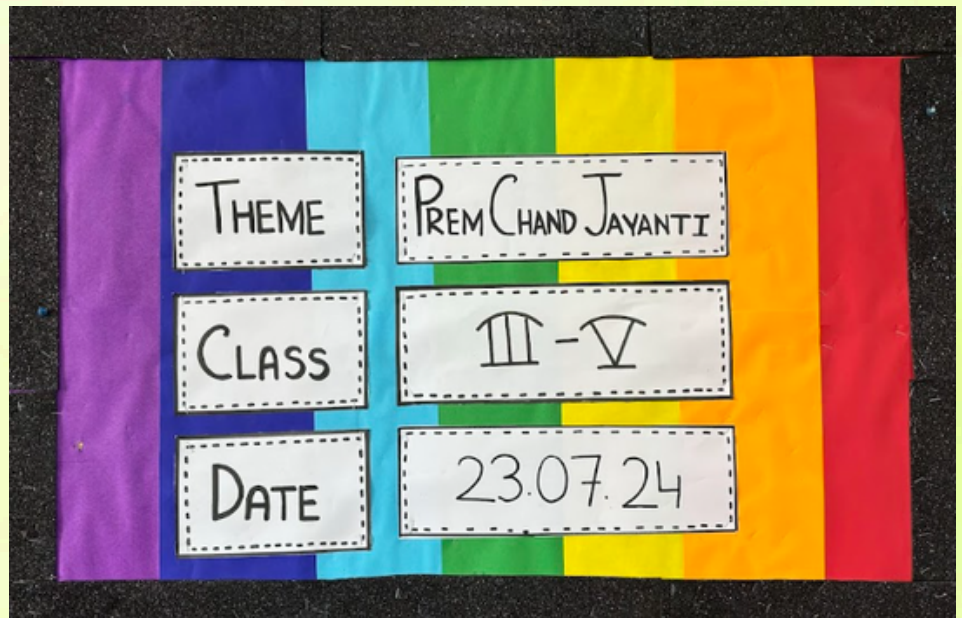




# Theme Based Assembly



## Prem Chand Jayanti

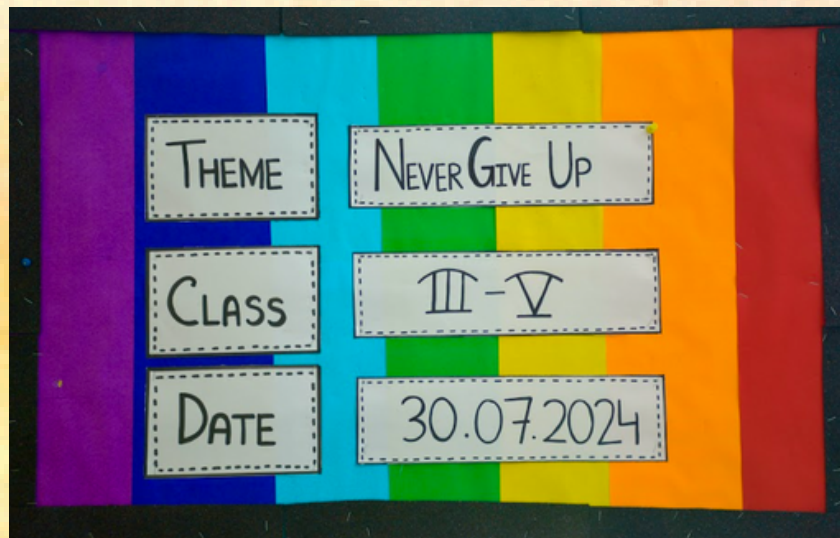




# Theme Based Assembly



*Never Give Up*





# Theme Based Assembly



## Gifts Of Nature

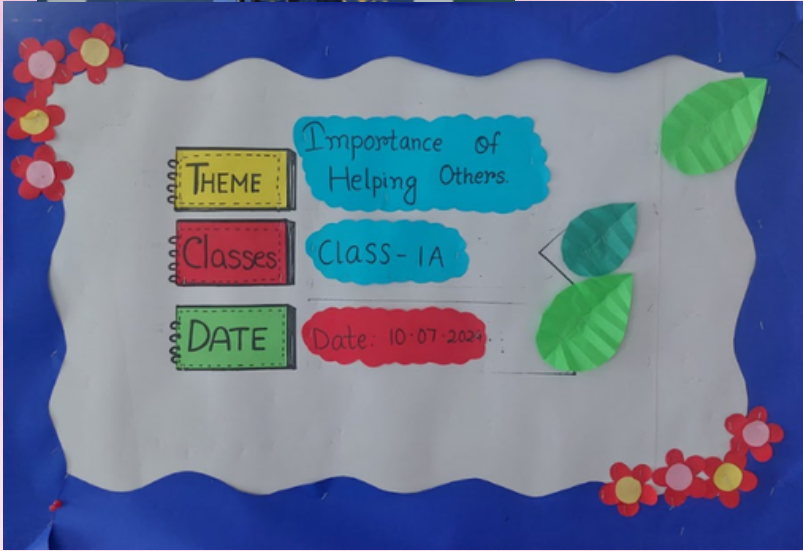




# Theme Based Assembly



## Importance Of Helping Others





# Theme Based Assembly



## Gifts Of Nature







# Theme Based Assembly



## Community Helpers

THEME	COMMUNITY HELPERS
CLASS	NURSERY-II
DATE	31.07.24





# Theme Based Assembly



*My Country*





# Theme Based Assembly



## Our National Symbols

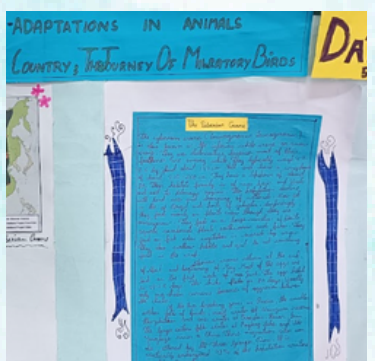
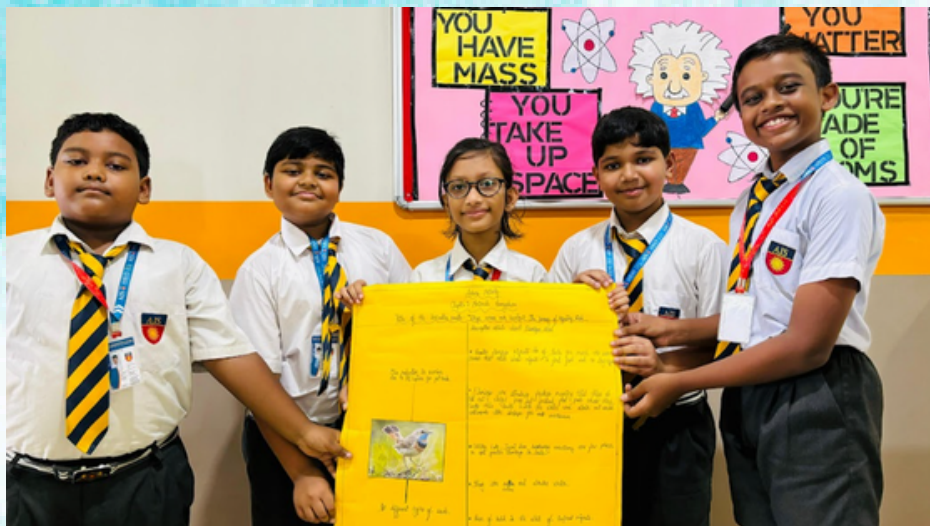




# Scholastic Activities

July

## Science/EVS Scholastic Activity



The science scholastic activities conducted by the primary students have proven to be impactful in nurturing a culture of inquiry and innovation. These initiatives not only enhanced students' understanding of scientific principles but also prepared them for future challenges in an increasingly complex world.

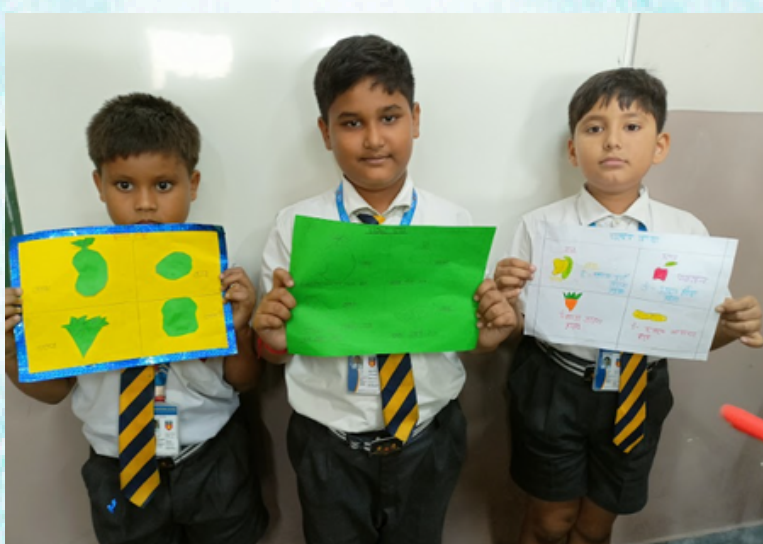
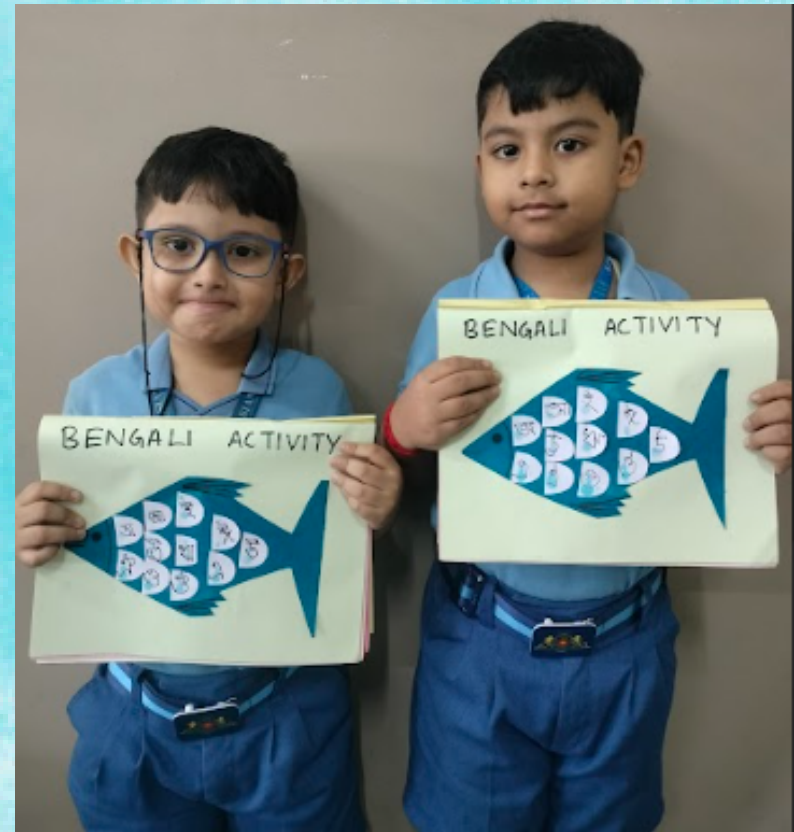




# Scholastic Activities

July

## Second Language Scholastic Activity



Second language scholastic activities were undertaken which focused on enhancing language proficiency, cultural understanding, and communication skills through various engaging activities. It even highlighted the importance of comprehensive language education and the role of student-led initiatives in fostering a vibrant learning environment.





# Scholastic Activities

July

Social Science  
Scholastic Activity



The social science scholastic activities play a vital role in enriching students' educational experiences. In AIS we believe it foster a greater understanding of societal issues and encouraging active participation, these initiatives have prepared students to become informed and engaged citizen





# Scholastic Activities

## July

### English Scholastic Activity



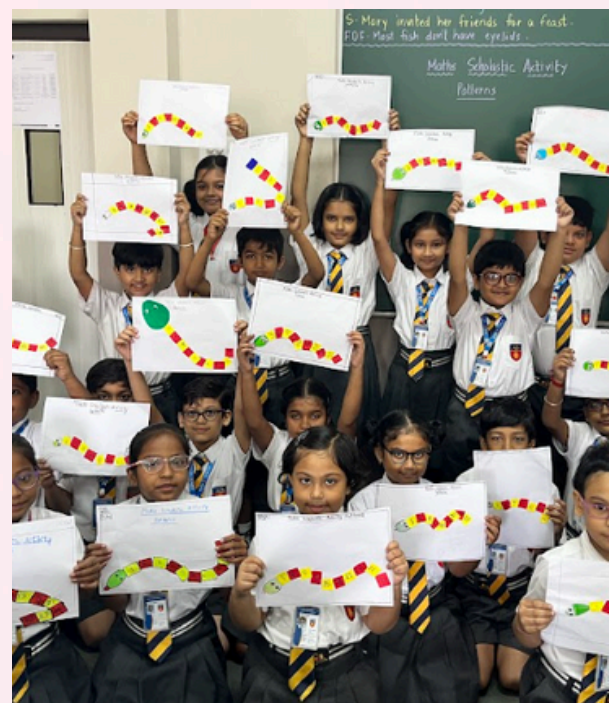
English scholastic activities were conducted which enhanced students' language skills, critical thinking, and appreciation for literature. The activities aimed to stimulate a love for reading and writing while developing effective communication skills.



# Scholastic Activities

August

Mathematics  
Scholastic Activity



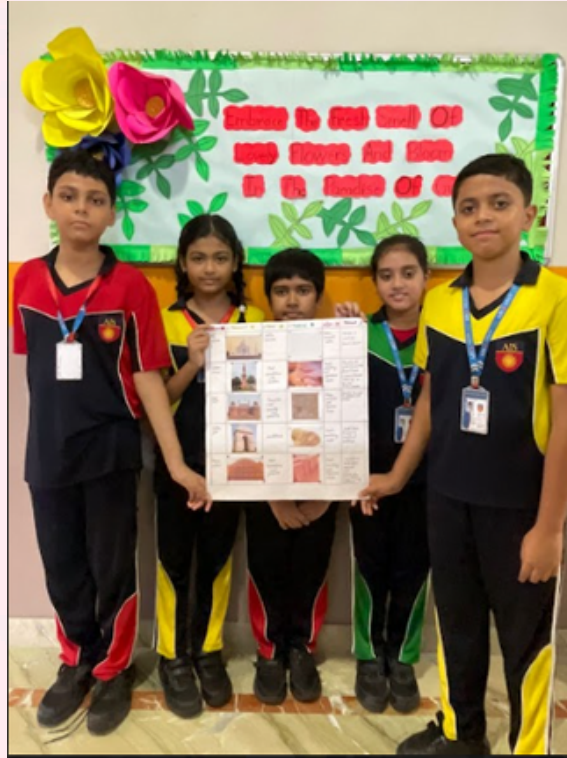
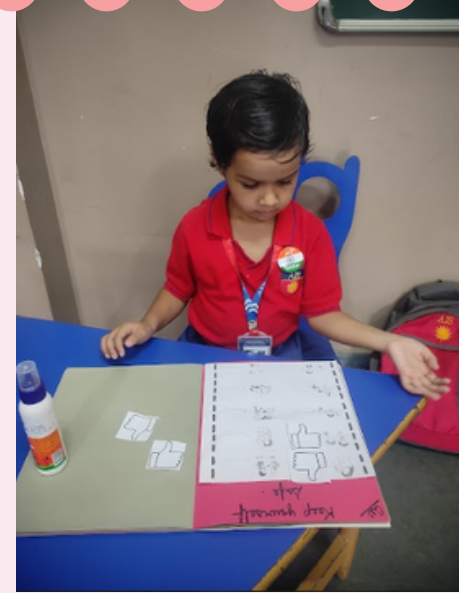
The mathematics scholastic activities successfully engaged students, promoted a love for the subject, and encouraged academic achievement. Moving forward, we aimed to enhance these initiatives by introducing new technologies and expanding our outreach curriculum. It is essential in nurturing our students' mathematical talents.



# Scholastic Activities

*August*

*Science/EVS  
 Scholastic Activity*



**Primary students explored the wonders of science through engaging scholastic activities. Hands-on experiments with magnets, plants, and simple machines sparked curiosity. Students created innovative models and displayed the same as a part of the periodic assessment. The activities enhanced critical thinking and scientific awareness.**





# Scholastic Activities

August

## Second Language Scholastic Activity



The students of the primary wing showcased exceptional linguistic prowess in second language by demonstrating impressive fluency. Engaging language games, quizzes, and puzzles stimulated vocabulary expansion and grammatical precision. Creative writing and reflective journaling activities unlocked students' imaginative expression, fostering confidence in self-expression. Book reviews and captivating storytelling sessions ignited a passion for literature, bridging cultural divides.





## Healthy Tiffin Talks



Healthy Tiffin Talks Contest 2024 was held on Friday, 26th July for students of Nursery to Class IV at Asian International School showcasing the creativity and healthy choice of food of our students—this contest aimed at inspiring Healthier Lunches in School, in association with THE TELEGRAPH YOUNG METRO





## Rakhi Making Activity



As part of the festive celebrations, AIS organized a Rakhi making activity, fostering creativity and sibling bonding among students. This engaging event brought together students from various classes, enthusiastically crafting colorful Rakhis for their brothers. It promoted joy and creativity among students.







## Janmashthami Celebration



The auspicious occasion of Janmashthami, commemorating the birth of Lord Krishna, was celebrated with unwavering enthusiasm and devotion. The school's vibrant atmosphere was transformed into a spiritual haven, as students and teachers came together to honor the divine avatar.

The school's corridors and classrooms were adorned with intricate flower patterns, colorful balloons, and streamers, creating a festive ambiance. The day began with a solemn prayer ceremony, where students recited sacred bhajans and sang soulful devotional songs, invoking Lord Krishna's blessings.

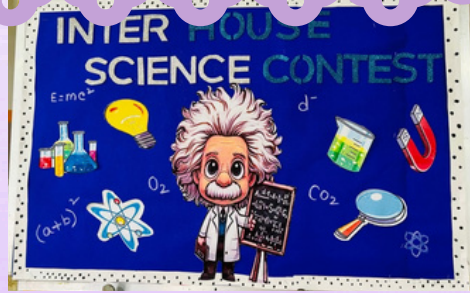
A captivating skit, enacted by students, brought to life the legendary stories of Lord Krishna's birth, childhood, and teachings. Mesmerizing dance performances, including the traditional Raas Leela, showcased the students' talent and devotion. Janmashthami celebration reinforced values of love, compassion, and selflessness, essential for our students' holistic development.







## Inter-House Science Contest



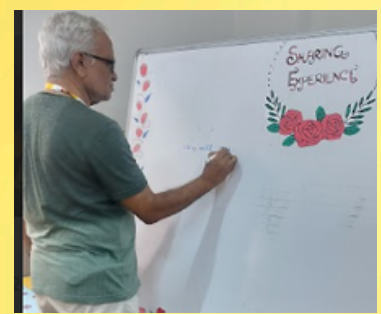
The Inter-House Science Contest was organised to stimulate interest in science and promote healthy competition among students. The event aimed to encourage collaboration, innovation, and a deeper understanding of scientific concepts. The contest was a resounding success, achieving its objectives of promoting scientific knowledge, teamwork, and creativity. The event not only enriched students' understanding of science but also encouraged them to pursue further studies in the field.







## Grand Parents Week Celebration

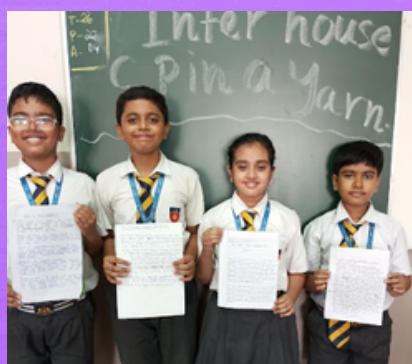
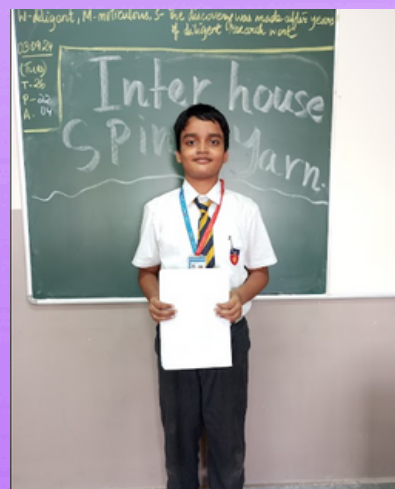
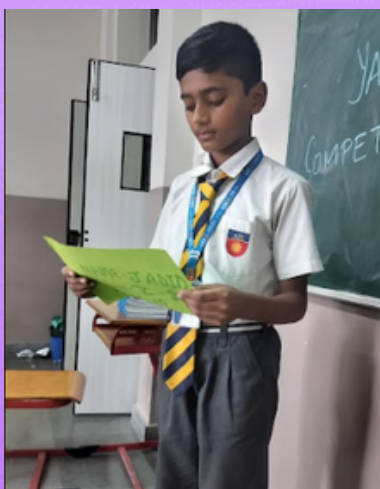
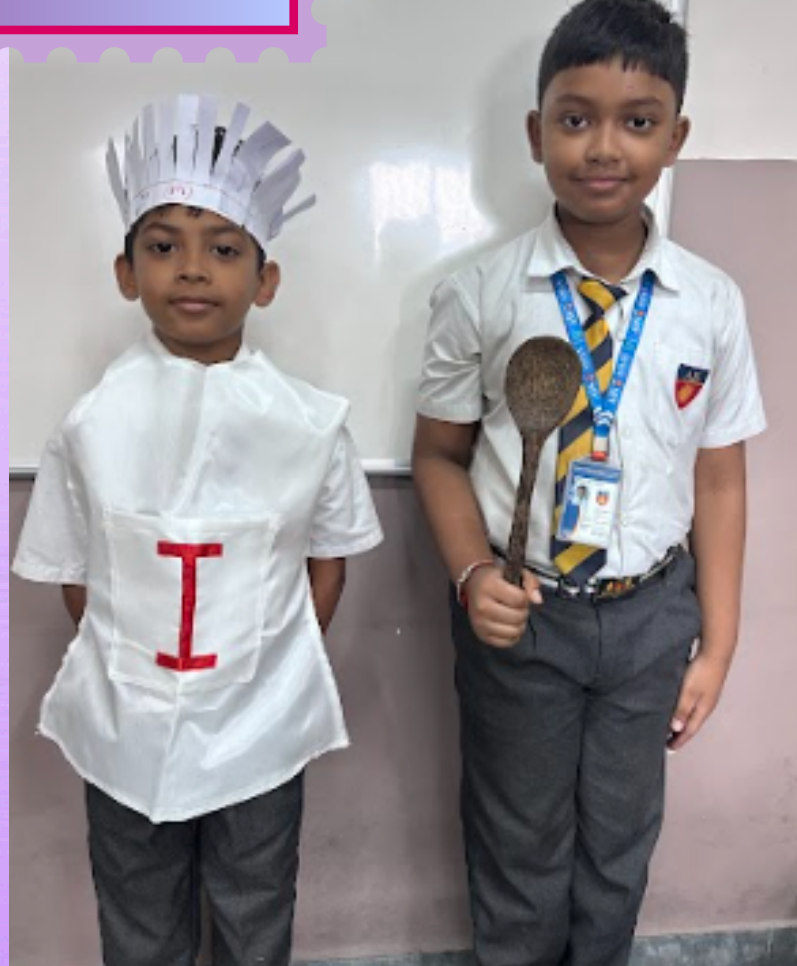


**Grandparents Day was celebrated with great enthusiasm and warmth. The event was a wonderful opportunity for students to express their love and gratitude towards their grandparents.**





## Inter-House Spin-a-yarn Contest



The "Spin a Yarn" activity was organised to enhance students' storytelling skills and creativity. The event aimed to encourage collaboration, imagination, and the love of narrative among students.

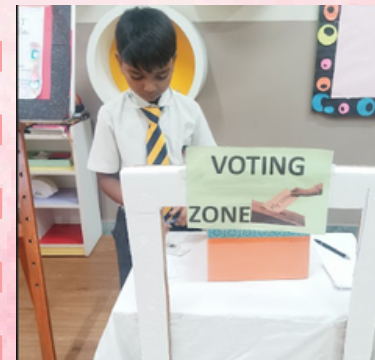




# Learning Beyond classroom



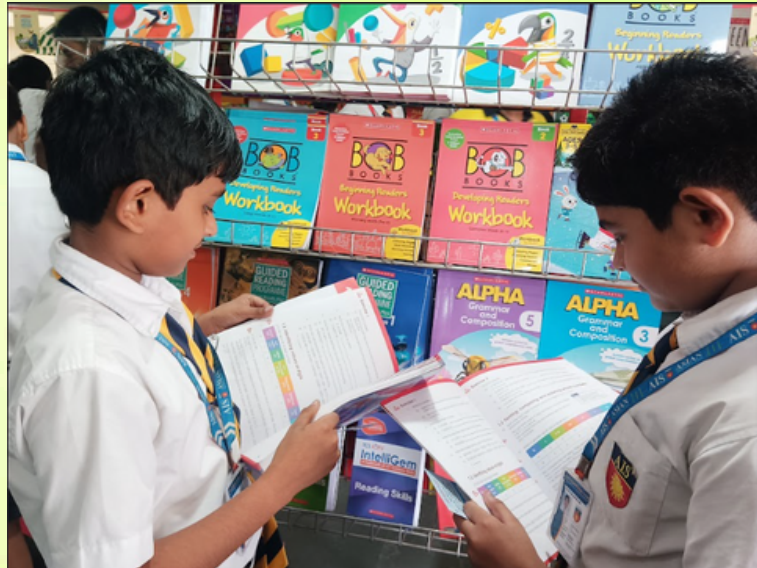
The "Learning Beyond the Classroom" is an endeavour that achieved its objectives of promoting experiential learning and holistic development. Students left the program with enriched knowledge, practical skills, and a deeper understanding of their roles as responsible citizens. In alignment with the National Education Policy (NEP) 2020, the initiative was implemented which aimed to enhance the educational experience by fostering holistic development through experiential learning, critical thinking, and skill acquisition.





# CBSE Based Activity

## Book Fair



Asian International School in partnership with Oxford Publication hosted a captivating book fair, showcasing various titles across genres. Students enthusiastically participated in book reviews, literary quizzes, and creative writing competitions. The book fair ignited a passion for reading, fostering a love for learning among students





# CBSE Based Activity

INDIAN DRESSES

Scholastic Activity  
Class - II-B

*Ek Bharat  
Shresth Bharat*

Scholastic Activity

Role Play on  
Different States  
of India



INDIAN DRESSES

Scholastic Activity  
Class -



INDIAN DRESSES

Scholastic Activity  
Class - III



Role Play on  
Different States



INDIAN DRESSES

Scholastic Activity  
Class - II-B



The "Ek Bharat Shrestha Bharat" program was conducted to advocate national integration and cultural awareness among students. This initiative aims to celebrate the diversity of India and foster a spirit of unity among its citizens.

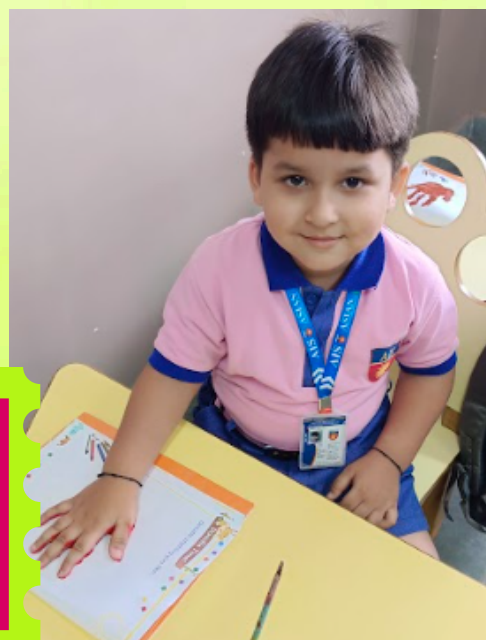
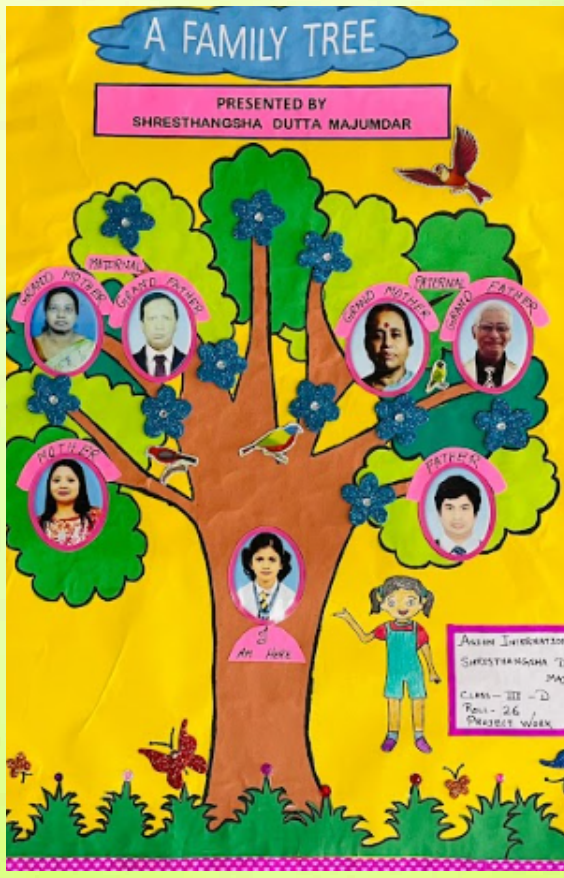
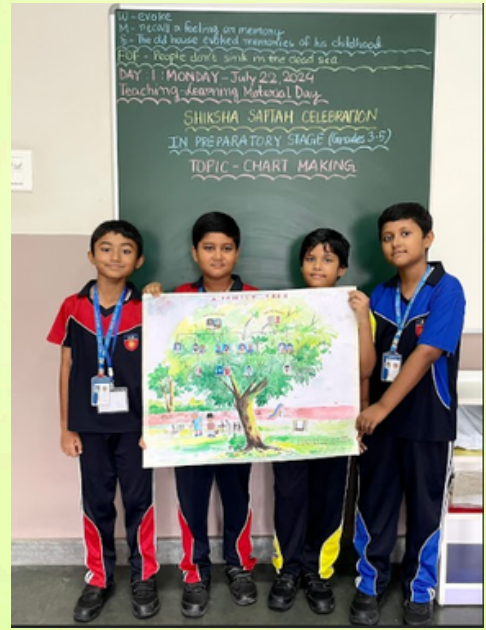




# CBSE Based Activity



## Shiksha Saptah



The Shiksha Saptah, organized by the Central Board of Secondary Education (CBSE), was celebrated to promote educational awareness and enhance the learning experience of students. This week-long initiative focused on various themes related to education, skill development, and holistic growth.



# CBSE Based Activity



## Storytelling Event



The CBSE Storytelling Event was a successful initiative that achieved its objectives of promoting creativity, communication, and literary appreciation among students. The event fostered a greater understanding of the art of storytelling and its importance in education and culture.



# CBSE Based Activity

## Swacchta Pakhwada



The Swachhta Pakhwada was a successful initiative that achieved its objectives of promoting cleanliness and environmental responsibility. The activities not only educated students but also inspired them to be proactive in maintaining a clean environment





# CBSE Based Activity



## Poster Making Competition



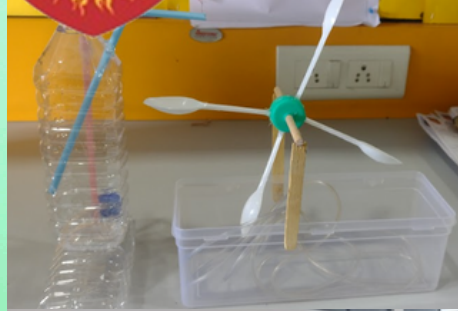
As per CBSE circular the students unleashed their creativity through vibrant poster making, conveying thought-provoking messages on Independence Day. Innovative designs and colorful illustrations highlighted social issues, national values and integrity. Students showcased artistic flair, blending visual elements with informative content. The poster making fostered teamwork, self-expression, and visual communication skills





# ECA Club Activities

## Science Club





# ECA Club Activities



## Yoga Club





# ECA Club Activities



## IT Club





# ECA Club Activities

## Drama Club





# ECA Club Activities

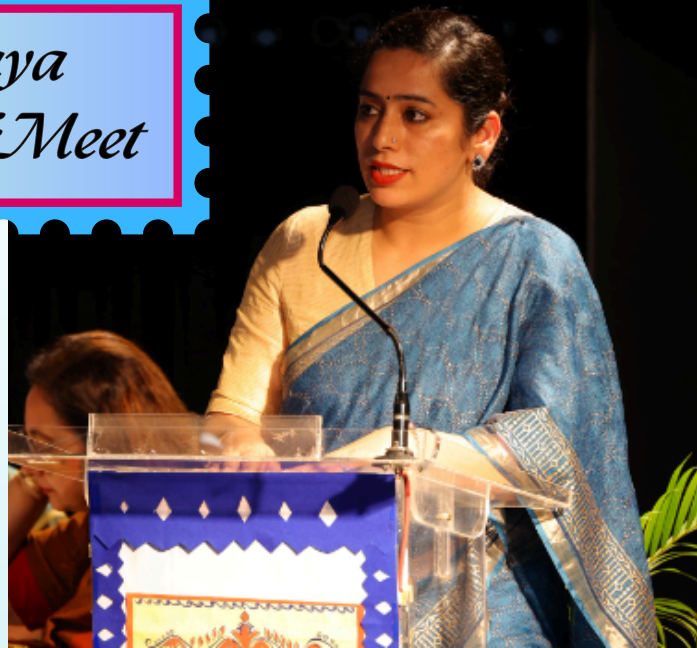


## DIY Club





## Sahodaya Principals Meet



The Sahodaya Principal's Meet , Kolkata, was a prestigious gathering of educational leaders from various institutions, designed to foster collaboration, share best practices, and address contemporary challenges in the educational sector. The event saw the presence of esteemed principals and educationists who engaged in thought-provoking discussions on innovative teaching methodologies, leadership in education, and the evolving role of schools in shaping future generations. It was a platform that encouraged dynamic exchange of ideas, reaffirming the commitment to holistic education and academic excellence. The meet concluded with a collective vision for empowering students through progressive and inclusive education policies.

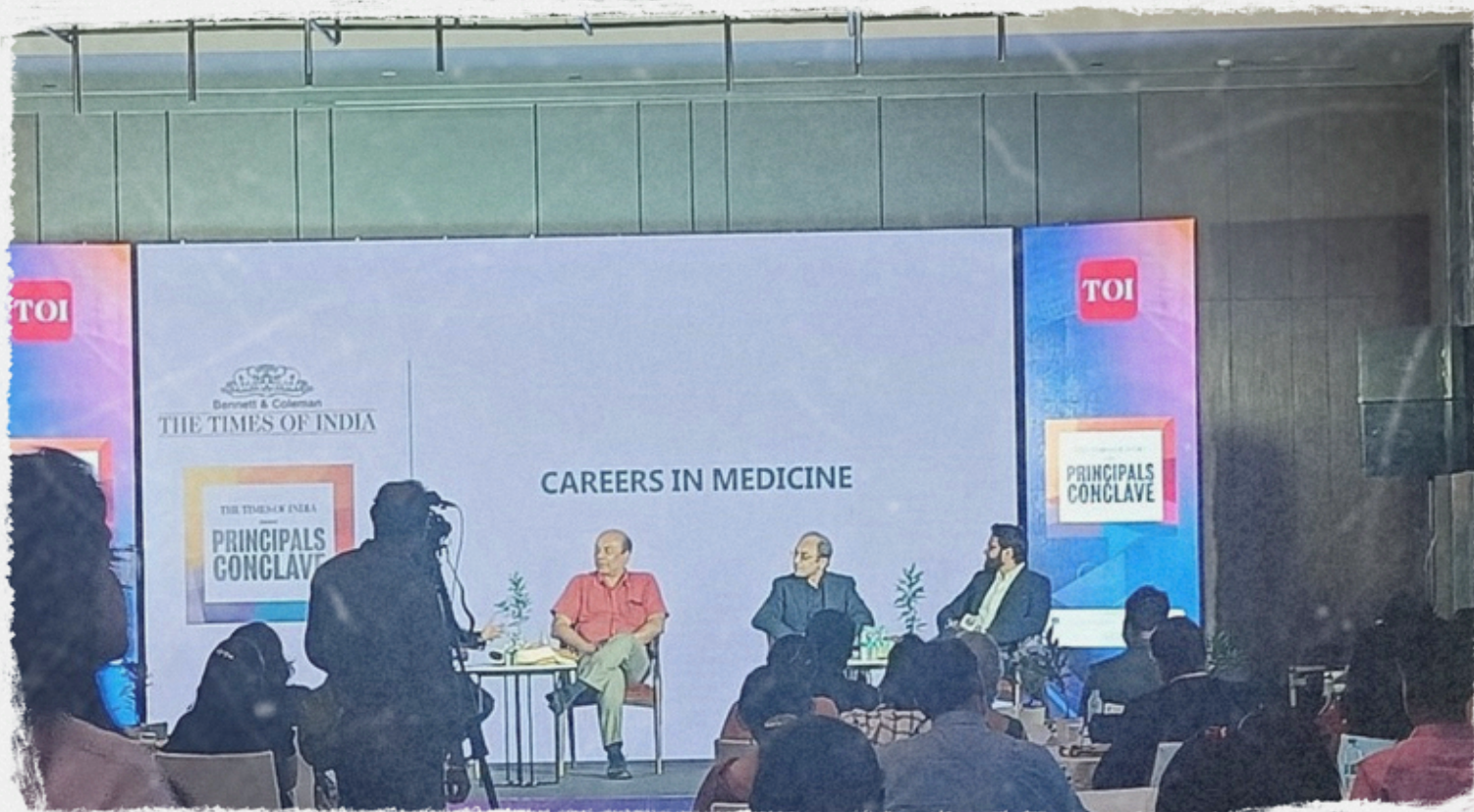
Our principal, Mrs Simran Sanghera, shared her thoughts and insights on the topic, the challenges faced by teachers in the VUCA world.





## Principals' Conclave

On 26th of July 2024, School Coordinator Mr. Atanu Chakraborty and HR Mrs. Mayurika Bose attended one Principal Conclave organised by the Times of India at Hyatt Centric Hotel Ballygunge, Kolkata. The topic of that conclave was inculcating Financial Responsibilities among students and Career in Medicine. Lots of Entrepreneurs, Industrialists and renowned Doctors were the speakers on that conclave. They have given their views on that topic.





# CBSE Workshops



## Educators' Conclave

As Albert Einstein rightly said, "It is the supreme art of the teacher to awaken joy in creative expression and knowledge". We the teachers of Asian International School were immensely privileged to be invited to the Educators Conclave by Confederation of Indian Industry held on July 13 (Saturday) at Taj Raj Kufir, Kolkata. The conclave aimed to bring together educators, policymakers, and thought leaders to discuss innovative strategies and trends in the education sector







# CBSE Workshops



## CBSE Smart Start Workshop

On 7th September 2024, educators from Asian International School had the privilege to attend the National Curriculum Framework (NCF) symposium for the Foundational Stage (Teaching, Learning, and Assessments) held at The Lalit Great Eastern, Kolkata. The event brought together educators to explore innovative and holistic approaches to education. The symposium featured keynote speeches by esteemed personalities such as Ms. Anahita Lee, a renowned author and teacher trainer, who emphasised making education joyful yet meaningful, moving beyond surface-level cuteness. In conclusion, the symposium was a valuable learning experience, promoting innovative, student-centric teaching practices that prioritise holistic development and joyful learning.

## CBSE Capacity Building Program

An engaging and highly informative workshop was held on 29 August at Lakshmiapat Singhania Academy by the Central Board Of Secondary Education. The workshop was named Capacity Building Program (CBP). Psychological Counselor and Wellness Teachers from various educational institutions participated in this one day workshop. The participants took part in various fun activities, roleplays, case studies and discussion forums. Different intervention techniques for challenging scenarios and common issues faced by the counselors at school were discussed through all these activities. It was a learning experience and a memorable day.







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## Science and Maths Workshop

A mathematics Workshop was attended by Ms.Sneha Das and Mr.Subhajit Malakar on 6th July at Park Prime Kolkata. It was conducted by Mrs. Ishita Mukherjee renowned academician to enhance pedagogical skills, introduce innovative teaching methods, and foster collaborative learning among educators.aimed to improve the quality of mathematics education and promote effective teaching strategies.





# Inter School Competitions

## Boscotsav



Balancing academics with extracurricular activities is essential for a well-rounded education. Our school strongly encourages students to participate in inter-school competitions. On 20th July, 2024 at Boscotsav'24 organized by Don Bosco, Liluah, our students showcased their ability to overcome challenges. They excelled in various events, achieving impressive results. Drishik Mazumder of class V secured 2nd position in Bosco Uposthapon (Bengali Recitation).  
**Congratulations to all our champion participants!**  
**We are proud of you!**





# Inter School Competitions



## Apex-Inter-School Sports Meet



**Our school successfully engaged students from different schools in APEX Sports Meet , including swimming, football etc. with increased participation and a strong emphasis on teamwork. The activity promoted physical fitness and community involvement. Positive feedback highlighted skill development and enhanced student well-being.**





# Inter School Competitions



## CBSE Cluster II Table Tennis Championship



Our school successfully engaged students in CBSE Cluster II table tennis Championship with increased participation and a strong emphasis on teamwork. The activity promoted physical fitness and community involvement. Positive feedback highlighted skill development and enhanced student well-being.





# Inter School Competitions



*CBSE Cluster II  
Table Tennis  
Championship*





## Asian International School



### "Nurture the Nature. Go Green and Save Green."

With a message of love and care for nature, began the Environment Week on recently with the main objective of preserving our environment. Asian International School, Howrah, celebrated a 'Go Green Week' from April 17 to 19 with an array of events contributing to the need for a greener planet. The environmental activities across the grades from classes Nursery to V, participated in eco-friendly activities doing every bit in ensuring that our planet continues to be a practice place for us and our future generations to live in.

Our little rippers of classes Nursery to II and educators were active in green coloured dresses. The classrooms were decorated with green coloured objects and cut out of leaves, trees, green balloons etc. They were told not to pluck leaves and flowers and eat green vegetables. The students

enjoyed making various craft items like green bin, newspaper envelope and bird feeder etc. Such fun activities got our students familiar with green colour and developed their cognitive, gross and fine motor skills.

Students of classes III and IV exhibited profound involvements by participating in hands-on experience of planting a sapling and hanging planter on April 18 in the school campus. This experience was not only fun and looked exciting since all students were able to learn something new about plants and their growth and importance along with being awestruck at the gorgeously colourful birds, which was a bonus. They also learnt the importance of healthy environment thereby making AIS, Howrah, a noticeable place to play and learn.

The facilities of the environment week continued further with the students engaged in various activities throughout

the week. Students of class V on April 19 dipped their little hands in colours to design their 'Best out of Waste' products. Each item was unique and worth appreciating. The activities depicting the theme 'Mother Earth' and morning assemblies advocating environmental issues were some of the events held in this month.

The celebrations of the environment week proceeded to a conclusion by being considerate towards the environment and protecting nature by maintaining a healthy living, thus bringing the gathering to the realization that humans haven't inherited the Earth from their fathers but have borrowed it from our children and thus it is important that we respect it.

AIS, Howrah, strongly believes that a big difference to the lives of the dwellers of this beautiful planet stems from the responsible thoughts and individual contributions of each one of us, every day in every way.



## SCHOOL IS COOL

MONDAY, AUGUST 5, 2024

It is not just Theory of Relativity beyond the clouds

### Dance contests at AIS

On June 28 and 29 the young performers of Asian International School satifally participated in the inter-class and inter-house fusion dance competition organized on its premises. An inter-class dance competition was organized for grade II students on June 28. The competition began with great zest and excitement. The participants, dressed in colourful costumes, set the stage on fire with their entrancing and energetic performance based on the selected theme. In the closely contested competition, class II secured the first position.

Houses performed on women empowerment. Gandhi House displayed their performance on spiritual awakening and Kinnairt House performed on the theme patrio-

The competition consisted of three rounds. In round 1, the participants were energetic and performed vivaciously. The choreography, rhythm, synchronization and presentation of all the students were exemplary. In round 2, identify the genre and present a signature step in round 3, the participants showcased their skills, creativity and improvisation in an intense dance-off. The judgement was done on the basis of choreography, relevance to the theme, expressions and overall presentation and the judges had a tough time deciding the winner. The first position was secured by Teresa House. The performance of Teresa House ended with a vibrant energy that resonated with the audience. Both events had a distinguished judging panel comprising Mrs. Saha, Chaiti Das and Shriya Moha. Their expertise added depth to the evaluation process, ensuring a fair and comprehensive assessment.

An inter-house dance competition was organized for grades III to V on June 29. The participants of the four houses put up toe tapping renditions. In the closely contested competition was allotted that house (Ashoka House presented) festivals of India. Teresa

The function concluded with the vote of thanks delivered by the student representatives, who extended their beautiful gratitude to the distinguished guests and faculty for their generous participation and the technology team, for being the backbone of the entire programme.



## International Yoga Day celebrations at AIS

Asian International School, Howrah, celebrated the International Yoga Day on June 21, 2024, with great vigour and enthusiasm. The event began with a brief introduction on the significance of International Yoga Day and welcoming the guests by the student of class V followed with the invocation of the Almighty. The PowerPoint presentation was highlighting the benefits of yoga in daily lives to raise awareness about the practice and to celebrate the physical and spiritual prowess that yoga has brought to the world.

The school believes that education does not mean mere imparting of knowledge or facts but it encompasses an all-round development of an individual. The school has been taking all initiatives to accomplish this. The celebration of International Yoga Day as declared by United Nations was highly an exuberant event with the biggest and enthusiastic participation of the large number of students. The students from classes III to V organized a plethora of yoga performances ranging from asanas, Pranayam to Suryanamaskar. The students stretched their arms, bent their legs, rolled their neck and twisted every sinew in their body with greater dexterity in a spectacular ensembles. Vrikshasana, Parvatasana, Padmasana, Vajrasana were the asanas, to name a few, performed on the occasion. The main attraction of the day was the performance of Suryanamaskar in which coordination of body and mind is very important.

Note of thanks was delivered by a student of class IV expressing gratitude to all individuals who contributed to the success of the program. The celebration concluded with the National Anthem.

An inter-house yoga competition was organized on the school premises on June 26. The competition was conducted under three categories where six students as a team across classes III and V were se-



lected to represent their house. There was a spectacular and beautiful display of talent, confidence, strength and flexibility by the yoga performers which left the students and teachers spell bound. The participants were adjudged by Souhika & Saheli on the basis of flexibility co-ordination, grace and correctness of posture.

In round 1, each team well represented their asanas based on the allotted themes with proper postures, expressions and gestures. The performers were applauded and cheered by the spectators. It was an enlightening experience for

them. They seemed enthusiastic. This competition endeavoured to provide platform to the students to exercise their yoga skills. The teams selected for final competition came in through a proper channel of competitors conducted by respective teachers. In round 2, there were rapid fire round and round 3. The spectacular performance and flawless asanas by Gandhi House left the audience spell bound. They bagged the first position in the event. This event was coincided with the national anthem and wishing all participants the best in their future endeavours.

NIP 2020's vision aims at providing practical and holistic education to prepare the learners for the future. Keeping this in mind, Asian International School conducted diverse Scholastic Activities, which aimed at making education more inquiry-based, holistic, and integrated. On June 21, the first scholar activity of the session, on subject English, was conducted across classes Nursery to V. These competency based activities were planned in accordance with CBSE Circular No. Acad-54-2023, dated 25.04.23.

To increase the ability of critical thinking at an early stage of learning, class III performed the activity 'Let's look and arrange'. In this activity, children were divided into groups of four, where each child was holding one paper with one type of noun written on it. A sentence was written on board.

effectively. Class I framed the activity 'Picture Dictionary' where students learned to identify and recognize things around them by integrating subjects like English, social science, and art & craft. In this activity, students were encouraged to pick up a random picture from a jar, which they identified and pasted in an A4 sheet and also wrote the name of that object thereafter. This activity helped students associate words with visual representations, improve vocabulary and enhance spelling skills in a fun and interactive way. To identify the different types of 'houses' in a joyful manner and also to make the learning concrete, class III performed the activity 'Let's look and arrange'. In this activity, children were divided into groups of four, where each child was holding one paper with one type of noun written on it. A sentence was written on board.

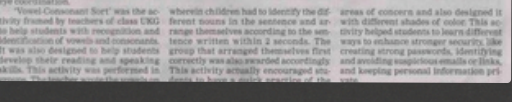


learned to identify letters by looking at the picture and also experienced heuristic learning by pasting alphabets in the scrapbook, along with the help of their teachers. This activity helped children recognize the patterns of different alphabets keenly, improve their colouring level, and also enhance their hand-eye coordination.

'Word Comment Sort' was the activity framed by teachers of class LKG to help students with recognition and identification of words and consonants. It was also designed to help students develop their reading and speaking skills. This activity was performed in

wherein children had to identify the different nouns in the sentence and arrange themselves according to the sentence written within 2 seconds. The group that arranged themselves first correctly was also awarded accordingly. This activity actually encouraged stu-

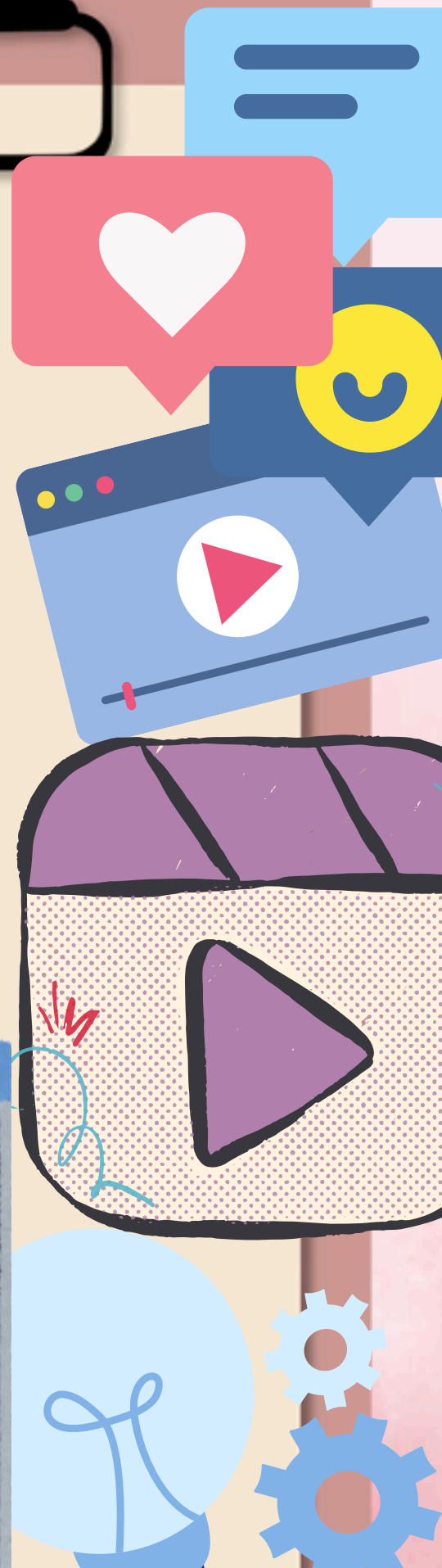
areas of concern and also designed it with different shades of color. This activity helped students to learn different ways to enhance stronger security, like creating strong passwords, identifying and avoiding suspicious emails or links, and keeping personal information pri-





# Digital Links

1. Fun with Nursery Rhymes.
2. World Nature Conservation Day.
3. Bookmark Making Activity.
4. Felicitation Of Principal Madam.
5. Mathematics Scholastic Activity.
6. EXO Healthy Tiffin Talks.
7. Independence Day Activity.
8. Independence Day Celebration.
9. Janmashami Celebration.
10. Story Telling Activity.





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